

St Catherine's College Middle Common Room

Open Meeting Minutes

Sunday 15th October 2017
at 1930 in the MCR

In attendance:

39 MCR Members in total

Executive Committee Members Present:

Luke Chiverton – MCR Co-President (meeting chair)

Alex Bucknell – Secretary

Supratik Paul – Bar Manager

Yossi Singer – Social Secretary



Minutes taken by MCR Secretary, Alex Bucknell

I. Approval of minutes from previous meeting

Minutes approved, no matters arising.

II. By-election of Executive Committee members

Social Secretary: Giedre Cepukaityte (seconders Emily-Keziah Green & Johannes Goslar).
Elected by a show of hands.

III. By-election of Regular Committee members

Welfare Officer (men): Johannes Goslar (seconders Alexander Karapetian & Liam Walmsley-Eyre). Elected by a show of hands.

Welfare Officer (women): Roxanna Abhari (seconders Peter Forsyth & Phil Earp). Elected by a show of hands.

IV. Vote in of new Honorary Members

Florian Zobel. Proposed by Roxanna Abhari. Elected by a show of hands.

V. Motion: Removal of plastic cups in MCR

Proposed by Eduardo Chazan at the meeting.

General support on the basis that everyone should have their own mug. Plastic cups also available in lobby.

Vote for resolutions without changes, motion carried by majority.

VI. Individual athlete funding removal – Dan Gregory

Dan – funding for individual athletes being reduced due to overspend on a college surplus which has now run out. £200 grant per athlete now cut to the amount charged for subs; incidentals such as therapy and transport will not now be covered, in line with JCR policy (proposed but not yet voted on).

Corporate sponsorship judged unlikely, but could be worth exploring by individuals. There will need to be stricter rules on expensing.

VII. AOB

Johnny Goslar suggestion to buy a projector for the MCR – will be useful for entertainment, but also information dissemination e.g. during open meetings and events. To be raised to the Exec.

Meeting close 2023.