

St Catherine's College Middle Common Room

Open Meeting Minutes

Sunday 23rd February, 2020
at 7pm in the MCR

In attendance:

31 MCR members in total

Executive Committee Members Present:

Henrique Aguiar – Co-President (Chair)

Ben Jackman – Secretary

James Ayre – Social Secretary

Arlette Nyembo – Bar Manager



I. Motion: Motion to confirm the previous meeting's minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were confirmed and approved without objection.

II. BOP Discussion

There will be a BOP at the end of term, on Friday or Saturday of week 8. This will serve as the informal opening of the new graduate centre. The final touches to the building are on schedule; there is more furniture coming this week, the bar still needs some touch ups, but otherwise things are looking good. The current plan is to have informal drinks on the Friday for students, faculty and others, then guest dinner, then the BOP (or have the BOP on the Saturday).

III. Elections

The position of Treasurer was the only position being elected. Edward Yee had nominated for the position, and spoke briefly about his background and experience in finance.

After leaving the room, Edward Yee was duly elected by a show of hands, with no objections.

The Chair noted that we received no applications for the other positions that were open. The various benefits of these positions were explained, and members were asked to consider serving on the committee if they can. The Committee members noted that it is difficult for the Committee to continue putting on events and organising things like stash if people do not volunteer for these positions.

IV. AOB

The chair noted that Brownies are available in college. Immediately following this, another member noted that these brownies are no longer available as they had eaten them all. I have redacted this member's identity from these minutes for their safety.

One tea and biscuit officer noted that the tea and biscuit tin has been refilled. This was met with much rejoicing.

The meeting was adjourned.