**TCSU Committee Minutes 23/2/20**

Chair – Ludvig Brekke

Vice-Chair – Ben Clark

Absent – Izzy Lynn, Women’s and Ana Dolinar, Environmental and Domestic

**Vice President**

* Vote on motion for last week. Motion fails 13-12 (2 absent).
* Postpones Gender Neutral Toilets discussion until Women’s Officer is present
* JCR improvement meetings are underway. Works and Catering departments seem positive about potential changes with the aim to have the new JCR done by the start of next academic year.

**President**

* College sexual assault reporting procedure. President, Vice President and Women’s Officer have met with College to discuss college procedures in light of Trinity Hall scandal and are working to a solution along with former TCSU Women’s Officers.
	+ Aim to lobby college council to centralize this procedure to the university and persuade them to hire a Sexual Assault and Harassment Advisor who will be able to brief and support someone through the reporting process.
	+ A proposal on these things will need to be submitted to the Senior Tutor and College Council for approval.
	+ The role of the Mental Health Advisor in this reporting procedure was discussed briefly.
	+ Next year’s consent workshops are to include sexual health education and information about reporting procedures.
	+ Committee discusses documents provided by Women’s Officer concerning reporting procedure and Trinity Hall scandal
* Blue Boar Common Room Mess – The dean has reported to us many instances of noise and mess. Those responsible have been reported to the dean by the housekeeping department and discussions on the use of the room will continue with the Dean.
	+ The Dean has indicated that she would like to discuss this at the Liaison meeting.
* Commemoration dinner ballot – President, Vice President and Female Welfare, Ents, Computing, Mental Health and Disabilities Officer.

**Welfare**

* Welfare drop in sessions. A discussion was had on the feasibility of reintroducing these. It was decided that the welfare officers would discuss this further among themselves.
* Access Officer highlights that she had organised the Access drop in and would like other committee members to publicize this.
* Welfare formal- Decision not to hold one this term but to hold a mental health related charity formal next term.
* TCSU stash is progressing and will be ordered soon. Budget for this has been checked and approved by Treasurer and the price will be similar to last year.

**Ents**

* The Bar staff have indicated that they would be happy for us to hold more events in the bar to increase profitability. Therefore, holding more ents in bar is very possible.