



LGBTQ+ Forum Executive Committee Minutes



Date and time: 26/04/2023 @ 16:10

Location: BLN SR18

Present: Josh (Co-LCO), Raen (Co-LCO), Willow (General Secretary), Clio (Trans+), Ellie (Graphic Designer), George (Campaigns)

Apologies: Uyi (BAME), Ebonie (Women+), Claudia (Social Media)

Absent: Arwen (Intersectionality), Harry (Men+), Maddie (Socials)

1. Welcome from the Chair

2. Purchases for this term

For this term we need to buy:

- Coffee (Both normal and decaf)
- Tea
- Hot chocolate
- Oat Milk
- Condoms (we can get these free from the NHS)
- Replacement flags (some were damaged over Easter)
- Reusable Coffee Cups
- Exec Hoodies
- Tupperware for coffee supplies
- She/her pronoun stickers (we can get these from the SU, there may or may not be printing costs though)

Willow will get tea, coffee, hot chocolate, oat milk and tupperware. Josh will get the coffee cups and condoms, and will speak to the SU about pronoun stickers. The LCOs will get the flags. Ebonie and Uyi are in charge of hoodies at the moment.

We may also need to get formal food safety training from LUSU. Exec members who get training will then need to be available for all coffee evenings. Josh, Raen, Clio and potentially Willow could do this.

3. Pride Month Plans

We went through all the ideas for pride month we came up with and narrowed them down. Our main priorities are:

- Queerstrav (Josh, Raen, Willow and Thomas)
- Sports/BBQ Social (Ellie, Willow. Josh and Raen may be able to help)
- Pulse Vigil – June 12th (Josh, Thomas)

Our secondary priorities are:

- Clothes Swap (Clio)
- Flag/Flowers Campaign (George)

Other things we will run:

- “The Big Strut” (an LGBTQ+ community walk across campus)
- Weekly Coffee (Ellie)
- Lancaster Pride
- They Matter (George, Raen, Clio, Willow, Arwen)

We’ll discuss exec availability in more detail next week.

4. Lancaster Pride

Lancaster Pride will be on June 25th in Dalton Square. We have a spot in the parade and a stall reserved as part of LUSU.

5. Co-Options

Unfortunately we didn’t have quorum today, so we couldn’t run co-options. We’ll try to hit quorum next week for co-options.

6. AOB

- The Dukes never got back to Ellie about our potential meeting tomorrow. Unless we hear back by midday tomorrow it seems this may no longer be happening.
- We’ve been looking at different quotes from coach companies for Canal Street. They’re still all around £800.
- Some members of the forum have been having issues with LMP regarding transgender healthcare. We’re going to put together an open letter to LMP, possibly including feedback from forum members (although we need to abide by patient confidentiality restrictions). Willow will take the lead on this from week 23 at the earliest.

Key Word Breakdown

- **LCO: Liberation and Campaigns Officer**
- **LUSU/SU: Lancaster University Students Union**
- **LMP: Lancaster Medical Practice**