**GULS Committee Meeting 6th December**

**Attendees:** Eilidh Haldane, Katie Hindle, Alex Enaholo, Fay Lightbody, Holly Marsden, Amber Collins, Fionn Carroll and Marianne Colleran

**Apologies:** Rebekah Patterson, Chloe Robertson, Kara Mclachlan, Bilal Shahzad and Carrie Fusco

**Unknown:** Illia Malanchuk and Ethan Darroch

[Meeting begins 21:05]

[Marianne Colleran joins 21:10]

**Membership Revokement**

* Following an incident last Friday at our charity quiz with a member acting disorderly and in an unacceptable manner which involved the police and the GUU having to take action, the GUU would like to have a meeting with the board of management and GULS to discuss. Following this, the majority of executive committee would like to ban the member involved from all future GULS events which was something we are not happy about but we do not want to jeopardise our relationship with the GUU or condone this behaviour.
* To revoke the member’s membership we need two thirds of the committee to vote to vote to revoke it. Eilidh has made a google document so if committee go and anonymously vote during this meeting and Eilidh will let us know the results.
* Katie runs down the details of this to catch Marianne up on the situation.
* At the end of the meeting Eilidh shares her screen and shows that of the 10 members who have voted (which is two thirds of the committee) 100% have voted to revoke the member’s membership.
* Eilidh will keep the committee updated once the meeting with the GUU has happened. If anyone has any questions, they can message her.

**Law Ball Tickets Update**

* Correspondence from Carrie Fusco- “Mainly just wondering what you’re planning to do with the remainder of the tickets?”
* Ethan Darroch not present to discuss.
* Eilidh says that we have around 100 spare tickets for law ball but we are not going to do an online sale because we still have sold around 650 tickets which is more than enough and is not going to impact us negatively financially. It will also give us more space on the dance floor and tables so this may benefit us because 750 was a max. Eilidh says if anyone has questions about this to message Ethan because he knows better.
* Alex explains that selling only a few more will also increase the budget so we would have to sell a lot more so it’s better for us financially as reduces costs too.

**Law Ball Ticket Raffle**

* Correspondence from Chloe Robertson- “I am working on a plan to have the law ball ticket raffle for charity up by Wednesday evening and have been corresponding with Eilidh about it. If anyone has any ideas, questions or concerns, they can send me a message as I’d be more than happy to discuss.”
* Correspondence from Kara Mclachlan- “I’m not sure people will be interested in a law ball raffle because I’m assuming everyone who wants a ticket will already have one.”
* Eilidh says we want to do a raffle for a charity law ball ticket. People will put in £1/2 and be entered into a raffle to win a law ball ticket. This will be through Just Giving. To fit with Katie’s law ball plan this needs to open tomorrow. This will be promoted through social media and Eilidh asks Marianne to do posts on Facebook and Instagram about this. She asks year reps to promote this to their year group members too.
* To respond to Kara’s correspondence Eilidh says that she knows some people are in need or a ticket, it’s a good thing to do for charity and is not hard to run so we might as well do it.
* Fay asks if it’s just one ticket? Eilidh confirms that it is just one ticket.
* Katie asks if £1/2 is enough? She thinks last year it was £3 or £5 for a double entry and this would raise a lot more for charity. Eilidh says these prices would work.
* Katie asks if it’s just the ticket or a hotel room as well? Eilidh says just a ticket because we got a room per 100 tickets so we have not sold enough to raffle a room too.

**Committee Night Out**

* Correspondence from Carrie Fusco- “I’m looking forward to the night out- is there any plans pre or post cocktail session?”
* Katie says she is having a nightmare booking a cocktail masterclass. She has tried Missoula, hummingbird, Revolution de cuba, Revolution, Bar Soba, Slug and Lettuce, the Grosvenor and the Gardener but none have got availability or have not got back to me. She is going to phone them tomorrow and beg. Katie asks committee if they have any other suggestions of places she can try? No one has any other options.
* If not, Katie and Eilidh have offered to host the class at their flat and will do a DIY cocktail class. The money we have paid will pay for ingredients for the class instead. Katie emphasises this is a last resort if we can’t get anywhere else. She asks committee if we would rather do this or another activity? Alex, Marianne and Holly say they are happy to do a DIY masterclass. Eilidh says the benefit of this would be we’d get more drinks for our money. Katie will let everyone know regardless.

**Academic Event Attendance and Rundown**

* Alex wants to ask what events committee want to see on the academic side? Alex is working with Eilidh on the alternative careers in law event already but asks for other ideas.
* Eilidh says its hard to get interest for academic events especially in exam season etc. She thinks networking events with drinks etc is more appealing than presentations and lectures. Alex agrees we should do more with drinks like an open bar and agrees the ones with drinks have been the best attendance wise. He highlights that these are also the most expensive events too. Alex will suggest doing more online events because its easier for people to attend. Eilidh says that Alex has done very well and there’s only so much you can do to make people attend.
* Alex says no one has emailed him from the bar and advocacy society so there is no update on that event.
* Alex also wants to do an event for second years about going into honours next semester.
* Alex asks year reps to gain interest from their year about what they want to see next semester.
* Alex reminds committee that they need to be attending academic events as well as socials, these aren’t optional and the attendance is needed because they are less well attended. Obviously, people are busy but if there’s not a good reason then they should be there. Eilidh agrees with Alex and says we all have to attend them and this is part of our roles as committee.

**AOCB**

* Exec are going to meal tasting for law ball on Thursday. Alex doesn’t want us to choose chicken. He would rather have beef. Holly and Fionn want chicken. Fay is a vegetarian. Fionn says more people eat chicken than beef in general. Marianne says they can just get the vegetarian option if they don’t like beef. Katie says this isn’t possible because they have already submitted their dietary requirements.
* Correspondence from Rebekah Patterson- “Only correspondence is to thank people for coming to the quiz. Chloe will have a better number but we raised over £600!!”

[Meeting adjourned 21:49]