

AHEC Meeting Minutes

Date: Tuesday, June 2, 2020, 8:00pm @Zoom

Attendees:

Adam

Katie

Allison

Amanda

Andrew

Haosheng

Kruthika

Jacqueline

Minutes: Arun

- [Update] – Update on officer hiring
 - o Haosheng will check with Operations and see if there is a need to send another reminder to Brunch and Coffee Hour

- [Update] – New committee chairs and committee inventory members
 - o Publicity and communications chair chosen
 - o Brunch and inventory and coffee hour to still get back
 - o Kruthika to coordinate with the current floor officers to fill up vacant positions

- [Update] – Ashdown mask
 - o Modified the word splash to include less words
 - o Katie has ordered the masks and is expecting to get the masks by the original date of 2 weeks or so

- [Update] – External meeting reports
 - o Allison reported on the housing and communities affairs meeting
 - o Sustainability officer could reach out to HCA sustainability officer
 - o Other meetings to happen this week

- [Update] – Officer of the month publicity
 - o Officer of the month notified
 - o Publicity officer notified as well

- [Update] – Website assignments
 - o AHEC to reassign website modification works

- [Update] – Anti-racism efforts

- o Topics discussed on how Ashdown can get involved in the matter
- o Mail to be drafted by AHEC to ashdown community on resources to address the issue
- o Get suggestions back from the community through the suggestion box
- o Potentially employ a diversity officer in the future
- o Try and organize monthly discussions through cherry pie society
- [Update] – Grad-dorm-officers slack
 - o Checked with AHEC members to see if they have joined/got invited to join the slack channel
 - o Student solutions group (to bring together students to address covid-19 issues) invite to be shared on slack, with the ashdown community
- [Update] – Suggestion box updates
 - o Guest policy modification to have guests from other dorms : Heads of house are in discussion with housing to deal with the current guest policy
- [Update] – Return to housing information from Adam
 - o People have started returning to housing
 - o Adam to keep information updated on returning graduate students
 - o Adam to hold a zoom call in a couple of days to address queries from students
- [Misc] – Non-residential officers
 - o Potentially hire officers without offering lease; has happened in past, especially when officers are recruited mid-year yet usually results in transition to lease in next year
 - o Discussion on continuing lease eligibility and how to handle officer roles for officers not physically in Ashdown
 - o Haosheng and Allison to recommend interested party wait to apply next year

Meeting adjourned