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Captains' Meeting Agenda

Thursday 1st Week Hilary Term 2024

7.00pm, 18th January

The Tanner Room, Linacre College

Chair: Lilli Freischem (OUBC)

1. **Welcome**

2. **Minutes of the Last Meeting**

Available at <https://ourcs.co.uk/organisation/meetings/>

3. **Matters Arising**

4. **Squad Reports** [Paper 1]

5. **Ratification of Ordinary Committee Members** – Sophia Ungermann to speak

- Jack Davies (St Hilda's)
- Ava Harrison (LMH)
- Ty Rallens (Merton/GTC)
- Qianyi Sun (St Edmund Hall)

6. **Transfers under A1.2.** – Samuel McLoughlin to speak

Under A.1.2.a.:

Objections may only be based on the following:

- Athlete is not a member of the college they are transferring from
- Athlete has never been a member of the college they are transferring to
 - Luke Robinson, Jesus to Trinity

7. **Retention of Student Status (A1.1.a.i.1.a.)** – Samuel McLoughlin to speak

Two-thirds majority to pass

Georgia Douglas (Pembroke):

Georgia is a cox who rusticated in Michaelmas after the sudden bereavement of a close friend. She has returned to live and work in Oxford and would like to remain an active member of Pembroke College Boat Club. Georgia has been extremely dedicated to PCBC throughout her time at Oxford: she rowed as a novice and in W2 in her first year; was a very committed vice-captain despite injuries preventing her own rowing in second year; and began coxing in Trinity of her second year. PCBC is a tight-knit community and being able to remain fully involved in the boat club will help her through this very difficult time. We are proposing this retention of student status out of welfare concerns; the college welfare team have also expressed a desire

for Georgia to continue coxing with her W1 team-mates in order to maintain some continuity and remain active while rusticated. We will gain no competitive advantage from this: Georgia began coxing properly in Trinity 2023, having previously only coxed a handful of novice outings. Instead, we wish only for her to be given permission to compete in Torpids and Eights so that she can remain involved in the boat club – and boat – that she loves and to which she is very committed.

Proposed: Jane Kuper (Pembroke)

Seconded: Cian Lomax (Pembroke)

8. **River Closures** – Sophia Ungermann to speak

a. **Isis Winter League**

IWL C: Sunday 21st January (2nd Week) – 12:00 until Closing Time or End of Racing

IWL D: Sunday 4th February (4th Week) – 12:00 until Closing Time or End of Racing

IWL E: Sunday 18th February (6th Week) – 12:00 until Closing Time or End of Racing

Proposed: Sophia Ungermann (OURCs/Linacre)

Seconded: Samuel McLoughlin (OURCs/Somerville)

b. **Torpids**

Rowing On:

Friday 23rd February (6th Week) – 08:30 until Closing Time or End of Racing

Rowing On contingency:

Sunday 25th February (7th Week) – 08:00 until Closing Time or End of Racing

Torpids proper:

Wednesday 28th February (7th Week) – 11:00 until Closing Time or End of Racing

Thursday 29th February (7th Week) – 11:00 until Closing Time or End of Racing

Friday 1st March (7th Week) – 11:00 until Closing Time or End of Racing

Saturday 2nd March (7th Week) – Opening Time until Closing Time

Proposed: Sophia Ungermann (OURCs/Linacre)

Seconded: Samuel McLoughlin (OURCs/Somerville)

9. **Guide to Disputes** – Q Sun to speak

10. **Marshalling and Umpiring** – Sophia Ungermann / Q Sun to speak

11. **Flag Safety and Insurance** – Sophia Ungermann / Q Sun to speak

12. **Godstow Flag** – Sophia Ungermann to speak

13. **Extra Slots** – Samuel McLoughlin to speak

Applications from: Corpus Christi, Green Templeton, Hertford, Lady Margaret Hall, St Anne's, St Edmund Hall, St Hilda's, St Hugh's, St Peter's, Somerville, University, Wadham, Wolfson & Worcester

Allocation to be announced in the meeting.

14. **AOB**

- **Isis Flag & Iffley Weir** – Samuel McLoughlin to speak
- **Treasurer's Report** [Paper 2] – James Hopkinson to speak
- **2024 Novice Regatta** – Q Sun to speak
In preparation of the 2024 instance of the Novice Regatta, OURCs will share documents regarding the organisation of the event in the coming weeks. College boat clubs hoping to organise MT24's instance of the event should begin considering that option now.
- **Notice from OARC re. the Renaming of their Club** – Samuel McLoughlin to speak
- **Oxford Clean Rivers Initiative for Safer Waterways** – Samuel McLoughlin to speak