

A Song of Ice and Fitz

A Feast for Bros

The Small Council has decided to switch things up this Fitzmas by introducing a Fitzmas Lottery, in order to avoid the technical meltdown of last year. Citizens of Fitzeros who wish to attend one of the annual Fitzmas banquets are required to enter a game of chance that will decide which lucky people are able to attend.

In addition to this, two golden tickets—one for each banquet—will be hidden somewhere in the city. The lucky finders of these tickets will receive a free Fitzmas ticket for the designated night*, and eternal glory.

In the game of Fitzmas, you win or you don't win.

A Clash of Kings

Last night saw two candidates—Lady Fenella and Lord RON—battling it out for the iron throne. Lucky, unlike in Westeros, Fitzeros is a democracy, so it's actually up to you to decide who wins. Head to

<https://www.vote.cusu.cam.ac.uk/fitz-jma/15-16/presidentialelection/> to cast your vote.

A Storm of Lords

Most excitingly of all, the JCR 2016 Exec nominations are now open. What does this mean? It means you could be one of the next Masters of the Small Council, debating the big issues, changing the world, and getting guaranteed tickets to Fitzmas.

Exec positions are:

- Hand of the King
- Master of Coin
- Grand Maester
- Master of Whispers
- Master of Ships
- Master of Laws
- Master of Festivities
- Masters of Healing

If you're interested in taking up the mantle of one of these noble positions, contact me on

jcr.secretary@fitz.cam.ac.uk.

If you'd like to know more about what a role involves, consult the recent raven I

sent, which has a list of role descriptions and the contact details of current Small Council members if you have further questions.

In anticipation of the vast amount of interest in the role of Master of Whispers, and because there's still a whole column of this page left to fill, here's a bit about what I do:

-Organise and make agendas for weekly Small Council meetings

-Take minutes at said meetings

-Compose the weekly Billy Bulletin (which by the way does not have to require as much effort as this, but it is quite fun)

-Attend termly Communications Committee meetings with the city elders

-Boss around the Web Master and the Master of Publications

The only really time-consuming part is putting together the Bulletin, and as I said above there's really no good reason why I put my heart and soul into it each week. If you have any more questions, let me know!

*I think

A View From The 'Bridge

Churchill Spring Ball 2016

The committee for Churchill Spring Ball 2016 are delighted to announce the theme for this year's ball as VAULT. Tickets are now available at www.springball.com for the ball on the 13th February 2016 where Basshunter will be performing some of his biggest hits.

Tickets are available before the 4th December for £80 and from then on at the increased price of £90. A limited number of VIP and queue jump tickets are also available.

We are also looking for workers for the night and applications are now open at <https://www.springball.com/employment.php> with a deadline of the 28th November 2015.

Hope to see you when the VAULT opens for one night only,

The Churchill Spring Ball Committee 2016

Speakeasy—Poetry Night

After two sold-out shows, and for the penultimate time this term, Speakeasy is LIVE in the ADC Bar at 8pm on Sunday evening (15th November), featuring fantastic feature poets Uppahar

Ups Subba and Charlotte Chorley, and the acclaimed Open Slam!

Anyone can sign up to read 3 minutes of their own poetry in the slam, and compete to win honour, glory, and a performance slot at a future Speakeasy!

If you usually love poetry, if you usually hate poetry, if you've never heard of performance poetry or spoken word before but fancy giving it a go (/being entertained while having a drink in the ADC Bar), come along! Have a drink, have a listen, if you want to perform get up and speak - it's easy!

/ 8pm // Sunday 15th November //
ADC Theatre Bar //

Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1211088525571443/>

Free online booking: [https://www.adctheatre.com/whats-on/literary/speakeasy-\(15-nov-2015\).aspx](https://www.adctheatre.com/whats-on/literary/speakeasy-(15-nov-2015).aspx)

(tickets £6 for students, otherwise £7)

If you want to perform in the slam, just get in touch via the Facebook event, or email Paul Tait (pt361)!

Addleshaw Goddard

Dear Student,

Addleshaw Goddard will be hosting a dinner at Côte Brasserie, Bridge Street, on Wednesday 18 November 2015.

The event will begin at 6.30pm and will be a great opportunity to ask some of our trainees, associates and partners about what life and work is really like at a top City law firm, and about our international and regional offices.

If you would like to attend the event, please RSVP to Cambridge.Campus@addleshawgoddard.com by Tuesday 10 November with your name, college, subject and year of study. Please also include a brief paragraph (no more than 150 words) on why you would like to attend the event.

We look forward to hearing from you.

Sent on behalf of the Cambridge Campus Team.

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for Addleshaw Goddard LLP

Office Locations: <http://www.addleshawgoddard.com/contactus>

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80,000 Hours Cambridge

TITLE: « Designing your high impact career »

DATE & TIME: Monday 16th,
6pm

LOCATION: Boys Smith Room,
Fisher Building, St John's College.

DESCRIPTION:

Do you want to 'do good' with your career? Unsure what this looks like, and how you can optimise your skills to create impact?

At 80,000 hours, we specialise in working with driven individuals to design high impact career pathways. This careers workshop will introduce you to the key concepts that underpin the 80,000 hours careers framework and equip you with the tools to make career decisions based on optimising your impact. Our workshop speaker is Rob Wiblin, one of the founding team and the Director of Research at 80,000 Hours. The workshop will end with small group discussions tailored around exploring your personal career options and where you should head next.

About the speaker: Rob Wiblin is the Director of Research at 80,000 hours. Rob studied both genetics

and economics at the Australian National University, graduating top of his class and being named Young Alumnus of the Year in 2015. He 'earned to give' as a research economist in various Australian Government agencies, and then moved to the UK to work at the Centre for Effective Altruism, first as Research Director and then Executive Director. He is also Secretary of the board of Animal Charity Evaluators and a member of the World Economic Forum's Global Shapers Community.

80,000 Hours: Cambridge is here to give you the information you need to maximise the social impact of your career choices. Our advice is based on four years of research with academics at Oxford and is tailored for talented young graduates.

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TITLE: « High impact research »

DATE & TIME: Thursday 19th,
7.30pm

LOCATION: Lightfoot Room,
Divinity School, St John's College.

DESCRIPTION:

How can we identify areas where extra research is particularly valuable?

What can you do to maximise the positive impact of a research career?

The Global Priorities Project helps decision-makers effectively prioritise ways to go good. As such, they form a bridge between the effective altruism community and major institutions. Decision-makers are increasingly good at comparing the effectiveness of similar programmes. However, they often feel unable to weigh up benefits that are very different from each other – like youth programmes and research into cancer treatments. Differences between these types of benefits can be very large, and a better understanding of their relative weight would have a big effect on spending priorities. Where we identify these differences, it can suggest specific policy changes.

Dr. Owen Cotton-Barratt researches for the Global Priorities Project and is a research associate at the Future of Humanity Institute. He teaches at the University of Oxford and has research experience in pure mathematics, voting theory, artificial intelligence, and moral uncertainty. He will be giving a short presentation of on his project and the idea of high-impact research. Please join us on the 19th of November for Owen's talk which will be followed by refreshments and snacks.

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Christ's Films

Diary of a Teenage Girl – Saturday
14th November - 9pm.

Running time: 102 mins

A big Sundance 2015 hit, Marielle Heller's debut feature is a sensitively sexualised coming of age story set in 1970s San Francisco. Minny (Bel Powly) embarks on a forbidden affair with her mother's (Kristen Wiig) goofy boyfriend Monroe (Alexander Skarsgard). Minnie chronicles the events in her diary, with her drawings appearing on screen in this highly original film which will shock and intrigue.

Join us for an exclusive screening before the DVD release date!

Undecided? Watch the trailer here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kYb0WRr1eww>

Join our events on Facebook and Agora for updates:

Facebook event: <https://www.facebook.com/events/808786232565931/>

Agora Event: <https://joinagora.com/events/2570/>

Caius May Ball 2016

Are you interested in performing at Gonville and Caius May Ball 2016?

If so, we would love to hear from you! We are looking for a range of

acts and auditions will be held on the 28th and 29th of November in the newnham annex music rooms (access via West road).

Please email caientmb@hermes.cam.ac.uk with a brief description of your act and we will get back to you with an audition time!

We look forward to hearing from you.

Best wishes,

Caius May Ball Ents team

English Tutor in New Zealand

Work and travel in New Zealand for a year as a graduate English tutor.

Want to spend a year working and traveling in New Zealand? Every year Christ's College Canterbury employs an Oxford or Cambridge graduate as an English Tutor on a one-year fixed-term contract. The successful applicant will demonstrate a passion for English and appropriate academic expertise, but an interest in teaching and working with students is just as important.

Tutors are provided with a furnished college flat, salaried at approximately NZ\$20,000, and Christ's College will also refund the cost of the tutor's UK-Christchurch return flights. Besides the many perks offered by the college, tutors enjoy a significant

amount of holiday (approximately four months over the course of the year) and will have ample opportunity to travel extensively. For further details, please see the attached job description PDF or contact Nye Williams-Renouf, the current tutor, at nwilliams@christcollege.com. Applications close on 31 January 2016, but early submissions are encouraged.

Eco House Initiative

Do you have an idea for a sustainable product that could revolutionise lives around the world? Are you interested in taking that idea further whilst still at Cambridge?

If so then come along to the launch event of this year's Sustainable Product Design Competition, run by the EcoHouse Initiative Student Society & Cambridge Research and Development to find out more about how you could end up winning £1,000 and the chance to work with CRD to develop your product further.

Monday 16th November – 1pm, LR4 in the Engineering Department

For more information: students.ecohouseinitiative.org/sustainable-product-design-competition/

Email us at comms@ecohouseinitiative.org

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Feast for the Future

Gutted there's no space left at your college for that Christmas formal, and craving a little evening off in a cosy atmosphere?

Concerned about issues in our society but not sure how to contribute/what is useful?

Cambridge Hub has set up four formals where you can come to with your friends, and not only enjoy a relaxed foodie break, but also connect and discuss with other people about those big topics...

Talk about it with your friends and book your places now before they run out!

Full info: <http://www.cambridgehub.org/feastforthefuture>

Bookings:

JOHN'S: <https://www.facebook.com/events/923638851063509/>

DOWNING: <https://www.facebook.com/events/967522099960552/>

MAGD: <https://www.facebook.com/events/1513752178950591/>

A tour of Cambridge college formals...

A vegetarian/vegan festival like no other...

A fun and relaxed space for ethical discussions...

A time to pause and rethink about our routines and habits...

A night full of surprises and spontaneity...

Thanksgiving Celebration

Development and Alumni Relations Office are holding a thanksgiving lunch!

It's on Thursday 26 November at 12.45pm at the University Centre.

The event is particularly aimed at American students away from home for the first time, but all students are very welcome to attend.

To book a place please visit: www.alumni.cam.ac.uk/civicrm/event/register?id=582&reset=1

Booking closes at noon on Monday 23 November.

Student Wellbeing Study

Are you a first-year undergraduate student?

Are you interested in finding out how well you are adjusting to university life?

Do you have an iPhone* or Android phone** that you carry with you?

Then you should take part in our study!

The experiment will run for two weeks (starting approx. next week) and require (very brief) daily interaction with a smartphone app and responses to questionnaires sent out via email.

At the end of the experiment you will receive an analysis of your data (optional), be paid £10 and entered into a lottery to win one of two £50 Amazon vouchers.

If you want to participate in the study, please contact wellbeing.cambridge@gmail.com. Please feel free to forward this information on to anyone who might be interested in participating.

Best regards,

The Student Wellbeing Study Team

* 4S or higher, running at least iOS 8, with an Internet dataplan

** running at least Android 4.4, with an Internet dataplan

HeForShe at Cambridge: Committee Positions Available

HeForShe is a solidarity campaign for gender equality

initiated by UN Women. Its goal is to engage men and boys as agents of change for the achievement of gender equality and women's rights, by encouraging them to take action against inequalities based on gender. It is grounded in the idea that gender equality is an issue that affects all people — socially, economically and politically. UN Women is the UN organization dedicated to gender equality and the empowerment of women. A global champion for women and girls, UN Women was established to accelerate progress on meeting their needs worldwide.

We are establishing the official University of Cambridge Society to continue to build on the GetFree tour event in October. This needs a group of committed individuals who are interested in the following specific roles:

Head of Finance and Fundraising
Events coordinator
Head of Marketing and Communication
Secretary

We will also need a wide range of interested people to form the wider society's committee and membership, to include a website manager and a team to produce campaign material, organize and promote events, liaise with other campaigns within the University etc.

Please contact rdk30@cam.ac.uk if you are interested in being part of the committee or involved with the society.

You can also join the facebook group to express interest and solidarity with the campaign.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/HeForSheCam/?fref=ts>