

Cerian Craske and Priya Kaler, Womens' and Non-Binary Officers

Experience

Priya Kaler:

- Ran the FemSoc at my school, which meant organising weekly discussion events, and encouraging participation in feminism throughout the school
- Was Editor for the feminism section of the school magazine

Cerian Craske:

- Ran sexuality and relationships talks for the year below at school
- Was part of the committee running LGBTQ+ society for 3 years
- Was Head Editor of school magazine, involving liaising with people across and outside of the school in order to put the publication together

Manifesto

- **Sanitary products:**
 - Work to ensure that sanitary products continue to be provided in all public toilets in Fitzwilliam College, including men's toilets, possibly putting posters up in the toilets to explain why these are available and why this is necessary - we want them to remain there and not be removed.
 - Additionally, we want to make sure that the sanitary products are provided in an equally nice way in the disabled toilets and the toilets in the Porters' Lodge as in the other toilets in college
 - We would also aim to make sanitary products part of the welfare scheme (by collaborating with the Female Welfare Exec), so that these items can be put in people's pigeonholes when requested via the JCR website. This would mean that these items are more readily available when needed.
- **Speakers:**
 - In terms of allocated budget, attempt to use it to bring in speakers from different areas of life - contextualise intersectional feminism in terms of both the college environment and the rest of the world (collaborate with the new FemSoc exec on what speakers to bring in, and keeping it current).
 - We would ask speakers which charity they would like to work with for their speech and take charitable donations at the door - we would like to collaborate with the Charities Officer on this
- **Drop-in sessions:**
 - At least one of us would be available in the JCR or cafe for an hour each week to answer any questions and provide support.
- **International Women's Day:**
 - Formal in college followed by casual event in the bar or JCR to enable people to discuss across different year groups, both as an educational and a friendly event, as well as hopefully being able to get a speaker in
- **Pink Week:**
 - Fundraising during Pink Week. In support of breast cancer awareness, we would aim to put on events which would raise money for the cause, or possibly organise fundraising
- **Awareness:**
 - Generate awareness for events throughout Cambridge to do with women's and non-binary rights e.g. Reclaim the Night march - this would involve staying active on the Fitzwilliam Facebook group in order to publicise events.

- We would also organise walking groups to get to events alongside FemSoc in order to make sure that everyone can go who might want to. This would include WomCam on Thursdays each week, and people can get in contact with us if they want to find someone to go with.
- **Self Defence Classes:**
 - Continue the work done by the previous Women's Officers in organising self-defence classes. The funds have already been arranged for this, so we would just have to book and publicise these classes.
- **Consent workshops:**
 - Fully define consent, discuss legal definitions and nuances
 - Ensure that people are informed about what to do in difficult situations, in which consent is an issue, and that they are aware of who to go to for help
 - We would like to make sure the workshops are as intersectional as possible, including information on consent to do with men, the LGBT+ community, and people with disabilities (hopefully working with the LGBT+ and Disabilities and Mental Health Officers)

Working with FemSoc:

- Work with FemSoc to create events which welcome as much of the college population as possible, both in terms of educational events and those which are more relaxing.
- As shown on the FemSoc Facebook group, we would act as treasurer of FemSoc, ensuring that the funds which are entrusted to us are delegated fairly so that events can be run.
- Make sure that the new distribution of roles between FemSoc and Women's and Non-binary officer works to everyone's advantage in order to run as many good events as possible while still dedicating time to separate issues