

# Buzz Soc

## Committee Meeting

### Minutes

23/09/16 at 5pm in the Common Room

Present: Pete, Elle, Victoria, Steve, Sam.

Apologies:

#### 1. Minutes of the Previous Meeting

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

#### 2. Matters Arising

##### ➤ Societies Day

Pete asked if everything was arranged for Socs Day, Steve confirmed that he had put up the poster, Sam confirmed they had booked the tables and chairs and had arranged 200 chocolate bars. Victor had ordered the money for Socs Day he also said she was free to help out.

#### 3. BICS Training

Victor confirmed told he had booked a hostel close to the venue and organised a discount so that the cost would come in under budget. He also informed the group that 5 people had already signed up and paid their deposit. Pete asked that the committee would all make an effort to make it to the training weekend. Steve said he would not be attending.

#### 4. Guest Speakers

Elle confirmed that she had booked Dave Scott for Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> and Margaret Collins on Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>. She was unable to secure Sandra O'Connor for semester one. February was a possibility and her fee was €500 plus expenses. A lengthy discussion on whether to approach Sandra O'Connor and see if she could reduce her fee occurred. Pete suggested they vote to decide if it was worth pursuing her invitation if she could reduce her fee as it was felt that charging in was not an option. The committee voted (2 in favour, 1 against & 1 abstention). As the majority agreed Elle undertook to contact her and see if she could get her fee reduced.

#### 5. AOB

Pete then thanked the committee for their work over the summer. Everyone would meet the next day for Socs Day at 10 in the hall.

Meeting Ended 5.45pm