

Showstoppers Committee Minutes

Attendees

VHA - Victoria Howard-Andrews (President)

PA - Phoebe Armstrong (Vice President)

GPV - Gaby Puleston-Vaudrey

(Secretary)

JW - John Wilders (Treasurer)

AR - Antigone Robertson (Social Sec)

JC - Josiah Chamberlain (Social Sec)
NO - Nick Ong (Webmaster)

OJ - Oliver Johnson (Development)

ZB - Zoë Blackall (Development)

AW - Alex Wareham (Ordinary Member)

BM - Ben McQuigg (Ordinary Member)

<u>Apologies</u>

Absences

Minutes in a Minute!

The Trail to Oregon: Show feedback is being collated.

Legally Blonde: Intensive week is next week!

It Shoulda Been You: Feedback will be out this week.

Sweeney Todd: Auditions for roles in the company are re-opening!

Treasurer: The Christmas Ball has been paid for.

Social: SLM social is tonight!

Development: Next week there is a dance workshop.

Web: The Producer Tools are being updated.

Ordinary: Society clothing is here!

Original Writing: We will be workshopping an originally written musical on Sunday!

AOB: There are lots of exciting potential future opportunities!



Trail to Oregon

GPV: I've been dying so not spoken to GT

OJ: I still have stuff in my house AW: Shall I collate feedback now?

BM: Yes. Did everything in the van go into the PA house?

PA: If you're looking for anything, talk to GT and NL.

BM: I'm just looking for the drum.

VHA: It's in the PA House dance room.

Legally Blonde

AR: We bought a wig today!

JC: I'm AMD now, instead of co-MD.

PA: Your hair looks long.

JC: Spending the night with John has made me want to grow it long.

VHA: Also keep it long so I can pull your hair.

AR: Show deposits are coming in. Intensive week is next week. We ordered some paint in the shade Poetic Pink.

NO: I'm going in to film on Saturday for a meet the cast video. I've done a meet the crew one. Rehearsal photos can go up hopefully this week. I'm going to take photos of TDs tomorrow WS, has asked for a list of when people want things put out through PA Theatrical.

AW: WS asked if we would want to get a trailer done by SUSU for LB, but NO is doing it. It would also take rehearsals out of intensive, so we have said no.

VHA: Is there space for me to come in during intensive week to liaise?

AR: That would be great.

VHA: And I'll be around for tech run. AR: We did a joint social with ISBY.

Fundraiser quiz

It Shoulda Been You

JW: This chair is really wobbly. It's all going well. All of the songs in the first half have been taught. We have a potential staggered run on Saturday. Feedback will be sent out tomorrow night. It's all written up, but it just needs to be sent.

PA: If I don't have a pretty dress I'm going to cry.

VHA: And BM and I will cry if we don't get to wear burgundy.

Sweeney Todd

PA: We're going to open up auditions next week. It'll be me and EG. CE is all good with that too. There will be an event for that soon. Things are ticking along. We might have a new AMD. We're on top of any potential scheduling issues due to other shows in the next few weeks, and have scheduled to work around them, so that's all fine.

GPV: We can have a chat soon about when would be best to have another liaison session - potentially next week?

PA: Sure, we'll have a chat about it.



VHA: Updates on feedback?

PA: It will be done after ISBY feedback. BM: It should be done by next week.

Treasurer

JW: We're still getting payments in for JCS, Christmas Meal, LB cast clothing, Bowling and society Merch. Paid TL X for LB Prod stuff, paid CG £75.67 for LB, paid £1038.30 to the Dolphin Hotel. I paid SH £11.34 for a refund for the vest. I did a post today in the LB group about memberships and show deposits. I've been working on the 24 Budget, and it made £546.33. VHA: Only five people on committee have paid membership, so please pay. Could you put the link to buying membership on both the main group and the committee group please JW?

Social

AR: We're watching SLM tonight. The Christmas Ball has been paid for. The order forms for food have been sent across. CH is our photographer.

PA: Can you release a list of who has said that they're going so we know who needs to pay.

AR: Yes.

JW: I sent a list of who has already paid to AR.

JC: We're going to Butlins!

PA: Send me info.

AR: We're not social secs from Easter onwards.

JC: That's fine, we'll have it organised before.

VHA: Can we have an ice skating social? Maybe the 2nd of December?

AR: JC's organising it. NO: Laser tag please!

Development

ZB: We have a workshop on Sunday with JM.

OJ: Yesterday GT did a singing workshop, which was really good. Next week is a dancey one.

AR: Could it not be the workshop number practice this week?

ZB: We did think about this, but this will be the last dance workshop for a while as I'll be on placement.

VHA: You could put a post up about what people would like to do for the workshop number.

Also, do we know who will be running it yet?

PA: You could ask JM!

OJ: I could do!

NO: I don't mind playing an accompaniment if I have time to learn it.

Web and Promo

NO: We met with TG about the lending system. We have a working document now. I've sorted out the previous pitches folder on the website. I'm going to try to update the producer tools on the website. I'm working on a document on graphic design.

AR: Could we have a list for what needs to be done as a producer?



VHA: With ideal deadlines for everything too.

NO: Yes.

GPV: Could we have a document about producing specifically for Edinburgh?

PA: That would be really good!

NO: Yes definitely.

AR: Could we have a document just about Edinburgh in general?

BM: The Fringe changes so quickly it wouldn't be helpful within six months.

PA: Also, there are plenty of resources the Fringe provides.

NO: We could add a link to the fringe resources.

Ordinary

AW: The society clothing is here! I won't be giving clothes to people until they pay.

Original Writing

PA: JM has a workshop this weekend.

AOB

AR: I had a message regarding using things in the PA House.

PA: If you send all of the information you have over to me, I'll talk to IT and we will reply.

VHA: I had an email through from StudyPool who look to sponsor student societies.

NO: I'll look into what that actually requires.

VHA: I've also had a message from LSX student parties, which may be worth looking into for AR and JC.

BM: The CI Zone meeting has been scheduled for the same time as pitches, but we're asking if this can be changed. I also had a message from IR as they had a message from PopPilates to see if we would be interested in doing a collaboration.

OJ: That would be a great workshop!