



SHOWSTOPPERS COMMITTEE MINUTES

Attendees:

BN: Bella Norris (President)

GT: Gem Tunley (Vice President)

AR: Abbie Roach (Secretary)

VHA: Victoria Howard- Andrews
(Treasurer)

NO: Nick Ong (Social Sec)

CE: Charlotte Evans (Social Sec)

PA: Phoebe Armstrong
(Development)

DM: David Miller (Web)

XM: Xafsa Mohamud (Tours)

JW: John Wilders (Ordinary
Member)

JC: James Carter (Ordinary
Member)

Apologies:

Non-Com:

JP: Jacob Power

RS: Robbie Smith

JA: Jordan Andrews

AJ: Angharad Jenkins

Minutes in a minute...

Freshers show: Everything going well, still trying to find a drummer

Small show: Everything is still happening; some liaising is being done

Spring Show: Feedback is nearly done

Mr Grin: Auditions and callbacks are a thing

Treasurer: We've still got money!

Social: Seating request form is out for the ball, Ice skating social on the 14th December

Development: Cabaret YAAASSSS

Tours: The info meeting has happened

Web: Visit the website for some cheeky snow action

AOB: Society t-shirts coming soon, Gonna potentially record the independent show songs which is fun, Broadway mis-cast after Christmas as Edinburgh fundraiser, putting on booking forms question about where people found out about us so we can see how good each advertising thing is, gonna apply for some funding

Freshers Show:

VHA: We're 1 week away from intensive, headshots up, trailer is brewing, one of the new pedals conked out in rehearsals

BN: Which keyboard?

VHA: No idea

BN: Joe used one and that conked out during rehearsals yesterday, that was one of the new ones

JC: Yeah, the white keyboard had a messed up one, that was a new one

GT: If it was a square one then that's old and should probs get rid of that

VHA: Issue- band rehearsal is less than a week away and we don't have a drummer, we have one that can do thu-sat but has a sprained ankle so probs not going to happen

GT: Can email the music department to see who specialises in drums, they'll email the students

VHA: Will keep you all updated

Nick: *Said something stupid*

AR: Shut up Nick

PA: Costumes are fine, am going to the PA house tomorrow, everything else has arrived, props cool

DM: Joe sent me the ticket link, will put that up later

Small Show Update:

GT: Did a bit of liaising, between prod team.

AR: We're trying to get everything going but we've been missing Rob

JC: Done some liaising, cast were happy with everything but scheduling

CE: That is currently mid being sorted

Spring Show Update:

NO: Me and Amy are getting on finishing our part of feedback, will happen asap, Everything's alright. Doing a rehearsal to catch up ensemble tonight

XM: Will liaise soon

Mr Grin Update:

JP: We're doing some auditions! Callbacks Monday.

VHA: Can you let me know callbacks list ahead of schedule just in case I'm losing anyone from intensive

JP: Sure! Choreo= KIM! Another AP= AJ

NO: Script?

JP/RS: YES! Sorry we forgot

RS: We're just rewriting a few bits, cut off point after exams for changing things?

Room: Yeah that sounds reasonable!

Treasurer Update:

VHA: Monies coming in, monies coming out. Show deposits, memberships, show clothing. To summarise... we've still got money

Social Update:

CE: We just posted the seating plan thing for Christmas ball. Ice skating social, 14th December, 7;45-8;45 slot probs. £10 for students but more than 10 people it's 10% off. Going to make an event

BN: Change seeing Bedroom Farce day and that'll be lovely

Development Update:

PA: Cabaret is now actually happening! Sign up's are up!

GT: Is there a show going on in the Nuffield?

PA: Yeah Hetty Feather

GT: We might have an issue but we can say soz and that's chill

PA: Next workshop is Dear Evan Hansen. Last workshop before Cabaret will be a Cabaret one.

JP: Are we going to put up notes from the original writing workshop?

PA: They were tailored to 2 specific people who couldn't make it so I don't know how great they'll be

JP: Someone we know wanted to see them

PA: I'll see if they are fit for public consumption and sure!

DM: Replied to someone about how to get involved so they gonna come along to workshop

Tours:

XM: Done the meeting!

Web and Promotions Update:

DM: Nothing really

BN: When's it going to snow? (On the website)

DM: NOW. *Presses a button which makes it snow on the showstoppers home page*. We always have the 'showstoppers presents' page: one wasn't made? Do they have to go on the performing arts page? Is that a thing I need to do? Is it someone's job?

GT: Yes, it is someone's job, promotions/events officer on PA committee, message them.

PA: Can anyone not click 'going' to events anymore?

GT: For events you have dates for, you have to pick a date then click going

BN: Got an email, Arts at Uni of Southampton have a news thing, we can publicise shows

GT: They are fine for one event but like not for a series. He said: 'We can't include all of these so pick a few' which we obvs can't

BN: We need to add things to the susu calendar, that'd be cool- free publicity

Ordinary Update:

JC/JW: We got nothing

A.O.B:

AR: Had 2 emails from parents re: tickets for fame, I answered

NO: Society shirts?

JC: I'm on it, gonna wait until Mr Grin has cast

XM: As You Like It tech run clashes with Mr Grin callbacks

GT: Your tech run won't start at 6 don't worry

JC: In talks with Hannah and Robbie to record the independents

PA: Could the proceeds go to the independent pot?

VHA: Might be nice to push this sort of thing for future potential righted independent shows

JP: We didn't find out the day before auditions that TG spring auditions were happening at the same time, is that an issue?

Room: Nah don't worry about it, different societies, all is good

PA: Gonna try and do a mis-cast 1/2nd week back before exams hit, Broadway version, as an Edinburgh fundraiser

XM: Do we have our own fundraiser like showcase?

BN: We fundraise under each society, and if we don't get up there then we get our money, if we all go up then the money is split

VHA: Can we please put on ticket booking forms 'where did you hear about the show' to see what kinds of advertising works. Also going to try other kinds of advertising e.g. radio. Going to head to the city, going to make an add on account for the independent pot to separate the pots so there's not any confusion

BN: Literally just got a message from Joe Lynch saying can Mr Grin take off the StagSoc logo off the Mr Grin logo. Has anyone written their funding applications?

GT: I Have

DM: Nope sorry! When's it due?

BN: Monday

DM: Dunno what to get? Might not do it?

VHA: Ask Charlie house/ ben for recommendations?

NO: Adobe is ridiculously expensive so probs not gonna happen

PA: They rejected my funding for bringing people in? Is it worth it?

GT: It was rejected because it was unspecific. If you say what you want and how much, you're more likely to get it