

**ANU BIPOC DEPARTMENT COLLECTIVE MEETING - WEEK 10 SEM 1**  
**10/05/23**

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**ATTENDANCE:** see bottom of agenda

**Meeting opened:** 5:09 p.m.

**Apologies:** XX

**1. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF COUNTRY**

The ANU BIPOC Department acknowledges the traditional owners of this land, the Ngunnawal and Ngambri peoples. We pay our respects to Elders, past, present and emerging. We acknowledge that this land was stolen and sovereignty was never ceded. We welcome all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people to our Collective and we commit to standing with our First Nations people.

**2. OFFICER REPORT**

a. Safe Space

- i. Update: handover date 14th of July dependent on the contractors completing work.
- ii. May be able to gain money from ANU to buy furniture from their catalogue
- iii. If anyone is available in pre-bushweek, bush week, launch week.
  1. Wamburun Hall Mural, Shopping List from last year

b. Meeting w/ Asil

- i. Next week wednesday 3-5pm
- ii. Zayn loves BIPOC T-Shirt Making
- iii. BYO Shirt, Pillowcase or any fabric, will be posted on socials

c. Meeting w/ Dean of CASS

- i. Consultation with the Anti-Racism Task Force
- ii. Dean was previously educated at King's College London, wants a meeting with BIPOC Collective and she will go through her plans and programs to implement with ANU
- iii. Monday 22nd Meeting 1-2pm if you are interested please reach out.
- iv. Kings Cross Initiative
  1. i.e. Paid summer job for undergrad paired with academic BAME\*, target the privilege that white counterparts have and bridging that gap.
  2. Global Visiting Scheme, 3 month intervals for workshops and lecturing,
  3. Mandatory Student Course: Social Competence and unconscious bias ; nuance understanding and have different perspectives; skills of
  4. Student Officer: Job to manage student relations and student organisations

- v. *Institutional knowledge differs yearly depending X nuance in handover*
- d. Documentary
  - i. Filming schedule is in progress
  - ii. Hopefully they can all be filmed in the next two weeks
  - iii. If anyone would like to be featured

### **3. SECRETARY REPORT**

### **4. TREASURER REPORT**

### **5. SOCIAL OFFICER REPORT**

- a. Fusion Fest
  - i. Please come! DJ lineup dropping tonight,
  - ii. Hope ticket sales are doing well
  - iii. Mood Board dropping soon
- b. Bushwalk
  - i. 10:30am meet at in front of Wamburun Hall
- c. AFEC Collab
  - i. Next Friday,
  - ii. Chai Corner
- d. Themed Chai + Chats
  - i. Biracial/Mixed Race
- e. Ball
  - i. Planning for Ball will happen to over the break
  - ii. Prices have gone up

### **6. ADVOCACY OFFICER REPORT**

- a. Zine
  - i. Submissions are coming
  - ii. If you want to be involved in editorial please reach out
- b. Docu
- c. BIPOC Talks
  - i. Turnout was amazing, I had to split into two groups, it went well.
  - ii. Another one in week 12 theme: 'Home'
  - iii. Collab with ISD
  - iv. Feedback
    - 1. Diversifying the audience and outreach,
      - a. Sports
      - b. Mixers
      - c. Reaching out to residential halls
    - v. Decolonisation with Indigenous Department (to be discussed)
- d. Movie Night
  - i. Not selling to much at the moment

## **7. OTHER BUSINESS**

- a. Bush Week
  - i. Sports
  - ii. First Year Event
  - iii. BIPOC Trivia
  - iv. Fenner Bonfire
  - v. Silent Disco ...
  - vi. Decorating/Boiler Room Launch Party
  - vii. Name ideas for the room,
- b. Tea and Slay

**Meeting Closed:** 5:39 p.m.

### **ATTENDANCE:**

Precious Guma

Betty Pham

Talei Cheng

Abreshmi Chowdhury

Selina Wania

Paria Naja

Dorcas Bugeme

Vanessa Antwi-Danso

Mitra Mousavi

Amber Lennox

Tisha Shah