ANU BIPOC DEPARTMENT COLLECTIVE MEETING - WEEK 2 SEM 1 02/02/23

ATTENDANCE: see bottom of agenda **Meeting opened:** 5:00 p.m. **Apologies:**

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 Updates
 - i. James Brann has been in contact with Paria about the Safe Space. Agreed that timing isn't up to schedule.
 - ii. Toured it on Monday and it is spacious. Currently in Old Griffin
 - iii. There is furniture around campus we can use but ANU won't supply furniture for the space
- b. First Year Rep
 - i. Nominations forms are posted on Facebook and linktree, if you are interested head to the links. Elections are next week. If you are not available you can send through a speech for us to read out for you
- c. F R+ B Panel
 - Reach out students at any of the lodges, Dr Karo is looking for students to help out in the Decolonising the University Fighting Racism and Bigotry Panel on the 14th, will be at Kinloch

3. SECRETARY REPORT

- a. Project
- b. Safe Space Policy
 - i. Need to chat with Paria about this

4. TREASURER REPORT

- a. Budget
 - i. Changes to last year, more focus on Safe Space, \$14000 for the year
 - ii. O-Week Budget was not met so these funds can be dispersed

5. SOCIAL OFFICER REPORT

- a. Autonomous Alternatives
 - i. Supposed to happen tomorrow but Kambri has not responded
- b. Committee

- i. Will start planning a party in week 5
- ii. Talent showcase work is starting soon as well
 - 1. Want to hire Lewellyn
 - 2. Want as many clubs and societies involved as possible

6. ADVOCACY OFFICER REPORT

- a. Committee
 - i. Just had a meeting
 - ii. Ideas: documentary, zine (theme tbc), open mic, ticketed movie night as fundraising for Syria and Turkey, fundraising dinner for another cause/organisation

7. OTHER BUSINESS

- a. How can we get involved?
 - i. Our three committees (social, advocacy, documentary) and first-year rep position
- b. Tea and Slay
- c. BIPOC recipe book

Meeting Closed: 5:38 p.m.

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