

## ANU BIPOC DEPARTMENT COLLECTIVE MEETING - WEEK 6 31/08/2022

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**ATTENDANCE:** item 8

**Meeting opened:** 5:02 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

- Ball Reflection
  - i. Amazing, best night, lot of positive responses
  - ii. Have no received cleaning fee yet lol
    - 1. Guys don't throw up!
    - 2. This is not on us - this is on bartenders!
  - iii. Fergilicious
  - iv. So beautiful
  - v. Did not have to hire a decorator
  - vi. Big thank you to the exec and volunteers!
- Safe Space Update
  - i. James emailed with another apology, waiting to see how long bathroom reno will take, no solid answers yet
- SGM/Protest Update
  - i. Thinking of doing it in week 9 (best timing)
  - ii. Earliest we can do it
  - iii. Will work on report during mid-sem break
  - iv. Very hectic right now
- Upcoming Events
  - i. Safe Scenes! Sept. 15th is the opening night
    - 1. In the works of discussing live acts and performances
  - ii. Women's\* X BIPOX X Indigenous Feminist Consciousness Raising Circle
    - 1. Right after the meeting!
    - 2. Need to identify as BIPOC and women/non-binary
  - iii. Collab with DSA for spoons week
    - 1. Send in your suggestions!
    - 2. DSA has lots of interest in this space
    - 3. Maybe a Chain 'n' Chats or movie night
- EthnoCon

- i. On the 21-23 of September in Sydney at UNSW
  - ii. Workshops, see what other BIPOC departments are doing at their campuses
- Will be reviewing safe scene submissions tonight, and email outcomes afterwards
- ACT Health: youth consult on primary health services affecting young people
  - i. Let me know if you have any ideas
  - ii. ANU Medical is being back onto the market
  - iii. Concerned there is a reduction in bulk-billing on and around campus, long wait times, expensive despite medical rebates, mental health process takes a super long time, mental health care does not cover all bases, racial discrimination in hospital systems

### **3. SECRETARY REPORT**

- Constitutional changes coming up
- Keep your eye out, bring friends when we plan to pass them (need to reach quorum!)

### **4. TREASURER REPORT**

- Ball is done!
- Need to spend all our money this year as it is not rolling over anymore
- Invest in safe space, spend on BASC, last big event is Safe Scenes

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

- Ball Reflection
  - i. Was so incredible
  - ii. Thinking of creating a feedback form to improve for next year
- Upcoming Events
  - i. After the week going to get back into Chai 'n' Chats and Auto. Alt.
  - ii. If you have any ideas, tell us!
  - iii. Jump-In movie night

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

- Safe Scenes Update
  - i. 2 weeks!
  - ii. Chanel's Bday! You have to come
  - iii. Have a lot of submissions to work with!
  - iv. Will start planning more in detail now that ball is over

### **7. OTHER BUSINESS**

- Tea and Slay
- Chanel gig on Halloween!

**Meeting Closed:5:29PM**

**8. ATTENDANCE**

Liam, Maria, Chanel, Paria, Tisha, Sophie, Betty, Abreshmi, Amber, Emalisa, Dorcas,  
Alex