



# Cambridge University Amateur Dramatic Club

Minutes, 21.01.24, 3pm, Larkum, Open Meeting

## 1. Apologies for Absence

**Present:** Holly Varndell, Fiona Popplewell, Katie Stapleton, Gemma Stapleton, Vivian Wang, Stan Hunt, Amber Heal, Hugh Bowers, Chris Wordsworth, Evie Chandler, Eva Lemmy, Jessi Rogers,

**Absent with Apologies:** Freya Cowan, Fred Upton, Wahida Seisay, Steph Cho

## 2. Minutes and Matters Arising

Q&A about committee roles.

## 3. Show Reports

### Normal Heart - GS

Events are coming along, JR is gonna save the day and book a supo room if she can. Big news, JCDS are having the event we want on the night we want. HV as their God will ask them to move the event earlier. Also speaker events - anyone can speak if they want (HV is speaking). JR will contact Ben.

### Constellation Street - FP

Everything is good, poster will be approved this week. Most headshots done. Also have some welsh products to feature in play. Workshop happening on the 28th with Marlowe. Harriet has organised the workshop. Free publicity for CUADC lol.

### LTM - CW

Speaking with the Architect to do a deal for some free pies for some promo. Everyone is on top of it. Big tech/prod meeting went well and first big number is blocked with all the cast.

### Marlowe Shakespeare - HV

Not really sure what the overlap is rn. They still need a lighting team.

### Vegas! - EC

They have applied to many venues which is FAB! Main thing is waiting for figures on a full length run.

**4. Google Accounts and Storage/Archiving - GS**

GS has run out of storage on her google account. Create a publicist USB.

**5. Photography Workshop Update - GS**

3 hours, intro to photography, practical elements including headshots. 3rd Feb 12:30-3:30. Can the committee please come and make a scene. Mix of dialogue and stage combat. Anyone coming to help arrive at 12pm please.

**6. Watersprite Film Festival - EL**

Have asked if CUADC would partner with them on costs for an event. CUADC says it's probably a no but may be worth waiting until we know who the speaker is.

**7. Pitching Workshop - KS**

KS and HV are on pitching. Last term there was a pitching workshop that worked really well so maybe we can do another one - especially for pitching the first time. FP/SH/EC/JR to discuss and try to organise a date.

**8. Staged Reading - JR**

JR met a part-time student doing the writing for performance course and has sent over the script for what she is working on. Would love to do a weekend workshop and do a staged reading. JR to talk to Fletcher Players about coordinating.

**9. Election Update - EL**

Please don't wait till saturday to send in your manifestos as the admin will be so massive.

**10. AOB**

**Meeting adjourned at: 16:20**