**Minutes 04/11/14**

Present J.S.; G.H; L.Y; S.M.; M.G. J.N.; L.R.; C.H.; C.C.; K.P.; K.B.; O.B.; C.S.-G.; C.P.; B.J.; E.T.; D.L.R.;

Apologies

AOB

**Womcom**

* To be scheduled for next week.

**Sheffield Uni Life**

* Leaflets done and ready to be sent for printing. To be put on the LGBT committee group by J.N.. E.T. got an email from Gregory, he is interested in organising something, is happy for the mentors to organise it and all he wants is our backing to run a dry social (e.g. film night or games social in December, will be circulated by residence life).
* After that, mentors will take over from us. G.H. says that if we get a first year rep, they might be interested in taking charge of it. E.T. to reply to the email.

**Trans\* policy**

* It has been shown to H.B. and they have made certain modifications to the document. C.C. suggests that we have a firm plan for other businesses, but should show it immediately to those that we know to establish a baseground. The Union has shown interest but should be sent to P.P. and first to be put forward to council.
* The document will be presented to Miriam and a meeting to be organised with her. Feedback is to be provided before we take it to venues around Christmas time.

**Leeds**

* Everything is sorted apart from the coach which is the main part. One could not do it, and two others haven’t replied. G.H. to phone the coach companies. C.P. to enquire about Megabus and trains there and back. Everyone to do research on coach companies. G.H. to make a save the date event and make them aware of the situation.

**World Week**

* 2 weeks today that we have an event in Coffee Revs. We are looking for people who have lived in a different country who wish to speak about LGBT issues in other countries for 5 minutes. To be posted in the group. 4-6pm see if committee members can make it.

**GI fundraising**

* We will get back to it next week if we want to take part.

**LADIY Fest**

* To be publicised close to the time.

**Sub Committee**

* On Thursday at 6pm. C.C.; J.S.; O.B.; C.P.. If anyone has an idea for the last open position, they can do so on Thursday then we can vote for it during the committee meeting. The sub-committee is to be elected every autumn semester before Reading week (details to be discussed by the next committee).
* So the election for 1st year rep will be voted for on Thursday since the deadline for suggesting open positions has past. C.P. to make all aware. They can send in a written speech if they can’t make.

**PSHE visits**

* J.S. has list of volunteers and has to harass schools to ask when they want us to come in. The training may resume in February for other interested parties.

**Eden film**

* Been asked to take part in a funded film looking at LGBT females and what they need and are lacking. L.Y. posted on group and requires 5 people. Specifically a few from the committee. J.N. to publicise.

**Webchat**

* A lot have called and chickened out according to E.T.. Someone has said that the Lounge and the Events quite intimidating to join (especially about the Lounge), so we should look into how we should remedy this. Possibly the committee should keep an eye out for new people.
* E.T. suggests that we meet them to the Lounge first. We can ask to meet people outside the Union and take them to the Lounge. C.P. to add into email that we are happy to meet people at any time before a social. Welfare members to put on Facebook that they are online and provide a link to the site.

**Condoms, dental dams and latex gloves**

* O.B. to ask for different size condoms especially King size and Trim condoms. We also need information sheets about how to make ones out of condoms.