

## KING'S COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE

At a meeting of the Council held  
On Tuesday, 18<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 2 pm via Zoom

<i>Present:</i>	Provost	<i>In</i>	Vice-Provost
	Dr Adams	<i>Attendance:</i>	Senior Tutor
	Dr Ainslie		First Bursar
	Dr Candea		Domus Bursar
	Professor Dunn		
	Professor Griffin		
	Professor Griffiths		*Mr N Roundy
	Dr Perry		*Ms E James
	Professor Sharman		
	Dr Srinivasan *		
		<i>By invitation</i>	Jenny Malpass - Minutes
	*Mr A Mortlock		
	*Mr A Provost		

*\* Open business only*

### **Apologies for Absence**

Apologies were received from Dr Dolan who was absent from the meeting for Open Business and Item 181.

## **OPEN BUSINESS**

### **163. Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest.

### **164. Minutes of Open Matters of 4<sup>th</sup> May 2021**

The minutes of the Open Business of Council on 4<sup>th</sup> May 2021 were approved.

### **165. Matters arising**

There were no matters arising.

### **166. Council timetable & action list**

Council noted the timetable and action list.

### **167. Oral reports**

The First Bursar updated Council on the current situation for Covid-19 and confirmed the University and most Colleges were allowing greater freedoms following the Government's easing of restrictions. King's Covid guidelines seem to be working well although there had been a number of complaints that students were not wearing their masks where required.

### **Principal Items of Business**

None.

### **Other Items for Discussion**

#### **168. Rylands Portrait Competition**

*The Senior Tutor presented details of the Rylands Portrait Competition, which ran alongside the annual Rylands Art Competition. This new competition was launched as part of the Women's Portrait Commission project which aims to commission portraits of eminent King's alumnae over the next few years.*

The Senior Tutor reported that this year's prize was awarded to Priti Mohandas for her work 'Porterhouse Pete', which was an acrylic portrait of a College Porter. The Provost confirmed that the College were currently investigating the possibility of purchasing this picture.

#### **169. Reducing the use of paper in the Tutorial Office**

*The Senior Tutor presented a proposal aimed at reducing the use of paper, printing and hardcopy storage of data/other information in the Tutorial Office. This change to the way the Tutorial Office operates starts with a proposal to replace paper-based storage of student files with electronic storage.*

Council agreed to the Tutorial Office continuing work in this area, with a view to having a system in place ready for students who matriculate in October 2021.

#### **170. Flag Flying Days**

*The Development Office asked Council to consider that a number of additional dates be added to the College's annual calendar of Flag Flying Days. The suggested dates coincided with alumni reunion events where non-resident members of King's would be attending.*

Council agreed to allow the College flag to be flown each year on the days of alumni reunion events, if it is safe to do so. For 2021 this would include the following:

26 <sup>th</sup> June	10 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reunion Lunch
21 <sup>st</sup> August	20/25/30 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reunion
24 <sup>th</sup> September	50 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reunion

25 <sup>th</sup> September	35 <sup>th</sup> , 40 <sup>th</sup> and 45 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reunion
27 <sup>th</sup> November	1441 Foundation Event

Council also agreed to allow the Rainbow flag to be flown on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2021 if safe to do so, to mark the anniversary of Alan Turing's Birthday. On this day, the Bank of England is launching the new £50 note which will feature Turing's portrait and some of his writings. It was noted that the note is signed by the Chief Cashier, Sarah John, (KC 1996, Economics).

## **Business for Report**

### **171. Minutes of the Education Committee Meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2021 Open Business**

Council accepted the Minutes of Open Business for the Education Committee Meeting held on 29<sup>th</sup> April 2021.

### **172. Rylands Art Prize**

Council noted the winners of the Rylands Art Competition as follows:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize – Shirley Lo and Stephane Crayton for *Chess Set* (£250 each)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize – Jeanne-Rose Arn for her oil painting *Pierre* (£300)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize – Equally to Cecily Bateman for her stitched piece *Under the Microscope* and Nathan Corby for *Orbs*, a work crafted in computer code (£100 each).

### **173 Any Other Business**

There being no other business the meeting closed at 3.25pm

The next meeting of Council will be held on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2021 at 2pm via Zoom.