**NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY**

**29th Students’ Union Executive Committee**

**AY 20/21 School of Materials Science and Engineering Club Rally**

Date: 090920

Time Started: 1930hrs

Venue: Microsoft Teams

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| **Election Committee** | **Position** |
| Ms Wong Jia Mian  Mr Lee Wen Yang  Mr Neo Chun Siong | Chief Returning Officer  Election Officer  Election Officer |
| **Nominees for AY20/21 Management Committee** | **Position (Nominated For)** |
| 1. Mr Neoh Eng Tiong 2. Mr Neo Yu Chen 3. Ms Theodora Lynn 4. Mr Rayner Ng 5. Mr Anson Ong An Sheng 6. Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso 7. Mr Titan Ng 8. Ms Huanyi 9. Ms Goh Kiat Yin 10. Ms Belynn Sim | President  Vice-President  Honorary General Secretary  Financial Controller  Welfare and Academic Officer  Welfare and Academic Officer  Logistics Officer  Sports and Recreation Officer  Events Director  Business Manager |
| **Nominees for AY20/21 Union Executive Committee Representative** | **Position Held** |
| NIL | NIL |
| **Outgoing Management Committee Members** | **Position Held** |
| 1. Mr Wong Zi Sheng 2. Mr Kristoffer Jensen 3. Mr Rakin Md Imran | Assistant Logistics Officer  Sports and Recreation Officer  Logistics Officer |

**Meeting Agenda**

1. **Regulations Governing the Rally**
2. **Nominee for xxxx**

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|  | **Agenda** |
|  | Regulations Governing the Rally   * All Candidates shall be entitled to 5 minutes for rally speech and 15 minutes of Question and Answer session. * Only the President, Vice-President(s), Honorary General Secretary and Honorary Financial Secretary (or equivalent) shall be entitled to 10 minutes for rally speech and 30 minutes of Question and Answer * A proposer and seconder is required to pass the motion for a 5 minute time extension for Question and Answer. * All questions should be posted on the link provided by your election officers. * The Returning Officer shall have the right to reject a proposed question or time extension. All decisions made shall be binding and final. * The minutes and recording of the rally should be adopted by the candidates and vetted by the Election Committee before submission. Submission of materials should be done within twenty-four (24) hours after the end of the Rally. * The election officers have the right to declare the election of any candidate of its Constituent Body’s Management Committee due to procedural irregularities according to the Election Regulations. |
|  | Nominee for President  Candidate Name: Mr Neoh Eng Tiong  Proposer: Mr Neo Yu Chen  Seconder: Mr Rayner Ng  Speech  Mr Neoh Eng Tiong began his rally by conveying his wish to address the audience as a friendly manner rather than a formal one. He cites his reasons for nomination being his friends’ recommendations and the experience he had received over the last year. He begins addressing the Club’s faults, such as lack of contingencies for the COVID-19 emergency back in Semester 2 of AY2020-2021, and the resulting lack of activities, as well as the problems in communications between Club and student body on telegram in AY2020-2021. He then proposes using online social media platforms under control of the club to facilitate interaction between the students of the faculty. Regarding the communications incident, he feels live feedback channels can be used to answer feedback better than the existing feedback channel of the Confessions function on Telegram. He views communication as the highest priority in his tenure in the club, and would like to instill a culture of open discussion. He caps of his speech by thanking his fellow candidates in the 21st committee for stepping up.  Question and Answer   * Ms Wong Jia Mian queried why Mr Neoh Eng Tiong wants to establish connections with other faculties, when connections within MSE is already lacking? * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong replied that the two options are not mutually exclusive. * Ms Wong Jia Mian then questioned how will Mr Neoh Eng Tiong and his Main Committee better moderate the social media. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong replied the subcommittee members of the Publicity subcommittee will be trained on how to utilise the platforms more effectively. He also emphasised on the necessity of the training, as well as a clear job scope due to the Publicity and the Design, Media and Outreach Subcommittees being merged together last year, which made delegation difficult. * Ms Wong Jia Mian asked about the reasons for changing the telegram group to serve as a pure information channel. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong mentioned the 21st committee will try to keep the changes less drastic and maintain the open and communicative nature of the platform, but the personal responsibility of the student body is a cause for second thoughts. Hence, he proposes using exclusive feedback channels for information feedback to the Main Committee, and will leverage on the Publicity Subcommittee’s work and connections to maintain feedback flow. * Mr Lee Wen Yang questioned Mr Neoh Eng Tiong on what leadership meant to him. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong replied he views himself as one of the masses, and will seek to lead them through that understanding. * Ms Wong Jia Mian asked for 3 ways to improve on compared to the leaders of the 20th committee. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong listed the lack of effective communication within the Main Committee itself and would like more contribution from the different committees, and the resulting due to COVID-19 resulted in an inadequate number of meetings led to less discussion, wanting to establish greater unified voice amongst top 4, and would like the 21st committee to have more interaction with the Honorary General Secretary and Financial Controller. * Ms Wong Jia Mian questioned Mr Neoh Eng Tiong what are his countermeasures to irresponsible Main Committee members. Mr Lee Wen Yang added concerns about one of the two Main Committee members of the same portfolio not making contributions. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong replied if possible, he will provide both head and assistant head of the same portfolio with equal power, and if the members continue to be out of control, he will use the Main Committee to draw a conclusion. * Ms Wong Jia Mian questioned how will the new committee communicate with senior management? * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong mentioned he will try to communicate effectively with them, but is unsure at the moment. * Ms Wong Jia Mian queried what did Mr Neoh Eng Tiong think will be his biggest personal challenge as President, and how would he tackle that challenge? * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong believes he is too passive and introverted by nature, so he will emotionally invest himself in the Main Committee to communicate more naturally. But he would also try to establish the power of the Top 4 in enforcing an overall stance for the Main Committee. * Mr Neo Chun Siong queried how will he provide the Honorary General Secretary and Financial Controller with more ownership of the club. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong sees communication as the medium, and he would like the Main Committee members to discuss the appropriate matters with the Honorary General Secretary and Financial controller rather than finding the President about all issues. * Ms Wong Jia Mian asked how will the 21st committee try to work with the Special Projects teams. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong mentions effective communications and setting up common communication channels with them. * Mr Lee Wen Yang added that the 20th committee has already tried those options, and warned Mr Neoh Eng Tiong the stance has to be taken from the start, less the same issues will occur again. * Ms Wong Jia Mian, Mr Lee Wen Yang and Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired how does Mr Neoh Eng Tiong plan to improve the image of the committee. * Mr Neoh Eng Tiong feels the 21st Main Committee will have to align their actions with the message they are trying to send, and improve communications with and empathy towards the student population, as he feels that it was lacking in aforementioned aspect. He added he is unable to confirm the nature of the message they wish to send, but will still try to improve on communications. As for the disagreers, he affirms that the 21st committee will still do their best to understand and listen to them. * Mr Matheus Calvin Lokdjaja inquired what does Mr Neoh Eng Tiong want to change about the club. Mr Neoh Eng Tiong replied he would like to form stronger bonds with the Sub-Committees. |
|  | Nominee for Vice-President  Candidate Name: Mr Neo Yu Chen  Proposer: Mr Neoh Eng Tiong  Seconder: Mr Anson Ong An Sheng  Speech  Mr Neo Yu Chen begins his rally by addressing that he is in his fourth year of study, and has been actively taking part in the events offnered by the club, and conveys his belief that he can handle the Vice-President role with his experience from the club. He then moved on to initiatives he would like to propose to: revamping the existing MSE Club Telegram Group into a pure information channel, abolishing the Confessions function on the Telegram Group, and working with the Design, Media and Outreach Committee to design more well-liked shirts by the general student population. His proposal to abolish the chat is due to the view held by the student population that it is used as a tool by a select few in the student population to instigate trouble. He promises to also use the existing Exam Welfare Pack event to its fullest potential, as he quotes it to be the event with the highest recent turnup rate, as well as utilize online events such as Q&As and events, and working with the MSE Transition Orientation Programme to establish stronger bonds between the students.  Question and Answer   * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired why does Mr Neo Yuchen propose revamping the MSE Club Telegram chat, and explains that the original aim of the chat was to help provide a common platform for students to communicate and know each other better. Mr Lee Wen Yang inquired if Mr Neo Yu Chen can provide an alternative to serve aforementioned original purpose of the chat. * Mr Neo Yu Chen then explained that irregardless of the original aim, the Telegram chat is no longer effective in serving it’s original purpose, but rather is a tool used by rambunctious students to upset the student population. At the time of asking he is unable to provide a direct alternative for the chat however. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired how will the 21st committee utilize the shirts to bond the student population, she adds, a tool that was previously ineffective in doing so. * Mr Neo Yu Chen replied, whilst he cannot provide a concrete design, the 21st committee will aim to design a shirt that is less divisive than that of the previous Academic Year. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired what Welfare initiatives does Mr Neo Yu Chen have in mind to bond the student body. * Mr Neo Yu Chen replied, on top of the existing Welfare initiatives, he believes a donation drive is appropriate, as the participation from the student body will help them feel a greater sense of belonging. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired about Mr Neo Yu Chen’s concrete plans to bond the faculty, and if only Freshmen are targeted. * Mr Neo Yu Chen mentions he feels the Freshmen are the highest priority, as they feel more detached to the faculty compared to three more senior batches, due to an abbreviated MSE Transition Orientation Programme, a consequence of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired for specific methods to attract the Freshmen to join events, and to help them bond. She added a further inquiry on contingency plans considering the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. * Mr Neo Yu Chen replies he will try to reach the Freshmen through the Main Group Leaders of MSE Transition Orientation Program 2020. As for inter-oriention group interaction, he believes it’s not feasible in the near future as of the date of rally. As for the interference due to the pandemic, he promises to work out a plan with the faculty staff so that the objective can be achieved even without physical interaction. * Ms Wong Jia Mian next asks for Mr Neo Yu Chen’s understanding of the Vice-President’s role. * Mr Neo Yu Chen interprets his role as providing feedback from the student body to the Main Committee. * Ms Wong Jia Mian questions how will Mr Neo Yu Chen resolve conflict within the Main Committee. * Mr Neo Yu Chen answers he will use a voting system within the Main Committee to promote fairness, but he adds in that conflict is usually a result of differing strong opinions. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired for what Mr Neo Yu Chen believes his strongest suit to be. * Mr Neo Yu Chen believes his strongest suit is his good relations within the MSE student population. |
|  | Nominee for Honorary General Secretary  Candidate Name: Ms Theodora Lynn  Proposer: Mr Anson Ong An Sheng  Seconder: Ms Kristoffer Jensen  Speech  Ms Theodora Lynn starts her speech by conveying her confidence in handling the Honorary General Secretary role due to her past experience as the Business Manager, which allows her to communicate effectively internally and externally. She also cites her past experience as a Treasurer in another committee as a strength in handling Administrative issues, due to the requirement to writeup monthly financial reports. Her reason for running as Honorary General Secretary as the experience it will provide her, and also adds that she agrees with the message of the club, in wanting to promote cohesion between the student body and staff from the faculty.  Question and Answer   * Ms Wong Jia Mian asks Ms Theodora Lynn what she aims to do differently from the Honorary General Secretary of the MSE Club 20th Main Committee. * Ms Theodora Lynn mentions she aims to improve communications between the Top 4 of the Main Committee. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired what does Ms Theodora Lynn want to take away from the Honorary General Secretary role. * Ms Theodora Lynn feels she can improve her communication ability in this role. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired about Ms Theodora Lynn’s preference in taking up an active role in the Main Committee, or keep to the background nature of the Honorary Secretary General’s role. * Ms Theodora Lynn mentions she would like to take up an active role in interacting with the Main Committee, as well as MSE Club’s sub-committees, but she understands Administrative work is her top priority. * Ms Lim Yu Lin inquired for some of the concrete plans she has planned for the Main Committee. * Ms Theodora Lynn aims to carry out more bonding activities for the Main Committee. * Mr Neo Chun Siong followed up from his previous question, inquiring about what kind of relationship does Ms Theodora Lynn aim for the Top 4 of MSE Club to have. * Ms Theodora Lynn mentions she would prefer a professional relationship with an open mind, which helps facilitate discussion. * Ms Wong Jia Mian indicated the lack of contesting for the elected positions, and if there will be any problems as a result. * Ms Theodora Lynn mentions she is unable to foresee any issue at the time of asking, but she has faith the 21st Main Committee can work out the issue. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired what Ms Theodora Lynn’s reaction will be if the MSE student population retaliated against her for making an Administrative error, such as electronic mail issues. * Ms Theodora Lynn mentions she will apologize. And upon further questioning by Mr Neo Chun Siong, she states she will only apologize to students who confront her about the error in a physical meeting. |
|  | Nominee for Financial Controller  Candidate Name: Mr Rayner Ng  Proposer: Mr Anson Ong An Sheng  Seconder: Mr Neoh Eng Tiong  Speech  Mr Rayner Ng begins his speech is a casual tone, mentioning he did not prepare a formal speech. He cites his strengths which translates into his reasons for running for his position: Honesty is his forte, confidence in his integrity and his adoration for money. After this, he shows support for the incoming, 21st, committee, announcing that as majority of the elected positions were his peers from the previous, 20th, committee, the incoming committee will provide even better results due to prior experience. Beyond his job scope, he also conveys a few ideas, namely: a google platform for the student population to upload answers for PYP instead of getting a few students to write up the final answers as he believes incentivisation to motivate the students produces answers with impure motivations, and will help write answers where he’s capable. He ends of his speech by casually mentioning he is not without ulterior motives, and is running for his position for Hall Points, but also wishes to help the event planning and service the club due to a previously incomplete service from his previous tenure as Events director in the 20th Committee, and promises to always agree with the final decision made by the incoming 21st Committee.  Question and Answer   * Mr Wong Zi Sheng inquired about Mr Rayner Ng’s promised MSE Plans. * Mr Rayner Ng cites his PYP solution proposal as one of his promised MSE Plans. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired for Mr Rayner Ng’s about the possibility that no student will offer PYP solutions due to the lack of incentive. * Mr Rayner Ng replies he will get his seniors to do the paper, if he is unable to do so, or did not achieve a grade of A for the module of asking. But he will contact the 21st Main Committee for help first. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired how will Mr Rayner Ng manage MSE club’s personal funds, as he is running for the position of Financial Controller of the 21st Main Committee. * Mr Rayner Ng mentions his top priority will be to save money, and not recklessly spend money on perishables for giveaways, such as bubbletea. He adds that aforementioned items, if it’s really the Main Committee’s desire, should be paid for by the 21st Main Committee members. Mr Rayner Ng also adds that he will be transparent about MSE Club’s personal funds with MSE’s student population. * Mr Neo Chun Siong queried about the possibility of having to use the fund to patch up expenditures incurred by MSE Club for their events. * Mr Rayner Ng answered it is dependent on the sum within MSE Club’s personal funds, and the nature of proposed events. * Mr Neo Chun Siong queried the degree to which Mr Rayner Ng plans establish transparency about MSE Club’s personal fund. * Mr Rayner Ng replied the transaction for the Financial Year will be shown, but not the balance. * Mr Neo Chun Siong asked Mr Rayner Ng about his financial objectives for merchandise sold by MSE Club, such as faculty T-shirts. * Mr Rayner Ng answered he will prioritise to breakeven only on the T-shirts. |
|  | Nominee for Welfare and Academic Officer  Candidate Name: Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso  Proposer: Ms Goh Kiat Yin  Seconder: Mr Titan Ng  Speech  Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso addressed his desire to push for continuation of current Welfare initiatives carried out by the club, such as peer tutoring, regardless of the present obstacles, due to the support from Freshmen in the student population. He then moves on to letting peer tutors discuss PYP solutions due to the proficiency and caps off his speech by promising to arrange regular meetups with his Sub-Committee members.  Question and Answer   * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso for any concrete alternatives for the Exam Welfare pack intiative. * Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso mentioned he is unable to provide alternatives at the time of asking. * Mr Lee Wen Yang inquired about Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso’s interpretation of Welfare, and if he has any proposals in line with his interpretation. * Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso mentions he considers Welfare to be about Social skills and Mental health, on top of the Academic help aspect, but does not have plans to facilitate welfare pertaining to Social skills and Mental health. * Ms Janet Widanto inquired Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso about his proposal to ensure accurate PYP solutions. Mr Neo Yu Chen further inquired about the same issue, but for modules with a small student population. * Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso mentions he will try to select students to provide PYP solutions based on reputation, and for modules with a small student population, he will try to find his seniors for help, or procure solutions from multiple students. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired about Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso’s opinion on Mr Rayner Ng’s proposal for PYP solutions. * Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso indicated that he will try to convince Mr Rayner Ng to stick to the traditional proposal, as Mr Rayner Ng’s solution requires help from the Main Committee and hence is not feasible. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired about Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso’s opinion on incentivisation to peer tutor, and the scenario where the Financial Controller of the 21st Main Committee perceives the lack of value for incentivisation for peer tutoring. Mr Neo Eng Tiong also inquired about Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso for an alternative to physical peer tutoring, due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. * Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso mentions he would like to incentivise the peer tutors, but in the scenario where financial incentives is rejected by the Financial Controller of the 21st Main Committee, he will still proceed with peer tutoring with through other methods. Regarding the possibility of being unable to physically peer tutor, Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso indicates he will switch to using online platforms to proceed with the intiative. |
|  | Nominee for Welfare and Academic Officer  Candidate Name: Mr Anson Ong An Sheng  Proposer: Mr Wong Zi Sheng  Seconder: Mr Neo Yu Chen  Speech  Mr Anson begins with speech by projecting his view that the current Welfare initiatives provided by the club were too isolated by nature, and not accessible for all members of the student population. He then comments on the existing Welfare initiatives, indicating that there is few purchases of PYP answers from the Printing Shop, wishing to switch to online peer tutoring for safety reasons and additional accessibility to the general student population and requiring less time. He caps off his rally by mentioning his lack of ulterior motives for running for the position, and proclaims a desire to take over the role simply to provide Welfare for the students.  Question and Answer   * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired Mr Anson Ong An Sheng’s thoughts about frequent complaints about the PYP solutions, such as inaccurate answers and illegible handwriting. Mr Neo Chun Siong also inquired Mr Anson Ong An Sheng about the possibility of using typed answers to solve the illegilibility issue. * Mr Anson Ong An Sheng answers that answers provided by students will only ever be accurate to a certain degree, but he will take handwriting into account. He also adds that typed answers are feasible for theoretical questions, but not so much for mathematical questions requiring formulae. * Ms Janet Widanto questioned Mr Anson Ong An Sheng for alternatives if the physical Exam Welfare Pack intiative cannot be carried out due to the COVID-19 pandemic situation, * Mr Anson Ong An Sheng answered other events will be carried out to maintain the essence of the Exam Welfare Pack intiative. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired Mr Anson Ong An Sheng about Mr Rayner Ng’s PYP solution proposal of removing financial incentive for providing PYP solutions, and how he would incentivise students to peer tutor. * Mr Anson Ong An Sheng believes Mr Rayner Ng’s proposal to be fundamentally flawed as students find financial incentive a necessity to provide PYP solutions. About incentives in mind to peer tutor, he will allow for online peer tutoring, so the peer tutors have freedom of location, as well as the freedom to pursue other interests during the duties as a peer tutor. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired about Mr Anson Ong An Sheng’s reason for wanting to serve the MSE student population. * Mr Anson Ong An Sheng answered he wished to contribute to help form connections between students beyond their usual cliques. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired about Mr Anson Ong An Sheng’s weaknesses and how they will affect his duty. * Mr Anson Ong An Sheng replied he has a tendency to make rash decisions, but will like to work on this aspect during his term. * Mr Lee Wen Yang inquired about Mr Anson Ong An Sheng’s opinion that existing Welfare initiatives are not for all students. Mr Lee Wen Yang also inquired for any plans in mind to attain Mr Anson Ong An Sheng’s objective of “Welfare for all”. * Mr Anson Ong An Sheng replied taking PYP solutions as an example, soft copy answers are accessible, just not known to the general student population. Mr Anson Ong An Sheng mentions physical health promotion by working with the Sports and Recreation Portfolio of MSE Club as one such plan for his goal |
|  | Nominee for Logistics Officer  Candidate Name: Mr Titan Ng  Proposer: Ms Huanyi  Seconder: Mr Rakin Md Imran  Speech  Mr Titan Ng mentions to the audience the essence of Logistics from his point of view is the transportation and setup of items and equipment required for the club’s operations. He quotes that management of items, personal accountability and resourcefulness are the key attributes for this position.  Question and Answer   * Ms Wong Jia Mian queried about Mr Titan Ng’s mode of transportation of logistics. * Mr Titan Ng clarified he has a Class 3 driving license, and will procure the appropriate vehicles for transporting the logistics, such as a Lorry or Van depending on the bulk of the items. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired about Mr Titan Ng’s opinion on whether the Logistics Officer should have a level of authority over other portfolios, due to the frequent and necessary interaction between the Logistics portfolio and the rest of MSE Club’s portfolios. * Mr Titan Ng indicates that authority is not a desire on his part, but he would like to pick up soft skills associated with the other portfolios during his frequent interaction. * Mr Rakin Md Imran inquired Mr Titan Ng’s opinion on the 20th Logistics Officer’s style of operations. * Mr Titan Ng professes his admiration for the 20th Logistics Officer’s ability to use only the necessary resources required for operations. * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired Mr Titan Ng on his method of bonding the Logistics Sub-Committee. * Mr Titan Ng mentions he would like to know the Logistics Sub-Committee members better, and will try to arrange for regular meals with them. * Ms Wong Jia Mian queried Mr Titan Ng for his solution about the possible scenario of being unable to open the Logistics Storeroom door, due to the faulty door handle. * Mr Titan Ng mention he will fix the door handle himself if the situation is urgent enough. * Ms Wong Jia Mian indicates that Mr Titan Ng will not have to fix the door handle himself, but an emergency help number is available in the nearby lift lobby. * Mr Neo Chun Siong queried Mr Titan Ng’s solution to hypothetical scenario where MSE Club’s logistics are damaged due to Special Projects committees’ carelessness. * Mr Titan Ng mentioned he will first dispose of the damaged goods, then communicate with the Special Projects Committees about the issue. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired about the critical feedback Mr Titan Ng often receives. * Mr Titan Ng mentions in a straightforward manner that he is often told he is too straightforward. |
|  | Nominee for Sports and Recreation Officer  Candidate Name: Ms Huanyi  Proposer: Mr Neoh Eng Tiong  Seconder: Mr Anson Ong An Sheng  Speech  Ms Huanyi cites her reason for joining the Sports portfolio being exposure to the student population will provide her an opportunity to bond with others. She promises to provide new platforms to unwind. She refers to her past experiences, such as being in the executive committee of Sports Events and Vice-President role in NTU Invitational shoot as learning experiences that will allow her to carry out the role effectively. Her ending message is about her strengths, being meticulous and having the required experience for the role.  Question and Answer   * Ms Janet Widanto inquired Ms Huanyi’s opinion on the possibility of Inter-School Games (ISG) being cancelled for AY2020-2021 due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic. * Ms Huanyi mentions she is unsure of the situation, but will keep up the bi-weekly sports initiative, and try to plan alternative events and incentivise students to join if necessary. Upon further inquiring from Mr Neo Chun Siong, Mr Huanyi believes an adequate proposal can convince the Financial Controller of the 21st MSE Club Main Committee. Upon further queries from Ms Wong Jia Mian, Ms Huanyi proposes inter-year or inter-orientation group games an alternative to ISG. * Mr Kristoffer Jensen had a few questions relating to ISG for Ms Huanyi, namely: the colour of ISG shirts she wishes to procure, her opinion on the possibility of the Sports and Recreation Sub-committee members not answering her queries when she needs help for ISG, and how to increase participation rate for ISG. Mr Neo Chun Siong also inquired about Ms Huanyi’s view on whether having fun or winning was more important for ISG. * Ms Huanyi replied she would pick Navy or Maroon for ISG shirts, or remain with grey if she is unable to get her first picks, and she will try to fill in for the Sports and Recreation Sub-committee member, and she will extract the answer after the event. She also plans to incentivise students to increase participation rate, and believes encouraging MSE student participants to have fun on ISG rather than stressing about winning. * Mr Kristoffer Jensen inquired about Ms Huan Yi’s ideal Assistant officer candidate for the Sports and Recreation committee. * Ms Huanyi indicated she requires a punctual and responsible assistant. |
|  | Nominee for Events Director  Candidate Name: Ms Goh Kiat Yin  Proposer: Mr Anson Ong An Sheng  Seconder: Mr Patrick Louie Soetarso  Speech  Ms Goh Kiat Yin begins her rally speech by mentioning her past experiences as Honorary General Secretary in the 20th Committee of MSE Club, as well as planning sports and carnival events in Secondary School. As a result she is aware of some foreseeable issues, such as manpower, personal space and external route related issues during the future events she will plan if elected into the position. Her suggestion to improve the current events is to ask for post event feedback.  Question and Answer   * Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired if Ms Goh Kiat Yin’s experience as the Honorary General Secretary of the MSE Club 20th Main Committee will provide her an edge in her duties as Events Director. * Ms Goh Kiat Yin quoted her experience of processing proposal during her term as Honorary General Secretary as an advantage. * Ms Wong Jia mian inquired about Ms Goh Kiat Yin’s learning experience during her term as Honorary General Secretary of the 21st Main Committee. * Ms Goh Kiat Yin denoted an understanding about the planning behind events, and stressed the importance of feedback. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired if Ms Goh Kiat Yin had any regrets during her term as Honorary General Secretary of the 20th Main Committee. * Ms Goh Kiat Yin felt she should have communicated more frequently amongst the Top 4 of the 20th Main Committee. * Ms Wong Jia Mian queried Ms Goh Kiat Yin’s plans for physical events during her term as Events Director. Mr Anson Ong An Sheng added a further query of methods of promotion she has in mind to stimulate traditional low turnup rates. * Ms Goh Kiat Yin indicates her interest in carrying out the previously cancelled MSE Bowling plan planned by the Events Director of the 20th Main Committee, and will use preparatory event, irregardless of physical or online nature to garner popularity. * Ms Wong Jia Mian inquired for Ms Goh Kiat Yin’s reaction to the hypothetical scenario where a participant in her event is injured, and Mr Neo Chun Siong inquired if she will report the incident to the senior staff from the School of Materials Science and Engineering even if the injury is serious enough to cause cancellation of MSE Club’s events for the foreseeable future. * Ms Goh Kiat Yin answered Ms Wong Jia Mian, mentioning she will try to source out all possible hazards during the planning phase, and replied to Mr Neo Chun Siong’s query that she will report the injury regardless of the possible consequence, but will also highlight the outlier nature of the injury. |
|  | Nominee for Business Manager  Candidate Name: Ms Belynn Sim  Proposer: Mr Anson Ong An Sheng  Seconder: Mr Neoh Eng Tiong  Speech  Ms Belynn Sim begins her rally by citing her previous experiences, being part of the Business Management Committee for MSE Transition Orientation Programme 2020, and being a pageant coordinator for MSE Cohesion Day ’19. She promises to secure more sponsorships to provide welfare to the faculty and minimise spending for Welfare initiatives. She believes for a successful event, a strong Business Management team is required, and hence will set up one by developing a sense of ownership and strong teamwork in her team, and strives to maximise efficiency in the Business Management Portfolio.  Question and Answer   * Ms Theodora Lynn inquired about Ms Belynn Sim’s possible promises to sponsors in exchange for sponsorship. Mr Anson Ong An Sheng also made a further inquiry on her methods of procuring sponsorship * Ms Belynn Sim replies that she is unsure of what she can promise to the sponsors at the time of asking, but she stands firm that she will not make any promises she cannot keep, and that she will use her connections extensively to ensure that she will hold up MSE Club’s end of the deal with the sponsors. She also adds that she will utilise social media effectively and use a convincing proposal template to procure sponsorship. * Mr Anson Ong An Sheng inquired what Ms Belynn Sim would do if an item she procured cannot be used by all members of the MSE student population, quoting cider but Muslims are unable to consume alcoholic beverages due to religious commitments as an example. * Ms Belynn mentions she will not make the poor-fitting item a mandatory item to take in the giveaway, but will still offer the students the item if they wish to take it. * Ms Theodora Lynn asked about Ms Belynn Sim’s plans on bonding the Sub-Committee. * Ms Belynn Sim mentioned she will set the atmosphere right by emphasising on the importance of activity and an appropriate learning attitude, and will help facilitate bonding and activity via queries, but will still filter out the inactive personnel nevertheless. |
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|  | Mr Anson Ong An Sheng proposed the end of the meeting. Mr Rayner Ng seconded the motion. The meeting was called to an end at 2317Hr, 09th September 2020. |

Minutes prepared by: Minutes vetted by:

Signature Signature

\_Mr Lee Wen Yang\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_Ms Wong Jia Mian\_\_\_\_

(Name of Election Officer) (Name of Returning Officer)

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