



## Minutes – CUCBC Captains pre-Easter Term meeting 7pm, Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2024

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**In Attendance:** Caius, Christ's, Churchill, Clare, Clare Hall, Corpus Christi, Darwin, Downing, Emmanuel, First and Third Trinity, Fitzwilliam, Girton, Homerton, Hughes Hall, Jesus, King's, Lady Margaret, Lucy Cavendish, Magdalene, Murray Edwards, Newnham, Peterhouse, Pembroke, Queens', Selwyn, Sidney Sussex, St. Catharine's, St. Edmund's, Trinity Hall, CUBC Hon Sec.

**Did not attend:** Addenbrooke's, Anglia Ruskin, Robinson, Vet School, Wolfson

**Apologies:** None Received

**CUCBC:** Luke Barratt (Chair), David O'Loughlin

2. Election to CUCBC Executive Committee

- David O'Loughlin was elected to Hon Sec for '24/25.
- Event Secretary – please contact CUCBC if you, or a member of your club is interested in joining as Event Secretary.

3. Feedback from Lent Bumps

No feedback was received

4. Easter Term Reminders:

- a. Early morning noise – rules still apply, no coaching from the bank before 7:30 above the railway bridge.
- b. Evening rowing rules – dates updated on the [website](#).
- c. [Wildlife advice](#) – be careful around cygnets

5. **May Bumps – Entries Open!**

- Dates
  - Getting-on Race: 7<sup>th</sup> June
  - May Bumps: 12<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> June
  - Entries open.
  - Close of entries 29<sup>th</sup> May 2024
- Entry Fee Increasing for Mays 2024 to £75.
- Eligibility rules reminder (<http://www.cucbc.org/handbook/racing/general>)
  - Submission of non-student status information
  - Declaration deadline for non-students
  - Declarations of students with dual college membership
  - Please check allowable reasons for requesting subs and remind all rowers (and have this in mind when setting race crews for May Bumps)
  - If you're going to need a sub, get approval as soon as you know – easier now than the night before!
- Marshals and umpires - requirements
- Pre-Mays Captains' briefing: date TBC
- Briefings: dates TBC, around GoR (Likely 8<sup>th</sup> or 9<sup>th</sup> June)



6. Reminders, for all captains and coaches:

- Ensure lights are white, continuous, visible (new term, new batteries!), and attached to both the bow and stern of the boat (**not people or riggers**)
- Lights should be on no matter the time if the flag is yellow due to fog. This makes it even more important that they be bright enough!

7. CUBC Dev squad update from CUBC Honorary Secretary

Development squad update:

BUCS: Women have started training – great to see people around Ely. Men are planning to send a 4+ to BUCS.

Going into Easter term: Men's dev squad will include 2 sessions a week (one erg, one water session) and there will be erg cutoffs to take part (6:40 heavyweight, 7:00 lightweight). Women's dev squad summer camp will be happening again this year.

Keep an eye out for information from Bill and Matilda and any questions contact me on [cubc.admin@cucbc.org](mailto:cubc.admin@cucbc.org).

Any issues with triallists returning to college for Mays, feel free to reach out to CUBC Hon Sec or CUCBC.