

University of Gloucestershire's United Nations Association
(Committee meeting minutes: 25th of January 2006)
(7pm in the FCH chapel)

Committee members present: Daniel, Scott, Michael, David and Mariana
Apologies: Frida

Proceedings:

Meeting called to order by co-chairpersons David and Scott at 7pm.

Launch event: -

It was decided that we would pursue two avenues for the launch night; the possibility of watching a film provided by the UNA, and secondly a talk by local MP Martin Horwood (and hopefully both with snacks and drinks for afters). Scott volunteered to find us a film for the launch night. Martin Horwood was to be contacted by Mariana, in hope that he would a) agree to meet to discuss events (and for us to see if he would be of use to us), and b) agree to appear at our launch event.

Deliberation of what our objectives in terms of the issues we would like to promote was discussed. Several issues were covered (AIDS, nuclear disarmament, ecological issues, war and torture, local issues) but nothing was decided upon. It seemed like a good idea to cover several issues.

No date was set for the launch night. It was decided, however, that it should be before the end of February. Furthermore, it was decided that we would not charge an entrance fee for the launch night.

Other business:

David and Daniel have decided to set up a bank account for our finances. It needs to be co-signed by two people hence the two of them setting it up.

World day events:-

Daniel was approached by the FCH chaplain and asked if we would like to participate in this. Events will include talks, debates and discussions on things such as human rights. It seemed like the kind of cause that several members were interested in.

Meeting adjourned at 8.10 pm.

Minutes supplied by secretary, Michael Glendinning