Summary of Recidents’ council meeting

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| Location: | [Pianoroom] |
| Date: | [10. December 2023] |
| Time: | [14.00] |
| Participants: | [Louise Kjeldsen, Birgitta Nebel, William Carlsen, Gergo Pap-Takács, Luanna Jensen, Ida Yan] |
| Conducter:  Referent: | Louise  Birgitta |

Points on the agenda

1. **Welcome to Luanna**

We have a new member in the recidents’ council. Welcome to Luanna Bergh Jensen from upstairs kitchen.

1. **Around the table**

Big annex: There are again reports of stealing in big annex. Food has disappeared from fridges a couple of times. See under point 4. A sink is not working in big annex, and Benjamin will be contacted about this.

The big kitchens: It is a tendency that cleaning isn’t going too well in the three big kitchens. It’s nothing overly alarming, but we want to organize some main cleanings to make the kitchens nicer (The large kitchens and the small annex). Birgitta will write out to the kitchen managers and get them to find days where the residents in each kitchen can do this main cleaning. The dorm will provide pizza for those who take part in the cleaning.

Decorations: The three large kitchens will be given some funds to make the kitchens look better. They may be used for furniture, plants, or any other decorations.

1. **News from board meeting**

* The one-layer windows in orange and upstairs will be changed as soon as possible.
* New extractor heads over the stoves will be installed shortly.
* The process of applying for funds to support a major renovation of the dorm has begun. The goal of the renovation is to insulate the dorm more efficiently with better windows and other initiatives to make the dorm more energy efficient.
* The suggestions we made on the last meeting (That recidents who finished studying had to move out three months after ended degree, and that it would be possible for residents to apply for a permission to stay here for a while in between studying for various reasons. More information in the last summary)

1. **Issues with things disappearing**

Food is being stolen from the big annex. It is unknown whether it is a resident or someone from outside who takes it. We do not have a perfect solution, but we want to remind people in the big annex not to use the door that can only be locked from the inside. Furthermore, Louise is going to find out how expensive it would be to make the door lock automatically like the other outside doors.

Besides this, we experience that kitchen equipment disappears. We will remind residents that expenses for buying new equipment unnecessarily takes away from the budget for other things at the dorm. However, it is of course to be expected that things in the kitchens get used and therefore sometimes breaks or wears out.

1. **Buying kitchen equipment**

As mentioned in the last meeting, we have made an order for new kitchen equipment with IKEA and Skovsen. The things got delivered shortly after the meeting and are in the process of being distributed to the kitchens or stored in the basement.

1. **Piano room**

The piano room needs a glow up. We don’t think it is as cozy as it used to be. Therefore we will try to get some people to make a plan for it after Christmas break. We already talked about:

* Getting cleaned out in the messy corner.
* Getting some new furniture.
* Getting the tables set up in a nicer way and take a picture of the setup so that it can be put back that way after parties.
* Putting up some pictures or other decorations that won’t be in the way of the various activities that take place in the piano room.

1. **Waffle day**

We will have a waffle party on the 28. January. Birgitta announces it on the group and will try to recruit people to make the waffle batter. The waffles will be baked in the piano room, and we expect people to help each other doing this.

1. **Year wheel**

Birgitta and Louise have a year wheel that they use as an overlook over the activities during the year. They asked for inputs, and there was talk of making a Christmas decoration day next year. This will be added to the year wheel.

1. **Bike sorting**

Birgitta has put little ribbons on all the bikes. The ones who haven’t had their ribbon removed by the 15th January will be thrown out/given away.

1. **Anything else?**

It is proposed that we in the future add a point on the agenda to quickly follow up on some important things from the last meeting. We agree that this is a good idea.

From last meeting: The outside lighting issue should be solved. The lights by the bikes work, and the light by the piano room has been fixed by the commune.

1. **Date of next meeting: 04/02/24 at 14.00**