

Trudy Yates for CCE Officer



Who am I?

I'm a first year historian, specialising in medieval history, and when I'm not in the library I can usually be found AV stewarding at the Union.

Charities:

This year, I am one of the Pink Week ambassadors, so hopefully you've seen me popping up on the Peterhouse page advertising events like the Pink Week Ball, and the Pink Week Formal, which has a special pink themed menu. In addition to this, I have also arranged a charity yoga class and a pizza and film night, with all of the proceeds going towards the Pink Week charities.

If I were to become the CCE officer, I would like to organise more regular fundraising events for local charities outside of the university wide campaigns. For example, Krispy Kreme doughnut deliveries, bake sales and fitness classes. Not only would events like these help to raise money for a college-chosen charity, but they would also make life in college even more enjoyable. In addition to this, I would also like to work with other colleges to organise things like charity formal swaps.

Campaigns:

As part of my role as Student Minds rep, I left Christmas Cards in everyone's pidges and hid Christmas presents in the JCR. As a small college, I feel that we are often left behind when it comes to university wide campaigns, but if I were to become CCE officer I would do my utmost to increase awareness of the aims of these campaigns, and the events associated with them.

Furthermore, I would like to collaborate with the Access Officer to further involve Peterhouse in the 'Inside Uni' campaign.

Environment:

As one of the college Student Switch Off ambassadors, I would like to raise awareness about climate change and the importance of 'switching off' across college. In addition to encouraging as many people as possible to participate in the campaign, I would also like to implement some of the ideas we came up with during our ambassador training, such as putting a stash of reusable bags in all of the gyms, and switching off unnecessary plugs.

