

NANYANG TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
 19th SPMS Club Management Committee
 AY 23/24 SPMS Club Rally

Date: 6th September 2023, Wednesday
 Time Started: 1800hrs
 Venue: SPMS-LT1

Election Committee	Position
Gabriel Michael Djapri Gan Jun Ken Donovan Lim Wei Bin	Returning Officer Election Officer Election Officer
Nominees for AY23/24 Management Committee	Position (Nominated For)
1. Eng Kang Qi 2. Keane Wee Jin Yen 3. Lee Jiale 4. Donovan Ang 5. Eduard Wikarta 6. Xu Jiayu 7. Grace Poh Simin 8. Ruth Kang Ming Ying 9. Tan Lu Yan 10. Chuah Yixuan	President Vice President (Internal Relations) Vice President (External Liaison) Financial Controller Honorary General Secretary Business Management Director Events Director House Director Logistics Director Publicity and Publications Director
Nominees for AY23/24 Union Executive Committee Representative	Position (Nominated For)
1. NIL	Union Executive Committee Representative
Outgoing Management Committee Members	Position Held
1. Soh Chuen Han Kerwin 2. Gabriel Michael Djapri 3. Gan Jun Ken 4. Zhou Qinghe 5. Eng Kang Qi 6. Keane Wee Jin Yen 7. Tan Zhong Rong 8. Charlotte Ngio Kym 9. Donovan Ang 10. Ruth Kang Ming Ying 11. Lee Jiale 12. Eduard Wikarta 13. Tay Wei Hua, Caleb (Zheng Weihua) 14. Ng Hui Shi 15. Goh Yan Yi, Chermaine	President Vice President (Internal Relations) Vice President (External Liaison) Financial Controller Welfare Director Assistant Welfare Director Business Management Director Social Director Assistant Social Director Sagacitas House Captain Solertia House Captain House Director MAS Representative Publicity and Publication Director Assistant Publicity and Publication Director

Meeting Agenda

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7. Nominee for Honorary General Secretary, Eduard Wikarta
8. Nominee for Financial Controller, Donovan Ang
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10. Nominee for Vice-President (Internal Relations), Keane Wee Jin Yen
11. Nominee for President, Eng Kang Qi
12. A.O.B

	Agenda
1.	<p>Regulations Governing the Rally</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. All Candidates shall be entitled to 5 minutes for rally speech and 15 minutes of Question-and-Answer session. 2. 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. 3. A proposer and seconder is required to pass the motion for a 5 minute time extension for Question and Answer. 4. All questions should be posted on the link provided by your Election Officers. 5. The Returning Officer shall have the right to reject a proposed question or time extension. All decisions made shall be binding and final. 6. 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. 7. 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.
2.	<p>Nominee for House Director Candidate Name: Ruth Kang Ming Ying Proposer: Teo Yi Jing Geraldine Secunder: Valarie Koh Yee Chin</p> <p><u>Speech</u></p> <p>Ruth, a candidate for the position of House Director for the 19th Main Committee, introduced herself to the audience. She highlighted her experience as one of the four House Captains, specifically representing the Sagacitas house within the House System. Ruth expressed gratitude for the opportunities she had in her house, which allowed her to learn how to plan, host events, and create opportunities for house members and mentors to connect.</p> <p>She acknowledged the support of the House committee, her subcommittee of House Reps, the Sagacitas seniors, and new members for their enthusiasm. Ruth's campaign slogan, "I Ruth for 4 Houses," emphasized her commitment to providing a safe environment for House Captains to lead, learn, and grow. She encouraged future House Captains not to fear failure and promised her support as a listening ear.</p> <p>Ruth expressed her vision of a House as having four strong pillars, with her role being the protective roof. She aimed to ensure the House system remained strong and comfortable, emphasizing her dedication to the well-being of House members. Ruth also pledged to take the initiative in getting to know each individual and fostering a sense of belonging within the House system. She promised to plan new and interesting events to encourage interactions among House members from different Houses.</p>

In conclusion, Ruth aspired to build upon the foundation laid by the previous House committee and make the House system an exciting, fun, and inclusive place for all its members. She thanked the audience for their attention and support.

Question and Answer

Kerwin asked what is one good and one bad experience about the candidate's past year as House Captain and how can she apply her experiences to a House Director?

Ruth expressed that there were instances when things did not meet the expectations and that she took it personally. From these experiences, it made her more empathetic for the future House Captains. She hopes that the House Captains will know that if they feel they are not doing a good job they can approach her for assistance. One thing good about being house captain is that she has become more open to get to know more people. She stated that her circle of friends has drastically widened over the course of the previous year. She was also able to get to know people from different walks of life and that she had the opportunity to host events to bond them together. She also mentioned that she greatly appreciates the unity fostered within the community, where individuals consistently converge to enhance the community spirit. She holds the aspiration that incoming students, particularly the freshmen and future House Captains, will have the opportunity to partake in and experience the community spirit as well.

Kerwin mentioned about how the different houses have different cultures and asked how she intends to bridge the gap between the different Houses.

Ruth replied that it will partially depend on what are the goals of the future House Captains. Aside from vibes and the environment that they think they are in, it is important that the future House Captains align the visions together which is to make a great environment for students to be in. Ruth expressed the point that it is alright for each House to have different culture, so long as they continue to work towards the goal of reaching out to students and mentors. She mentioned that different cultures are not bad, as long as they have the same goals in mind.

Kerwin asked a follow up question; he asked if Ruth had any solutions to encouraging the House Mentors to be more active as the mentors may have conflicting schedules and other reason that prevents them from joining.

Ruth said that it is difficult for mentors and mentees to get to know each other better beyond academics, not that the mentors are not very interested to get to know the freshies. She would like to form a friendship with the mentors, as it might be easier to encourage the mentors to participate in the events as a friend. She also hopes her House Committee will also want to get to know their mentors and reach out to them, as the main purpose of the house is to bridge the student and faculty gap. She hopes that by next semester, more mentors will show up for House events. She believes that once the House mentors and members are more comfortable with each other, they will be more open and receptive to making friends and interacting.

Chan Ric asked if Ruth were to be elected, will she bring SPMS together for weekly fun and games.

Ruth replied that weekly events would be very difficult, she emphasised that she is running for House Director and planning weekly activities for the whole of SPMS is outside of her job scope. Ruth reiterated the job scope of a House Director and her desire to focus more on making one Inter-House event per semester. She thinks having weekly events are more administratively taxing, so it would be harder to achieve her goals through this method. She stated that she will strive to keep her events open to everyone.

5 minutes time extension
Proposer: Mr. Soh Chuen Han Kerwin
Secunder: Mr. Lee Jiale

Edwin See asked if there was something positive that she has learnt from the previous House Director.

Ruth thinks that the previous House Director has done a good job in knowing the House Captains and supporting their work. Moving forward she want to learn from how the previous House Director has taken the time to interact with each House Captain individually to better understand them. She wants to build a culture where the House Captains are aware that they will always have support around them to achieve their goals. She stated that the previous House Director has done a great job and she is grateful for the ideas and events he has proposed for the coming Academic Year.

Chan Ric asked how would Ruth get more faculty to join events?

Ruth stated that the question has been answered previously. She proceeded to reiterate her previous answer. She wanted to build a better relationship with the House Mentors and to leverage this relationships to encourage more participation. She hope to get feedback from the Mentors and get an idea of their preferences, she would use this knowledge to plan events that are more attractive to the Mentors.



3. Nominee for Logistics Director
Candidate Name: Tan Lu Yan
Proposer: Tan Kian Yang Lynst
Seconder: Jeremy Sng Ming Jiang

Speech

Lu Yan, a Year 2 math student, had initially thought that SPMS was filled with students that were solely focused on studying. However, his impression of SPMS has evolved over time as he participated in various events. He now considers his school community as one big family, united by a common goal of making SPMS the best it can be. This sense of unity and purpose has brought him closer to his fellow students, emphasizing the importance of teamwork and striving for excellence.

Lu Yan has outlined several key agenda items:

Accountability of Items: Lu Yan recognizes the need for accountability when handling items during events like orientation. He believes that the logs director should take responsibility for ensuring that nothing is lost during these transitions.

Cleanliness of Logs Room: Lu Yan is concerned about the current state of the logs room, which he finds untidy. He believes that maintaining cleanliness is essential to facilitate the easy retrieval of items and improve overall event organization. He sees the state of the logs room as a reflection of the event's organization.

Support for Other SPMS Club Members: Lu Yan mentions that he has had positive experiences with support from his peers during events, especially during the back-to-school event where he received assistance from the Vice President and others. He wants to replicate this sense of unity and support within the club, ensuring that everyone feels like part of a supportive and homely community.

Question and Answer

Keane asked the candidate to elaborate on how he will enforce the accountability of the items.

Lu Yan wants to enforce a system where any withdrawal of item from the logs room is tracked and that the Logistics Director is informed of it. He also wants to implement a system where foot traffic through the logs room is tracked to ensure that there is a method to trace back if there were items removed from the room.

Wen Hao asked if the candidate had a vision for the logs room and what was his plan for cleaning it.

Lu Yan stated that he wants to create a more organised system by sectioning out the logs room. He wants to allocate each portfolio with an area to store their own items. By providing each portfolio with their own area, they will instinctively know where to obtain and return the logistics required for their event.

Wong Zi Lun asked what the job scope of the Logistics Director was.

Lu Yan stated that in addition to taking care of the logs room, he must support the other club members in their events. He believes that the additional manpower is always useful during events and would be a good way for him to create a positive impact on the Club.

Kerwin asked if the candidate has contacted the previous Logistics Director?

Lu Yan stated that he has attempted but was unsuccessful. However, he has been talking to the individual who has been filling in the position and has been brought up to date on the roles and responsibilities.

Kerwin stated that he was once a Logistics Director for SPMS Club and that there is an existing segmentation in the logs room however it has been unsuccessful as members would return the logistics haphazardly. Kerwin asked if the candidate has methods on mitigating this.

Lu Yan stated that he will put more emphasis on enforcing the segmentation and accountability. He will also spend a bit more effort to ensure that the documentation of the logistics completed properly. He stated that he understands that due to the rush during events, the logistics might get mixed up, so he would put in system to alleviate this and to make the logistics tracking system smoother. He also stated that he will warn the member if they are lazy and attempt to return the logistics haphazardly.

Gan Jun Ken stated that part of the job scope of a Logistics Director was to oversee the student lounge. He stated that due to the nature of a student lounge, there is very little way to enforce accountability of students to be careful with the provided equipment resulting in a lot of premature damage to the games and equipment in the student lounge. Gan Jun Ken asked if the candidate has any plans to maintain and improve the lounge.

Lu Yan agrees that the items in the lounge are not taken careful by the users. He states that the most important thing is enforcing proper rules on the usage of the lounge. He would like the student body to be aware that the items are for the benefit of the school. He also believes that there are insufficient games and equipment such as Ping pong balls and rackets. He has stated that he would like to bring in more equipment to the lounge.

Gan Jun Ken stated that the candidate has not answered the question. He reiterated the question and asked the candidate for his plans to enforce accountability in the users. He stated that bringing in new games would be meaningless if the items would be damaged right way.

Lu Yan proposed implementing a penalty system, if items are damaged or lost, the users should have to pay a fine to reimburse the Club and as payment for the damages incurred. He proposed using the CCTV system to identify these users and to recuperate the cost from them.

5 minutes time extension

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Secunder: Mr. Gan Jun Ken

Wong Zi Lun asked how the candidate would ensure that people will inform the candidate before removing items from the logs room even when the candidate is not physically around to enforce it.

Lu Yan believes that it must be built on a system of trust. He acknowledges that he will not be able to be physically around every day and that he would have to trust the other committee members to be responsible and mature enough to inform him on their own accord.

4. Nominee for Business Management Director

Candidate Name: Xu Jiayu
Proposer: Enoch Tay En Wei
Seconder: Justin Yeo Yik Kang

Speech

Jiayu, a second-year Physics student, is running for the position of Business Management Director and introduced herself to the audience. She emphasized her willingness to push her boundaries and step out of her comfort zone, making the Director role an ideal opportunity to do so.

Jiayu provided several reasons for the audience to consider voting for her. Firstly, she highlighted her past experience in the Business Management subcommittee over the past year, which had familiarized her with the job scope and workload required for the role. This experience would enable her to better guide the committee members.

Secondly, Jiayu pledged to be accommodating and receptive to the concerns and ideas of the student body. She promised to secure relevant sponsors and ensure that sponsorship conditions were met, creating a win-win situation for all parties involved. Additionally, Jiayu expressed her commitment to staying in touch with the student body, emphasizing the importance of understanding their needs and aspirations for effective leadership. She vowed to engage with as many students as possible to remain aware of their priorities.

Looking ahead, Jiayu outlined her focus on improving communication within the subcommittee, fostering a culture of open dialogue where members could comfortably share ideas and concerns. She also expressed a desire to understand each member's goals and aspirations within their roles.

Question and Answer

Zhong Rong stated that the previous business management director did not use their subcommittee properly. He asked the candidate to explain her plans to effectively use the subcommittee to achieve her goals.

Jiayu stated that from her experience in the previous subcommittee, the subcommittee were used to assist in sourcing for sponsors. She stated that she joined business management to learn how to liaise with the sponsors, therefore she wants to involve the subcommittee in crafting the email and drafting out communications with potential sponsors. She stated that as a director, she would still be in charge of the more important emails. She is aware that Back to School is organised by business management portfolio and she wants to use her whole subcommittee in the planning of the event.

Gabriel asked how the candidate would consider as email to be more or less important. Jiayu believes that the more important emails are those that involves sponsors that are working with the Club and the emails involving liaising with the sponsors for the collection of the items and the deliverables required from the sponsorship. She stated that she will work with her subcommittee to organise and plan the most efficient method of doing things.

Wong Zi Lun asked how the candidate intends to obtain the student's opinions on sponsorship.

Jiayu proposed making use of the current SPMS Club social media platforms to send out forms to collate ideas from the student body. She believes an online form and poll is a good way to obtain feedback form the students.

Keane states that the Freshmen Orientation Program business manager will be working with the Club's business management directors to obtain sponsors during the summer and

	<p>semester 2 period. Keane asked how the candidate would manage this addition workload alongside Back to School and how will she use her subcommittee to achieve her goals. Jiayu would like to use her assist business management director and delegate the responsibilities between them. She will also allocate her subcommittee across the different events to allow them to focus on their allocated event. She plans to also hold meetings to gather her subcommittee and use this as an opportunity to allow both sides to inform each other of their current work and progress.</p> <p>Gabriel asked if the candidate has any plans to take up additional roles outside of SPMS Club. Jiayu stated that she does not have any confirmed plans. She is considering participating in the SPMS Freshmen Orientation Program in the coming year.</p> <p>Zhong Rong stated that there might not be a Freshmen Orientation Program business manager in the coming year, therefore the candidate would be required to be the default business manager for SPMS Freshmen Orientation Program. Zhong Rong asked if the candidate would be able to balance the additional role or would she prefer to focus on doing being the business manager. Jiayu stated that she does not plan to run for roles that will require a lot of additional work. Therefore, she believes that she would be able to properly manage her time between the 2 roles.</p> <p>Wenhao asked what makes a good business management director. Jiayu believes a good business management director should have good leadership and communication skills to work with her committee. With regards to being business management director, she believes it is important to obtain sponsors that students wants and to balance the request of different stakeholders. She also believes it is important to be professional in how she communicates with others.</p>
5.	<p>Nominee for Events Director Candidate Name: Grace Poh Simin Proposer: Charlotte Ngio Kym Seconder: Kim Si Hyung</p> <p><u>Speech</u></p> <p>Grace, a Year 2 Math student with a second major in sustainability, is running for the position of Events Director. She began her introduction by expressing gratitude to those present, especially the outgoing Social Director, Charlotte Ngio Kym, who had been her primary supporter and inspiration for running for the role.</p> <p>Grace described her personal transformation from a quiet introvert during her freshman orientation to her decision to run for Events Director. She emphasized her desire to provide opportunities for SPMS students to bond and forge new friendships through school events. Highlighting her experience as an active member of the Social Subcommittee, Grace stressed her familiarity with various SPMS events, such as Halloween x Deepavali, Valentine's Day, and Chinese New Year, from a behind-the-scenes perspective. She mentioned her involvement in planning an external event, the DND, which gave her insight into event planning beyond subcommittee responsibilities.</p> <p>Grace also mentioned her role as an Orientation Group Leader (OGL) for this year's orientation, where she interacted with freshmen, batchmates, and seniors to gather feedback on their expectations for school events. She emphasized her commitment to forming good relations, being approachable, and considering diverse perspectives to plan events tailored to the SPMS cohort.</p>

Looking ahead, Grace expressed her intention to continue annual events like Halloween, Valentine's Day, and DND while improving them based on her experiences. She proposed allocating a larger budget to cater to more students and staff members, making events more inclusive. As the first-ever Events Director, Grace's main goal was to make SPMS a place where students could create lasting memories in university. She stressed the importance of balancing academics with making friendships and having fun during university years. Grace aimed to organize events that catered to the diverse SPMS student body, helping them destress from academic pressures and feel welcomed, even if they didn't stay in hall.

Question and Answer

Charlotte Ngio Kym asked the candidate to state the skills that makes her the best candidate for the position.

Grace stated that she has been very active in the previous social subcommittee and SPMS Freshmen Orientation Program. She was also involved in the social Dinner and Dance event. Due to all the different events, she has a lot of experience in liaising with different groups and organising events. The candidate believes that she has gotten a lot of experience from being involved in the planning of social events and the skills she learnt would make her the best candidate for Events Director.

Wong Zi Lun asked how the candidate intends to balance her role as Events Director & her academics.

Grace states that it is about time management. In the previous year, she has been involved in multiple clubs and CCAs around NTU and she has been able to cope with the responsibilities. Therefore, she thinks she is can handle her commitments and time to balance both her responsibilities as a Events Director and a student.

Keane stated that the Events portfolio is now a combination of what was previously social and sports, the Events Director would therefore now be in charge of ISG within SPMS Club. Keane asked how the candidate will make full use of the subcommittee to manage all the responsibilities.

Grace answered that since this is a new job scope, she is not able to reference the previous years to guide her. She believes that it is better to maintain a separation between the social and sports subcommittee as the students joining might only be interested in that specific portfolio. She proposes having a split subcommittee that will focus on their own individual niche.

Aldrich asked if the candidate has any plans to add any new events on top of the current existing events held by SPMS.

Grace states that given the new combined job scope, she is unsure if there is sufficient bandwidth to create new events. She prefers to refine the current events already being held by SPMS Club. She mentions the time where SPMS and CCEB had to share the event venue. She stated that the event was very messy as there was insufficient communication between schools. She would like to propose more collaboration in planning events to more efficiently share the space.

Kang Qi mentioned that the candidate stated previously that she would prefer to recruit the subcommittee and separate them according to sports and social. Kang Qi proposed a situation where there is insufficient manpower for one of the events and where the other subcommittee is unwilling to help as it is not part of their niche. Kang Qi asked the candidate on how she would solve this issue.

Grace believes that in such a situation, although there might be some subcommittee member who are not receptive to going out of their comfort zone, there will still be a portion who are willing to render their assistance when required.

Jasmine Koh asked the candidate to state some problems with the previous social committee.

	<p>Grace stated that as a subcommittee member, she did not get as much exposure to the planning of events and would have very little chances to meet the other subcommittee members outside of official SPMS Club events. Grace states that she would like to address these issues and make her subcommittee more bonded. She would also like her subcommittee to have more chance to be part of the planning process. She quotes that during the dinner and dance event, she felt that it was the highlight of her time here in SPMS due to her involvement in the planning process, compared to other events where she was not as involved in the planning process.</p>
6.	<p>Nominee for Publicity and Publications Director Candidate Name: Chuah Yixuan Proposer: Chan Wen Hao Seconder: Ruja Sittiyanonkorn</p> <p><u>Speech</u> Yixuan, a Year 2 Math student, is running for the position of Publicity and Publications Director. She expressed gratitude to the audience, particularly her proposer and seconder, and outlined her vision for the role. Yixuan highlighted her experience as a House Representative, managing her house's Instagram account, which allowed her to understand the power of social media in communication. She plans to enhance SPMS's online platforms, making them more informative and interactive.</p> <p>Transparency and inclusivity are important values to Yixuan. She promised open communication within her team, fostering creativity and diversity. Yixuan also aims to bring fresh and innovative ideas to elevate the standards of SPMS publications and publicity.</p> <p><u>Question and Answer</u> Wen Hao asked what makes a good PnP director. Yixuan stated that she does not have a matrix to measure the effectiveness of a PnP Director yet. However, she wants to show that PnP is inclusive to people of any background and they do not need prior skills to join. She knows that over the years PnP has always had a shortage of manpower and wants to encourage more people to sign up and help out. In her opinion, a good director is able to see the strengths of people and allocate them to roles that best suits them and their skills.</p> <p>Ng Hui Shi mentioned that PnP has been facing manpower issues with not many students joining as PnP subcommittee. Hui Shi asked how the candidate would aim to increase the willingness of students to join PnP. Yixuan stated that from her previous experiences as a House Rep, she made many friends that she could ask to join as her subcommittee. She states that PnP is open to everyone and she is willing to work hard to nurture and teach the subcommittee if they are willing to learn.</p> <p>Keane asked if the candidate has any ideas for new SPMS Club merch. Yixuan agrees that SPMS Club merch can be improved. She wants to obtain a general idea of the merch and design that the students want before she creates new merch. She will use the current SPMS Club online platforms to poll people on their opinions.</p> <p>Aldrich asked the candidate to state her vision for SPMS club social media. Yixuan stated her vision is for the social media platforms to be able to capture and showcase the events of SPMS Club and allow people to better understand the events that are hosted by SPMS Club. She also wants to use the social media platforms to do more publicity prior to the event to increase participation. She wants the social media to be more relaxed such as to encourage student interaction with the Club and gather more feedback from students.</p>

	<p>Ng Hui Shi stated that SPMS Club has 6 accounts. Hui Shi asked the candidate if there are any accounts that should be removed.</p> <p>Yixuan stated that 6 different social media accounts are very taxing and she will need to consider the abilities of her subcommittee members before considering which accounts should be pruned. She will also consider the strengths of her subcommittee and allocate them to work on the platform that best uses their skills.</p> <p>Goh Yan Yi, Chermaine asked if the candidate has any plans to purchase any equipment improve the capabilities of SPMS Club’s PnP.</p> <p>Yixuan would like to upgrade the current photo printer and add more props and lighting equipment.</p>
7.	<p>Intermission</p> <p>Proposer: Mr Gabriel Michael Djapri</p> <p>Seconder: Mr Gan Jun Ken</p>
8.	<p>Nominee for Honorary General Secretary</p> <p>Candidate Name: Eduard Wikarta</p> <p>Proposer: Julia Lim Xin Ting</p> <p>Seconder: Hue Zeng Yi</p> <p><u>Speech</u></p> <p>Eduard Wikarta is running for the position of Honorary General Secretary. He currently serves as the House Director, overseeing four houses and engaging in various club functions.</p> <p>Eduard emphasized his strong organizational skills and meticulous work ethic. He outlined his vision for efficient club administration, mentioning his plan to expand the House Calendar into a centralized platform. This platform would benefit both the Committee and the student body by offering better event planning and semester overview capabilities. Eduard also pledged to assist Directors in submitting proposals and deliverables promptly, thus improving efficiency and reducing the workload for Committee Members.</p> <p><u>Question and Answer</u></p> <p>Jun Ken asks the candidate how he will streamline the operational processes of the club.</p> <p>Eduard responds that OneDrive has a huge suite of programmes, and that he plans to use this to organise, manage, and automate the administration of the club, and to make it easy to use. He emphasises that the Honorary General Secretary position could better streamline the workflow for the whole Club.</p> <p>Chan Ric asks why the candidate chose to be Honorary General Secretary over the President role.</p> <p>Eduard responds that after his time as House Director, he believed that the Top 3 roles is less suited for him as compared to being the Honorary General Secretary. He believes his strength lies in paperwork and his detailed work ethic.</p> <p>Kerwin asks the candidate if he has any goals or plans to increase student interaction</p> <p>Eduard responds that the Honorary General Secretary is a backend role and that the directors are more suited in receiving complaints and feedback by nature of their forward-facing positions, but he mentioned that if elected he can assist in streamlining such processes.</p>

	<p>Keane raises that the candidate said he will help in the submission of proposals and asks to clarify what the candidate means.</p> <p>Eduard responds that when he mentioned helping in proposal, he would like to implement calendars and systems to compile deadlines and he can help chase the director for deliverables to be submitted. He wants the Honorary General Secretary to take up these responsibilities so that the directors can be free to make more important policy decisions and planning.</p> <p>Kerwin raises that the candidate, during his tenure as House Director, had created the House calendar. He asks the candidate if he will continue this and asks if he will extend it to SPMS Club events.</p> <p>Eduard says that he will continue this and wants to consolidate information from all sources and make the calendar a one-stop calendar for students to reference to find out different events and deadlines.</p> <p>Gabriel asks the candidate what he felt he did well in or badly at as a House Director.</p> <p>Eduard responds that he had pushed himself out of his comfort zone, and that he would not have signed up for such roles when he was in Year 1. He is still scared of stepping up into leadership positions, but he has enjoyed interacting with more students and contributing to the student life in SPMS.</p> <p>He continues that one bad thing is that he did not have much experience in planning and executing events. He felt that he could have done more to prepare for events and in organising them, and that his lack of experience did not allow him to be able to foresee potential issues that may occur in the preparation and execution of events.</p> <p>Chan Ric asks the candidate how he will balance being Honorary General Secretary and his URECA.</p> <p>Eduard responds that he is doing his URECA as he wants to see more of physics and he wants to use URECA as a way to better consolidate his learning and help expose him to more applications of physics. He believes the time required is lesser as it is part of his current learning, not a new field that he has to learn, and so is able to balance his role in SPMS Club and his URECA commitments appropriately.</p>
9.	<p>Nominee for Financial Controller Candidate Name: Donovan Ang Proposer: Derrick Phan Zai Cheng Seconder: Zhou Hao Cheng</p> <p><u>Speech</u></p> <p>Donovan Ang, a second-year Mathematical Sciences student, is running for the position of Financial Controller. He highlights his previous experience as the Assistant Social Director, emphasizing his practical insights into resource management and his commitment to enriching students' lives through well-planned events.</p> <p>Donovan's vision revolves around transparency and strategic planning. He aims to provide regular updates on budget allocations and expenditures to build trust and foster openness within the committee. As Financial Controller, he plans to work closely with directors to create comprehensive budgets aligned with their visions.</p> <p>Responsibility in spending is a key focus for Donovan. He pledges to prevent overspending to ensure the club's sustainability, setting clear rules and reminders for directors to avoid exceeding budgets. He also commits to adapt and seek feedback to refine financial processes as the club's needs evolve.</p>

Donovan's work ethic centres on efficiency and organization, and he intends to apply these principles to the role. He acknowledges the contributions of outgoing club members and concludes with the slogan "Vote Doncon for Fincon," emphasizing his dedication to the position.

Question and Answer

Charlotte Ngio Kym asks the candidate how prepared he is for the role of Financial Controller, given his lack of experience.

Donovan responds that as an Assistant Social Director, he was put under a strict rule to keep within the budget. With his experience, he now understands directors' issues with budget and will work on it with them.

Charlotte Ngio Kym asks the candidate how he will balance his role as Financial Controller and his external commitments.

Donovan responds that he has already been balancing his external commitments and will continue to do so accordingly. He mentions about his past time as an Assistant Social Director.

Lee Jiale asks the candidate that as the Financial Controller is a support role, whether he intends to be present at more events, and how he will balance his workload if so.

Donovan responds that he will follow the footsteps of the previous Financial Controller, in helping out at events when he can, and contribute to the club.

Zhou Qinghe asks the candidate how he will deal with directors exceeding allocated budgets, or requests for higher budgets.

Donovan responds that he will check was the proposed budget and understand why such a budget was proposed. He wants to set proper guidelines and work with directors to be within their total overall budget from their other events. He said that he will be flexible and increase the budget if needed to ensure the events are smooth.

Kerwin asks the candidate if there is collaboration with other clubs, how he will split the budget with them.

Donovan responds that each proposal will have a target audience. He will use the ratio of the target student body to split the budget, as he wants the budget to be allocated according to how many students from each school participate.

Keane asks the candidate what he will do if a director claims for something not in their proposal.

Donovan responds that if the item is a last minute item required for an event, he will allow it. If the budget exceed, he will look at using the club petty cash to supplement it.

Gabriel asks the candidate how he will budget how each school pays, as claims must be done on separate receipts.

Donovan responds that before the purchase, he will work with the other Financial Controllers of the other clubs to create guidelines on how to purchase and the amount they have to pay. If either side exceeds, they will be responsible to pay for it out from their budget as they have broken the guidelines.

10.	<p>Nominee for Vice-President (External Liaison) Candidate Name: Lee Jiale Proposer: Ng Jing Wen Seconder: Ang Chi Yong</p> <p><u>Speech</u> Lee Jiale, a third-year PHMP student, is running for the position of VP EXT. He begins his speech by highlighting his extensive leadership experience both before and during university, including organizing camps for secondary schools and events for disabled individuals. Lee Jiale has worked with different budgets and organizations, demonstrating his adaptability and commitment to volunteering.</p> <p>In his university experience, he has taken on various roles, such as night cycling welfare IC, socials subcommittee member, and house captain of Solertia. He mentions his challenging experience as the first house captain and how he successfully built a lively house culture.</p> <p>Lee Jiale outlines his goals as VP EXT. He plans to maintain consistent standards for all houses while providing support to those facing difficulties in establishing their identity. He also aims to revamp the orientation (FOP) structure to make it more efficient and meaningful, emphasizing the improvement of the freshmen's experience. He will gather feedback to make necessary changes.</p> <p>His main objective is to establish a strong foundation for the house system, ensuring it runs smoothly in its second year. Lee Jiale believes his extensive experience and connections with the office and staff make him the ideal candidate for this role. In conclusion, he emphasizes his commitment to bringing unity and improvement to the house system and orientation events, promising to bring his unique qualities to both aspects.</p> <p><u>Question and Answer</u> Jun Ken asks how the candidate will liaise with CoS and what his agenda for CoS events will be, as part of the VP EXT job scope.</p> <p>Jiale responds that he needs to clarify what the main goals of the new House/Clade/Clan systems implemented within the CoS schools, given that they were only recently introduced. If the priority is to solidify the House/Clade/Clan system, Jiale said that he would avoid pushing for new events. However, if the House/Clade/Clan system is set in place, inter-house games are feasible as the students will have their own culture and pride for their own houses.</p> <p>Jun Ken restates his questions, mentioning that the House system is separate from CoS issues.</p> <p>Jiale responds that based on Prof Chew, the House is meant to represent and fight for such inter-house events. On a CoS-wide scale, he says that understanding the profile, needs, and interests of SPMS, SBS, and CCEB students will let them plan better events that will be better received</p> <p>Kerwin asks about what special projects the candidate wishes to see happen or work towards; for example Science Camp and Overseas Community Involvement Projects (OCIP).</p> <p>Jiale responds that it is important to consider the interests of SPMS Club, saying that what he wants to do may not be in the interest of the club, or the club may be unable to execute them due to limited resources. Further, he said that it depends on the president and school</p>
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office, if they wish to continue the projects and culture of these special projects, and support them.

The candidate continues that a second consideration is whether the club is prepared enough to both plan and execute all the special projects, and may opt to plan for the special projects for future committees to execute instead, so that they will have more guidance, and the events will be better prepared and executed.

Part of his consideration is that the house system still requires a lot of effort and dedication, so that the foundations and community of the house system are well founded. He says that it is better to focus properly on doing one thing well, rather than doing everything badly, emphasising that a lot of planning is required for the OCIP and Science Camp. However, he mentioned that he will try to start on the foundations so that OCIP will be a possibility for the following batch.

Jun Ken asks what the candidate will do to bring in more projects, in his capacity as VP EXT.

Jiale responds that the House system is a special project, and that he is the bridge between the school office, House system, and the Freshman Orientation Programme. He said that in collaboration with other schools, he will look back at previous events, like OCIP, as reference. Focusing on new events, he said that he would start with smaller events, for example, volunteering locally, before considering overseas projects.

Jun Ken says that the club currently works a lot with the Office of Development & Facilities Management (ODFM) in NTU, pushing for infrastructure upgrades for SPMS, and asks the candidate about what ideas for infrastructural improvements he has for SPMS.

Jiale says that he would like to know what infrastructural upgrades are already happening first and said that he will communicate with the school office and facilities, to understand what is feasible and doable. He wants to do upgrades that will impact students and brings up that the rooftop is currently being upgraded with turf and hopes that it can be used for future events. He brings up that there are many underutilised balconies in SPMS and wants to make it better places to chill and study. He brings up that he will liaise with the House Director or Honorary General Secretary to gather feedback and opinions of the student body, to better understand what they want, in terms of infrastructure.

Kerwin brings up that the candidate mentioned that he has several commitments outside of NTU, including organising camps within his hall, and asks how he plans to balance his academics, his role as VP EXT, and his external commitments, especially given his plans for House, and the Freshman Orientation Programme.

Jiale says that he prioritises SPMS, saying that he had told his hall that he will prioritise SPMS over them, because there are more people depending on him doing a good job in SPMS. He continues that he did not run for anything in hall and says that the most commitment he foresees to his hall is having to go down for events as a photographer. He also brings up that he is a photographer for other external camps, and emphasises again that most of his effort will be spent on SPMS and his studies

Lee Wei Long asks if Science Camp will be brought back and whether there will be any changes to it, since it was previously done with the Chemistry and Biological Chemistry major. He asks if there will be involvement with CCEB, and if Science Camp will only be tailored towards Physics and Mathematics.

Jiale responds that based on his knowledge, Science Camp has been raised up to CoS, since it doesn't make sense to only have Physics and Mathematics, without Chemistry and Biology. He continues that if Science Camp were to return, it will likely be done in

	collaboration with CCEB, SBS and ASE, so many changes can be expected, and that Science Camp may not be under the purview of SPMS anymore.
11.	<p>Nominee for Vice-President (Internal Relations) Candidate Name: Keane Wee Jin Yen Proposer: Tan Yunn Ting Seconder: Tay Jin Yang</p> <p><u>Speech</u> Keane, a third-year physics student, is running for the position of Vice-President of Internal Affairs in the club. He emphasizes the importance of passion, self-drive, and patience in club activities. Keane acknowledges the previous Vice President's selflessness but plans to balance it with effective communication. He aims to enhance communication through regular meetings and constructive feedback sessions. Keane intends to work closely with portfolio directors to improve events, streamline work, and create unique merchandise. He also plans to better manage the logistics portfolio, diversify Welfare outreach, and support Business Management Directors. Keane seeks your support to build a stronger and more unified club based on these principles.</p> <p><u>Question and Answer</u> Gabriel asks how the candidate would deal with a portfolio director that does not do their job well.</p> <p>Keane says that he will build better relationships with the directors, to understand what their goals are and what they want to achieve during their term, and to connect with them on a more personal level. He continues that he would handle each portfolio by having more regular meetings so that everyone is aware of each other's objectives and events. He continues that he will be reasonable with the portfolio directors, understanding if they need to study, especially around the exam periods, but wants to have a reasonable time limit to communicating with them before escalating matters up, or considering disciplinary action.</p> <p>Jun Ken raised that the MAS Representative had done an excellent job in the past year in executing subject-based events, and that the PAP Representative had not done anything. He asks if the candidate has any plans for the future Subject Representative(s) if there were plans for other events than Pi Day, Estimathon, and the Monthly Puzzles that were done in the past year.</p> <p>Caleb Tay expressed his support of the question and shouted, "amen brother".</p> <p>Keane expresses his thanks to what the previous MAS Representative had done in the past year, and that the PAP Representative was not seen much. He continues that in the coming year, the Subject Representatives are likely to be combined, and that he doesn't expect them to do the same events but takes the past year and events as a general guideline on what to do or can be done.</p> <p>He admits that Physics is a tougher subject to plan events around and says that he will hear out the Physics student body to ideate what events they could do to enrich the Physics experience in SPMS, suggesting laboratory experiments as done in Year 2 or 3 as a possible idea.</p> <p>Gabriel raises that currently no one is running for the role of Welfare Director and asked if he will take on the role if the position is indeed left vacant.</p> <p>Keane responds that they are still talking to people who may potentially run for Welfare Director, but in the worst-case scenario, he does not plan to take on the role fully. He said that he will see if there is anyone willing to help the Welfare portfolio and can assist in part of planning for welfare events, for example, Project Sunshine or Project Radiance, but cannot spearhead the planning of them himself.</p>

Kerwin asks about the candidate's plans for merchandise, raising that windbreakers and tote bags were already previously done, and asks for elaboration on what other merchandise ideas he may have.

Keane responds that in the 2 years that he has been here, he was not aware of SPMS having done a windbreaker. He said that he has heard from some SPMS students that windbreakers and jackets are better for them, given the hot Singapore weather but cold atrium temperature. He raises that he doesn't want to push it all on to PNP and will work on new merchandise with them. Keane asks to clarify about the previous SPMS tote bags.

Kerwin replies that a third of the tote bags were Physics, a third were Mathematics, and a third were Chemistry.

Keane continues that since Chemistry has left SPMS, a new tote bag design could be introduced, and that he will work with the future PnP Director on its design.

Jun Ken raises that there is currently a SPMS Club website, and asks what his plans for it are, as it is underutilised, only for merchandise and the event calendar.

Keane mentions that most of the photos are from during COVID, and that the first photos are of people wearing masks and adhering to safe distancing measures and wants to replace them to be more current to show the vibrancy of SPMS events. He also says that the site could be used as a photo platform, and even to showcase student's experience through their point of view.

Gabriel continues on from his previous question, asking about what measures the candidate would take if a portfolio director or subcommittee were not doing the work expected of them.

Keane responds that he thinks it is inappropriate to skip the portfolio directors to go straight to the subcommittee and said that he will trust each director to know what their subcommittee are doing. He says that, if necessary, he will step in to intervene, opting for a soft approach to understand their situation, but may use disciplinary actions, if necessary, like revoking rights or permissions.

Gabriel asks the candidate to clarify what rights the candidate would revoke.

Keane responds that if a director uses a lot of club logistics, their rights to handle inventory will be revoked. He continues that the welfare offered by the club will also be revoked.

Gabriel asks how he would handle conflict between portfolio directors, especially in events that involve multiple portfolios, bringing up the previous Halloween and Deepavali event, involving the Welfare, Social, and Business Management directors.

Keane responds that if the issue is not with his management of them, he will step in as a mediator for them, but if their issue is with him, he will ask for honest feedback on what he could do better.

Kerwin asks how the co-opted position of Subject Representative will ensure equal representation in the events, raising that PHMS double major candidates are possible, but may not always be available.

Keane responds that if the co-opted Subject Representative is from MAS, he will be able to help him as he is a physics major, and that if the co-opted Subject Representative is from PHY, he will gather help from the rest of the club committee. He continues that a

	<p>PHMS may be the best solution, but he cannot rely on that possibility due to the small course size.</p> <p>Gabriel asks how the candidate would address issues between himself and the portfolio directors under him, if conflict arises.</p> <p>Keane responds that he will listen to the portfolio director, to understand if it is an issue with his management style, and will learn over time during his term, and try to understand the director’s personal and academic situations, especially around exam periods.</p> <p>Jun Ken mentions that the candidate has been in an internal portfolio for the past year and asks for his opinions on how things have been run, and what the candidate thinks he could do to improve the process.</p> <p>Keane raises that one major issue is the underutilisation of the Logistics subcommittee, and that the subcommittee should have been more involved in the setting up and tearing down of events, but in past experience, they have come the latest and left the earliest. He understands that it is in the interest of their own committee to reduce their own work, but the subcommittee should also understand that they are involved heavily in taking care of the student body.</p> <p>He continues to talk about his experience as an Assistant Welfare Director, raising that the Welfare portfolio has their own Instagram page, and that the system of the PnP director having a central system to understand each portfolio’s PnP needs is troublesome, involving several middlemen. He continues that he will not push everything to PnP and discuss with the Events Director and Welfare Director on what they want to do.</p> <p>Gabriel asks to clarify on what the candidate means by middlemen involved, as the requests for PnP were received directly by the PnP Directors.</p> <p>Keane clarifies that he meant middlemen as each portfolio having their own way of handling social media accounts, for example, Welfare and PnP. He says that he will trust the PnP to use their experience and expertise to improve on what they want to.</p> <p>Gabriel continues, asking the candidate if he thinks that the Welfare Instagram should be continued or removed.</p> <p>Keane responds that he believes it should be determined by the future Welfare Director, and said he will discuss with them what they want to pursue in terms of mental health and volunteering. He believes the account is still beneficial, since the broadcasting of the importance of mental health is better managed on an account separate to the SPMS Club Instagram.</p>
8.	<p>Mr Gabriel Michael Djapri proposes a ten minute break.</p> <p>Mr Soh Chuen Han Kerwin seconds.</p>
12.	<p>Nominee for President Candidate Name: Eng Kang Qi Proposer: Lee Rui Quan Seconder: Lee Heng Yi</p> <p><u>Speech</u> Kang Qi, a third-year math student, is running for the position of President. She mentioned her past involvement in the SPMS Club, including roles as a group leader, programmer, and Welfare Director. Kang Qi mentions her relevant experiences, including JC class committee where she developed interpersonal relations and conflict resolution skills and</p>

as a volunteering coordination where she was able to convey information efficiently. She also mentions that she had 2 years of hall orientation experience as logistics and programmer where she developed a keen eye for detail. She outlines her two main goals: building a closely bonded 19th main committee where there is better event coordination and feedback sharing through impromptu gatherings whilst fostering a positive student experience through improved event publicity. She wants to recall her 4 years in SPMS to be filled with precious memories instead of it being filled with mugging sessions. She also envisions the student body enjoying club events, forging friendships and meaningful memories with their peers. She discusses her plans for various internal club portfolios, such as integrating events, maintaining the student lounge, and exploring new volunteering possibilities. She also mentioned about the possibility of exploring different merchandise such as canvas sling bag and would like to follow up on the pullover situation. Kang Qi also addresses external club matters, such as understanding the house system and potential special projects. Finally, she highlights her intention to strengthen relationships with other College of Science (CoS) schools and concludes with her slogan, “Collective growth, quality moments.”

Question and Answer

Kerwin asks that given the candidate had been the Welfare Director in the past year, why she chose to run for President instead of VP INT.

Kang Qi responds that the scope of President and Welfare are very different, since welfare is focused on planning projects within the school, while the president role takes a more organisational view. She mentions that she enjoyed being the welfare director, working with her Assistant Welfare Director and her subcommittee, she believes that the role of president is a more fitting role for her to utilise the skills she has acquired from past experiences.

Kerwin asks about the candidate’s experience as Welfare Director.

Kang Qi reflects that looking back, there are some things she could have done better or more efficiently and admitted that she had spent quite some time on unnecessary things. With her experience now, she believes that she can better advise her committee appropriately. She continues that even though there was a lack of time, she has managed to do most of the things that she wanted to achieve.

Kerwin asks how the candidate would achieve her vision of a more bonded committee, saying that other candidates may have said something similar.

Kang Qi responds that she felt that there were too few meetings within the main committee to meet up and talk to each other, and that while there were some online meetings, it was not the best way to interact with each other. She says that to have a bonded main committee, she will organise more physical meetings, not just for work, but also for casual meetings to get to know and interact with each other.

Gabriel raises that the candidate wanted to have Science Camp, but the candidate running for VP EXT did not think it wise to hold it and asks for her opinions.

Kang Qi said that she will try to seek a consensus with the VP EXT, and agreed that it may only be planned during her term for the next committee to execute on.

Kerwin asks how the candidate will work with her committee to raise attendance rates at SPMS events, especially after the separation of CBC into CCEB.

Kang Qi responded that she felt that one reason for the drop in subcommittee attendance could be that the main committee is not very bonded, so they may not help with manpower, leading the Directors to also not ask their subcommittee to help with events.

She continues on to talk about the student body attendance, saying that the publicity for events is done usually quite late, saying that better, more, and earlier publicity could be done. She also says that another reason why the attendance rates are lower are that the events may not be attractive enough to get the students to come down. She mentioned that another way to increase attendance it to use surveys to find out the interests that the student body has and would like to work with the Top 5 and the main committee.

Gabriel asks the candidate how she plans to improve on publicity for events if the PnP committee is already overworked, as mentioned by the candidate for VP INT.

Kang Qi responds that she believes that they are overworked because there are too many concurrent events, and that if scheduled better, the PnP committee will be better able to plan their publicity materials, reducing the stress placed on them.

Kerwin asks how the candidate would sound out students concerns as part of the NTUSU Council, and how she will hear the students' needs and opinions.

Kang Qi responds that a better platform is required to gather and hear the students' opinions, and proposed a SPMS Club meet and greet with the student body so that the main committee can interact better with students to understand their needs and concerns.

Kerwin continues on to say that SPMS had conducted a Town Hall in the previous year, but the attendance of students was also low, and asked why students would attend a Top 5 meet and greet if they did not go for the Town Hall.

Kang Qi says that it could be because the Town Hall was conducted by professors, so students were not as driven to attend. Kang Qi believes that the student body is more willing to attend the meet and greet as they are students and more likely be able to understand the problems faced by the students who confide in them.

Gabriel raises that attendance for Track Selection talks by the MAS Committee was also not high, which is also an opportunity for students to talk to their seniors.

Kang Qi responds that the Track Selection may have been more academic and may not have captured the student's attention or interest, and that a SPMS Club Top 5 meet and greet, will not be just academic but a more casual meeting with the student club.

Kerwin raises that the Events Director is a new role and asks the candidate what her opinions on the new role are.

Kang Qi says that for the Sports Committee in the past year, there was the Inter-School Games, which lacked manpower, which she attributed to the late publicising for the manpower needed. She also mentioned that she had heard that Social Committee was lacking in manpower.

Donovan Ang expresses his disagreement with the statement that the Social Committee was lacking in manpower.

Kang Qi says while the Social Committee may not lack the manpower, in some events there was a lack of manpower, and said that this problem may be resolved with the combination of the Sports and Social Committees

Jun Ken raised that in the previous academic year, there were several clashing events, raising a House event clashing with Project Radiance. Given that the president role oversees both internal and external matters, he asks how the candidate will mediate such events, and how she would prioritise each event.

Kang Qi says that she will want event proposals to be submitted in a timely manner so that any scheduling conflicts may make themselves apparent well ahead of time, so that alternative plans may be made.

In prioritising events, she said that she would consider the publicising already done, or how much manpower each event may require. She will get the Directors of events that were already publicised to discuss and agree upon what manpower they need, and to see what they can do about the clash, in terms of preparation for the event. She emphasised the importance of communication to reduce the impact of clashing events.

Elijah asks the candidate about her plans for more bonding within the main committee.

Kang Qi responds that she plans to conduct regular monthly meetings for updates on events, breaking for the exam period. She says that if there were any events occurring soon, she would have a meeting to share information on the event.

She continues on that casual meetings are impromptu and do not require planning, and she has no quota on the number of gatherings for each week or month but emphasised the importance of such casual meetings.

Kerwin asks the candidate about her plans on merchandise, in context of the PnP and VP INT candidates plans on merchandise.

Kang Qi responds that one merchandise idea she has is a canvas sling bag, which can function as both a tote bag and a sling bag. Like a tote bag, but with extra features.

Jun Ken asks the candidate about what her vision for SPMS Club and SPMS is, and what she would like to achieve by the end of her term.

Kang Qi mentioned that one of her visions is that she hopes to achieve by the end of her term is for the directors to have tried their best to have events that align with the student body's interests. In terms of events, she admits that she cannot expect everyone to like SPMS events, but that if her committee is able to execute on what they have planned, it is an accomplishment in itself.

Kerwin asks about how she would maintain good relationships with other CoS schools, especially given that a new management committee is also being elected.

Kang Qi answers that she will have friendly relations with the other management committees, outside of a school context. She believes that it will let them work together better and may also expose some opportunities for collaboration. She emphasised that discussions will allow them to align their values, and bond them together.

Kerwin asks how the candidate will, in her capacity as president, become friends with the other management committee.

Kang Qi responds that a networking session could be held so that they are able to share their goals and aspirations for their own clubs and schools.

Mr Lee Jiale proposes an extension of 10 minutes.

Ms Ruth Kang Ming Ying seconded the motion.

Jiale asks the candidate about merchandise involving the House system.

Kang Qi responds that the merchandise that SPMS Club currently sells is for the general SPMS student body, and not just for houses. She emphasises that it is for the whole school, for the identity of SPMS, and not for each individual House, and it should be for each House, in agreement with VP EXT to decide if they want merchandise for their house or not.

	<p>Gabriel raises that House merchandise is still under the president’s consideration, since the president oversees both internal and external affairs.</p> <p>Kang Qi responds that it is not just her own decision to make, but also the student body’s decision to make. She cannot force a House to have or buy merchandise. She continues that the current SPMS merchandise is for the general public as it relates to SPMS identity, and that House merchandise will be mostly for students from each House, and they may not want it.</p>
13.	A.O.B
14.	Mr Gabriel Michael Djapri proposed the end of the meeting. Mr Gan Jun Ken seconded the motion. The meeting was called to an end at 2245 Hr, 6 th September 2023.

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