

Ben Skliar-Ward For Merton JCR Treasurer



I'm Ben, a first year PPEist and am running to be your Treasurer. I believe I have both the relevant [experience](#) and [constructive](#) policies required to be a successful JCR Treasurer.

Experience

Through [work experience](#) at Children of the Street UK and holiday employment at SWSE Group I have [experience](#), and am [confident](#) with [managing accounts](#) and [bookkeeping](#). I am equally, extremely [dedicated](#) to helping this JCR move forward and improve; throughout the last year I have [attended](#) every JCR meeting and [voiced](#) my opinion wherever I have felt strongly about any motions raised. Attending JCR meetings has enabled me to [understand](#) the issues which the JCR feels strongest about and has given me an [insight](#) into how such issues could possibly be [resolved](#). Personally, I am a highly [motivated](#), [organised](#) and [hard working](#) individual. If I were elected as your Treasurer I would be entirely [committed](#) to my role (I have no conflicting appointments) and be willing to [dedicate](#) my [time](#) and [efforts](#) to the help the JCR Exec in all areas.

Plans

I would seek to [emulate](#) the hard work and dedication which the current Treasurer has shown. Furthermore, I feel this year's Exec has been [highly successful](#) and therefore that, as Treasurer, [continuity](#) is necessary alongside [change](#). There are certain policies which I, however, feel might help make Merton JCR even more [successful](#). First and foremost, I feel it is highly important that the Treasurer's actions are both [transparent](#) and [accountable](#) to the JCR. [Concise](#), [informed](#) statements regarding the status of the JCR's Motions Budget should be [released](#) before all JCR meetings. Each term's accounts should be [published](#) in an easily [understood](#), [accessible](#) and [clear](#) format, [on time](#). All members of the JCR should be able to understand the JCR's spending. Furthermore, [increased consultation](#) is needed during the creation of the budget. [Surveys](#) and [polls](#) should be used to determine JCR sentiment on controversial issues such as tabloid newspapers. Committee members and society presidents should also be [consulted](#) more often with regards to their budgets.

Therefore, vote for me, for an experienced, dedicated and motivated, pragmatic Treasurer who will work tirelessly for our JCR

Experience

Dedication

Motivation