

Imperial College Union  
Deputy President (Welfare) Report  
*A Report By John James*

**Disability Focus Group**

The Disabilities Focus Group was not well attended although the amount of information gained was unparalleled. The biggest point made was that there was no single list of support available.

**Sub-Warden Interviews**

I sat on the panel for a new Sub-Warden at Southwell Hall.

**Interfaith**

Jenny and I have met with Interfaith several times looking at how we can integrate the Faith Societies together with the RWB faith portfolio holder.

**Welfare Redistribution**

College have decided to redistribute some of the Welfare Budget. They are removing the discount from Hall Seniors and spending it on Counselling and Disability Advisory Service. The position I have taken is outlined in [my blog](#) and I have spent quite a bit of time responding to Hall seniors and Sub-Wardens about the situation.

**Elections**

I am spending an enormous amount of my time in my role as Deputy Returning Officer. The Returning Officers report will be presented to the next council.

**Dishwasher**

I empty the dishwasher about twice a week. This is excellent use of sabbatical time and I am obviously the most suitable sabb for the job.

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