

BMES General Meeting Notes – 2/11/09

Ben – Kickoff meeting huge success; battle of the rock bands went well; had career fair prep; science Olympiad volunteering

Questions about BME/BMES:

Tips for admission application essay – focus on your grades! It is terrible that he is so important, but it is. Get involved on campus, so you have experience to draw on; potential essay topics include: why do you want to be a BME including past experiences? What have you done to prove you are a worthy candidate? What are your goals for the future? **Come to the BMES Application Essay workshop.**

Jeremy (outreach) – River food pantry – Friday 4:45-8:45; meet at engineering fountain to catch rides to the pantry; weekly outreach involvement opportunity; jjglynn@wisc.edu

Science Olympiad – Next Wednesday; email Jeremy ahead of time; 2/18/09; Edgewood Middle school

Additional Outreach – Mentor gifted 7th graders interested in BME – students from Eagle School in Madison; 4-5 meetings between now and April; Students present at the end of their experience

Badger Middle School Career Day – 30 minute presentation about BME/Careers in BME;

Relay for Life – April 17th and 18th The Shell Rec Facility; take laps throughout the night; goal is to raise money for the American Cancer Society; if interested email Jeremy jjglynn@wisc.edu; BMES will pick up the registration fee

E-week – Starts on Monday; events to sign up for Wednesday Dance crew; need two bands (8 people); Go to Mickey's for two mornings; we'll email every day; save General Mills box tops; penny drive

BMES Ice Skating 11:15 – 12:45 \$3 will pay the cover for paid members

Ski Trip – Date TBD; ~ \$20

Laser Tag – Monday March 30th 7 – 11 PM; Cost – no more than \$7

Brewers Game – Tailgate/end of year blowout party; Friday May 1st, immediately following design presentations; cost TBD; **you cannot miss this event!**

Beckman Coulter – Industry Trip – Leave Thursday March 26th, return Saturday March 28th; Chaska, MN; We will be joining fellow BMES chapter from Michigan Tech; accommodations will be provided by BMES member's loving families; we also hope to tour one other MN facility

Epic will host our group to visit their facilities; indicate if interested and what date works best M-F

Medical School Trip – Michigan Medical School; Weekend of Feb. 27th; Group will depart Thursday afternoon 26th; further details are TBD

Website Design Team – we need more help! If know someone who is artistic!

10,000 hrs show – if you volunteer 10 hours in the community, you get a free tkt to a concert at memorial union theater; need to log hours online; if you log more than 10 hours you can get tkts for friends

T-shirts – talk to Ben.