

BMES Officer meeting 9/3/08

Eric – Thank you for work; keep track of events for semester – Ben writes report for awards; Allie save every flyer; Take pictures at all events (even pizza sales)

Ben – National conference – 100% planned (vans, hotel, registered, grant) will be under \$300 (by end of the week)

Ben needs ideas about kick off meeting (generate interest) – email him; math game? Ice breaker – get into smaller groups; conference accepting award for best chapter in the nation

Meetings at 7:30 at 1106 ME for big group meeting.

Kellen – make attendance points public?

Amy – both of our accounts are all positive ☺; Amy on coop needs help with pizza sale – pick up pizza (10:30), sell and take the money; She would like to have someone help that isn't an officer – designated pizza sale attendant; need to have a car; everyone should chat with people at the meeting (Mike has a car that can be used); Perhaps Lindsey will skip class to pick them up

Still waiting on confirmation for first pizza sale; Eric will get food permit; Refund from department for spring banquet (list department needs to follow)

Polygon budget due Sept. 19

Casino night this Sunday; starts at 8 (leave around 7ish); we have 5 but one would like to get out of it

Val/Laura – Speaker status contacted industry speakers; Laura will call as a follow up to get answers (thinking of LeAnne ?? contact at St. Jude, Calie Roen worked with her; Luke Harris from MedLine, looking for time during the career fair)

Med school trip – Michigan, Ann Arbor an 11 hour drive; Michigan State 9.5; maybe take the ferry across, will it save time? Laura will look into it; Ben wants to go somewhere new; Andrew talking about interest survey – we'll put it on there, we'll put it in general meeting information

We should contact an industry trips chapter to collaborate a visit.

Industry trip – perhaps Val's dad, Verizon healthcare? Val and Ryan will meet for how to ask for money.

Mike – River food pantry ... should we make it a weekly event, move back to the 19th; Science Olympiad, doesn't know a lot about it, trying to contact Eric Swanson, Emily will give Mike contact information; Try to talk to Justin Schmidt or Tyler Lark; we should keep attendance to

make sure we get enough money; It was Wed. last semester, end of year going Tues, Wed, Thursday

Email list, Emily will email Mike old email list; Mike has a bunch of habitat locations; Top spots, group over 30 only four choices. We should make the decision tonight, registration opens the 18th

Andrew B. – Not here. Maybe ropes course for the whole group; booked through September. Fun for new members, Perhaps CRUISE/Freshman thing, Ryan's friends runs ropes course, Eric will give Emily contact information for October date

Thinking of an event for when people are at National conference. He was thinking bon fire @ picnic point. Cookout? Canoeing at the union (\$6/hour)? Intramurals – dodge ball in November; interest form for semester trips

Emily - Alex, Andrew, Emily talked about the cookout next Friday, volley ball courts behind franks; did freshman recruiting on facebook; Any ideas for food; Everyone bring sports equipment, get boom box

Random idea – Emily was thinking about incorporating professional development, might change one position to Freshman position and other to professional development (CPR training, leadership, volunteering); wants to prepare younger kids for the career fair, advising before people register for classes

ECS doing freshman info session, but day after career fair ends; should we do session on Thursday before career fair? One person in charge of resume, one in charge of talking to rep, what to wear, **September 18th**; inside scoop, she can get room reservation stuff from Eric

Undercover recruiting – try to make friends at first meeting.

Random ideas – class directory with classes and professors (people thought no); CRUISE study nights in the past – matching up one on one, Sunday nights, reserve nights on the calendar, “study hall”; Eric will reserve an ECB room Sunday 5:30 – 8:30.

Alex – A lot of food to pick up next Friday Eric, Mike or Kellen. Perhaps it'd be nice to have tables; Alex will pay for it and Amy will write a check. BMES can buy a cooler and some kind of tin foil trays; Alex will be there around 4, sit with someone you don't know

Games night, add to interest survey. Freshman with officers.

Ryan – Talked to UCSD, emailing back and forth with VP of exterior relations and president. Set up a meeting for the national conference. Won meritorious award. Put on 12,000 event...have sponsors; meeting after two workshops at National conference

Going through letter, read back and he contacted people at ECS and apparently Nina took a course and John Archbault. If its good send it. Someone at UW foundation looked at it last year.

Everyone talk to people we know so it gets into someone's hands that can do something about it. Postage? Amy said covered through department. Ryan will talk to Prof. Tompkins. Ryan will go to Career fair to ask reps who to contact to ask for money, any suggestions. Ryan should try to get the letters out by next week.

National conference departure date is Wednesday.

Joe – Met with Tyler got forms from last year to inc. size of Alumni database; coop/intern and research database emails sent out. Tough to find people for research so everyone please make sure you are in the database.

Future ideas – databases that keep information like exams; Joe will find out the legality. When log into computer, start menu go to “shared space” H drive, my documents folder... somewhere in there. Emily thought of maybe professor reviews? Registration help night. Joe will look into updating the industry database. Joe thought maybe he would publicize the databases... different ways of advertisements Ben will include in the weekly emails.

Lindsey – Will update the poster, poster will be blue; it was suggested to highlight specific events.

Polygon got back to her about career fair to get it staffed. It is REALLY important for us to work, so watch for emails.

Allie – Bash was a success, entered a LOT of names; student interest fair Tuesday 4 – 8; Allie got some names that can work. Everyone wear t-shirts.

Fliers – add in badger herald?

Book exchange tomorrow. People already signed up to work.

Andrew D. – Thanks for getting bios in; Eric thought to set up a flicker account – linked to the webpage; Flicker only lets 100 Mb in a month...; Event pages, more complicated than originally thought; everyone email events to Andrew to put onto calendar; Kellen will send Andrew meeting notes