

BMES General Meeting

3-24-10

Announcements

- BMEwers game, Friday april, 23rd from 2:30p to 11:30p, meet at ehall fountain for a good time!, contact Rob, rbjerregaard@wisc.edu
- Lazertage Friday, april 19th 6:40p-11:00p at Ulstrazone, \$14 per person including pizza...contact Rob, rbjerregaard@wisc.edu
- Peer class advising Wednesday April 14th 7-8p, 1164 ME contact hallie, hkreitlow@wisc.edu
- Baxter Healthcare Tour Friday April, 9th, meet outside ehall at 8:00am back by 5:00p, contact Derek, klavas@wisc.edu
- Relay for Life April 16th-17th at the shell, join the BMES team and help raise money for a good cause! Contact Tasha, benkovich@wisc.edu
- RFP (River Food Pantry) this Friday if you want to go and have transportation...benkovich@wisc.edu
- Science Olympiad, at Edgewood Middle School Thursdays 2:20-4:00p, take the number 3 bus that picks up at Breese around 2:20p-help kids with their super cool science projects!
 - Contact Nick Harrison, nharrison@wisc.edu
- BMES newsletter, write your home address on the sign up form or email it to Sarah, sreichert@wisc.edu
- Distinguished members: Alice Tang, Andrew Dias, Samantha Paulsen, Megan Halley
- BMES elections will be April 29th, contact Lindsey about the spring banquet if you are planning on running for a position, lcarlson2@wisc.edu
 - The banquet is Thursday, April 29th in the Tong auditorium from 5:00-7:00p

Gary Maharaj

President and CEO of Arizant Healthcare

- Current products include the Bair Paws warming hospital gown, blood/fluid warming system...etc.-focus on keeping core body temp. to increase survival
- > 50 million surgical patients suffer from inadvertent hypothermia, anesthesia impairs the normal response to temperature changes
- Cost of unintended hypothermia costs 2500-7000 compared to < \$10, the cost of Azirant hospital gown
- # 1 in temperature management worldwide, >90% market share...etc.