Presidents
- Clean up for Halloween Party (Ben, Sam)
  - WOOOOO GET HYPE. SATURDAY NIGHT
  - Need people to help clean afterwards
- Slush Fund
  - Funds that can’t be used from RodCouncil Budget
- Thornton Society dinner on Friday
  - Joey and Ben in attendance
- Keep signing up for service!
  - Speaking of...

Service
- Same old, same old: Projects on Nov. 7th and 21st
  - Sign-ups still going on
- Plus look for the article about Loaves&Fishes in the newsletter :D
- Future of regular Rodman service—potential outreach organization?
- RodSem is going well
  - Building catapults tomorrow!
  - Next semester, may be more organized (Gage has contacts at schools)
  - Has to be more regular (only missed one week due to transportation issues)
- First year projects
  - Bust stop shelters ➔ been in contact with many people, waiting on responses
  - Potential projects involving care-packages during finals week

Communications
- Newsletter should be coming out November 1st/2nd
  - If I could meet with the people who are writing articles for me after this that’d be great
- What’s the deal with random emails/do I need to do something about it?

Advising
- Advisor/advisee event on Tuesday, November 3rd after Elzey’s class
  - Pizza
  - A238 (Thornton A Wing)
  - FIRST YEARS ARE REQUIRED TO COME
  - Can probably stay in the same room
  - Structure—food, talk/meet advisee if haven’t done so yet
- Office hours on November 10th for any last minute questions for first years (in dorms)
  - Informal
  - Other majors? Contact advisors at advising event
Social/Bonding
- May be late for camping—next semester
- Movie night—try again for Chem, but could potentially also do Wilsdorf, O’Hill Forum

Networking
- YAR—alumni took pictures (ask someone about it for website/newsletter)

Icebreaker
Because we had time (YAY!). Highs and lows

Naveed: Whirlwind week
- High: Last week, Wednesday at 1PM, bought tickets to see Taylor Swift. Spontaneous decision, made it during first song after speeding down highway. On top of all that, 1989 celebrated 1 year anniversary yesterday (wow!).
- Low: Saturday was bad because ants in the apartment and won’t go into ant traps (Kathleen says Borax will help. It can be found at Harris Teeter)
- Another low: No pumpkins carved yet

Matt A.
- High: ESC Is having their festival
- Low: Wet bike seat

Mary-Michael
- High: PIDACS project group let her pick music (Guns and Roses!)
- Low: Calc Professor gave pop quiz that counted as 4 quizzes on something not learned. Then it didn’t count (HOORAY!)

Garrett:
- High: Cooked tofu and it turned out well
- Low: Had to cut 150 pieces of 2x5 chicken skin for IDEAS Lab

Kathleen
- High: Went to Nashville with SWE and went shopping and job interview
- Low: Interviewed somewhere and didn’t get it

Danial
- Low: Lost wallet 😞
- High: FREE DINNER!
- Low: Supposed to meet Professor for dinner. Came in drenched because HE GAVE HIS UMBRELLA TO AN OLD LADY AWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW

Gage: Doesn’t really do things, only work
• High: Going to all-you-can-eat sushi restaurant for $13. Didn’t get sick afterwards!
• Low: Hard/ridiculous math class. Missed questions due to “randomness in the universe”

Joon:
• High: Physiology test back (YAY!)
• Low: Raining, so can’t ride motorized bike and has to walk from Hereford

Cat:
• High: Free dinner!
• Low: Car has paint chip in it

Ben:
• Low: Classical Mechanics Exam
• High: This meeting (awwwwwww!)

Advising
• The newsletter was dope/amazing
• Advising event on Thursday, Oct. 22nd—Naveed will send out an email soon
  o Very informal
  o Meant as a way for advisees to talk with advisors after Elzey’s class
  o Will order pizza/get food so people will show up
• Going to contact social about an advising/social event some Thursday/Friday night later this semester
• Use advising listserv
  o Lunch, individual meetings, etc.
  o First years don’t know who their advisors are (some of them)

Entrepreneurship
• Annoy Communications←Don’t hate us cuz you ain’t us
• Page for entrepreneurship ready to go on website
  - Currently in HTML/CSS
  - “What can you do now that you have certain skills and a plan”
  - General tips/resources?
  - Jump off second semester Elzey project or independent work
  - Article in newsletter—advice column
  - 4000 spending money for scholarships
    - Application in the works “engineering application for an engineering project”
    - Limited to projects people are very serious about
    - Meant to represent program
    - Four groups each get $1,000

Service
• November projects sent out—please sign up if you can come 😊
  - 7th and 21st
    - 21st is a home football game
• October project this coming Saturday. You must come if you signed up because Loaves&Fishes needs an accurate count from those who signed up
• RodSem is going well
  - Did egg drop and mentos and coke experiment
• Elzey meeting with Mary-Michael, Danial, and Matt
  - Danial was helpful and took notes
  - Suggestions from first year class: plentiful
  - Building Goodness foundation
  - Montenovo farms/stable

Networking
• YAR this weekend (8 spaces for undergraduates)
  - Danial, Sam, Joey interested (so are Garrett and Mario because they are networking chairs)

Miscellaneous
• Local construction company wants to donate $15,000 a year for four years
  - Split between several projects/ideas
  - Company wants documentation to say how they benefited the Rodman Program
  - Innovation grant
    - Going to represent the Rodman program
    - Team of Rodmans (minimum size? Different majors?)
      - Collaboration (YAY)
    - Applications Necessary
• Service Project—First Year Class
  - $3,000 max limit
  - Most go to tools, other reusable materials