Highs and Lows

- **Shota**
  - Low: Hate on SVATT on YikYak

- **Ben**
  - High: Quantum Test went well
  - Low: Why I SVATT

- **Naveed**
  - High: Taylor Swift is in Asian part of tour
  - Low: Rodman generalization about SVATT on YikYak

- **Mario**
  - Straight line week ➔ no changes

- **Vijay**
  - High: Basketball season starting Friday (Mike offered ticket to Vijay, but Vijay already has one)
  - Low week 😊

- **Naveen**
  - High: Lots of high Yakarma from SVATT
  - Low: Two tests

- **Divya**
  - Highs: Got all classes on schedule except one (Parallel and Quantum Computing)
  - Lows: Test tomorrow

- **Garrett**
  - Highs: 20th on waitlist, but class extended so got in (CommLaw 2)
  - Lows: Working with Shota in IDEAS Lab 😊 (sorry)

- **Kathleen**
  - High: Three job offers *snaps*
  - Low: Didn’t do so great on test 😊

- **Gage**
  - High: Spending Rodman check on new computer
  - Low: Generally everything else that happened

- **Cat**
  - High: Interview with Jefferson Trust for the DAEDALUS Project went great
  - Low: Had to drive band director’s car—never drove minivan before and couldn’t figure out how to turn it off (thanks Dad for answering my call:D)

- **Mary-Michael**
  - High: Potential false rumor about Guns and Roses reunion
    - AND SVATT
  - Low: Exams

- **Ahmed**
  - High: No hate on Rodmans on YikYak
- Lows: No one knows about us
  - Matt A.
    - High: Sustainable Energy storage system—may be able to shadow someone
    - Low: Couldn’t go to SVATT because of CS Test (but it went well)
  - Matt G.
    - High: Basketball season starting Friday
    - Lows: Got sick again 😞
  - Nathanial
    - Low: Couldn’t go to RodSeMs because of work
  - Mike (fourth year who shows up to get pizza)
    - Low: Three hours of sleep each night this week 😞
    - High: Job interview with local company

Presidents (General Updates)
- Mid-Year Applications are coming out soon
  - Do any mid-years on RodCouncil want to be involved?
    - To-Do (Communications): Post application on website

Academics
- RODSEMS!!!!!!→Slightly different strategy
- Rod talk program starting next semester (initial recruitment)
- Focus on people who have an idea vs. those who can lead one
  - Survey for things people are interested in and/or interested in leading
  - Ex. Paintballing can’t happen 😞
  - Naveed says Taylor Swift
- Flash seminars/talks (maybe like TedX or Rodfest—Spring Edition)
- Who is leading Spring beer brewing RodSem?→wanted by fourth years

Advising
- Event went well last week
  - Thinks people liked it
- Office hours were a success!!!!!!!!!!
  - A couple people came, those who did had questions answered
- Stay tuned for an advising event
- Need to get reimbursements in
- SOCIAL!!!!!!!!!!!! Let’s plan an event
- Days on the Lawn Planning happening soon

Bonding (Social)
- Need to get reimbursement for RodFest
- Seems like people are busy around now with midterms but after Thanksgiving is a good time for a social event!
Before finals grind kicks in (hasn’t been planned yet)
  • Maybe movie night in UVA building or something similar
• Next semester: Rodtunda dinner (arts building or same place as last year—need to get on that)

Communications
• LOVE THE UPDATED FORMAT OF MINUTES
• Newsletter went out/will be coming out tonight
• New big project—Updating website→FIGURED OUT HOW TO UPLOAD NEWSLETTER :D :D :D :D

Networking
• Skype/bring in alumni to discuss industry experience/what they wish they knew
  • Early next semester—maybe coordinate with Academic seminars Vijay and Wilson are having (funding to bring in speakers, but should also look towards local alumni)

Service/Outreach
• Next project—Habitat Store on November 21st from 12-3 (will send out email to those who signed up end of this week)
• Business as usual with RodSem—chugging along
  • Most successful event with catapults
    • Just “frisky” enough to stay interested
    • Kathleen “internally reluctant” to give up her own catapult
• Opinions on next semester STEM outreach?
  • Is it worth having such an intense RodSem, or maybe something separate/fluid?

Year Rep Updates
• Shota: “Give me ideas plz”
  • Hang out with Darryl (who?) Lots of programming with Shota
  • Does the third year class even want to hang out (someone says “make them hang out”)
    • Dinners tend to be popular→doughnut eating contest!
• Dinner?
• Second Year Reps
  • Something before exams—low commitment Bodo’s night
• First Year Reps
  • Working with fourth year reps on first year/fourth year social events
  • What would be fun for both classes?

Generally wrapping up year, but keep in mind that we want to prepare for next semester (beer brewing for academic, days on the lawn for advising, Rodtunda dinner for social, etc.)

Sweater holiday Party??? Secret Santa/Masked Moses?? Stay tuned to find out!