•2015-08-24

 Need dates for the 2 events: Alumni [yes, the notes for that meeting end here. The pen looks like it ran out of ink!]

•2015-09-17

 $_{\circ}$ 9 Attendees, 4 officers

 Meg intro. Mike prof. dev. opp. [if you're wonder what those words are short for, so am I]

- Was one of the guest speakers
- Helped get his job he just accepted
- oDay with Marisha [Godek from Medtronics] on campus.
 - She suggested Fall (don't know if that precludes Spring)
 - Sally: Format?
 - Seminar like Stephano Bertucci? Mike thinks she was leaning towards this, but we can do whatever.
 - We'll do seminar. Give GO:MCB contact info.
- ∘Alumni Panel, all areas.

Addgene is where [UConn graduate, Dr.] Mike [Lemieux] is now a QC scientist.

- ∘Sally: outreach:
 - Nothing planned but here's what we did:
 - •4 week science camp in summer.
 - 2 different age groups.
 - 2nd week of August.
 - Good experience!
 - More formal or other opportunities.
 - Designed what we did each week.
 - Science with YMCA or elementary school.
 - Judged 3 science fairs last year. Will continue.

 Meg: Faces of biology contest. Picture of someone doing science. We will send link.

- Judging criteria?
- Take a few photos. Sub committee.
- ○Social Events:
 - East Windsor Laser Tag.
 - Raining day no one will be there.
 - About \$13 / round. Price varies per day.
 - Jason: Sports.
 - Kickball from retreat? This was the most inclusive.
 - Pay to reserve field? No, as long as not intramurals.
 - Kickball from Student Union Outdoor center?
 - Softball from summer was a bit of a commitment.
 - Dodgeball.
 - Ultimate frisbee slow ultimate frisbee
 - Minigolf?
 - Other social ideas:
 - Glastonbury apple festival in Oct/Nov/Dec

- Pumpkin picking
- Hay maze
- R [I'm guessing the programming language and probably my nerdy suggestion :)]
- Ice skating in UConn rink \$4
- ∘Website:
 - Feature alumni friends on website. [Is this still necessary now that there is Linkedin Alumni?]
 - See website for types of info.
- 2015-10-01
 - •Meg: update on career event:
 - Phone conference scheduled tomorrow with Manisha.
 - Have budget.
 - Potential speaker from Catabasa (Vicki knows her).
 - ∘Planning social event.
 - Kickball next Thursday!
 - Nomad's on Thursday.
 - •Open discussion:
 - Friday [BPB] 301 Potluck?
 - Before or after lab meetings which are at 3:30? 4:30?
 - List food the week before?
- •2015-10-08

oAttendance 4

∘Trying to book room but nothing on campus.

- Date different since Marisha Godek (Medtronics) has crazy travel schedule.
- Friday October 23, Friday November 6/
- Grad seminar slot! Talk to Wolf Dieder.
- Room over break? January?
- Library.
- Journal club.

•Has provided blurbs to advertise her.

•Flexibility for after talk breakout.

- Websearch Marisha at Boston college and UMass.
- Event services
 - Charges for room rental! By location.
 - No charge for classroom.

∘Refreshments from Dog Lane Cafe.

 $_{\circ}$ Cover travel (~ \$50) and parking (~ \$8).

- Take to lunch (\$?). Allocated money?
- ₀Honorarium. \$102 for contractual. Total \$428.
- ∘Can only take 1/2 day off.
- •2015-10-19

oMarisha couldn't make original date.

oMonday, November 2 instead 1-3pm.

∘Nate to confirm 2 weeks enough for Dog Lane Cafe.

- oGSS: what do we need? Extra money for meeting room. 1/2 SU ballroom
 ~ \$180.
- •Michael Lynes pay for lunch? Wait for date.
- ◦T-shirt fundraiser for department look into it. But university regulations for fundraising.
- •2015-10-29
 - oAttendance: 3 officers, 4 members
 - oDiscussed
 - T-shirts / long sleeve t-shirts
 - White / colored.
 - Must have UConn logo and must be main on it's side of the shirt.
 - Andrea leafe shirt design? Haven't told Andrea yet.
 - $_{\circ} \text{Outreach idea}$
 - High school student lab tours for science, undergrad, grad school.
 - Mentoring session about undergrad / grad school.
 - Dept. head fine as long as escorted and don't touch anything.
 - Check with EHS?
 - Split up groups with survey of what they like, e.g. photosynthesis = Gage lab. One from each concentration.
- •2016-01-07

oAlumni panel: next semester.

- Discussion group.
- Theme? Submit questions?

∘Boost attendance.

- More help.
- Recruitment poster.
- o**T-shirts**.
 - Andreas design.
 - Needs UConn logo; less retreat oriented.
 - Michael [Lynes] to put money in our account, then we return money.
 - Sell outside grad. seminar. Legal? Or sell at GO:MCB event.
- ∘High school lab tours.
 - 3 hours.
 - Few labs lined up.
 - 5 students total from 2 high school Killingly (Dayville, CT)
 - 10am to 1pm.
 - Need agenda from labs.
 - Need to know time time for each lab. Then can see if Q&A possible.
 - 10 grad students interested.
 - Talk to science fair teacher for AP students.
 - Show X-ray, NMR, Beach Hall, Squid.
 - If not snowy.
- $_{\circ}$ Cares Bio.
 - Meg to contact.

- Replace Mike [Lemieux?].
- Needs consistency for kids (same person).
- ASCB outreach funding.
 - We got grant, but not money.
- TODO: send schedule by 12.
- [If you're wondering why I only have one meeting recorded for that semester, so am I]

•2016-08-01

∘ Elections

- See bylaws about election laws.
- Meg graduating in December; new president.
- Add a new position for Rose. Amend bylaws for "Social coordinator"
- ∘Rose: Guest speaker
 - Started since Nicole wanted to invite someone.
 - Wanted grad students to invite since Joe never refuses students.
 - Fall or maybe Spring.
 - M. Lynes gave OK.
 - Book people for Spring now.
 - Room 130 for department Seminar already booked!
 - 2pm on Tuesdays last year.
 - Used to be 4pm.
 - Don't know how.

• This year M. Lynes will pay since we are low on seminar speakers. • Alumni panel / career panel, different areas of science.

- Lots of prep multiple people's schedules.
 - Mike Lemieux! Wants to come.
 - Rose's undergrad professor for academic track.
 - Meg spotlighted 10-15 people who were recent grads to see how they got their jobs.
- Expressions mag is interviewing GO:MCB

oT-shirts: new design in Spring?

- M. Lynes wants to involve undergrads. Microbio society.
- Starting in fall would be good to include [undergrads] on design.
- Rose: sell at retreat? Only have M, need more L, XL.
- Or order?
- Could put on retreat e-mail.
- Meg: Freshman FYE
- Could talk about MCB and grad school and t-shirts.
- Sally: Delegate to Microbio undergrad society?
- Meg: Most don't choose major till Jr/Sr year. Could reach out to pre-med society.
- Venmo mobile pay app (owned by PayPal).
- $_{\odot} \text{Rose}$ taking over website. Also e-mail account.
- oIntroduce ourselves at official orientation.