

# Mulholland Monthly Meeting Minutes: August 26th, 2021

Zoom link: <https://virginia.zoom.us/j/96679407627?pwd=c0ZKMIR4aU92TmM1dzkyb1QzT2oyQT09>

- **Icebreaker**

- Big thanks to Katie and Natalie who shared funny stories for this meeting's icebreaker. :)

- **Community Concerns and Shameless Plugs**

- Please sign up to be a virtual host. It is a relatively low time commitment and applicants have shared that it is very helpful especially during a virtual interview season.
  - [UVA SOM Virtual Hosts for SMD26](#)

- **Updates + Debriefs**

- **VMOO**
  - Both M1 and M2 VMOO went well. The VMOO leaders shared that though this year's camp site was a great back-up choice, next year's team should prioritize booking the lake site from previous years as the first-choice site.
  - M2 VMOO leaders shared there were a lot of items to bring back following the end of M1/M2 VMOO. There will probably be less items next year since there will be only one VMOO rather than the two VMOO that were held this year.
- **Social Orientation**
  - Biltmore Beach Bash
    - There was a delay in the arrival of food, but overall, the event went well.
  - Pirate Party

- There were 300 tickets purchased (\$7 per ticket). The house was rented from Delta Sigma Phi. The total cost of the house, food, alcohol, décor, and cleaning supplies was \$2,287. There is \$163 remaining. There were four teams that assisted during the day of the event: risk crew, bartenders, setup crew and cleanup crew. Huge shoutout to all the volunteers-the event would not have been possible without you!!
    - Some of the remaining money will be used to purchase drinks for the first football tailgate because Mulholland funds can not be used to purchase alcohol.
- **Mulholland Society Presentation**
  - The presentation was successful in detailing how the Mulholland Society supports SOM students and the role of each of the Mulholland officers.
- **Activities Fair**
  - The clubs were organized into one of four groups: Specialty Interest Clubs, Community Service Clubs, Extracurricular Interest Clubs and Miscellaneous Clubs.
  - There were one to two groups per each table in the Learning Studio. Spacing was fine.
- **Grand Rounds Bar Crawl**
  - Turnout may have been better if it was the first week of social orientation rather than the second week of orientation before the white coat ceremony.
- **White Coat Afterparty**
  - There was great turnout at Crozet for the afterparty.
  - For next year, it might be nice to have an event for parents that is earlier in the evening.
- **ATMS events**

- Trivia
  - Jeff and Julie did a great job! Questions were well-done and there was a great turnout.
  - It was harder to incorporate mingling (for Big Sibs to meet Little Sibs) due to the format of the trivia game.
- BBQ
  - The event went well. Next time, it can be helpful to consider bringing more frisbees and sports balls.
- Study Strategies
  - The Big Sibs were stationed at various tables throughout the Learning Studio. M1s had the opportunity to walk around to each of the tables and learn more about Anki, Google Doc, AMBOSS, Boards and Beyond, Sketchy and General Study Strategies.
  - There were fewer M1s in attendance than signed up.
  - Idea for next year:
    - In the fall, host the event (same set-up) but just focus on general study strategies.
    - In the winter, host the event with the specific q-banks and resources.
- Field Day
  - Field Day will be this Sunday, September 29<sup>th</sup> from 1 to 4 pm at Mad Bowl. It will feature both SMD 24 and SMD 25. ATMS needs help from M3s and M4s to help facilitate the events on Sunday. Please email ATMS if you may be available.
    - ATMS is also looking to borrow speakers/microphones. If you are willing to lend these items to ATMS, please email them.
- **White Coat Ceremonies**

- Both SMD 24 and SMD 25 White Coat Ceremonies were a success!  
Thank you to the MAA!
- **Inova Council**
  - Elections are open to SMD 24 and SMD 25 Inova Council positions.  
Please encourage classmates to run!
  - Ongoing discussions on whether Inova Council should be one group under Mulholland or class-based group under each class president.
  - The Inova Council will also receive funding from the Mulholland Society this year.
- **Service Update**
  - The Big Brothers Big Sisters Scavenger Hunt and the Camp Holiday Trails Social Orientation Event went well. There was a small group for the scavenger hunt, but the kids/parents that attended loved it. The plan is to repeat the event on a larger scale in late September.
- **Budget Update**
  - We sent out an email at the beginning of August with the specific allocations for each organization. If you have any questions about the allocations or need any help navigating the process, please reach out to Misky ([mms2cm@virginia.edu](mailto:mms2cm@virginia.edu) or 703-728-0625) :)
  - Summary of the funding process:
    - Please submit a funding request form **BEFORE** the event takes place/purchases are made (at least 2 weeks for requests less than \$250 and 1 month for requests greater than \$250).
      - The Mulholland Bylaws detail the process for funding requests based on the amount requested.
    - We will reach out to you with a decision on how much money was approved.

- Please ensure you stay within the amount approved when making purchases as it will be difficult for us to reimburse for any amount exceeding the approved amount.
  - After receiving word from us, you can then make the purchases. Please remember to obtain itemized receipt.
    - Please note Mulholland is not allowed to reimburse for alcoholic drinks.
  - After the event (ideally within a week), please fill out a reimbursement form.
- **Webmaster**
  - Fall Election is underway.
  - Based on guidance from the current Inova leaders, it was felt that the removal of Inova ATMS Liaison position and addition of a second GPS position will be more beneficial for Pinn students.
  - A social media representative will also be elected from EACH class.
  - There are still some positions with no nominations, especially SMD 24 Inova Council positions. Please encourage classmates to submit nominations.
    - If you have any questions about any of the positions, please reach out to the student(s) currently in the position. Contact information for all the Mulholland and class officers is listed on:  
<https://students.med.virginia.edu/mulholland/officers/>
  - We need to update the constitution to display:
    - Inova Council positions listed under the 2<sup>nd</sup> year positions
    - A social media representative added for each class
    - Additional details for the role of the Inova Academic Liaison
- **Social Media Rep**
  - Aaliyah is working with Dr. Densmore to get the SOM social media pages verified.

- Looking for M3 and M4 to fill newly added team positions. Nominate or encourage anyone to apply!
- **Identity and Inclusion Council**
  - Concerns about how race was discussed in CV have been shared with the system leaders and they have presented actionable items for change.
  - The council is coordinating a professional clothing drive as well as hosting a guest speaker for the fall. More details will be shared as soon as they are finalized.
  - The council is also working to recruit standardized patients from underrepresented communities.

## ● Discussions and Brainstorming

- **MSAC**
  - There was discussion on the direction of MSAC. Their previous responsibilities included wellness and advocacy which are now represented by ATMS and Identity and Inclusion Council, respectively. Their role with the Listening Post has also been limited due to guidance from administration.
  - Thoughts expressed at the meeting include removal of the MSAC position for upcoming elections and finding a way for currently elected MSAC leaders to contribute to Mulholland including asking committees (SMEC, IIC and ATMS) if they need additional help.
- **ATMS**
  - Big thank you to all the Big Sibs who have attended the ATMS events over the last couple weeks. Forms have been sent out to Big Sibs as well as Little Sib to gather information about preferred matches. ATMS will organize the matches over the next couple weeks.
  - Field Day

- M3 and M4s, please reach out to ATMS if you will be available between 1 and 4 on Sunday to assist in the facilitation of the field day events.
  - Scavenger Hunt on Grounds
    - The Scavenger Hunt will be the first event after Big Sibs and Little Sibs have been paired and its goal is to provide a fun opportunity for Little Sibs to get to know UVA.
- **Funding Request:**
  - VMED Strength requested \$475 to host a football tailgate on September 4<sup>th</sup>. The money will be spent exclusively on food with an expected attendance of 100 students (based on estimations from prior years). The tailgate will likely be in the parking lot of the new basketball court. The VMED Strength team will start setting up in the morning and students can start arriving at any time throughout the day; previous years, students started to arrive at 3 pm.
  - The Alumni Association is not contributing to the purchase of alcohol.
- **Future Grad Mixers and Tailgates:**
  - Social chairs are considering collaboration with nursing school and other grad schools for tailgates; potential dates include 9/24 (fall break), 10/16 (homecomings), 10/23 and 11/13. Students will be encouraged to BYOB.
- **Fall Bonfire**
  - This year's fall bonfire will likely take place on 11/12 or 11/13 since October dates are not available.

## ● Upcoming Events and Future Items

- **Faculty-Student Luncheon**
  - We are uncertain whether we will be able to host an in-person luncheon. We discussed the benefits of virtual vs. in-person formats.

- The major benefit of an in-person event will be that food can be catered for the event.
- The major benefit of a virtual event is that more physicians will be able to attend.
  - Last year, students were able to have more personal conversations with the doctors as there were many doctors who signed up. The evening time was also a more relaxed time for the conversations.
- **M1 Mulholland Election**
  - We are considering moving the due date for nominations to next week, so that M1s can have more time to learn about the positions as well as submit nominations after the formative.
- **Talent Show**
  - The ideal date is November 6, but we will not receive confirmation of the date until next month. An early December date might also work.
- **Law School Mixer**
  - Mixer with the Law School will be on 9/10 at Kardinal Hall. Expenses for the event will be split between the law school and us.
- **Study Panel for M1s**
  - The M2 leaders will be hosting a study panel for M1s this fall and are working to coordinate the details.
- **New Clubs Voting**
  - Due to increased interest, the due date for new club applications has been extended to Friday, September 10<sup>th</sup>. Please submit completed applications to Lauren or Maggie. Voting for the new clubs will take place at the September Mulholland Meeting.