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WELCOME BACK!

SMD27's welcome back from what is hopefully a long and restful summer. Only a few more months to go until clerkships!

SMD26's only 2 months left to go of your core rotations!

SMD25's ERAS is just around the corner!

SMD28's welcome to the UVA SOM!

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MESSAGE FROM ANDY AND KAVI

Hello friends,

In this season of excitement surrounding new beginnings and our next journeys, your Vice Presidents wanted to share this message as we celebrate the arrival of SMD28, the return to campus of SMD27, the final trimester of clerkships for SMD26, and the frenzy of ERAS for SMD25.

Over the summer, we have been continuing our work behind the scenes. We collaborated with eight other representatives from the School of Medicine to select this year's recipients of the Dean's Excellence in Teaching Award. The announcement of these recipients will be handled by their respective department heads in the coming weeks.

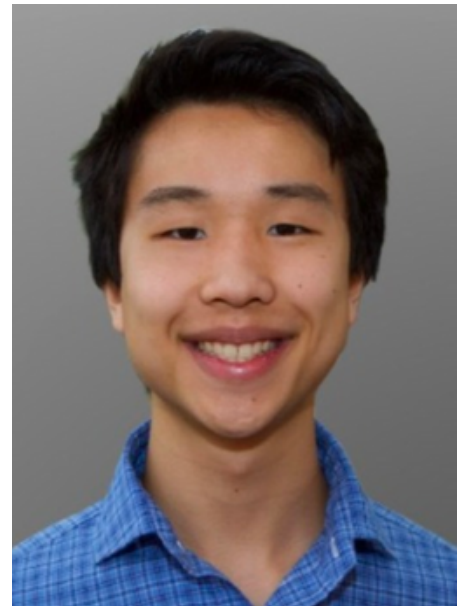
Furthermore, we have been preparing the foundation to support our clubs by securing additional funding. Our phenomenal treasurer, Nala, has worked diligently to incorporate these gains into our budget so that we can sponsor club events throughout the next school year. We thank Deans Densmore and Keeley for working with us to increase the funding available to the student body. We also want to give a shoutout to the Medical Alumni Association for their continued support both logistically and financially.

We are also looking forward to a compelling month in August featuring the Mulholland Activities Fair and social orientation events coordinated by our lovely Social Chairs, Stephanie and Taylor. SMD28 will have a multitude of opportunities to connect with their fellow classmates including dance workshops, game nights, potluck dinners, and more! ATMS will host the annual picnic on FDOC, Wednesday August 7th from 5-9 PM at the North Grounds Park. Thank you to all our wonderful students who invest their time and resources into all the engaging social events and extracurriculars that the UVA School of Medicine has to offer.

We also wanted to highlight Pirate Party 2024, one of the most entertaining traditions of the start of the new academic year. Our SMD27 social chairs, Ken and Ted, have done a fantastic job of coordinating this year's rendition of Pirate Party scheduled for Saturday evening, August 10th at the Theta Delta Chi (aka TDX) house, located at 1811 Lambeth Lane from 10 PM - 2 AM. Tickets will be distributed the week leading up to the event.

As always, please do not hesitate to reach out if you need anything. Keep an eye out for information about our upcoming Faculty-Student Meet and Greet in the fall!

Virtual Hugs,
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KAVI WICK

DEAN KEELEY'S CORNER

Hope everyone is having a wonderful summer! I wanted to share a few updates as SMD27 starts to head back as M2s, SMD26 starts the last Phase 2 block and SMD25 gets ready for application season.

- Some of you may remember from the spring class meetings that I had been working on a plan to launch a database for medical student research projects. Joseph Nguyen has taken on the role of inaugural Mulholland Research Coordinator and you will be hearing from him soon with all the details. The database will be housed on VMED and will include several research resources. We will start soliciting project listings from faculty and house staff this month and hope the database will launch soon after. Look out for information coming from mulholland.research@gmail.com.
- The new **Excused Absence Request** system is now located on VMED. As discussed by the College Deans at the spring class meetings, this should improve the process of requesting an excused absence and improve communication and record keeping. You will receive more details and an instructional video soon.
- Anyone coming through the second floor of the MEB will note that the snack bar is no longer there. The vendor closed the operation—which was a surprise to me—and now there is a lot more light in the space! We have some plans for the area and new vending machines are being installed on the first floor in the alcove between the MEB and MR-5 just past the Student Resource Center.

Looking forward to SMD28 arriving on August 7th and thanking you all in advance for welcoming them into our UVA SOM community!!

