



ASSC NEWSLETTER

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This newsletter is online at <http://www.solano.edu/> under "News"



Important Fall Dates:

- Dec. 12 Open Registration
- Dec.11-17 Fall 2017 Finals -
Day & Evening Classes
- Dec. 17 Fall Semester Ends
- Dec. 12-Jan.2 Winter Recess - No Classes - Campus Closed
- Jan. 16 Spring Term Begins



Associated Students of Solano College

ASSC Meetings – Tuesdays

12:30 – 2:30 p.m. - Room 1421

Open to the Public

Inter-Club Council - ICC

Regular meetings, 1st & 3rd Thursdays

12:30 – 1:30 p.m. - Room 1421

Clubs/prospective clubs must send a rep!

December 2017



Season's Greetings!

To SCC Students - Effective immediately, the ASSC Newsletter will no longer be sent via email to "all students". The newsletter will be available online at:

<http://www.Solano.edu> under "Solano Community College News". Newsletters are also posted on campus-wide bulletin boards.



Student Life Pantry

HUNGRY? Need a Snack?

Students - Stop by the Student Life Office in room 1425 during regular hours and we can help! Granola bars, Peanut butter, crackers, tuna, soups, oatmeal and occasionally fresh fruit

Thank you to our generous donors, Sheriff's Dept., ASSC, SCC administration, staff and faculty.



Solano Community College Horticulture Club

Holiday Plant Sale

Christmas Wreaths & Swags • Holiday Planted Gifts
House Plants • Winter Vegetable Starts
Landscape & Bedding Plants • and MORE!

PLANTS
MAKE GREAT
HOLIDAY GIFTS!

Thurs., Dec. 7th • 8am-6pm

Fri., Dec. 8th • 8am-5pm

Sat., Dec. 9th • 9am-2pm

Louise Wilbourn Yarbrough
Horticulture & Plant Science Institute
(formerly Bldg. 1000)
Parking Lot #6 • Solano Comm. College

4000 Suisun Valley Rd. • Fairfield

For more information, contact Ken Williams at 707-975-6856



STUDENT CONCERNS BOX

Comments? Complaints? Concerns?

Look for these boxes at the Vallejo & Vacaville Centers, Main Campus:1400 Lobby, Library and 400 Bldg.

Please fill out a form and place it in the box. The ASSC wants to help resolve any difficulties you may be experiencing here at SCC. You may also email assc@solano.edu or visit us in room 1406, at the Main Campus.





Campus Cat Club

December 6th
9am - 3pm
1400 Lobby

❄️ Holiday Bake/Gift Sale ❄️ 2018 Calendar Sale

Will feature new pictures of the SCC Feral Cats
Calendars are Available for Order
\$10 Donation

(Can be picked up at Dec. 6th Bake Sale)
Contact: wendy@phillipsdevllc.com

Donations of Dry and Canned Cat food are always appreciated! (Drop-off bin in room 1425)



Check out our Facebook Page: Campus Cat Coalition



Don't Worry, Be Happy! December is often a stressful time for someone going to college. It can bring with it significant worry, stress and anxiety. Worry often leads to anxiety compounded by finals exams, family, money, past holiday experiences, expectations, and well, you can fill in the blank _____. This month we will be providing an outreach for ideas for coping with worry, stress and anxiety. We will provide additional mental health information from Each Mind Matters, and other mental health wellness materials. **The planned outreach will be in the main campus lobby of the 1400 building on 12/5, 10am-6pm** with lots of freebies, food, fun and education for coping with worries. **We will have an outreach table in the Vallejo campus lobby 12/6, 9:30am-12:30pm and in the Vacaville campus lobby 12/4, 9:30am-12:30pm.** Please stop by the Student Health Center outreach table and check out our freebies and information.



Campus Sheriff's Office

Crime Beat



- **Traffic Collision with No Injuries** – On the morning of November 6, 2017, Vehicle1 was traveling northbound on Solano College Road near building 1100. Vehicle2 was traveling westbound on Solano College Road near Parking Lot 2. Vehicle1, after stopping for the stop sign near building 1100, proceeded to drive through the intersection and collided with Vehicle2. Vehicle2 had the right of way in this case. Neither driver was injured in the collision. The driver of Vehicle1 was unlicensed to drive and was issued a citation for the offense by a Campus Sheriff's Office deputy who arrived on scene to investigate the collision. The investigation was completed and report written.
- **Warrant Arrest** – On November 13, 2017 at 1110 hours, an adult male, non-student, was contacted near building 1700. A records check revealed he had four outstanding warrants for his arrest. He was taken into custody for the warrants. A search of his backpack revealed he had a pair of bolt cutters. He was transported to the County Jail where he was booked for the warrants without incident. The Campus Sheriff's Office is investigating further into this case to see if he had committed a crime(s) at the college or nearby cities.

Crime Prevention Tips

- ✓ If you are working or studying late, arrange to leave with a friend or call Campus Sheriff's Office at 707-580-6526 (Fairfield Campus), 707-580-4936 (Vallejo Center) or 707-580-6054 (Vacaville Center) for Safety Escort assistance.
- ✓ Don't walk alone at night; travel in a group at all times and never travel with someone you don't know.
- ✓ Keep your cell phone with you at all times and ensure it is charged just in case you need to use it to call for help.
- ✓ And always, if you see anything or anyone that is acting suspicious, contact the Campus Sheriff's Office in Building 1800 B or call us at (707) 864-7131.

Finals are almost here! Need help with research?

The library is offering two workshops that will cover the basics of online research and finding resources in the library. If you need help preparing your bibliography, citing sources, or finding usable articles for your final projects, come drop by!

Workshops Dates/time/location:

Monday December 4th at 2:00pm-3:00pm in the Library & Student Success Lab

Thursday December 7th at 2:00pm-3:00pm in the Library & Student Success Lab

The library is also checking out Chromebooks and laptops to students. For students that do not feel like hauling your personal computers to school, or using stationary desktops! Details on checkout policies can be found on the library's website.



Student Health Center – Room 1409 (707) 864-7163

We at the Student Health Center are here to help you stay healthy and learn more about your health.

The services at the Student Health Center are free to students.

Health Center Staff

Suzanne Wang, PHN

Regina Huerls-Washington, HA

Health Center Hours

Mon thru Thurs 8:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.*

**(hrs. subject to change)*

Friday 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Closed when there are no classes.



The Student Health Center has many services that support your efforts to succeed at college. Stop by to learn more about our services and to meet our friendly staff. Check out our webpage at www.solano.edu. Click on "Campus Life" then "Health Center"

- **Pregnancy Testing**
- **Blood Pressure Check**
- **Blood Sugar Monitoring**
- **Strep Throat Testing**



Tuberculin (TB) Skin Testing is offered on **Mondays & Tuesdays** - **Appointments are preferred (864-7163)**. You must return in 48-72 hours post test to have the Tuberculin skin test read and receive your record of testing.

Health Screening exams are available at the Student Health Center for Children's Program students. Drop-in or make an appointment for your Health Screening.

Screenings/testing: Health, diabetic, vision, hearing and urine screenings.

Medications: Free over-the-counter medications for common conditions are available free to students at the Student Health Center. Medications include: generic choices of decongestants, pain medications, cough suppressants, lubricating eye drops, burn gel, & more.

FREE Condoms: Includes X-large, latex-free - also, female condoms

Lactation Station – Privacy for breastfeeding students to breastfeed their babies or pump milk. Stop by and we'll find a comfortable place for you.



Solano County Immunization Program Free Flu Shots

At Solano Community College

Protect yourself against the flu. Flu vaccine is recommended for healthy adults, those with chronic medical conditions, healthcare workers and close contacts with children younger than 6 months of age.

Walk-ins are welcome! Available while supplies last.
Student Health Center - Main Campus, rm.1409

Student Health Center Mental Health Outreach

Need help coping with worrying, stress or anxiety?? Stop by the Health Center Outreach Table and learn how to De-Stress.



Mon, Dec. 4th~ 9:30am-12:30pm Vacaville Campus
Tues, Dec. 5th ~ 10am-6pm Fairfield Campus
Wed, Dec. 6th~ 9:30am-12:30pm Vallejo Campus

Planned Parenthood Shasta Pacific

1325 Travis Blvd., Suite C, Fairfield, CA 94533
(707) 429-8855
90 Broadway, Vallejo, CA 94589
(707) 643-4545



National Suicide Prevention Lifeline, 1-800-273-8255

This free, 24-hour hotline is available to anyone in suicidal crisis or emotional distress.

Press 1 for Veterans assistance.

Para Española, oprima 2.

<http://www.suicideispreventable.org/>

Mental Health Therapist

No Longer Available at the Student Health Ctr.

For information on Mental Health services in Solano County contact the Student Health Center, **or**

Aldea Children and Family Services

(707) 427-1845

470 Chadbourne Rd., Ste A, Fairfield, 94534

Solano County Mental Health Access Line

1-800-547-0495

Solano County 24 hours Crisis Line

(707) 428-1131

Access to quality health care for every eligible child and adult is a fundamental goal of the Solano County Health and Social Services. If you have an emergency medical need or are pregnant you may come into one of our offices to apply. Medi-Cal provides no-cost or low-cost health insurance for adults who are aged (65 years or older), blind, disabled, pregnant, or in a long-term facility; for children who are under 21 years of age; or for families with children who receive CalWORKs and/or are deprived of support or care because at least one of their parents is unemployed or underemployed, absent, deceased, or incapacitated.

https://www.solanocounty.com/depts/hss/ees/medical/medi_cal.asp

Apply online at www.mybenefitscalwin.org or download a printable application for Medi-Cal in English, Spanish, or Tagalog. www.mybenefitscalwin.org

** To apply for Medi-Cal by phone please call (707) 553-5858 for the Vallejo/Benicia area or call (707) 784-8051 for all other areas.

** You can FAX your completed application to (707) 553-5408 Solano County H&SS Records for Vallejo/Benicia. All other areas send to (707) 421-4748.

Veteran: If you have served in the Military (Veteran) or are a dependent of someone who has served in the military let your worker know as you may be eligible for additional benefits.

<https://www.coveredca.com/individuals-and-families/special-circumstances/veterans/>

Covered California Health Insurance website:

<https://www.healthforcalifornia.com/coveredcalifornia/www.mybenefitscalwin.org>

Call: 1-800-300-1506 (TTY: 1-888-889-4500)

You can call Monday to Friday, 8am to 6 pm and Saturday, 8am to 5pm



TYPING TEST CERTIFICATES SOLANO COLLEGE - FALL 2017

Do You Need a Typing Certificate for a Job, Class, or Just Want to Know Your Typing Speed and Accuracy?

You can take a typing test and receive a certificate immediately at the Solano Community College Main Campus in Fairfield!

The 5-minute typing test is given in Rm 502, on Fridays

**11:00am-3:30pm on the following dates:
December 1, & 8**



There is no cost for the test, you just need to bring some form of identification with a picture.

Typing Certificate will show your words per minute/how many errors/ and signed by a proctor.

If you need a placement test for registration into a course please email patricia.ceja@solano.edu with your name, SCC ID number and course you are interested in registering for and a placement test will be scheduled for you. You must already have completed the application process for the college.



Alpha Gamma Sigma (AGS) Honor Society -

AGS is a California Community College Scholastic Honor Society that promotes academic achievement and service. The minimum requirement is a 3.0 GPA and at least 12 units completed. For additional information or an application, email Genele.Rhoads@solano.edu.

SCC Cosmetology Department

Building 1600, Room 1610

The Salon is now open through Dec. 8th

Tuesday & Friday

9am-2:30pm

(707)864-7180



Haircuts, Hair Coloring Permanent Waves, Manicures, Pedicures, Artificial Nails, Facials, Facial Waxing

The Cosmetology Retail Center is also open for your convenience to purchase affordable Professional skin care and hair care products from the Cosmetology Club. Reward yourself with a haircut, manicure, pedicure, haircolor or take advantage of our other services.



Academic Success and Tutoring Center (ASTC)

In the Main Campus Library

and at the Vacaville & Vallejo Centers

The Academic Success Center and Tutoring Center continue to work together to provide one cohesive service. Referred to as the Academic Success & Tutoring Center (ASTC), students may take advantage of the drop-in tutoring services with No Appointment Needed. Each semester all students utilizing the ASTC area must sign up for TUTOR500, which is a non-credit, no homework, free course. We'll help you sign up on the spot!

The ASTC space for the main campus is inside the campus Library; enter through the double doors of the library, turn left, and find us at the end of the hall near room 101.

ASTC Hours of Operation:

Fairfield Campus: M-Th 9am-5pm and Fri 9am-2pm

Vallejo Center: MW 9am-5pm, Tue, Th 9am-6pm, Fri Closed

Vacaville Center: M-Th 9am-3pm and Fri 11am-2pm

Join Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) Honor Society and be recognized as a top scholar. PTK is an International Honor Society. Membership can help you get scholarships, develop critical learning and leadership skills, give you the competitive edge for transfer and for jobs, and make you part of a worldwide community of scholars. You must be currently enrolled at SCC with a cumulative GPA of 3.5 in at least 12 units of transferable or degree-applicable course work completed at SCC within the last 3 semesters. Drop by the **Student Life Office (Rm 1425)** for an **application** or contact Dr. Shirley Lewis (PTK Advisor) at shirley.lewis@solano.edu

