



Associated Students of Solano Community College

ASSC NEWSLETTER

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Important Spring Dates:

- Mar.13-14 FLEX CAL No Classes (Campus & Centers open)
- Mar.30 Last Day to Drop a full term class with a "W" (refund is 62.5% of the # of meetings)
- April 2-8 Spring Break - No Classes (Campus & Centers open)
- April 16 Begin Summer/Fall 2018 Priority Registration (See Solano.edu website: "Dates & Deadlines" for complete Priority Listing).
- May 1 Open Registration
- May 18-24 Finals Week



SCC 2018 Commencement Ceremony

Thursday, May 24, 2018 at 6:00 pm
SCC Hollister Football Stadium.



You Must Petition in order to Graduate - Check with Admissions & Records

March is Women's History Month

NEVERTHELESS SHE PERSISTED
HONORING WOMEN WHO FIGHT ALL FORMS
OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN



WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH

Nevertheless She Persisted . . .

- March 6th 1-3pm** Film - Eyes on the Prize
- Discussion about the shift from the Civil Rights Movement to the Black Power Movement
Back Half of the Cafeteria
- March 6th 3-5pm** Film - Anita, Speaking Power to Truth
- A film about Anita Hill
Main Campus, Fishbowl (rm. 1421)
- March 8th 3-5pm** Film - Anita, Speaking Power to Truth
- A film about Anita Hill
Vallejo Center
- March 15th 1-3pm** Film & Discussion-Women's History Month
Back Half of the Cafeteria
- March 20th 3-5pm** Film - I'm Carolyn Parker: The Good, the Mad and the Beautiful
- about New Orleans resident and her attempt to help rebuild New Orleans post Katrina.
Main Campus, Fishbowl (rm. 1421)
- March 22nd 3-5pm** Film - I'm Carolyn Parker: The Good, the Mad and the Beautiful
Vacaville Center
- March 27th 2:30-4:30pm** Panel #1 - Women in Academics
Room 713, Main Campus
- March 28th 2:30-4:30pm** Panel #2 - Professional Women
Room 713, Main Campus
- March 29th 3-5pm** Movie - Hidden Figures
Main Campus - Fishbowl (rm. 1421)

Presented by the Student Life Office, ASSC, and the History Dept.



March 2018

All Veteran Women and Active-Duty Service-Women (student, faculty and staff) at Solano Community College are cordially invited to the

1st Annual Event

Honoring SCC Student Veteran Women & Active-Duty Service-Women Luncheon
Wednesday, March 28, 2018

11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Keynote Speaker:

Lindsey Sin,

Deputy Secretary of Women Veterans Affairs for California and Navy Veteran

- Location: Solano Community College Main Campus Building 1400, Back half of Cafeteria
- RSVP Required for this FREE Event (seating available up to 150)
- RSVP to the SCC Veterans Affairs Center by Friday, March 23, 2018 @ 1:00pm
- Veterans@solano.edu or 707-864-7105

- OPEN TO ALL
- Door prize ticket giveaway for all Student Veteran Women and Active-Duty Service-Women. **
- If inclined please bring pictures while in-service. Pictures to be displayed in the SCC Veterans Affairs Center Display case. **

Hosted by SCC Veterans Affairs Center and Sponsors



Concerned about student issues?

Come to the ASSC Student Government Mtgs. on Tuesdays 12:30-2:30 p.m. in Room 1421
Meetings are open to the Public



SCC ASSC/Student Life Food Pantry



Hello Students! We would like to remind you of a new resource for those in need. **Every Thursday from 12 noon until 4pm** through the end of this spring semester, you can come to the Student Life Office in the 1400 building of the main campus and pick up a free bag of groceries. Each bag may contain uncooked beans, rice, cereal, canned veggies, canned fruit, pasta, spaghetti sauce, juice, peanut butter, apple sauce, oatmeal, ham, spam, tuna or canned chicken (meat products vary with availability). Students will need to show their student ID, and provide their signature in order to receive this assistance.



As you may know, the Student Life Office also operates a Food Pantry that provides daily snacks, ramen, granola, fruit bars and water when available to keep your energy level up between classes.



Counseling Services is excited to announce a new service on-campus provided by JFK University's Community Counseling Centers

WELLNESS COUNSELING

Mental health therapy consisting of 5-8 sessions

What Can Wellness Counselors Help Students With?

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| • Test Anxiety | • Issues relating to LGBTQ Identity | • Depression |
| • Managing work, family and school responsibilities | • Housing issues/homelessness/unemployment | • Academic Underachievement |
| • Acclimating to College life (e.g. organizational skills, course load management) | • Substance use (personal or familial) | • Classroom behavioral issues |
| • Cultural and Familial Issues | • Trauma/PTSD | • Acting out behaviors |
| • Relationship Issues | • Crisis, Self/harm, suicide (not crisis counselors) | • Social interaction issues |
| • Life transitions | • Abuse/DV/IPV | • Family crisis |
| • Conflicts and/or exploration of Identity | • Grief/loss | • Low self-esteem |
| | • Anxiety | • Divorce/separation |
- AND MORE!**

REFERRAL PROCESS – START REFERRING NOW!

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| • Stop by, call or email (students can self-refer)
Counseling Services, Bldg. 400
707-864-7101
counseling@solano.edu | • Complete a referral form which will be given to the JFK Wellness Counselor | • JFK Wellness Counselor will contact the student directly to assess needed services and set up appointments |
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Campus Sheriff's Office Crime Beat



- **Verbal Argument Between Boyfriend/Girlfriend** – On Tuesday January 16, 2018, an argument occurred between a boyfriend and a girlfriend in front of building 400 on the Fairfield Campus. A passerby called the Campus Sheriff's Office to report the incident. Deputies arrived and contacted both parties and determined the argument did not escalate to physical violence. Both were educated on dating violence awareness and released at the scene.
- **Hit and Run, Property Damage Only at Vacaville Center** – On Thursday January 25, 2018, a hit and run property damage only occurred in parking #3 at the Vacaville Center. The victim parked his 2016 Scion vehicle in the lot and went to class. At approximately 12:35 p.m., a witness saw the suspect vehicle tried to leave its parking stall and collided with the Scion. The suspect vehicle then fled the scene without leaving their insurance information or contacting law enforcement regarding the collision. The suspect vehicle is described as a black BMW with unknown plate and model with minor damage to its right front bumper. Anyone with information regarding this hit-and-run is encouraged to contact the Campus Sheriff's Office at 707-864-7131. Investigation is active and on-going.

Crime Beat Tips

- ✓ With the recent school shootings, please **DO NOT** make any jokes about bringing guns to school or hurting anyone. We will treat every threat seriously and will respond accordingly.
- ✓ 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.
- ✓ 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.

You can find out more information about the Campus Sheriff's Office by visiting our website at <http://www.solano.edu/police/>.

RIDE FOR FREE* SHOW YOUR SCC STUDENT ID!



TRY THE BUSES FOR FREE!

FREE TRIAL PERIOD Until Mar. 31st then a reduced semester fare will be available to ride all 4 operators using a mobile app



SAVE \$\$\$ ON PARKING!

Contact the Solano Mobility Call Center (800)535-6883
A valid SCC Student ID with a red "Spring 2018" sticker is required for boarding your transit for origins and destinations within Solano County, including SolTrans Solano Express, FAST, FAST Solano Express, and Vacaville City Coach.
THIS FREE TRIAL PERIOD ENDS AFTER MARCH 31, 2018!

Campus Clubs for Spring 2018

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| • Alpha Gamma Sigma (AGS) | • The Human Collective |
| • Anime Club for Engineers (ACE) | • Intersarsity Christian Club |
| • Badminton Club | • Judo Club |
| • Black Student Union (BSU) | • LGBTQ+ |
| • Campus Cat Club | • Legal Scholars (CCPLS) |
| • Cosmetology | • Light Ministries |
| • Cinema Club | • MESA Student Society (MSS) |
| • Creators Collective | • Nature of Sound |
| • Crafting Club | • Nursing Class of 2018 |
| • CyberDyne-FALCO | • Nursing Class of 2019 |
| • Dance Club | • Parent Advisory Club |
| • Drama Club | • Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) |
| • Entrepreneur Club | • Project GCR |
| • Environmental Club | • Rotaract Club |
| • French Club | • Student Life Improvementz Club |
| • Gamers Club | • Student Veterans Organization |
| • Horticulture Club | • Women in STEM |
| | • Women's Bible Study Fellowship |



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.

Treatment of Minor, Acute Illness & Referrals
First Aid and Campus Emergencies

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

Health Center Staff

Suzanne Goodwin, PHN
Regina Huerls-Washington, HA

Health Center Hours

Mon thru Thurs 8:00 a.m.-6:00 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 Screenings**
- **Strep Test**
- **Blood Sugar Monitoring**

Tuberculin (TB) Skin Testing is offered on **Mondays & Tuesdays** - Please call in advance at 864-7163 for an appointment. 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.



Student Health Center Nurse Outreach Health Services/Events

Vallejo Center Office Hours

April 19th ~ 2:30pm-5:30pm (Thur)

May 9th ~ 2:30pm-5:30pm (Wed)

*Health Fair: Mon, March 19th ~ 10am-2pm

Clothesline Project: April 17th ~ 10am-1pm

Vacaville Center Office Hours

April 17th ~ 2:30pm-5:30pm (Tue)

May 7th ~ 2:30pm-5:30pm (Mon)

*Health Fair: Wed., March 21st ~ 10am-2pm

Clothesline Project: April 24th ~ 10am-1pm

Fairfield Campus

*Health Fair: Tue., March 20th ~ 10am-2pm
Bldg. 1400 Lobby

**Come and speak with the many community and health representatives.*



Clothesline Project /Sexual Assault:

BREAK THE SILENCE

T-Shirts created by survivors of violence, their family or friends

April 10th (Tue) ~ 10am-1pm

Bldg. 1400 Lobby

Planned Parenthood Shasta Pacific

1325 Travis Blvd., Suite C, Fairfield, CA 94533
(707) 429-8855

990 Broadway, Vallejo, CA 94589
(707) 643-4545



Mental Health Therapist is no longer available at the Student Health Center, however

an Exciting Service is now available to Students at the Fairfield Main Campus! Please see PAGE 2 of this Newsletter for information about the SCC STUDENT WELLNESS PROGRAM! Located at Counseling Services in Bldg. 400

Additional Off Campus Services Available:

Aldea Children and Family Services

(707) 427-184

Solano County Mental Health Access Line

1-800-547-0495

Solano County 24 hours Crisis Line

(707) 428-1131

DO YOU NEED A TYPING CERTIFICATE FOR A JOB OR CLASS?

TYPING TEST CERTIFICATES SPRING 2018

You can take a typing test and receive a certificate at the Solano Community College main Fairfield campus.

**The test is given in Building 500, Room 502
on Fridays at 11:00am to 3:30pm
on the following dates:**

March 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30

April 13, 20, & 27

May 4, 11, & 18

There is no cost for the test, you don't need to make an appointment, you just need to bring a photo ID

The test consists of a 3-minute warmup and you can try up to three times to complete a 5-minute timing. The speed is up to your goal and you must have no more than 5 errors on the 5-minute timing in order to receive the typing certificate.

times/dates subject to change - contact Pat Ceja at 864-7258



Our SCC Library carries many required textbooks for students. If you're in a rush to get books, we can help! Call or visit the campus Library in building

**100, at the Main Campus for availability
Tel: 864-7132.**

Did you Know The Library also checks out laptops and chrome-books for overnight use. Why bring your own computer when you can borrow ours?

Badminton Club Open Court - Spring 2018

Mondays 7-9pm in the Main Campus Gym, Bldg. 1700

Beginning Mon., Feb. 5th through May 14th

(No Badminton on Feb 19th or April 2nd).

\$2 fee at the door - All eqpt. Provided. Open to All!

**Questions? Contact: Becky Lum, Club Advisor
rebecca.lum@solano.edu**

SCC Assessment Center

www.solano.edu/assessment

Assessment Centers are located at the Main Campus and the Vacaville and Vallejo Campuses. Students must make an appointment to test at the Assessment Center.

Testing Days & Times

Fairfield Main Campus:

Monday - Thursday at 9am, 1:00pm or 5:00pm

Friday 9am

Saturday 9am

Vallejo Campus: Tuesday at 9:30am

Vacaville Campus: Fridays only at 1:00pm

For more information, please email us at

assessment@solano.edu

Or call (707) 864-7000 x4525 or x7118

SCC Student ID Cards - Only \$5!!!

Step 1: First, you must Purchase your ID either online or at the Admissions and Records office in the 400 bldg.

Step 2: Bring proof of payment and copy of your current schedule along with a valid photo ID (CDL, HS ID, Passport, etc.) to the Student Life Office in room 1425 where a photo will be taken and an ID will be issued to you on the spot! ID cards are valid for 3 years (9 consecutive semesters).

With your Student ID:

- **You can receive discounts!!**
- **You can attend Solano College Home Games Free**
- **You can use the Quiet Zone Study Room next to the Student Life Office (Student ID card required)**
- **Student ID cards are required to borrow math books in the Math Activities Center Lab (1500 bldg.)**

Check with the Student Life Office for more information visit the Student Life Office in room 1425. Please Note: You must be currently enrolled to purchase a Student ID card.

Final Step: Have SCC Photo ID Card created on the spot! **You Must Be Enrolled to purchase an ID**

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 for information contact Dr. Shirley Lewis (PTK Advisor) shirley.lewis@solano.edu

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. Applications can be picked up from the Student Life Office in room 1425. For additional information, email Professor Rhoads (AGS Advisor) at Genele.Rhoads@solano.edu.



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 drop in tutoring services are also available at the Vacaville and Vallejo Centers.

All services are free and open to currently students.

