



Associated Students of Solano Community College

ASSC NEWSLETTER

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Important Fall Dates:

- August 13 Fall term begins/Late Registration begins
- August 24 Last day to drop full term class with refund
- Sept. 9 Last Day to Add Full-Term Class
- Sept. 2 Last Day to Drop Full-Term Class w/out W
- Sept. 1-3 Labor Day Weekend Holiday-No classes/Closed
- Sept. 13 Last day to File for Pass/No Pass Option or Reverse
- Sept. 10 Last day to petition for Fall 2017 degrees/certificates for transfer (ADT's; AA-T/AS/T)
- Sept. 13 Last day to file for Pass/No Pass for Full-Term Classes
- Nov. 25 No Classes
- Nov.26-29 Thanksgiving weekend—No classes
- Dec.16 End of semester
- Dec.11-17 Finals (17th last day of fall classes)

Come to the ASSC Student Government Mtgs. on Tuesdays 12:30-2:30 p.m. in Room 1421
First Meeting: Aug. 14th

Meetings are open to the Public

Sign Up for Student Leadership and Be a part of Student Government.

Plan activities for the Fall 2018 semester.
Advocate for students

AUGUST 2018

Student I.D.'s are available for purchase at Cashier's Counter in Building 400.

- Must be registered for classes
- Must have photo I.D.
- Be prepared to pay 5 dollars or purchase online at my.solano.edu

Welcome Fall 2018!

WELCOME BACK!

August 20th and the 21st

1400 Building – Main Campus Student Union Lobby

Monday & Tuesday 9am-1pm

"Crime Beat" and FREE DIABETES TESTING (AUGUST 14TH) information can be found pages 2 and 3.

Inter-Club Council - ICC
1st ICC Meeting – Thurs., Aug. 16th
12:30pm-1:30pm
Clubs/prospective clubs must send a rep!



Notice to Students Regarding Parking on All Solano College Campuses

Fall semester classes begin on August 13th, 2018



If you haven't already done so, now is the time to purchase your semester parking permit online through MySolano. To purchase your parking permit:

1. Log into your student account on MySolano
2. Click on "Student Parking", located on the bottom right-hand side underneath the "Parking" header

Be sure to have a printer available at the time you make your purchase in order to print the temporary permit you'll need to use until your decal arrives in the mail. Purchasing a decal now for \$20 will eliminate your need to worry about having a permit for the entire semester. Another option is to use the daily parking permit dispensers located on the perimeter of each of the campus parking lots.

Parking permits are refundable if you drop your class/es and the parking permit is returned to the Campus Sheriff's Office (Building 1800B, across from the tennis courts on the Fairfield campus) no later than the refund deadline of your class/es. Be sure to check your Student Schedule/Bill to find the refund deadline of your class/es.

You may find our Parking Handbook helpful in understanding the rules and policies for parking on our campuses at

http://www.solano.edu/police/p_permits.php.

Parking enforcement will begin on Monday, August 20th.

Club Promo Day

Wed, Aug.29th, 9am-2pm 1400

Lobby

Clubs will be on hand to answer you questions and if Interested, can sign you up on the spot!



Join one of 40+ student organizations at SCC



Club Application/Renewals Packets are now available in the Student Life Office.

Pick up & return to Room 1425.

Packets must be returned (after Club Promo) by Friday, Sept. 7th, no later than 3pm

Important: Late club packets will be NOT be accepted or approved after this deadline and will have to wait until Spring 2018.

Solano Community College SAFE App

SAFE APP puts Safety Features on Student's, Faculty, and Staff's Cell Phones.

SCC has released a mobile SOLANO SAFE App aimed at further enhancing safety on campus.

The app is available for download where apps are sold (Apple iOS, Google Play, etc.) for FREE! It is specifically designed to help students, faculty, and staff stay SAFE!

- Access emergency plans detailing specific actions students should take in the event of an emergency situation.
- Contact on/off campus emergency personnel.
- Follow the Solano Safe News Feed for Safety and other related information such as weather alerts.
- Access a personal safety toolbox with a flashlight, alarm, and personal safety tips.
- Report suspicious activity with photos being directly submitted to SCC's Sheriffs Office.
- Open "real-time" chat with an on duty deputy including a mobile emergency "blue light" button that lets users send their location to the SCC's Sheriffs office.
- Find Student support resources including campus police services, mental health, and other important contacts.

Crime Beat: Tips and services:

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) forR escort. **Please call if you see any suspicious behavior. NUMBERS PREVIOUSLY LISTED**

- When leaving your vehicle, be sure it is locked and secured. Lock any valuable items in the glove compartment or in the trunk. Do not leave anything of value out in the open for all to see.
- Please always be prepared for the unexpected. Visit our website at www.solano.edu/police/safetyaware.php and view the, "Run, Hide, Fight Surviving an Active Shooter Event Video" to better help you prepare for these types of situations.
- Also, ensure records and admissions has your latest contact information so we can send you timely alerts and notifications should an incident occurs on our campus.
- 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.

Solano Community College Horticulture Club



For over 25 years Solano Community College has had a very active & productive **Horticulture Club**.

The club holds plant sales to raise money for Horticulture student scholarships. The club was originally set up to acquaint students with the commercial sales aspect of This club welcomes anyone interested in being a member to join, rather than only accepting registered students! All members have access to the latest horticultural practices from the

college horticulture staff (expert advice always available), discounts to local nurseries & landscape supply businesses, monthly demonstrations and seminars on gardening issues, access to Horticulture Club at SCC Propagation and Greenhouse Facilities, a community garden plot area at SCC to grow your own vegetables, and associated memberships in the California Garden Clubs and National Garden Clubs of America. All for only \$12 per year!

Horticulture Club meetings are held the 2nd Monday of each month at 6-8:30 p.m. in the Solano Community College Horticulture Building 1000, For more information, contact 707-864-7221

Student Life Office Services

Room 1425

Monday-Thursday's 8am-5pm

Friday's: 8am-3pm

707-864-7168

Associated Students of Solano Community College (ASSC)
Interclub Council Meetings (ICC)
Honor Societies Applications
ASSC's Students Helping Students Grant Program
Lost and Found
Quiet Study Room
Snack Pantry
Food Pantry: for students in need (Every Thursday 12-4pm)
Student Resource Information
Homeless Student Support
Vendors/Non-Profit Visits
ASSC/Student Life Newsletter

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.) effective August first I.D.s will be made in the 400 building for your convenience. **Please refer your classmates to the 400 building to get their SCC Student I.D.**

Final Step: Have SCC Photo ID Card created on the spot! ID cards are valid for 3 years (9 consecutive semesters).

You Must Be Currently Enrolled to purchase an ID

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.)**

RIDE FOR FREE*

SHOW YOUR SCC STUDENT ID!

WITH CURRENT SEMESTER STICKER



FAST

CITY COACH

SolTrans

Solano Express

TRY THE BUSES FOR FREE!

FREE TRIAL PERIOD until further notice. Then a reduced fare will be available to ride all 4 operators using a mobile app.

Brought to you by Solano Community College and the, Solano Transportation Authority

For more Information Contact (800) 535-6883

**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

Sheri Buckley, BSN, RN, PHN

Regina Huerls-Washington, HA

Health Center Hours

Mon thru Thurs 8:30 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** - 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.

(707) 864-7163

Planned Parenthood Shasta Pacific

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

600 Nut Tree Rd. #340, **Vacaville, CA** 95687
(707) 317-2111

90 Broadway, **Vallejo, CA** 94589
(707) 643-4545

Did you know you pay a Health Fee of \$13 per semester.

This fee allows you to utilize the Student Health Center in room 1409.

**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

Are you struggling with anxiety, depression, substance abuse, or a personal crisis?

Solano Community College can help you get in contact with a therapist.

Please contact Counseling Services at, counseling@solano.edu

or stop by building 400 room 404 at the Fairfield Campus

Mon-Thurs 8:30am-3pm Fri 8:30am-3pm

NEED HELP???

Text “Courage” To: 741741

FREE. 24/7. CONFIDENTIAL.

Many of us will experience a mental health challenge in our lifetime. ALL of us have a reason to speak up.

Provided by: Crisis Text Line

Mobile Diabetes Education Center

Free screening, testing, resources, and education.

August 14th, 2018: 9am-5pm

Located: Near Building 400 in Parking Lot B

Solano Community College

BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, Sept. 5th: 11am-3pm

The Bloodmobile will be on the main campus in the quad area in front of the 1400 bldg.

To make a life saving appointment visit

www.bloodheroes.com

If you have anything you would like to share in this next months Newsletter: Call 707-864-7168 OR Stop by The Student Life Office (Bld. 1425) Deadline to submit: August 24th, 2018.

Important Dates and Deadlines			
08/13/18	Fall semester begins	12/05/18	(5) Returning Students;
08/13/18	Late Registration - Add Code required	12/06/18	(6) Transfer Students;
08/24/18	Last day to drop a Fall full-term class and receive a refund of enrollment fees only	12/07/18	(7) New students who have not completed Orientation, Assessment, Ed Plan;
September		12/10/18	(8) Concurrently Enrolled K-12 Students;
09/02/18	Last day to Add a Fall full-term class	12/11/18	(9) Open Registration
09/02/18	Last day to Drop a Fall full-term class without a W	December	
09/01/18 - 09/03/18	Labor Day Weekend HOLIDAY – Campus & Centers closed	12/10/18 - 12/16/18	Fall 2018: Final Examinations – Day & Evening classes
09/04/18	Census Date – Fall full-term classes	12/15/18 - 01/09/19	Winter recess, no classes
09/06/18	Last day to apply for Fall Credit by Exam	12/16/18	Fall 2018 semester ends
09/10/18	Last day to petition for an Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT's; AA- T/AS-T)	12/20/18	Fall 2018: Faculty grade submission deadline (by 5:00 pm on the 4th day from the last class meeting)
09/13/18	Last day to file for Pass/No Pass option (or reverse) for full-term classes	Please check Solano Website for updates and possible changes.	
October		Academic Success and Tutoring Center (ASTC) In the Main Campus Library and at the Vacaville & Vallejo Centers 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-6pm and Fri 9am-2pm Vallejo Center: M-Th 9am-6pm, Fri Closed	
10/01/18	CCC Apply Opens – Application to Attend for Spring Term		
10/09/18	(Optional) Faculty Development Day – No classes held		
10/26/18	Last day to drop a Fall full-term class with a W (refund is 62.5% of # of meetings)		
November		Assessment Center—www.solano.edu/assessment (707)864-7000 Ext. 7118 Students must reserve an appointment to test at the Fairfield Assessment Center. Testing is offered thrice daily on Mon-Thurs at 9am, 1pm, and 5pm and Fridays at 9am.	
11/05/18	Spring 2019 Schedule of Classes available online *UPDATE* Beginning in late November, students can view their individual registration date and time online at www.solano.edu . Click on MySolano, log in and then select the Student tab. Under Registration, click on When Can I Register?		
11/12/18	Veterans Day HOLIDAY – Campus & Centers closed		
11/21/18	Faculty HOLIDAY – No classes – Campus & Centers closed		
11/22/18 - 11/24/18	Thanksgiving HOLIDAY – Campus & Centers closed	NEW APP! “Grad Guru” is here for you to help you to reach your academic goals! Download the APP starting Mon. August 13th, 2018! Available for Apple and Android!	
Begin 2019 Spring Priority Registration			
11/26/18	(1) VETS / FYSI / DSP / EOPS / CalWORKs;	Career Center Seeking to learn more about yourself? *Learning styles; strengths and weakness *Major Selection *Career Choices On/off Campus employment, etc. Visit the Career Center in room 403 in building 400. Mon-Thurs 9am-4pm Fri 9am-3pm More information available at collegecentral.com/solano	
11/27/18	(2) Summer Bridge / Athletes / ASSC / Umoja;		
11/28/18 - 12/03/18	(3) Continuing Students;		
12/04/18	(4) New students who have completed Orientation, Assessment, Ed Plan;		
12/05/18	(5) Returning Students;		
12/06/18	(6) Transfer Students;		