

October 2021 Board Highlights

Arts & Humanities, Business & Computer Systems, Social Sciences



- Check out the latest news! The Verde Valley Leadership Program is working with YC's Management Program Director, **Lauri Dreher**, to develop curriculum as they revamp their program. They are currently accepting applications for anyone that is interested! <https://www.verdenews.com/.../verde-valley-leadership.../> [#ycbucs](#) [#yavapaicollegeschoolofbusinessandcomputersystems](#) [#schoolofmanagement](#) [#yavapaicollege](#) [#verdevalley](#)

Nursing, Allied Health, ABE, Mathematics and Science

- Two Yavapai College Rad Tech students proudly display the Community Health Scholarships they received. Kara Yazzie and Rachael Guidetti are pictured below.



- First semester Rad Tech Students practice their skills on the newly installed equipment.



Office of Instructional Support

- The Library created a webpage to update everyone regarding the Academic Learning Commons model: <https://yc.libguides.com/commons>

Academic Library Learning Commons Update Yavapai COLLEGE

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Library & Learning Center Transformation

As a key partner in the college's objective to support student success, the goal of the Academic Library Learning Commons is to... [Read More](#)

Updates



Site Visit: Cline Library, NAU August 20, 2021

A group of YC Library staff members toured the Cline Library on the NAU Campus.

Cline has a multitude of Labs: Photography, Podcast, Virtual Reality, Extended Reality, Makerspace, just to name a few. One of our tour-guides made the observation that you can

Message from the Library Director



Mike Byrnes, Director of Library Services

Hello, We have exciting news

- Access Free Streaming Videos are now available on the library website or by contacting a librarian for details.



Access Free Streaming Videos

through Yavapai College Library

Go to the library website or contact a librarian for details



Spanish café

Oct 6th 12pm

A MONTHLY LANGUAGE
EXCHANGE

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Hola

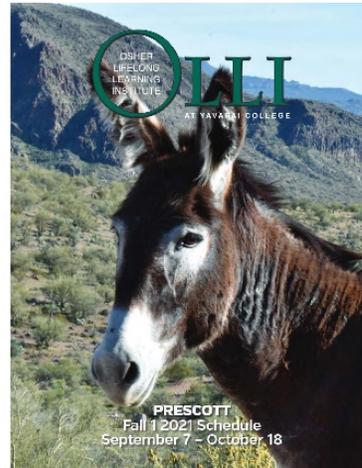
Join the fun!

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Prescott Campus & Verde Valley Campus



Lifelong Learning

- Olli at Yavapai College in Prescott, Sedona and the Verde Valley Fall 2 Term 2021 registration opens October 11, classes run November 1 through December 17. Two six-week terms feature over 100 courses and events offered in person and online via Zoom. (Prescott location = 60 programs and Sedona/Verde Valley location = 55 programs.)



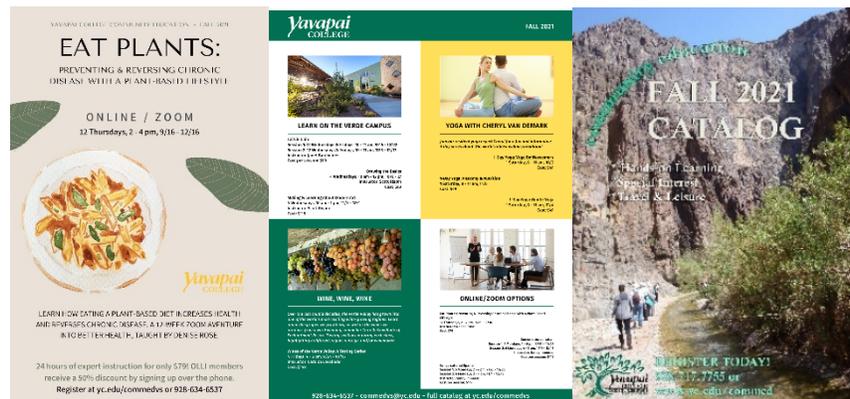
- Sedona Special Event: OLLI Artist of the Month program began in September and features a different OLLI member's art each month. The first artist featured was Jennifer Knotts whose artwork is made with neckties. See "Nature's Ties" below:



- A special talk aired on September 23rd with Dr. Phil Jones, retired from Embry Riddle's College of Security and Intelligence, covered Afghanistan, the graveyard of empires, with some perspective on how and why the US Campaign there failed so completely.



- FA21 Community Education Verde-Sedona – Fall Term 1 has begun! Late-starting classes are still filling up. Both in-person and online courses are being offered. Term 1: Tuesday, September 7 – Tuesday, October 18. Two instructors have been teaching for almost a decade – Sandy Immerso (Conversational Italian and Spanish) and Janet Batchelder (Tai Chi). Community Education is planning a celebration for these dedicated instructors.



- FA21 Community Education Prescott mailed nearly 5000 catalogs and the response has been very positive. Classes began the week of 9/27/21.
- Edventures trips are filling up with our journeys to Norther Arizona's historic places and geological wonders.
- EMS Recertifications are open for registration.
- Certified Lifeguard Skills Training Course began 10/09/21.
- Sedona Center Open House October 6 featured credit and enrichment programs.

www.yc.edu/openhouse

SEDONA CULINARY ARTS PROGRAM, OSHER LIFELONG LEARNING INSTITUTE (OLLI) AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION

In-Person Open House

**WED, OCT 6
10AM TO NOON**

SEDONA CENTER
4215 Arts Village Drive
Sedona, AZ 86336




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YC Performing Arts Center

- The PAC will be presenting two more “Concerts on the Green” before the theater reopens on October 15th!

Arizona Highwaymen on September 19th



- PIANO MEN: GENERATIONS - The Music of Billy Joel and Elton John on October 3rd.



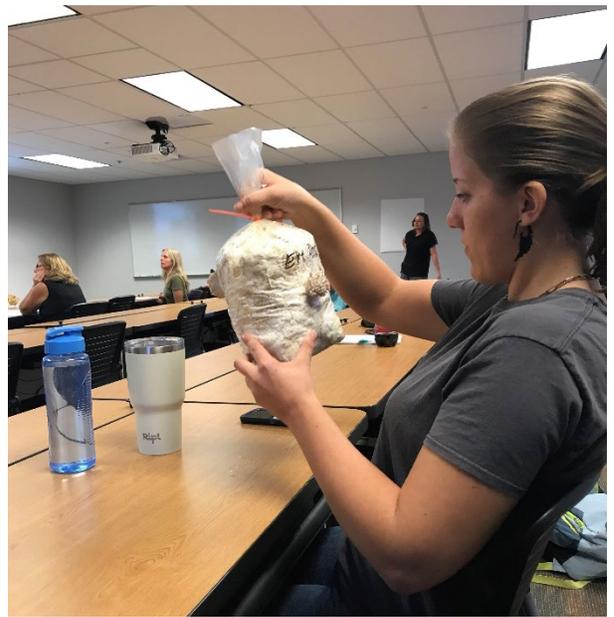


- **Joshua Harper**, Choral Music Professor, shared some wonderful social media press the College received recently from Tim Sharp, Composer of Bluegrass Mass, and former longtime Executive Director of the American Choral Directors Association. Mr. Sharp requested marketing materials is the Facebook post that generated a lot of very good press for Arizona Choral lovers:

“Hey Arizona friends.... I'm thrilled about this live performance of my "Come Away to the Skies: A High, Lonesome (Bluegrass) Mass" coming in October in Arizona. The Yavapai College combined ensembles will perform the work on October 23 and 24 in Prescott. I won't be at this performance, unfortunately, but I'll get a chance to talk to the performers right before the concert. I am starting to schedule performances again for 2022 where I will be conducting and playing, and needless to say, I am thrilled to get back to live music performance! If you know folks in this area, please share this poster with them. Best wishes to Dr. Joshua Harper and Arlene Hardy and their singers and pickers in their upcoming concert!! – Tim Sharp”

Verde Valley Campus

- **Claire Armstrong's** Fall Horticulture class had a guest speaker recently – Kathryn Crew, owner of AZ Mushrooms. She showed students how to grow mushrooms. Each student put together their tabletop grow bags made of sterilized and colonized hardwood sawdust. Student chose the variety of mushrooms they wanted to grow; some will harvest in a month, while others will harvest around winter break. Mushrooms growing in a garden or lawn are signs of a healthy growing environment, so we will continue to look for ways to grow mushrooms on campus.



- Jack Be Little Pumpkins are popping up in the greenhouse!



- Students in the construction classes have completed their first project - building a sawhorse. Typically, trusses would be ordered for a regular-sized house, but Aaron Rodriguez taught students how to build their own for this tiny house.



- Chef Drew demonstrated how to make French Onion soup in his CUL 102 class. Then students worked in teams to make one of the 5 French mother sauces.



- In the Baking and Pastry program, students worked during open lab hours to practice their pie-making skills. Pictured here is Brent, a student that chose to take our program since he had found a love for baking during COVID. He enjoys creating personal recipes, mainly focused on all things chocolate! However, today he settled on making a blueberry pie!

