District Governing Board Highlights October - November 2022

Student Engagement and Leadership

Student Engagement

New Clubs

Student Engagement and Leadership is proud to announce the start of the following new Clubs:

- Pride Club
- Snowboard and Ski Club
- Topic: TDB Club (Debate Club)

Yavapai College Student Government Association

Senate Elections

There was a total of 663 votes! Our newly elected senate reps are:

- Hayden Gilbert Prescott Campus
- Abigail Boyd Prescott Valley Center
- Josh Laumann CTEC
- Suzanne Tanner Verde Valley Campus & Sedona Center
- Laurel Leverone Chino Valley Center
- Desiree Lewis Online
- Zane Shepard Residence Halls

Official Induction and Orientation is scheduled this month.

The Unheard 22

On the 22nd of every month YCSGA will sponsor with a number of other YC organizations/groups and place 22 sets of boots with small flags around the flagpoles on both the Prescott and Verde Valley Campuses.

Kick-off will happen on 11.11.22 @ 1pm Veterans Day

Mission: To help with the prevention of veteran suicide through awareness and a sense of belonging.

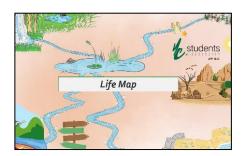






Students of Leadership

Celebrating our 4th year of Students of Leadership (SOL). Dr. Lisa Rhine's legacy for student leadership started this academic year with a *Meet and Greet* in September. Twenty-five YC students and thirteen faculty and staff came connected and reviewed this year's monthly activities and programs, along with sharing their life journey.



SOL President's Retreat





The end of September Dr. Rhine and forty-one individuals (students/staff/faculty) traveled over to Jackpot Ranch in the Verde Valley for a 3- day/ 2-night President's Retreat.

Mission:

Achieve a sense of belonging, become alive to the possibilities beyond your past, and learn to trust and express your authentic self.



Breaking Barriers and Ready to Ride



TRIO Educational Talent Search (ETS TRIO)

On Saturday, September 24, 2022, ETS students from Mayer Middle School attended the Flagstaff Festival of Science. Students visited the Virtual Reality lab at the Cline Library at NAU to tour the Pyramids of Giza and learned to channel their inner Indiana Jones to become virtual archeologists.

Four stations gave students a comprehensive view of the pyramids from a fly over perspective, a tourist tour of the outside and access to the inner chambers of the pyramids.

After enjoying lunch at Wheeler Park in Flagstaff, the students engaged in experiential learning activities at the "Science in the Park" during the festival. ETS middle school students experienced how to hold a cockroach, become a doctor for the day with a clip-on ID, play catch with a robot, race cars using solar power, extract DNA from a strawberry, and much more.























TRIO Student Support Services (SSS TRIO)

On Wednesday, September 28, 2022, SSS TRIO presented <u>THE Wizardry of Studying Workshop</u> connecting students on the Verde Valley and Prescott Campuses via Zoom. Students learned tips and tricks to plan study time proactively around a syllabus aligned with their learning styles in addition to when and how they learn best whether auditory, visual, or tactile. Students also learned to use tools such as Microsoft Planner for time management and Immersive Reader for auditory learning to adapt technology to their approach to studying.



Verde Valley students, TC Reinholtz and Maddie Hart, with co-facilitator SSS TRIO Advisor Carolyn Heath.



Co-facilitator, SSS TRIO Advisor Carol Beard, with student Rebecca Beller on the Prescott Campus.



YC Food Pantry

Yavapai College Food Pantry has partnered with St. Mary's Food Bank and is now receiving monthly deliveries to redistribute to our students. An overabundance of food was delivered in October and the Food Pantry, redistributed the bulk potatoes, onions and carrots to Meals on Wheels and the Hungry Kids Project in Chino Valley.



Student worker, Aryanna Petrillo-Lara, helps sort and put away food donated by the United Methodist Church of Prescott.

Residence Life

