

# District Governing Board Highlights

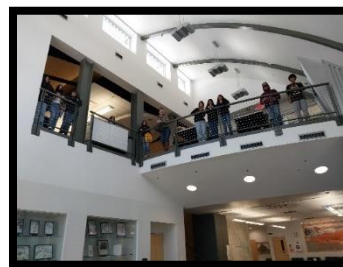
## February 2024

### Recruitment

YC's Recruitment Team duo James Herrera and Santana Alvarado teamed up for presentations and tables at 6 Arizona high schools. The Recruitment Team presented information on Yavapai College Degree and Certificate Programs at 10 Prescott and Verde Valley charter schools.



Recruitment coordinated tours on all 6 YC campuses this month. In February, 252 individuals participated in tours which included families, high school and Early College students.



Recruitment provided assistance and gave presentations with internal and local area community events, including DES, NACOG, Prescott Youth Council, Prescott Area Women's Shelter, FMI Mining Day, YC's CNT Night, and CTEC's CTE Day.



## Veteran's Services

YC Student Veterans Association hosted a bowling day at Antelope Lanes on February 17<sup>th</sup>. 17 participants including students and their families had fun bowling and eating pizza. Everyone had a great time and Scott Nardo, Veterans Education and Transitions Manager, had two strikes!



## YC Veteran's Night at Culver's

YC Student Veterans Association raised over \$300 helping to provide activities in the semester for veterans. These activities help build camaraderie and peer mentorship.



Left to right – Scott Nardo, Brandy Rivas, Jaime Oltersdorf, Tim Petarra, Jesse Fabrick.



Tim Petarra, First Generation Coordinator and student veteran, Jesse Fabrick.



Student Brandy Rivas, SVA Secretary and Tim Petarra having fun while raising money at Culver's.

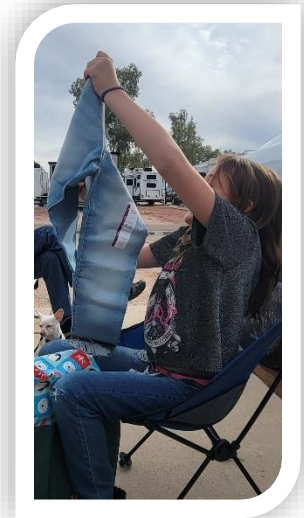
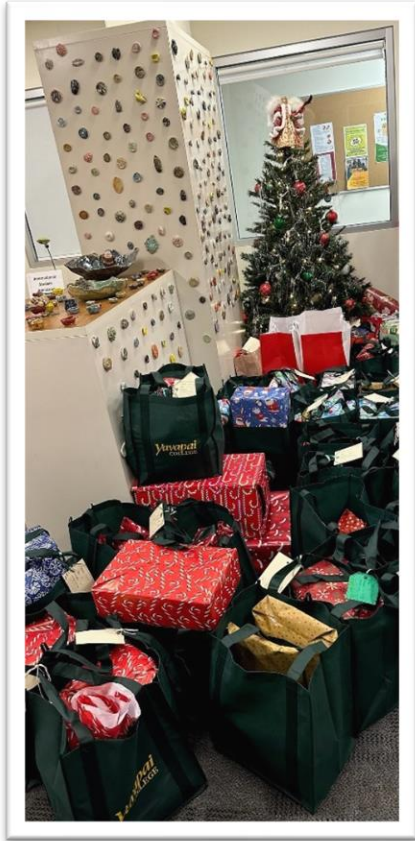


Scott Nardo, Manager, Veterans Education & Transition Services and Jesse Fabrick.

## YC Food Pantry

Over the holidays the Yavapai College Food Pantry partnered with the YC Staff Association to provide holiday food boxes and Angel Tree gifts to our students in need. Through the generosity of YC staff, we were able to provide gifts for 40 children.

Just two weeks prior to a student picking up his food box and presents for his daughter, her bike was stolen off their patio. The generosity of YC staff made it possible for this 8-year-old to receive a brand-new bike for Christmas.



## SSS TRIO

On February 17<sup>th</sup>, Arizona State University hosted an Open Door Day on their Polytechnic Campus in Mesa. Students explored the campus and learned about studies in interdisciplinary sciences, engineering, management, technology, and education.



SSS hosted our Spring Kick off on February 23<sup>rd</sup>. The SSS students engaged with a wide range of soft skill topics and learned how to navigate the Financial Aid system.



# DRUG & ALCOHOL PREVENTION

This January, Kellie Porter and Monica Belknap attended the NASPA Strategies conference in San Francisco. This conference focuses on obtaining skills to aid and address alcohol and drug abuse prevention, mental health, sexual violence prevention and response, and well-being



**WE'RE HIRING  
STUDENT WORKERS!**

**Student Peer Education Coordinator**

- ENGAGEMENT IN HEALTH & WELLNESS CLUB
- PEER EDUCATION TO FELLOW YC STUDENTS
- ASSIST IN PLANNING, COORDINATION, AND PROMOTION OF STUDENT HEALTH & PREVENTION EVENTS AND OUTREACH
- WORKING WITH THE OFFICE OF DRUG AND ALCOHOL PREVENTION

APPLY HERE:

Office of Drug and Alcohol Prevention | [www.yc.edu/human-resources/jobs](http://www.yc.edu/human-resources/jobs)

The poster features an illustration of four diverse young adults (two women and two men) standing together. Below the illustration is a green banner with the text "WE'RE HIRING STUDENT WORKERS!". Underneath the banner, the job title "Student Peer Education Coordinator" is listed, followed by a bulleted list of responsibilities. To the right of the list is a QR code labeled "APPLY HERE:". At the bottom of the poster, the contact information for the Office of Drug and Alcohol Prevention is provided.

We are expanding! Our search for student workers is underway we already have many eager candidates. We are excited to begin our interview process.