

## District Governing Board Highlights

August 2025

### **Student Engagement and Leadership (SEL)**

Welcome Back Roughriders!

Roughrider Ambassadors, along with YC staff and faculty, gave a warm welcome to students returning to campuses and centers across the county. The excitement was undeniable! Classrooms are full, professors are energized, and students are eager to connect and get involved!

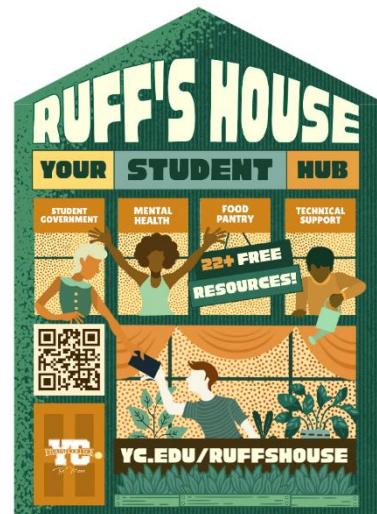


### ***Facelift for “RUFF’s House”***

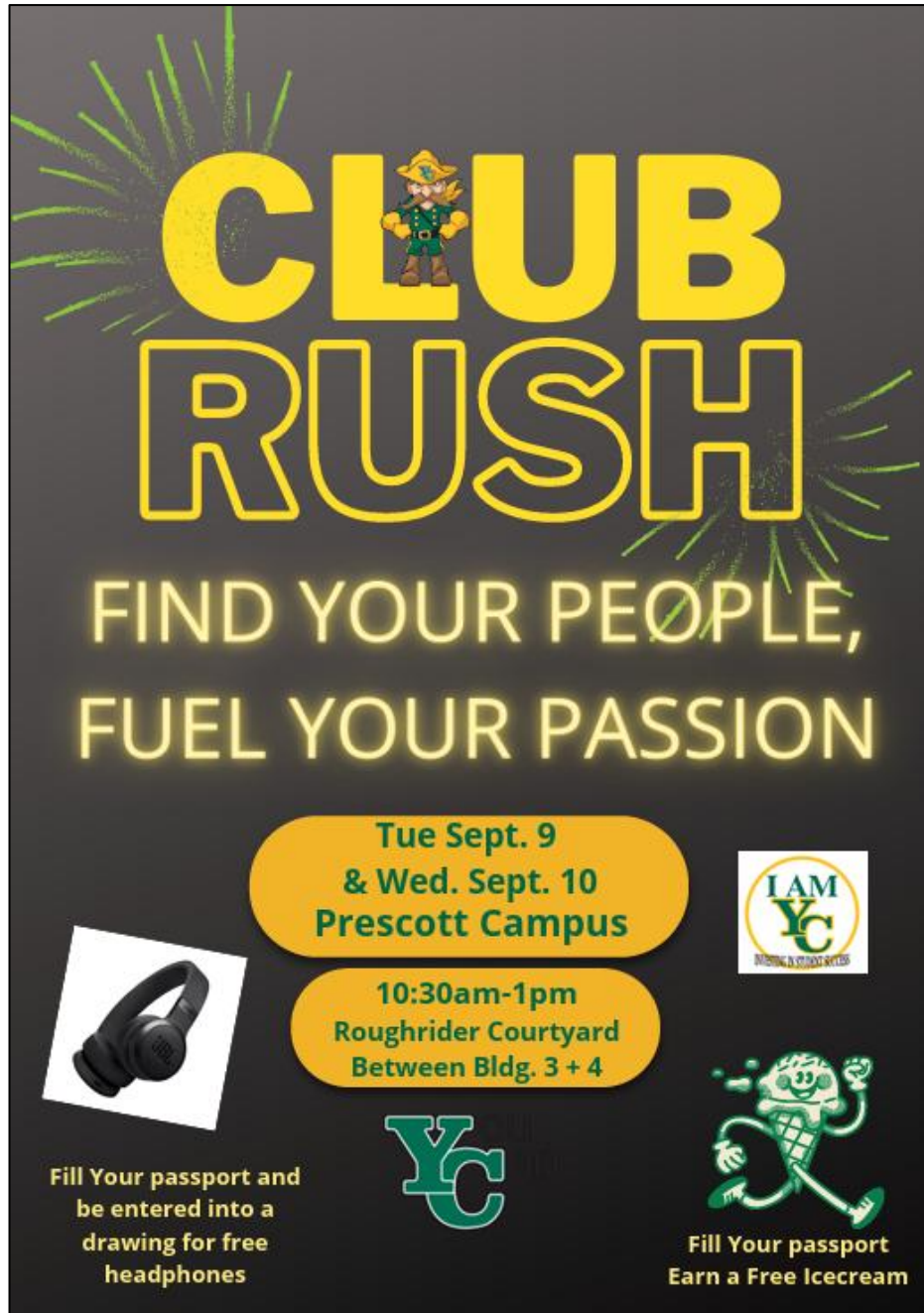
YOUR Student Hub, ‘Ruff’s House,’ got a fresh new look over the summer. Students can easily access their dashboard from any device, making it simple to stay connected. This tool meets students where they are, providing quick access to activities, events, and all the FREE resources YC offers to support their success.

#### ***Some Featured Events***

- Athletic Sports – “Game Day”
- SGA & Vets – “Unheard 22”
- YCSGA – “Senate Elections”
- YC Food Pantries - “Food Share”
- SEL events – “Club Rush” and “Halloween Fest”
- REDC – “Job Fair”



Club RUSH will be in the upper quad on September 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>.




**CLUB  
RUSH**




FIND YOUR PEOPLE,  
FUEL YOUR PASSION

**Tue Sept. 9  
& Wed. Sept. 10  
Prescott Campus**

**10:30am-1pm  
Roughrider Courtyard  
Between Bldg. 3 + 4**



Fill Your passport and  
be entered into a  
drawing for free  
headphones



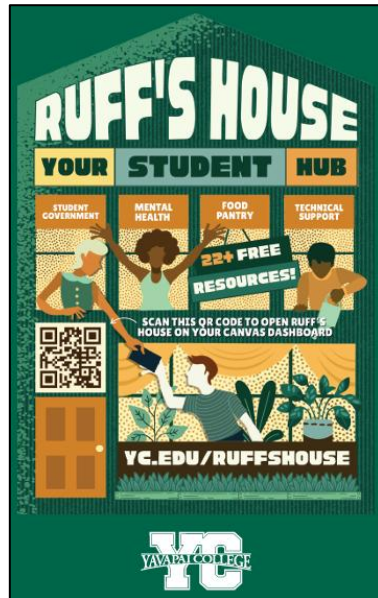
Fill Your passport  
Earn a Free Icecream

# Student Government Association (SGA)

## FREE Resources Initiative Roll Out

The **FREE** Resources Initiative, sponsored by SGA, highlights valuable student services each month. This month is all about

**“GETTING CONNECTED”** to Ruff’s House, Library Resources, Tutoring Services, Disability Resources. Partnering with YC Marketing team these services/resources are being promoted through social media, fliers, handouts, and videos.



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<b>Academic Advising</b> Email: advising@yc.edu YC.EDU/ADVISING Prescott Campus: Bldg. 1, Lobby (928) 776-2106 Verde Valley Campus: Bldg. I (928) 634-6510	<b>Crisis Support</b> YC.EDU/CRISIS For Immediate Support Call 988 NAZCare Crisis Warm Line (888) 404-5530 <b>Mental Health Counseling</b> YC.EDU/COUNSELING Email: StudentWellness@yc.edu
<b>Disability Resources</b> Email: disabilityresources@yc.edu YC.EDU/DR Prescott Campus: Bldg. 1, Rm. 207 (928) 634-6567 Verde Valley Campus: Bldg. M, Rm. 111B (928) 634-6567	<b>Basic Needs Support</b> YC.EDU/BASICNEEDS Email: strongfoundations@yc.edu (928) 776-2093
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<b>Tutoring Services</b> YC.EDU/TUTORING Prescott Campus: Bldg. 1, Rm. 207 (928) 776-2095 Verde Valley Campus: Bldg. M, CLI (928) 634-6562	<b>Drug &amp; Alcohol Support</b> YC.EDU/DRUGALCOHOL (928) 771-6183
<b>Library Services</b> Email: library@yc.edu YC.EDU/LIBRARY Prescott Campus: Bldg. 3, Rm. 105 (928) 776-2260 Verde Valley Campus: Bldg. M, CLI (928) 634-6541	<b>Victim Advocacy</b> YC.EDU/COLLEGEPOLICE (928) 717-7331
<b>Testing Services</b> Email: testing@yc.edu YC.EDU/TESTING Prescott Campus: Bldg. 1, Rm. 217 (928) 776-2200 Verde Valley Campus: Bldg. I, Rm. 120 (928) 634-6561	<b>Ruff's Closet</b> YC.EDU/CLOSET Prescott Campus: Bldg. 3, Rm. 125A (928) 771-7198
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<b>YC Pipeline AZ, Career Exploration</b> YC.PIPELINEAZ.COM	<b>Sexual Misconduct/Discrimination/Harassment</b> YC.EDU/779 (928) 776-2211
<b>YC.EDU/RESOURCES</b> All Resources and Services are <b>FREE!</b>	

## Senate Elections



The Student Government Association opened the applications for Campus/Center Senate Representatives on September 5<sup>th</sup> with a deadline of September 25<sup>th</sup>. YC Student Body will be voting for their primary campus/center representative for two weeks starting October 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Updates to come next month with the results.**



Checkout SGA Leadership Team Welcoming Students Back to YC:

[www.yc.edu/ycsga](http://www.yc.edu/ycsga)



## **Students of Leadership (SOL)**

The SOL Meet and Greet welcomed students into the new year of the Students of Leadership program with food, community, and inspiration. Students connected with their Phoenix Nests, met supportive faculty and staff, and heard from Yavapai College leaders including President Dr. Lisa Rhine and Associate Vice President Tania Sheldahl. The event highlighted the vision of SOL, introduced new opportunities like the Leadership Sandbox and Badge Tracker, and built excitement for the upcoming President's Retreat. Through team building, storytelling, and shared goals, students began their journey toward growth, connection, and authentic leadership.



## **Recruitment**

High School Visits: YC's Recruitment Team attended 35 career and college fairs across Arizona, including Highland, Gilbert Classical Academy, Gilbert, Queen Creek, Casteel, Chandler, Cactus, Thunderbird, Ridgeline, Wickenburg, and Westpoint, among many others. These visits generated 848 new YC prospects in August 2025!



Summer and Amanda  
and Casteel and  
Mesquite High  
Schools.



**Tim at Verrado High School**



**Amanda at Perry High School**



**Tim and Summer at Ironwood High School**



Recruitment coordinated and assisted with tours on all 6 YC campuses and centers. The team provided tours for 87 individuals during August 2025.

Tours included individual or family tours, high school group tours, and YC Athletic tours.

**Camp Honor Group Tour & Game Time**





## Recruitment Internal & External Community Events

### Prescott Open House



### Prescott Valley Open House



### Verde Open House



**Prescott Public Library Event**



**US Vets Horses with heart Event**



**Recruitment at GED Graduation**



**Recruitment celebrated most served at the  
Yavapalooza tent with pizza and the winning trophy!**





## **Basic Needs**

The Basic Needs Office Was the recipient of a \$6,000 Grant from the Arizona Community Foundation and an additional \$6,000 from the Burton Family Foundation to assist students with housing insecurities!



Basic Needs and the Food Pantry participated in the New Student Orientations in August.



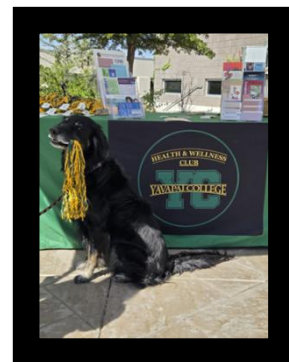
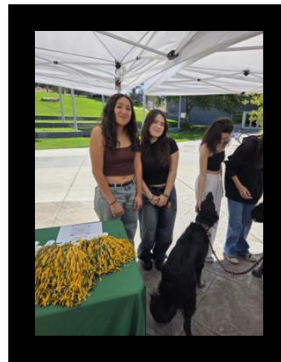


## Drug & Alcohol Prevention

From the very first week of the semester, the Drug and Alcohol Prevention team has been actively engaging students—sparking meaningful conversations, building connections, and helping set a positive tone for the fall.

We were proud to take part in this year's New Student Orientation, with an assist from Campus Safety we handed out resources and swag that support a safe and healthy campus community.

We kicked off the first week of the semester by welcoming students back with a tabling event in the quad outside Building 3! From swag and helpful resources to therapy dogs (and plenty of smiles), the event was all about starting the semester with connection and support.



For Overdose Awareness Day on August 26, our Specialist, Eric, spent time in the campus Eatery talking with students about the risks of opioids and ways to stay safe. Students who stopped by could pick up Narcan and drug disposal kits, giving them practical resources to support their own health and the safety of our community.

We've also been busy creating new content for the YC Prevention Instagram. Throughout the semester, you'll find fresh Level-Up Tip videos, prevention education posts, and details about upcoming events. Don't miss out—scan the QR code to follow along.



Scan me to follow on  
Instagram!!!



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