

# District Governing Board Highlights

## November

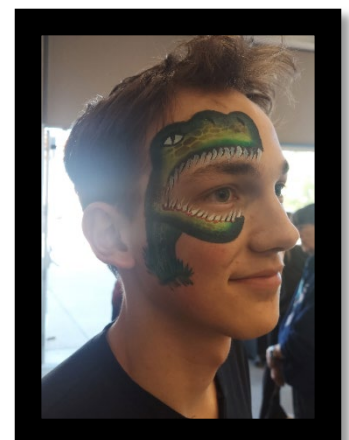
### Strong Foundations

The Strong Foundations Program sponsored a Resource and Wellness Fair on October 18<sup>th</sup> on the Prescott Campus and November 1<sup>st</sup> on the Verde Campus. 24 community partners set up resource tables at each event. Many local organizations were there to discuss resources for mental and community health, transportation, legal services, shelter/housing, domestic violence services, and more.

The face painter, and emotional support dogs were a big hit with the students. Manzanita Outreach distributed approximately 160 boxes of food to students and their families on both campuses. The YC Food Pantry staff distributed snacks and drinks to students.



Theresa Scott, Strong Foundations, Manager



# Red Ribbon Week

The Strong Foundations program and the YC Health and Wellness Club sponsored an informational table for Red Ribbon Week in the Rider Diner the week of 10/23. Red Ribbon Week is a substance and violence prevention and awareness campaign observed annually to increase knowledge of the damaging effects of violence and substance use.



A student tries to function while wearing impairment goggles!



Student Wall - "What does substance-free mean to you"?



Red Ribbon Week Information Table



# Student Engagement and Leadership

## YC Clubs/Organizations

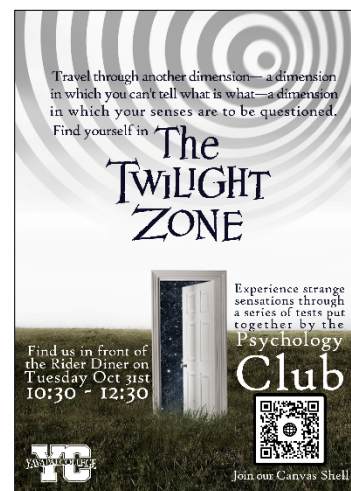
Our newly appointed SEL Specialist, Mary Rizk, took charge of supervising all clubs and organizations. Within her initial 60 days in this role, she has undertaken the task of revising the Club/Org handbook and refreshing the appearance of the website: [www.yc.edu/clubs](http://www.yc.edu/clubs)



During the month of September, an all-inclusive Club meeting was convened to introduce the exciting enhancements Mary has brought to the table. During this meeting, all Clubs and Organizations were encouraged to organize one event for YC students by the end of the academic year. Additionally, Mary made a noteworthy announcement about the return of YAVAPALOOZA in the spring of 2024! Please mark your calendars for April 19<sup>th</sup> on the Prescott Campus – SAVE THE DATE!

## The Twilight Zone on Halloween

The Psychology Club engaged students in the Roughrider Quad on Halloween by experimenting with strange sensations through a series of tasting and visual tests.





## Students of Leadership

### SOL President's Retreat

In early October, the President of our institution, Dr. Lisa Rhine, was accompanied by the largest gathering of SOL Students, Staff, and Faculty at the SOL SUMMIT on Mingus Mountain. This event is a platform for transformation, fostering relationships, and nurturing individual growth.



Mission:

Our mission at this Summit was threefold:

- To attain a profound sense of BELONGING (Base Camp).
- To awaken to the limitless possibilities that exist beyond your past experiences (High Camp).
- To acquire the ability to trust and freely express your authentic self (The Summit).

The outcomes of this experience include:

- Gaining a profound sense of BELONGING.
- Discovering a renewed awareness of the boundless possibilities in life, transcending one's past.
- Developing the capacity to trust in both oneself and others.





# “Sol Summit”



# Yavapai College Student Government Association




**Wake and Take**  
Your YC SGA Executive Team invites you to stop by in the morning...

**Monday, October 16th**  
**Tuesday, October 17th**  
for **FREE DOUGHNUTS!!!**  
Stop by and say HI!

**Monday: 9:00 am- 11:00 am Marapai Hall**  
**Tuesday: 9:00 am - 11:00 am Kachina Hall**

If you liked the doughnuts or have anything you think you YC SGA needs to know please use the QR code below to leave feedback!



## Wake and Take

The YCSGA leadership team surprised the residents in Marapai and Kachina by delivering delicious BOSA donuts! This gesture aimed to establish a connection with the SGA leadership team and provide residents with a QR Code for feedback and facilitate ongoing connection throughout the academic year.



## Meet the SGA Senate for 2023-24



**MEET YOUR 2023-2024 YC SGA SENATORS**



- Online: Gavae Burton
- Prescott/Res Halls: Jessica Lopez
- Prescott Valley: Tammy Brockett
- Chino Valley/CTEC: Kyle Olson
- Sedona/Verde Valley: Brenda McCord

A grand total of 657 votes were cast! The following individuals have been elected as our new senate representatives: are:

- Gavae Burton – Online Senator
- Jessica Lopez – Prescott/Residence Halls Senator
- Tammy Brockett – Prescott Valley Senator
- Kyle Olson – Chino Valley/CTEC Senator
- Brenda McCord – Sedona/Verde Valley Senator

Orientation and Induction happened on Friday, October 20<sup>th</sup>

Check out [www.yc.edu/sga](http://www.yc.edu/sga)



## Student Development's Halloween Costume Contest

On October 31<sup>st</sup>, Student Development staff put on their costumes and came to work! The amazingly creative winners are as follows...

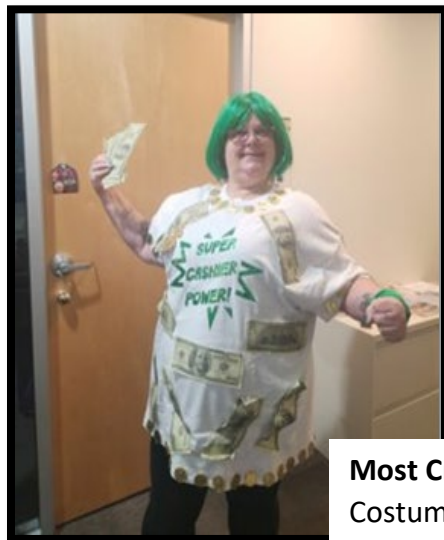
### Prescott:



**Best Costume:** Bat Ma'am.  
Heather Knowles



**Best Group Costume:** Powerpuff Girls -  
Meghan Paquette, Angela Fabela, Jodi Showler

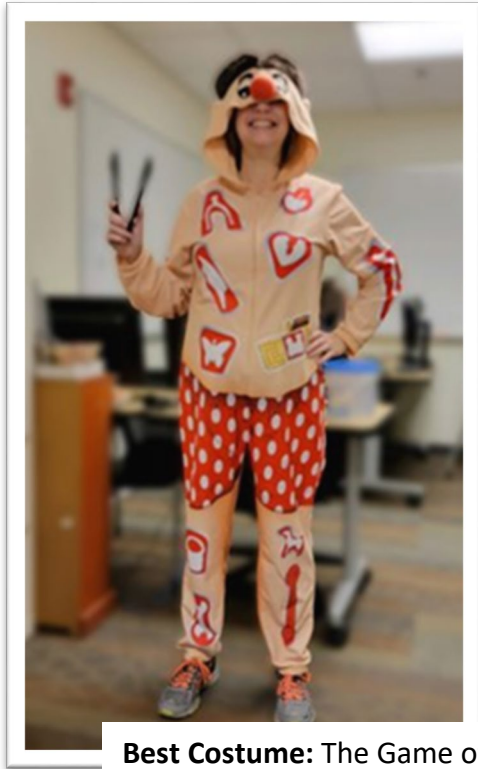


**Most Creative:**  
Costume  
Designer, Jami  
[Name obscured]



**YC Spirit Award:**  
Embodied by Bob  
Hoskovec

**Verde Campus:**

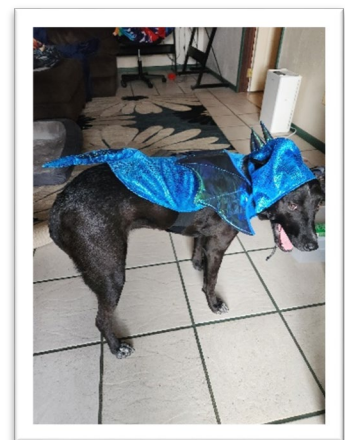
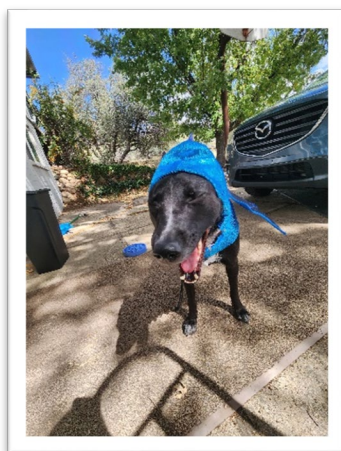
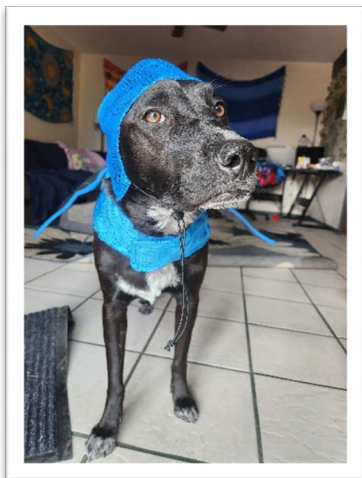


**Best Costume:** The Game of Operation. Kay Rollis



**Best Superhero:** Carolyn Heath

**Best Pet Costume: Lyla the Dragon!**





## Residence Life

# November Fluff

Some of the events that have happened in the Residence Life Halls are:

- Bob Ross Night
- Halloween Contests
- Tea and Treats
- Kahoot Night

