Welcome

The Associated Students Government (ASG) takes great pride in advocating for San Diego City College students in various levels of state and local governments. The purpose of this newsletter is to engage and keep you informed of how the ASG is working for you. We will also highlight important events happening on and/or around the City College campus.

You are invited to visit our office located in D-105 for our weekly Friday meetings at the times listed below.
- Inter-Club Council: 10:00-11:00am
- AS Senate: 11:00am-12:00pm
- ASG Board of Directors: 12:00-1:00pm

All of our meetings are open to the public. Please join us and hear about ongoing matters as it pertains to City College students. Who knows; you may want to get involved too!

In September the ASG paid in advance to go to a conference that takes place every semester called SSCCC General Assembly. SSCCC stands for Student Senate for California Community Colleges and consists of 112 Community Colleges throughout the state of California. At representative colleges attend a or breakouts on from Financial Services in the information college or for City College. workshops or colleges get legislation called resolutions that if passed the SSCCC works on and implements. It’s not stopping there, part of the whole goal of SSCCC is that the ASGs that are there implement what gets passed at the General Assembly back on their individual campuses.

What We Do

The ASG has many standing committees that meet for a variety of reasons: from student scholarships, hosting events on campus, discussing annual budget and modifying our very own constitution. We are your voice in campus committees to ensure that the students' perspectives are included in the campus decisions. Be assured your ASG and Student Affairs Office are committed to serving students all day, every day.

Below are examples of some of the City College events, programs, scholarships, and organizations on campus that ASG has donated, funded, and sponsored.

- Donation of $100 to the ASG Forum
- Donation of $5000 to help rebuild the MLK Parade Float
- Donation and Sponsorship of $200 towards a de-stressor event.

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Aside from outside events like the General Assembly we host or attend events here on campus that stress the importance of speaking up. A Student Leadership Summit took place on November 14th in the CTC or V building on campus. The Summit started at 8:00am and ended around 2:30pm and consisted of different student lead or organized groups on campus coming together to communicate and find ways to better each other's organization. Some of the organizations represented at the event were: ASG, First Year Experience, Inter Club Council and clubs, and Mental Health’s P.E.E.Rs. Of course the event wasn’t just about clubs or student leaders. Different departments, Deans, and even the President of City College himself, President Beebe, showed up to give a short speech on what it is like to be a leader and advice on leading a group of people or an organization. The event itself was well organized by one of the ASG’s Advisors Lori Oldham and some of the members of the ASG.

An ASG Open Forum was another event that was held on campus in MS-162 on Thursday November 20th. The event consisted of some of the executive members of the ASG talking about what the ASG is, does, and what it has done to advocate for the students of City College. The Forum started with Senate Vice President Hani Hussein giving the opening remarks and presenting the other speakers which consisted of the ASG President Laura Benavidez is, how its structured, and them spoke on those topics services offered on campus Center, Mental Health Center, DSPS and other pamphlets containing as the classic speech given to follow that the ASG’s Secretary talked about the steps taken by the ASG towards advocating more for the students at higher levels of government outside of student lead governments or organizations. It wasn’t all about advocacy though. The ASG’s Public Relations officer Alejandra Castellanos talked about the scholarships offered by the ASG, which include scholarships for Single Parents, Social Sciences with an emphasis on Political Science, and General Scholarships that have no extra requirements. The Forum then turned into a Q and A session where the members that spoke answered questions from the audience. The event as a whole was very informational and a good way to show how dedicated this ASG is.