



Student Government Assembly (SGA)

Santa Rosa Junior College (SRJC)

Sonoma County Junior College District (SCJCD)

Spring 2025 | Regular Meeting | Meeting #26

Date: Monday, March 24, 2025 | **Time:** 3:00pm - 5:00pm

Address: 1501 Mendocino Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95401 **Campus:** Santa Rosa

Building: Bertolini (First Floor); **Room:** #4638 (Senate Chambers)

Zoom Link: <https://santarosa-edu.zoom.us/j/88516419729>

Land Acknowledgement: We acknowledge that we gather at Santa Rosa Junior College on the territorial traditional land of the Pomo People in Santa Rosa and the Coast Miwok People in Petaluma, past and present, and honor with gratitude the land itself and the people who have stewarded it throughout the generations. This land acknowledgement calls us to commit to continuing to learn how to be better stewards of the land we inhabit. We recognize that every member of the Santa Rosa Junior College community has benefitted, and continues to benefit, from the use and occupation of this land since the institution's founding in 1918. Consistent with our values of community and diversity, we have a responsibility to acknowledge and make visible the colleges' relationship to Native peoples. By offering this Land Acknowledgement, we affirm Indigenous sovereignty and will work to hold Santa Rosa Junior College more accountable to the needs of American Indian and Indigenous peoples.

Public Resources: SGA agendas are posted online at <https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/current-meeting-materials>

Members of the public wishing to comment on an agenda item or another topic within the jurisdiction of the SGA will be given the opportunity to provide comments via Zoom or may submit public comments via email to zmiranda@santarosa.edu



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Meeting Attendance | Link To Attendance Sheet

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Ds59G3qSHrFaVVnN2_I75yeidlWTQpYuN7ybCTxnTg/edit?usp=sharing

Student Government Assembly Officers:	Attendance:
Student Body President – Ruben Garcia	Present
Executive Vice President of Legislation – Anne Donnelly	Present
Vice President of Finance – Connor Murray	Present
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – Andrew Simmalaychanh	Present
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – Amy Quintas	Present
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – Cynthia Valdivia	Present
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – Matthew Coronado	Late, Present at 3:57 PM
Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa – Tiffany Nguyen	Excused, Absent
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – Emily Marian	Present
Vice President of Diversity – Kaya Clark	Present
Vice President of Student Health – Kathryn Leigh Viduya	Present
Vice President of Sustainability – Aria Balador	Excused, Late, Present at 3:11 PM
Honorary Members:	Attendance:
Student Trustee – Anthony Spinozzi	Present
Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – Diego Lopez	Present

I. Call To Order & Roll Call:

Start Time: 3:05 PM

Quorum: Established with 9/12 present at Roll Call

II. Approval Of The Current Agenda & Past Meeting Minutes (5 minutes):

At this time the SGA may review and approve the Agendas and Minutes, and add amendments as needed.

Reference: <https://studentlife.santarosa.edu/current-meeting-materials>

- A. Current Meeting: Agenda #26
- B. Minutes #24 (3/10/2025)
- C. Minutes #25 (3/13/2025)

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to approve the agenda and past meeting minutes, seconded by Vice President Valdivia

With no objections, the SGA approves the agenda and past meeting minutes

III. Public Comments (3 minutes per speaker, 15 minutes per topic):

At this time, members of the public may address SGA. Members of the public wishing to comment on an agenda item or another topic within the jurisdiction of the SGA will be given the opportunity to provide comments via Zoom or may submit public comments via email to zmiranda@santarosa.edu.

IV. Special Reports:

- A. Swedish Entrepreneur Program from Sven Eriksonsgymnasiet
- B. ASACC National Student Advocacy Conference in Washington D.C.

V. Reports (2 minutes per speaker):

At this time members of the SGA, Assembly Members, and Advisors may report on their activities, status of SGA and Shared Governance committees, and other business related to their positions.

- A. Student Body President – Ruben Garcia
- B. Executive Vice President of Legislation – Anne Donnelly
- C. Vice President of Finance – Connor Murray
- D. Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – Andrew Simmalaychanh
- E. Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – Amy Quintas
- F. Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – Cynthia Valdivia
- G. Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – Matthew Coronado
- H. Vice President of Marketing, Santa Rosa – Tiffany Nguyen
- I. Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – Emily Marian
- J. Vice President of Diversity – Kaya Clark
- K. Vice President of Student Health – Kathryn Leigh Viduya
- L. Vice President of Sustainability – Aria Balador
- M. Student Trustee – Anthony Spinozzi
- N. Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – Diego Lopez
- O. SGA Advisors

VI. Appointments & Removals:

At this time the SGA may appoint, ratify off-schedule appointments, or remove students to/from the SGA, College-Wide Committees, Hiring committees, Ad-Hoc Committees, Internal Committees, Subcommittees, other bodies within their jurisdiction, and other positions/duties as recommended. Any student appointments or removals shall be reported here.

Current Appointment List:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/11sx7WFeXyUugkfXhRUsFjB9HBmlVu1YTc7sJLSGBr38/edit?usp=sharing>

Main District Committee Website: <https://committees.santarosa.edu/>

- A. Regular Shared Governance Meetings and Workgroups
- B. Periodic Shared Governance and Workgroup Meetings
 - 1. Graduation Speaker Committee

- a) Cynthia Valdivia
- b) Anne Donnelly

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to appoint Cynthia Validiva and Anne Donnelly to the Graduation Speaker Committee, seconded by Vice President Viduya

With no objections, the SGA appoints Cynthia Validiva and Anne Donnelly to the Graduation Speaker Committee

- C. District Hiring Committees
 - 1. Director, Human Resources
 - a) Emily Marian

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to appoint Emily Marian to the Director, Human Resources Hiring Committee, seconded by Vice President Donnelly

With no objections, the SGA appoints Emily Marian to the Director, Human Resources Hiring Committee

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to move into New Business Item E, seconded by Vice President Viduya

With no objections, the SGA moves into New Business Item E

VII. Old Business:

Motion by Vice President Coronado to approve Old Business Item A, seconded by Vice President Murray

- A. A motion may come forward to send 2 students (prioritizing new members or members looking to return to SGA next year) to participate in SSSCC- General Assembly in addition to our two representatives sponsored by SSSCC: Anne Donnelly and Ruben Garcia.

Lead: Ruben Garcia

Students: *Matthew Coronado, Anthony Spinozzi (Amended in Meeting #24)*

Cost: \$1,600 each - \$4,800 for 2 students and 1 advisor

Budget Line: *Split between Retreats, Conferences, & Travel, Discretionary, and Student Life - Santa Rosa (Amended in Meeting #24)*

More Details: <https://ssccc.org/get-involved/events/general-assembly-2025/2025-general-assembly.html>

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to postpone Old Business Item A indefinitely, seconded by Vice President Marian

Advisory Vote:

HONORARY MEMBERS:	Vote:
Student Trustee – Anthony Spinozzi	Yes
Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – Diego Lopez	Abstain

Official Vote:

OFFICERS:	Vote:
Executive Vice President of Legislation – Anne Donnelly	Yes
Vice President of Finance – Connor Murray	Yes
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – Andrew Simmalaychanh	Yes
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – Amy Quintas	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – Cynthia Valdivia	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – Matthew Coronado	Yes
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – Emily Marian	Yes

Vice President of Diversity – Kaya Clark	Yes
Vice President of Student Health – Kathryn Leigh Viduya	Yes
Vice President of Sustainability – Aria Balador	Yes

SGA postpones Old Business Item A indefinitely with a vote of 10-0-0

VIII. New Business:

Motion by Vice President Marian to approve New Business Item A, seconded by Vice President Simmalaychanh

A. A motion may come forward to approve funds to purchase new gavels for ICC, SGA, and other committees

Lead: Andrew Simmalaychanh

Cost: \$50

Budget Line: Discretionary

Motion by Vice President Donnelly to postpone New Business Item A until next meeting, seconded by Vice President Simmalaychanh

With no objections, the SGA postpones New Business Item A until next meeting

Motion by Vice President Coronado to move into Old Business Item A, seconded by Vice President Murray

*****With no objections, the SGA moves into Old Business Item A*****

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to approve New Business Item B, seconded by Vice President Viduya

B. A motion may come forward to approve funds to purchase graduation regalia (stoles, cords, etc.) for current SGA members.

Lead: Andrew Simmalaychanh

Cost: \$200

Budget Line:

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to postpone New Business Item B until next meeting, seconded by Vice President Marian

With no objections, the SGA postpones New Business Item B until next meeting

Motion by Vice President Marian to move into New Business Item A, seconded by Vice President Simmalaychanh

*****With no objections, the SGA moves into New Business Item A*****

Motion by Vice President Murray to approve New Business Item C, seconded by Vice President Simmalaychanh

C. A motion may come forward to approve funds to promote the Finance & Benefits Committee and Cub Card Premium.

Lead: Connor Murray

Cost: \$150

Budget Line: Marketing

Vote to approve New Business Item C:

Advisory Vote:

HONORARY MEMBERS:	Vote:
Student Trustee – Anthony Spinozzi	Yes
Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – Diego Lopez	Yes

Official Vote:

OFFICERS:	Vote:
Executive Vice President of Legislation – Anne Donnelly	Yes
Vice President of Finance – Connor Murray	Yes
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – Andrew Simmalaychanh	Yes
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – Amy Quintas	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – Cynthia Valdivia	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – Matthew Coronado	Yes
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – Emily Marian	Yes
Vice President of Diversity – Kaya Clark	Yes
Vice President of Student Health – Kathryn Leigh Viduya	Yes
Vice President of Sustainability – Aria Balador	Yes

SGA approves New Business Item C with a vote of 10-0-0

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to move into New Business Item B, seconded by Vice President Viduya

With no objections, the SGA moves into New Business Item B

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to approve New Business Item D, seconded by Vice President Viduya

D. A motion may come forward to approve funds to purchase storage containers and label tape for the SGA office.

Lead: Joshua Pinaula

Cost: \$450

Budget Line: Office Supplies

During discussion Anne Donnelly and Cynthia Valdivia committed to supporting the organization of the SGA storage spaces

Vote to approve New Business Item D:

Advisory Vote:

HONORARY MEMBERS:	Vote:
Student Trustee – Anthony Spinozzi	Yes
Assembly Member of Disability Affairs – Diego Lopez	Yes

Official Vote:

OFFICERS:	Vote:
Executive Vice President of Legislation – Anne Donnelly	Yes
Vice President of Finance – Connor Murray	Yes
Vice President of Clubs, Santa Rosa – Andrew Simmalaychanh	No
Vice President of Clubs, Petaluma – Amy Quintas	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Santa Rosa – Cynthia Valdivia	Yes
Vice President of Student Life, Petaluma – Matthew Coronado	No
Vice President of Marketing, Petaluma – Emily Marian	Yes
Vice President of Diversity – Kaya Clark	Yes
Vice President of Student Health – Kathryn Leigh Viduya	Yes
Vice President of Sustainability – Aria Balador	Yes

SGA approves New Business Item D with a vote of 8-2-0

*****Motion by Vice President Murray to move into New Business Item C, seconded by Vice President Simmalaychanh*****

*****With no objections, the SGA moves into New Business Item C*****

Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to approve New Business Item E, seconded by Vice President Viduya

E. A motion may come forward to approve SGA Sponsorship of the Spring Wellness Fair

Lead: Kathryn Leigh Viduya

Additional Details:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1WEUZdQCBm0ILbTs1_1Av5AJVBV0N4iMu/view?usp=sharing

Vote to approve New Business Item E:

With no objections, the SGA approves New Business Item E

*****Motion by Vice President Simmalaychanh to move into New Business Item D, seconded by Vice President Viduya*****

*****With no objections, the SGA moves into New Business Item D*****

IX. Communications From The Floor:

At this time, members of SGA may address concerns and any items not on the current agenda, in addition to recommending new agenda items.

X. Adjournment & End Time: With no objections, the SGA adjourns the meeting at 4:35 PM