

# Associated Students of Cuesta College Senate Agenda

Tuesday, January 28, 2025 | 2:30 pm

In Building 5400, Room 5402 San Luis Obispo Campus Highway 1, San Luis Obispo, California

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(Chair)  Conner Rocha Publicity Director	<b>Emily Jauregui</b> Clubs Director	Yanelly Cardenas Senator	<b>Camila Murillo</b> Senator		
<b>Carson Waldram</b> Vice President	<b>Cole Eisenbrand</b> North County Director	<b>Marcella</b> <b>Fabre</b> Senator	Tiffany Pineda Senator Isaac		
Joseph Brocar Chief Justice	Andy Garcia Mora	<b>Justin</b> <b>Milton</b> Senator	<b>Pummill</b> Senator		
	Finance Director				

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## Meeting 1/28/2025

Agenda Items	Time	Notes	
1. Call to Order a)	1 min		
2. Adoption of the Agenda a)	1 min		
3. Approval of Minutes a)	1 min		
4. Public Comment a)	5 min		
5. Unfinished Business a)	6 min		
a) STEM Club Proposal a. ASCC will receive a presentation from STEM Club President Ava Martinez and may take action on a funding proposal NTE \$3,000. b) Student Engagement & Athletics a. ASCC will receive a presentation from Senator Axel Reich on increasing student engagement at athletic events and may take action on funding initiatives NTE \$1,000.			
7. Appointment and Reports  a) Hiring Committees:  i. Director of Financial Aid and Support Programs  i. Planning Meeting:  1/29/25 3:30 to  4:30 pm, zoom  ii. Screen: 3/3 – 3/17	20 min		

iii. Meeting to select: 3/18/24 2:15 pm to 3:30 pm, zoom

iv. Interviews: 3/25 8-5, zoom

b) Standing Committees:

1)Board of Trustees: Lucia Landeros

2)College Council: Carson Waldram

3)Online Education: Axel

Reich

4)Strategic Planning: Isaac Pummill

5)Technology and Web: Marcella Fabre

6)Enrollment Management: Conner Rocha

7)Employee Wellness: Cole Eisenbrand

8)Academic Senate: Lucia Landeros

9)Book of the Year: Andonis Petroutsas

10)Curriculum: Justin Milton

11)Institutional Program Plan and Review

12)Planning and Budget: Andy Garcia-Mora

13)Campus Safety: Aubrie Kirkby-Tatro

14)Accreditation Steering: Seth Boyer

15)Scholarship: Yanelly Cardenas

16)Equity and

Student Success: Emily Jauregui

17) Foundation: Joseph Brocar

b) Task Forces & Other 1)Public Arts

i. Joey Brocar

2)Citizens Bond Oversight

i. Andy Garcia-Mora

3) Educational Master Plan

i. Tiffany Pineda	
8. Advisor Reports a)	5 min
9. Adjournment	1 min

## **Next Senate Meeting: February 11, 2025**

The next scheduled ASCC meeting will be located in SLO Campus Building 5400 room 5402.

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President: Ava Martinez Vice President: Bridget Swanson

#### STEM Club Cost Proposal - Spring 2025

**Asking for:** \$3000 - To cover the cost of spring semester <u>field trips</u>, and <u>food</u> for students \*NTE:\$3,500

*Note*: Fundraising money is being used to cover the cost of *all* spring experiments and demonstrations, as well as the entry fee for one of the field trips

#### **Field Trip Interest and Attendance:**

Stanford Linear Accelerator - Fall 2024:

25 max students allowed, 38 students signed up - 13 students did not get to go

Monterey Bay Aquarium - Spring 2025:

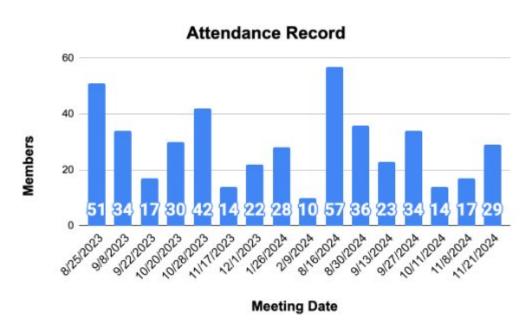
35 students signed up & attended

Diablo Canyon Power Plant - Spring 2025:

30 students signed up & attended

Gladiator Paintball Park - Spring 2025:

35 students attended



Average number of students per meeting during Fall 2024: 30

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#### **Expenses:**

#### **Field Trips:**

1. Vandenberg Space Force Base - April 23rd:

#### <u>Transportation for 26-40 Students:</u>

SLO Safe Ride Charter Bus Quote:

Vehicle: 55-Passenger Prevost Motor Coach

**Price Per Vehicle:** \$1,870.00 **Hours:** 10:00 am - 4:00 pm

*Note*: This is the cheapest option after consulting with three other companies

#### Entry Fee for 40 Students:

Free

#### Lunch for 40 Students:

Students will pack their own lunch

2. Downing Planetarium at Fresno State - February 22nd:

#### <u>Transportation for 30 Students:</u>

- Parking: free on weekends
- Carpooling with other students, 6 cars, 5 people in each

Gas Reimbursement:

Average MPG = 27.5 mpg. 344 miles to destination and back = 12.5 gallons 12.5 gallons x \$5 per gallon x 6 cars = \$375

#### Entry Fee for 30 Students:

 $6 \operatorname{each} x 30 = 180$ 

Paid for by fundraising money

#### <u>Lunch for 30 students:</u>

In n Out: Cheeseburger combo = \$10 after tax

 $$10 \times 30 = $300$ 

3. Tour of Promega Corporation, San Luis Obispo - March 17th:

Free tour, no transportation costs, lunch not provided

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#### **Experiments/ Demonstrations:**

- Heart dissection demo February 21st
   \$19.95 on Amazon Paid for by fundraiser money
- Liquid Nitrogen Superconductor Experiment April 11th Paid for by Physical Sciences Department
- 3. Drone Obstacle Course Building Challenge February 28th \$30 for 2 drones Paid for by fundraiser money
- 4. Invisibility shields March 14th Paid for by fundraiser money

#### Food:

1. Pizza (for half the meetings) - Feb. 28th, Mar. 21st, Apr. 25th, May 9th

Costco 18" pizza (feeds 6 people)	\$9.95 per pizza
40 students (average) / 6 = 6.7 pizzas per meeting. = 7 pizzas per meeting	\$69.65 per meeting
7 Pizzas x 4 meetings	\$278 for 4 meetings
	Total pizza cost: \$278

2. Snacks (chips, cookies) - Jan. 31st, Feb 21st, Mar. 14th, Apr. 11th

Costco variety chips: \$23

Cookies: \$10

Total snack cost:  $$33 \times 4 \text{ meetings} = $134$ 

#### **Fundraisers and Income:**

#### Fall 2024:

- Panda Express Fundraiser: Raised \$68.52 (Check still pending)
- Donations: \$25
- Raised \$74 selling STEM Club merchandise

Spring 2025: (Planned)

- Selling more STEM Club merchandise (hoodies, sweatshirts): Estimating \$160
- Crowdfunding page: TBA
- Pizza Republic Fundraiser: TBA (Note: would not get the funds until Fall 2025)

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### **Conclusion:**

The highlighted expenses are ones we do not currently have the funds to cover. Total expenses highlighted added up = \$2957

The STEM Club is asking for \$3000 to cover the discussed expenses.

We are asking for a **minimum of \$2500** to cover at least transportation to both out of town field trips, and pizza for our meetings.

Thank you,

- The Cuesta College STEM Club