



Student Veteran Services Newsletter

April 2021 Edition

GREETINGS!

We have made it to the final stretch with just over a month left until the end of the semester. I am personally thrilled that the days are getting longer and we are seeing more warm weather. I hope you have had ample opportunities to enjoy the sunshine from the past few weeks.

Although we are nearing the end, there is still a lot going on in the next month. Keep an eye on the [SVRC Events Calendar](#) and watch for emails from me for upcoming events and opportunities.

As of right now, the University plans to hold most classes (80%) on campus in the Fall. I look forward to having folks back on campus and back in the SVRC! Please continue to [do your part](#) in preventing the spread of COVID-19 - our efforts are integral to getting back on campus.

As always, I am [here](#) if there's anything you need!

Best wishes,

Jennifer

FREE COFFEE

There are **FREE COFFEE CARDS** available for pick up in the SVRC. Stop by the SVRC to get yours! Each card will "purchase" a 12oz cup of drip coffee from Crossroads Coffee House on the first floor of the Plemmons Student Union (PSU).

If you haven't visited the SVRC yet you can find us in Suite 251 of the PSU. Feel free to call 828.262.2722 if you need directions!

UPCOMING EVENTS

April 1 - 15:
(various times) **Early Registration Period**
Priority Registration: April 6

April 8:
(12:30 PM) **Your Emotional Ruck**
([Register](#))

April 18:
(7:00 PM) **SVA Monthly Meeting**
([ZOOM](#))

April 29:
(10:00 AM) **NC STRIVE: Whole Health and**
Wellness ([Watch](#))

April 29:
(ALL DAY) **Reading Day**

Every Wednesday **Library Hour in the SVRC**
(1:00 PM) **(Q&A, Research Help, Etc.)**

Additional events and info are posted on the [SVS calendar](#).

GI Bill® Reminder

Don't forget to complete your online certification request form for summer and/or fall!

You should complete the form as soon as you register for classes. We have already added the forms for both summer and fall, so you are good to go as soon as you register. The forms are linked to your AppalNet account, or they can be accessed directly via this [link](#) (login required).

If you do not plan to enroll in summer (or use benefits) simply answer "NO" to the first question (the same applies if you are graduating).

ACADEMIC RESOURCES

As we approach the final exam period, we have a plethora of academic support resources available to help you finish strong. Our academic support network is READY to assist with all your needs.

Here are a few of the many services available to you FREE of charge:

Student Learning Center

- [Tutoring Services](#)
- [Learning Labs](#)
- [Study Strategies](#)
- [Personal Consultations](#)
- **[Advising FAQ](#) - This resource is relevant right now - please check it out.**

University Writing Center

Office of Student Success / Student Resources

Belk Library & Information Commons

- [Library Guide for Student Veterans](#)



Visit our [Engage site](#) to learn more!
You can also [email us](#) to get involved!

Student Government Association (SGA)

The Student Veteran seat in SGA is vacant. Please [reach out](#) if you are interested in representing the student veteran community in SGA.

It is **SCHOLARSHIP** season!

Seek them out and APPLY!

PRIORITY REGISTRATION

Early registration is open from April 1 - 5 for graduate students and seniors.

Priority registration opens for student veterans on Tuesday, April 6. Juniors register at 8am, Sophomores at 11am, and Freshman at 2pm. If you don't have your priority registration PIN, you need to contact your advisor ASAP.

For more information about the registration process, visit the [Registrar's website](#).

GRADUATION

If this is your final semester, it is time to start planning for graduation and beyond. Here are a few things to keep in mind:

- [Update your Resume](#)
- [Apply for Graduation](#)
- [Start your Job/Internship Search](#)

We also offer all graduating student veterans a red, white, and blue honor cord. I'll send more info about honor cords soon!

MIDTERM GRADE REPORTS

Midterm Grade Reports went out to faculty on March 15. This program, administered through the Support Services area of the [Student Learning Center](#) and the [Office of Student Success](#), provides a mechanism for collecting faculty feedback at the midpoint of the semester. We will share faculty feedback with you via emails from vetmgr@appstate.edu.

Vaccine Clinics

As noted on Tuesday, AppHealthCare, our local public health department, has opened vaccine eligibility to all adults in our area. If you would like to receive the vaccine, you can check [this site](#) for available appointments. Time slots are added as vaccine doses are made available to the University. My husband and I received our vaccines last Thursday and the process was very easy.