



Student Veteran Services Newsletter

March 2021 Edition

GREETINGS!

How can it already be MARCH?!?!?!?!?

As we are approaching the midpoint of the semester, I continue to hope your classes are going well. If you are having any difficulties, please reach out and I will help you in every way I can. Please see page 2 for information about support resources we have on campus!

There's a lot going on in the next couple of months. First, it is time to schedule advising. As student veterans, you qualify for priority registration, but you cannot take advantage of that opportunity without meeting with your advisor to get your PIN number. Please let me know if you need assistance with scheduling advising.

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

Best wishes,

Jennifer

iBackApp 2021

Student Veteran Services is **CALLING ALL DONORS** for **iBackApp Day!**

Thursday, March 4, 2021 is Appalachian's single largest fundraising day, **iBackApp Day**. This year, the **SVRC** is a featured office, meaning donors can make contributions directly to us! If you have friends or family who would like to support our mission, please encourage them to visit our [fundraising page](#) and to participate in iBackApp.

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 15:
(5:00 PM)

SVA Logo Contest Ends!
(Submit your DESIGN)

March 16:
(12:30 PM)

Grad School Info Session
(ZOOM)

March 21:
(7:00 PM)

SVA Monthly Meeting
(ZOOM)

March 30:
(11:00 AM)

NC STRIVE: Employment (Watch)
Career Fair @ 11 (Register)

April 1 - 15:
(various times)

Priority Registration Period

Every Wednesday
(1:00 PM)

Library Hour in the SVRC
(**Q&A, Research Help, Etc.**)

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



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ACADEMIC RESOURCES

As mentioned last month, we have a plethora of academic support resources. If you feel like you could use some additional support, if you are struggling to find a comfortable rhythm, or if you just need pointers for studying, conducting research, or writing papers - have no fear! Our academic support network is STRONG and 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

As noted above, all of the services listed here are **FREE**, and I encourage you to look into them when/if they are needed.

GET "YOSEF" SOME SVA MERCH

We have the following items currently available:

- **Camo SVA Koozies - \$5**
- **T-Shirts - \$20 (small & medium only)**
- **Decals - \$5**



Don't forget! We will be having a Contest to select the next SVA Logo/T-Shirt Design
(Submit YOUR design [HERE](#))

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!

GRADUATION

If this is your final semester, it is not too soon 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 in the coming weeks!

MIDTERM GRADE REPORTS

Midterm Grade Reports will go 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. This feedback serves as a way for us to offer kudos for a job well done or providing targeted support, encouragement, or improvement strategies for students who may be struggling.

It is SCHOLARSHIP season!

Seek them out and APPLY!