



FALL 2026 STUDENT ACTIVITIES – **FREE** EVENTS!

Events are typically during activity hours on Mondays and Wednesdays from 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
Check below for specific days and start times. Questions? Please contact Ana Salgado at ana.s.salgado@svcc.edu or visit 1F19.

AUGUST	Mon. Aug. 17 	FREE Caricatures by Artist Kevin Berg - The Student Activities Office & the Student Government Association welcome Sauk students with FREE caricatures (first come, first-served). 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. in the West Mall. SVCC STUDENTS/STAFF ONLY!
	Wed. Aug. 19 	SGA Meet & Greet: Live Music, Free Ice Cream & DIY Trucker Hats - Meet your SGA officers face-to-face to shape campus life and listen to live acoustic music by American Idol contestant Alex Fischbach . Plus, the first 70 students get a FREE trucker hat to custom-design alongside your student leaders. 12:30-1:30 p.m. in the Rotary Plaza (inside in case of rain). SVCC STUDENTS/STAFF ONLY!
SEPTEMBER	Wed. Sept. 2 	Fall SaukFest – Informational fair where you will have the opportunity to meet representatives from our student clubs, college departments, businesses and community organizations! Free food, giveaways, and fun! 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. Rotary Plaza (inside in case of rain). SVCC STUDENTS/STAFF ONLY!
	Wed. Sept. 9 	“Stressed AF” with Patrick McIntyre - Ditch the lectures and discover realistic tools to conquer stress, anxiety, and depression while learning how to take total control of your mental and physical well-being. 12:30-1:30 p.m. in 1H16/1H18. Sponsored by Counseling. SVCC STUDENTS ONLY!
	Wed. Sept. 16 	Pizza with the President – Join SVCC President, Dr. Jon Mandrell for a casual conversation. Dr. Mandrell will give a brief college update and answer questions from students. Enjoy some free pizza and express your compliments, suggestions, and concerns. 12:30-1:15 p.m. in 1H16/1H18 *RSVP REQUIRED by Wed. Sept. 9. SVCC STUDENTS ONLY!
	Wed. Sept. 30 	Fall Leadership Workshop with DaShawn Lamar-Baldwin - An interactive, high-energy leadership session designed to boost student engagement and build a vibrant culture of connection on campus. Learn to turn disengagement into action and create a thriving campus community—building crucial skills that will help you lead in college, your future career, and anywhere life takes you! 12:30-1:30 p.m. in 1H16/1H18. SVCC STUDENTS ONLY!
	Thu. Oct. 1 	The C-Word: Consent - An interactive and highly engaging program that uses humor and real-world scenarios to help students navigate personal boundaries, bystander intervention, and Title IX expectations. Join this essential event to build practical communication skills and foster a safer, more respectful campus community. 7 p.m. in the Mathis Theatre.
OCTOBER	Oct. 12 & 13 	Mobile Museum of Tolerance - Combat Hate (Digital Media Literacy) Learn to identify and counter online hate using critical thinking to analyze media and understand the impact of misinformation. Walk away with the skills to build an intentional, positive digital footprint. 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. outside the Dillon Mall entrance. Co-sponsored with the Sauk CARES Committee.
	Wed. Oct. 14 	Cultural Celebration - SVCC students, faculty, and staff are invited to register by Oct. 7 to participate and set up displays in the Rotary Plaza to celebrate our diverse cultures. Learn more about the rich traditions and customs that each individual embodies and how we come together as one community. 12:30-1:30 p.m. in the Rotary Plaza. SVCC STUDENTS/STAFF ONLY!
	Mon. Oct. 19 	“Build Better Defaults” with Erika Gilchrist - Master the neuroscience of your behavior to break free from academic autopilot, conquer stress, and unlock next-level leadership and resilience. 12:30-1:30 p.m. in 1H16/1H18. Sponsored by Counseling. SVCC STUDENTS ONLY!
NOVEMBER	Mon. Nov. 9 	Chris Singleton: From Pain to Purpose - From being drafted by the Chicago Cubs to surviving the devastating loss of his mother in the 2015 Mother Emanuel Church tragedy, Chris Singleton turned profound heartbreak into a national movement for healing. Now a renowned speaker, he inspires audiences nationwide with his powerful story of resilience and his unwavering belief that love is the ultimate power. Keynote 12:30-1:30pm, Q&A 1:30-2:00 p.m. in the Mathis Theatre. Co-sponsored with Counseling. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.
	Wed. Nov. 18 	Hypnotist/Mentalist Brian Imbus - Get ready for a high-energy journey of imagination with an award-winning hypnotist/mentalist where your friends become the true stars of the show!! 12:30-1:30 p.m. in the Cafeteria. OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.
	Mon. Nov. 30 	Friendsgiving - Grab a friend and make a stuffed animal or friendship bracelet while interacting with SGA members and other students! All stuffed animals come complete with a Sauk t-shirt! FREE! First come, first serve (or until we run out). 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in the West Mall. SVCC STUDENTS ONLY.