



February 2026

THE EAGLE NEWSLETTER

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Circle of Support | Every Tuesday

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Dream Act & Financial Aid Workshop | Feb. 19

Cal Fresh Breakfast | Feb. 23

Produce Wednesday @ Coast Center | Feb. 25

MORE EVENTS LISTED ONLINE:

www.mendocino.edu/events




NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE BASKETBALL NIGHT

Wednesday, Feb. 4th | 4 pm | MC Gym

Join Mendocino College for Native Heritage Basketball Night and celebrate culture, community, and campus spirit with a full evening of games, activities, and entertainment.

The event will feature:

- Native Club nachos, hot dogs, and drinks
- A Coyote Valley youth fundraiser
- A halftime free-throw contest
- A basketball giveaway
- Men's & women's games, contests, & dancing

Come out, support our Eagles, and enjoy an exciting night on campus! 

NATIVE HERITAGE BASKETBALL NIGHT

Native Club Nachos, Hot Dogs & drinks
Coyote Valley youth Fundraiser
Half-time free throw Contest

Basketball Giveaway!!!



WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH @ 4PM

Men's Game, Women's Game, Contests, Dancing

1000 HENSLEY CREEK RD. UKIAH, CA 95482
MENDOCINO COLLEGE -- GYMNASIUM


ATHLETICS



FEENY NAMED BAY VALLEY PITCHER OF THE WEEK

Mendocino College right-handed pitcher **Dylan Feeny** has been named the Bay Valley Conference Pitcher of the Week by the **California Community College Baseball Coaches Association** for his outstanding performance on January 28, 2026.

Feeny delivered a dominant outing in the final game of the Eagles' season-opening series against College of the Redwoods, carrying a no-hitter into the sixth inning before an infield pop-up broke it up. He finished with 5.2 innings pitched, allowing just one hit, striking out nine, and earning the win. **His strong performance helped secure the Eagles' series sweep as the offense rallied with eleven runs in support.**


Feeny's award marks an impressive start to the season for both him and the Eagles. 

EAGLES BASEBALL SWEEPS COLLEGE OF THE REDWOODS TO OPEN THE SEASON 3-0

Mendocino College Baseball kicked off the spring season with a dominant performance, sweeping College of the Redwoods in a three-game weekend series.

The Eagles opened on Friday with an 8-4 victory, then continued their momentum during Saturday's doubleheader—winning game one 13-9 before closing out the series with an 11-1 win in the finale. Consistent offense and strong pitching defined the weekend, with Mendocino applying steady pressure at the plate while limiting Redwoods' scoring opportunities throughout the series.

The sweep gives the Eagles an impressive 3-0 start to the season and early confidence heading into their spring schedule.

Full box scores & game details are available on the [Mendocino College Baseball schedule page](#). 

ATHLETICS | NEWS

LET'S GO MENDO!

MEN'S BASKETBALL

Feb 04 (Wed) 6:00 PM PST
VS CONTRA COSTA *

Feb 06 (Fri) 7:00 PM PST
VS NAPA VALLEY *

Feb 11 (Wed) 7:00 PM PST
AT MARIN *

Feb 13 (Fri) 7:00 PM PST
VS LOS MEDANOS *

Feb 17 (Tue) 7:00 PM PST
AT MERRITT *

MEN'S BASEBALL

Feb 05 (Thu) 2:00 PM PST
VS SAN FRANCISCO

Feb 07 (Sat) 1:00 PM PST
AT SAN FRANCISCO

Feb 12 (Thu) 11:00 AM PST
VS FEATHER RIVER

Feb 12 (Thu) 2:00 PM PST
VS FEATHER RIVER

Feb 13 (Fri) 12:00 PM PST
VS FEATHER RIVER

Feb 17 (Tue) 1:00 PM PST
VS SHASTA

Feb 19 (Thu) 11:00 AM PST
VS CABRILLO

Feb 19 (Thu) 1:30 PM PST
VS CABRILLO

Feb 24 (Tue) 2:00 PM PST
AT LANEY

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Feb 04 (Wed) CANCELLED
VS CONTRA COSTA *

Feb 06 (Fri) 5:00 PM PST
VS NAPA VALLEY *

Feb 11 (Wed) 5:00 PM PST
AT MARIN *

Feb 13 (Fri) 5:00 PM PST
VS LOS MEDANOS *


Feb 17 (Tue) 5:00 PM PST
AT MERRITT *



CELEBRATING BLACK HISTORY MONTH AT MENDOCINO COLLEGE

February is **Black History Month**, a time to honor the achievements, leadership, and cultural contributions of Black Americans throughout history and today. This month invites us to learn, reflect, and celebrate the stories and voices that have shaped—and continue to shape—our communities, our nation, and our shared future.

To explore curated readings, films, historical resources, and learning opportunities, visit the [Mendocino College Library's Black History Month guide here](#).

Engage, learn, and celebrate with us throughout the month! 



Event details can be viewed on the [Athletics webpage](#).



NEWS



SPRING WELLNESS EVENTS

Pause, Connect, Thrive

Mendocino College Health & Wellness is offering a full slate of activities this spring to support student well-being. For the latest updates, [visit the Health & Wellness webpage](#) and check the Wellness Events tab anytime.

Weekly Wellness Activities

Circle of Support

Begins February 3

Tuesdays • 5:30-6:30 PM • Library Conf. Rm 4232

Most sessions available on Zoom!

Groove Moai

Starts February 18

Wednesdays • 2:30 PM • McMillan Hall, Rm. 1060

Disc Golf Moai

Starts February 5

Thursdays • 3:00 PM • Ukiah Campus Course

Disc donations welcome at the Eagle Support Center.

Upcoming Events

Spring Blood Drive – Vitalant

Tuesday, March 10 • 10:00 AM-1:30 PM

Bloodmobile by the Red Barn


[Sign up to donate blood here.](#)

March Madness Muffins

Returning this April! Wear your college swag to spark conversations with students about your educational journey. Details to come.

Health & Wellness Fair

Wednesday, May 6 • 11:00 AM-2:00 PM

Volunteer opportunities announced in April. 

Mendocino College

LATINO CLUB

Come join our Latin community and those interested in the culture.

Everyone is welcome!



EVERY THURSDAY
LLRG 4141 IN UKIAH CAMPUS
OR ONLINE AT ZOOM

JOIN THE LATINO CLUB

Looking to meet new people, celebrate culture, and get involved on campus?

The Latino Club meets **every Thursday at 2:00 PM at the Library/Learning Center Building 4141 or on Zoom.**

The Latino Club celebrates Hispanic/Latinx traditions and cultures through fun meetings, events, and fundraisers. It's a great place to connect with others, build community, and share pride in our diverse backgrounds. Our fundraisers help support student trips, college visits, recreational outings, and cultural experiences. We're all about creating opportunities, building leadership skills, and inspiring future changemakers.

If you want to learn more, reach out to our **club advisor, Maria Zepeda**, at mzepeda@mendocino.edu, or [visit the Latino Club webpage here.](#)

Hope to see you soon! 

New Vocational Nursing Program Coming to Mendocino

Mendocino College is launching a new Vocational Nursing (VN) program at the Ukiah Campus, expanding local access to in-demand healthcare careers. The program—transitioning from Ukiah Adult School—**cuts student costs nearly in half** while maintaining the high standards the community depends on.

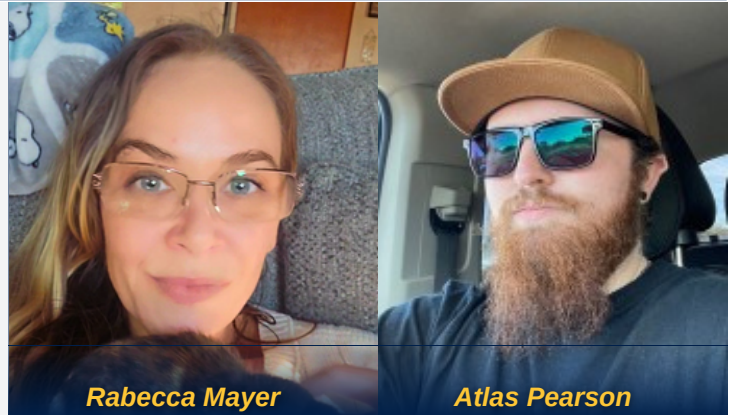
Applications open February 2 and close March 13, with the **first cohort beginning in August 2026**. All applicants must attend a **mandatory pre-application workshop** offered on **February 10, February 25, and March 6, 2026**. These workshops are paired with RN program sessions so students can explore both pathways.

The **full-time, three-semester program** includes classroom instruction and hands-on clinical training, preparing graduates to work in hospitals, clinics, long-term care facilities, and other essential healthcare settings. Estimated total program cost—including tuition, books, supplies, and licensing fees—is approximately \$6,022.

Admission is determined by lottery, and applicants must have a high school diploma or college degree and submit TEAS Version 7 scores with a minimum total score of 54%. Additional lottery points may be awarded for academic achievement, healthcare credentials, county residency, veteran status, or prior alternate status.

The VN and RN programs are expected to move into a new, state-of-the-art Allied Health Building beginning construction in 2027.

Workshop registration and application details are available at: www.mendocino.edu/LVN 



Rebecca Mayer

Atlas Pearson

Student Spotlight: Celebrating Excellence


Professor Lori Laiwa Thomas is recognizing two standout students from **HST 222: Native American History**, whose dedication and academic excellence have enriched the course this past Fall semester.

Rebecca Mayer

A Psychology major returning to college after more than two decades, Rebecca brings a thoughtful, mature perspective to class discussions and written work. Her deep respect for Native sovereignty, culture, and lived experience—paired with her curiosity and strong academic performance—has made her a highly valued member of the course.

Atlas Pearson

Atlas is a first-generation college student majoring in Business Management, Accounting, and Business Administration for Transfer. With nearly eight years of government service, Atlas contributes real-world insight and strong leadership to the classroom. Their long-term goal is to own and operate a business, and outside of school, they enjoy fishing, home renovation, and spending time with their dogs.

Professor Thomas celebrates both students for their commitment, engagement, and the meaningful perspectives they bring to the study of Native American history. 



STUDENT SUPPORT

EARN COLLEGE CREDIT FOR YOUR JOB

Work Experience Education

Are you currently employed? You may be able to **earn college credit for the work you already do** through Mendocino College's Work Experience Education (WEE) program. This program recognizes that meaningful learning happens on the job—not just in the classroom—and helps you connect workplace experience with your academic goals.


Program Highlights:

- **51 hours of work = 1 unit of credit**
- **Earn up to 14 credits per semester**
- **WEE 196 credits are CSU-transferable as elective credit**
- **WEE 196 may count as elective credit toward AA, AS, or Certificate programs in:** Agriculture, Allied Health, Business, Culinary Arts, Digital Arts, Fire Science, Human Services, Sustainable Construction, Computer Science (Web Development)

Students work with both an instructor and employer to set learning objectives that support professional growth and degree completion.

Get Started

Contact **Molly Thomas** at mthomas@mendocino.edu or 707-621-6430.

Register for WEE-196 Work Experience Education at: www.mendocino.edu/schedule 



open enrollment: 12.02.2025 THRU 03.01.2026

APPLY TODAY FOR

Scholarship Money!

hey, incoming & existing mc students!

THERE'S MORE THAN **\$200,000**
Available to all graduating high school seniors, incoming & existing MC students

MENDOCINO COLLEGE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

Open Enrollment through March 1, 2026


Are you a graduating high school senior, an incoming student, or already enrolled at Mendocino College? Don't miss your chance to apply for scholarships through the Mendocino College Foundation—**with over \$200,000 available to help you achieve your educational goals!**

Scholarships are available for a wide range of students and programs. Whether you need help covering tuition, books, or other expenses, this is your opportunity to secure financial support and focus on your studies.

How to Apply:

Visit mendocino.academicworks.com between 12/02/2025 and 3/01/2026 and follow the prompts.

Questions?

Call 707-467-1018 or visit foundation.mendocino.edu 

STUDENT SUPPORT

NEED TECH HELP? TRY THE 24/7 SUPPORT BOT

It Solves Most Issues Faster Than Waiting for an Agent!

If you've ever locked yourself out of your account, needed Wi-Fi help, or hit a login error right before class, you know how stressful tech issues can be. That's why Mendocino College offers a 24/7 Tech Support Bot designed to get you help quickly—often faster than waiting for a human technician.

This isn't the kind of automated system that sends you in circles. The Tech Support Bot is updated constantly, reviewed by our IT team, and trained to handle the most common student tech problems, including:

- **Password resets**
- **Wi-Fi onboarding**
- **Google account conflicts**
- **Login support** for Canvas, MyMendo, & other college systems
- Other everyday tech questions students run into

Because it handles these issues automatically, most students are able to get what they need within minutes—no ticket required.


Why Try the Bot First?

- It works 24/7, even late at night or weekends.
- It gives clear, step-by-step instructions tailored to your issue.
- It's continuously improving with new information and better responses.
- It speaks six languages, making help more accessible to everyone.
- If it can't solve your problem, it automatically creates a Help Desk ticket for you—no extra steps.

How to Contact Tech Support

Phone: 707-468-3210


Email: support@mendocino.arkproject.com

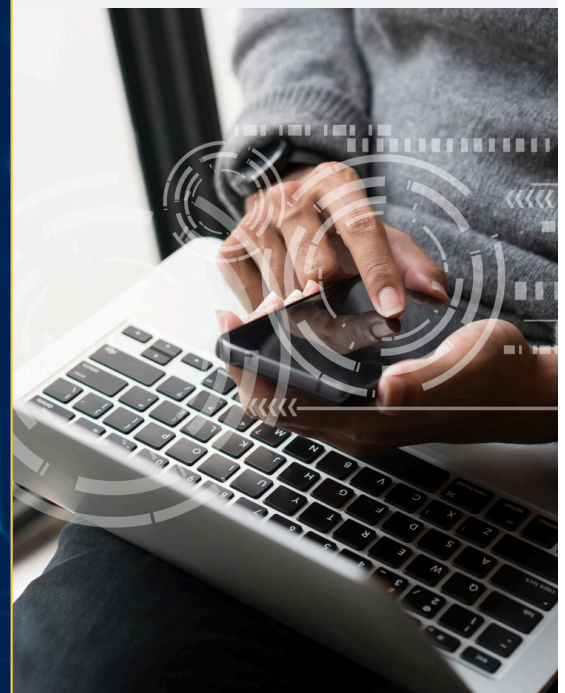
If you're unsure where to start when something goes wrong, start with the Tech Support Bot—it's designed to help you get back on track faster. 

GOING PHISHING

Over the coming months, we'll be rolling out a **student-focused phishing awareness program** designed to help you recognize and avoid common online scams.

Each month, you'll receive a short training video covering a specific topic (like suspicious links, unexpected attachments, or urgent "account" messages), along with a simulated phishing email sent to your inbox. These monthly **exercises are safe, educational, and intended to build real-world skills**—showing you what to look for, how to spot red flags, and what to do if something doesn't feel right.

Our goal is simple: help you stay protected and confident online, both on campus and beyond. 





ACADEMIC COUNSELORS & RETENTION SPECIALISTS ARE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU

Student support is always available at Mendocino College—whether you want help planning your academic path, staying on track, or navigating campus resources. Academic Counselors and Retention Specialists each offer unique services, and together they provide a strong support network for your success.

How Academic Counselors Can Help

Academic Counselors can guide you through key steps in your academic journey, including:

- **Identifying a major** by explaining available fields of study.
- **Understanding transfer requirements** for four-year universities.
- **Planning your education** through a personalized Education Plan.
- **Exploring careers** with tools, knowledge, and support for future opportunities.
- **Bilingual counseling** is available in English or Spanish.

To **connect with a counselor**, call the Counseling Office at 707.468.3048 or email counselingappointments@mendocino.edu.

How Retention Specialists Can Help

Retention Specialists offer hands-on guidance to help you stay engaged and confident throughout your time at Mendocino College. They can support you with:

- **One-on-one assistance** for challenges or questions throughout the semester.
- **Financial aid support**, including applications and appeals.
- **Navigating online tools** like MyMendo, email, Canvas, and other student portals.
- **College life support**, including tips to succeed and stay connected.
- **Integrating into campus**, with info about student resources, involvement, & activities.
- **Bilingual support** available.


Additional Student Success Support

Students can also get help with:

- Using MyMendo, Email, Canvas, and other online services.
- Accessing campus resources such as counseling, financial aid, and basic needs.
- Registering for classes through self-service.

Connect With a Retention Specialist

Email: retentionhelp@mendocino.edu

Phone: 707.468.3232 

STUDENT SUPPORT



APPLY NOW FOR EOPS, CARE, & NEXTUP SUPPORT PROGRAMS

Deadline to apply for EOPS, CARE, and NextUp is February 20, 2026!

How to Apply

All three programs use one unified application process.

To get started:

- Meet admissions and financial aid requirements
- Submit the EOPS / CARE / NextUp online application
- Register for full-time enrollment (or have approved DRC accommodations)
- Once accepted, you can begin receiving services, including grants or vouchers

Where to Get Help

EOPS/CARE/NextUp Office
Room #1130, MacMillan Hall, Ukiah Campus
707-468-3113 | eops-mc@mendocino.edu

What Each Program Offers

EOPS (Extended Opportunity Programs & Services)

EOPS supports students who face educational or financial barriers. The program helps students stay on track academically and prepare for transfer.

Services include: Academic, career, and personal counseling; textbook and book vouchers; priority registration; tutoring referrals; and student success workshops.

CARE (Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education)

CARE provides additional support for single parents who are EOPS students and receive CalWORKs or Tribal TANF cash aid.

Services may include: CARE grants, childcare grants, meal and gas vouchers, school supplies, textbook assistance, counseling, workshops, and peer support. *Services depend on available funding.*

CARE Eligibility:

- Must be EOPS-eligible
- Single parent
- Receiving CalWORKs or Tribal TANF cash aid
- At least one dependent under 18
- At least 18 years old


NextUp

NextUp offers academic and personal support for current or former foster youth.

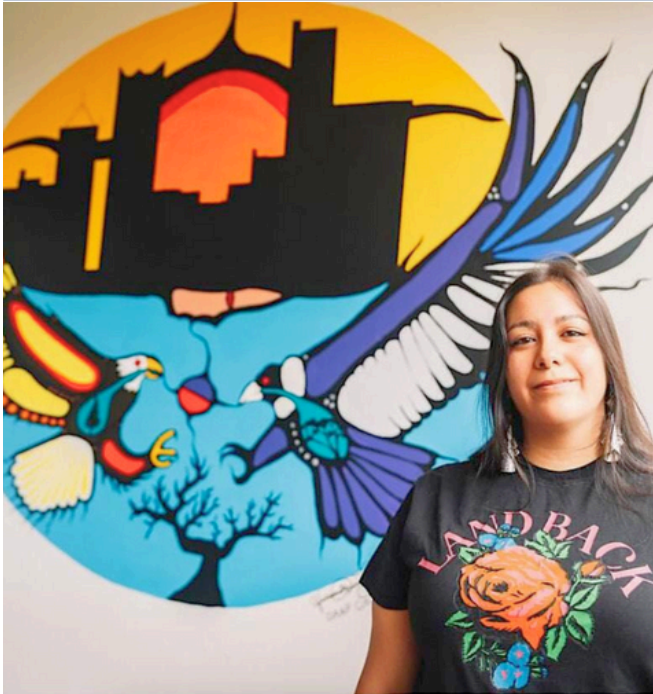
Eligibility:

- In foster care at age 13 or older
- Enrolled in at least 9 units
- Under age 26 at the start of the program (returning students may re-enter)

Services include:

Educational planning and counseling, priority registration, help with childcare, food, housing, transportation, grants for school expenses, tutoring, and emergency housing support. 

ARTS




**VISITING ARTIST
LECTURE: HADASSAH
GREENSKY**

February 4, 2026 | 4:00–5:00 PM
Performing Arts Building, Room 5380

Mendocino College invites students, staff, and community members to a special Visiting Artist Lecture featuring Hadassah GreenSky, a Waganakising Odawa (Little Traverse Bay Bands) multidisciplinary artist from Detroit, Michigan. GreenSky works across visual art, music, dance, and design, with a practice rooted in Indigenous futurism, community organizing, and cultural advocacy.

Regular Gallery Hours:

- Tuesdays: 12:30 - 3:30 PM
- Wednesdays: 10:30 - 12:30 PM
- Thursdays: 12:30 - 3:30 PM
- and by appointment

www.mendocino.edu/gallery 

**NATIVE NOW: K'EDI WADIM
CLOSING CEREMONY**

Friday, February 6, 2026 | 3–6 PM
Artist Meet & Greet | Food | Dance | Music

Join us for the closing celebration of Native Now: K'edi Wadim, an exhibition honoring the creativity and resilience of contemporary Native artists. Meaning "Walk Well" in the Northern Pomo dialect, K'edi Wadim highlights cultural continuity, artistry, and Native presence.

The event will feature a blessing, song, dance, shared food, and remarks from exhibit jurors, including a Land Acknowledgement. Participating artists will also be present to speak about their work.

The exhibition showcases a wide range of artwork—from drawing and painting to photography, regalia, beadwork, weaving, and basketry—and offers a meaningful opportunity to honor Indigenous culture and community.


Native Now: K'edi Wadim is on view at The Gallery at Mendocino College through February 6, 2026.

Regular Gallery Hours:

- Tuesdays: 12:30 - 3:30 PM
- Wednesdays: 10:30 - 12:30 PM
- Thursdays: 12:30 - 3:30 PM
- and by appointment

Event Contact Information

gallery@mendocino.edu | 707-468-3207

Artwork featured below: Waawiyaatanong ᓄᓄᓄ ᓄᓄᓄ by Hadassa Greensky. 



ARTS

THE SPOTLIGHT IS WAITING!

The 19th Annual New Play Festival at Mendocino College is now accepting play submissions!

If you have a short play you'd like to share, we want to read it. Simply email your script to:

MCNewPlayFest@gmail.com.

When submitting, please include:

1. Your full name
2. Title of your play
3. A brief synopsis
4. Number of characters


Script Guidelines:

- Plays should be no longer than ten minutes (approximately 10 pages of typed dialogue).
- Scripts with small casts (2-5 characters) & minimal technical requirements are preferred.

Submission Deadline:
February 14, 2026

Directors Needed!

Students who wish to direct a short play for the New Play Festival must enroll in THE219 Intro to Directing. This course introduces students to the fundamental principles of directing. Throughout the class, students explore the full directorial process—including research, script analysis, conceptualization, casting, and rehearsal techniques—while gaining hands-on practice bringing a script from page to stage.

To sign up or learn more about THE219, contact Lucas Verbrugghe at 468-3172 or lverbrugghe@mendocino.edu. 



MENDOCINO COLLEGE THEATRE PRESENTS: RUMORS BY NEIL SIMON


The Mendocino College Theatre Arts Department invites you to enjoy *Rumors*, a fast-paced comedy by Neil Simon, **directed by Lucas Verbrugghe**, showing at the college's Center Theatre this March.

It's the 10th wedding anniversary party for the Deputy Mayor of New York City—but when guests arrive to find the host incapacitated, his wife missing, and the household staff nowhere in sight, the evening unravels into a chaotic tangle of cover-ups, confusion, and outrageous lies. Watch eight friends scramble to protect their host's reputation—and their own—as the truth becomes harder and harder to hide.

Performance Schedule

- Thu., March 5 • 7:30 PM — *Pay-What-You-Wish Preview*
- Fri., March 6 • 7:30 PM — *Gala Opening Night* (includes food & wine)
- Sat., March 7 • 7:30 PM
- Thu., March 12 • 7:30 PM — *Special Discount Night* (all tickets \$10)
- Fri., March 13 • 7:30 PM
- Sat., March 14 • 7:30 PM
- Sun., March 15 • 2:00 PM — *Matinee*

Tickets

General Admission: \$20 | Students & Seniors: \$15
Advance tickets available at the Mendocino Book Company in Ukiah (cash only) and online at www.ArtsMendocino.org beginning two weeks before opening night. 



Upper: *Witch's Box*, Gregory Jia Chen Finn;
Right: *Bay View Afternoon*, Greg B. Smith

KRENOV SCHOOL MID-WINTER SHOW

January 31 – February 8, 2026

The Krenov School of Fine Woodworking at Mendocino College is presenting its 2026 Mid-Winter Show, featuring exceptional first-semester furniture pieces created by students in the school's renowned nine-month program. The exhibition highlights the school's signature approach to craftsmanship—one that emphasizes care, precision, and a deep respect for materials.

Exhibit Dates & Location

January 31 – February 8, 2026
11:00 AM–5:00 PM daily
Northcoast Artists Gallery
362 North Main Street, Fort Bragg


Visitors can explore beautifully crafted works that reflect the school's ethos of thoughtful design, attention to detail, and the warm, tactile qualities associated with the legacy of **founder James Krenov**.

Public Reception: First Friday Art Walk

Join the Krenov School's Class of 2026 for a special reception during downtown Fort Bragg's First Friday Artwalk.

First Friday Art Walk:

Friday, February 6, 2026
5:00–8:00 PM

Learn more about the Krenov School and the exhibition at thekrenovschool.org or follow @thekrenovschool on Instagram. 

THE MENDOCINO COLLEGE GALLERY PRESENTS

DON'T DISTURB THIS GROOVE: CAL POLY HUMBOLDT PAINTERS

**GINA TUZZI
ELISEO CASIANO
& SELECT STUDENT WORK**

GINA TUZZI

FEB 19 - MAR 23

OPENING RECEPTION
Thursday, February 19th
4:30-6:30 PM

GALLERY HOURS:
Tues- Thurs 12:30-3:30
or by Appointment



**1000 HENSLEY CREEK ROAD,
UKIAH, CA 95482**
WWW.MENDOCINO.EDU/GALLERY


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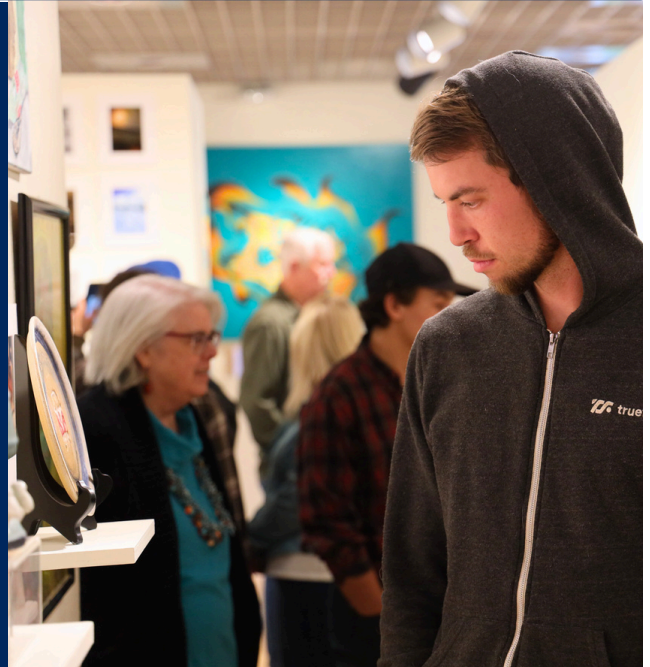
ARTS | PRIDE PROGRAM

ANNUAL STUDENT ART SHOW COMING THIS SPRING

Mendocino College Gallery's Annual Student Show is approaching, and all Mendocino College students are encouraged to begin preparing artwork for this juried exhibition. Students may submit work in any medium, and **every student who submits will have at least one piece included in the show.**

To learn more about the event—including rules, eligibility, and important dates—visit the [Annual Student Show tab on the Mendocino College Gallery webpage.](#)

Questions? Contact the Gallery at:
gallery@mendocino.edu. 



JOIN US FOR THE WEEKLY PRIDE SOCIAL

Every Tuesday | 4:00–5:00 PM


**Student Activities Game Room
Lowery Student Center (Rm 780), Ukiah**

All LGBTQ+ students and allies are invited to the Mendocino College Pride Program's weekly Pride Social, happening every Tuesday throughout the semester.

Come enjoy light snacks, learn about helpful campus and community resources, and connect with fellow students in a relaxed, supportive environment.

Connect With the Pride Program

For questions or to get involved, contact **Anne-Elisabeth Cavarec**, *Pride Program Specialist* at pride@mendocino.edu.

You can also stay up-to-date on events, the Pride student club, and program news by completing the [Pride Program Interest Form here](#). 

LGBT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

The **Rykken & Scull LGBT Memorial Fund** is now accepting scholarship applications from students living in Mendocino County who plan to attend—or are currently attending—a college, university, trade school, technical program, or art school.

The scholarship supports students who have demonstrated strong involvement in LGBTQ-related causes, either at school or in the broader community. Applicants do not need to identify as LGBTQ, but they must show a meaningful commitment to supporting LGBTQIA+ individuals.


Who Is Eligible?

- High school seniors graduating in 2026 who plan to pursue higher education
- Individuals who graduated before 2026 & plan to enroll in college, trade school, or art/performing arts program
- Students currently enrolled in an eligible institution

How to Apply

Application deadline: March 31, 2026

[Apply for the Rykken & Scull scholarship here.](#)

Contact: Delynne Rogers at deedle345@gmail.com 

BALLOTPEDIA FELLOWS PROGRAM: SPRING 2026 APPLICATIONS OPEN

Ballotpedia is offering a remote volunteer research opportunity for students interested in gaining hands-on experience with nonpartisan election information. Through the Ballotpedia Fellows Program, students **build research skills, engage with American politics,** and help **expand access to accurate local election data.**


PROGRAM DATES:

February 23 – April 24, 2026

Time Commitment: 5–10 hours per week, completed remotely at your own pace.

Participation may count toward community service, course credit, internships, or other academic requirements. Ballotpedia provides verification and can offer letters of recommendation or professional references when appropriate.

Applications are accepted on a rolling basis through February 4, 2026, and may be accessed here.

Ballotpedia is a nonprofit, nonpartisan online encyclopedia of American politics and elections, dedicated to expanding public knowledge by providing clear, objective information on local, state, and federal political processes and policies. 



MENDOCINO COLLEGE
FOOD PANTRY

FREE FOOD FOR ALL STUDENTS

Have you completed your mandatory **TITLE IX TRAINING?**

Follow the QR code to complete this *mandatory* training today! Enter your username (*firstname.lastname*) & follow the prompts.

Questions? Contact Mindy Keegan at mkeegan@mendocino.edu.
Training must be completed by May 22, 2026!



THESE
THREE DIGITS
COULD
SAVE A LIFE

No matter where you live in the U.S., you can easily access 24/7 emotional support.

Call or text 988 or visit 988lifeline.org/chat to chat with a caring counselor.

We're here for you.

988
SUICIDE
& CRISIS
LIFELINE

CALL, TEXT, CHAT



Produce Wednesdays

Free for Students!

Every Wednesday from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM (or until supplies run out) at the Lowery Student Center on the Ukiah Campus.

Additional dates at our other Centers TBA.

**Excludes holidays or other school closures.*