



STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION (SGA)

AGENDA AUGUST 18, 2026 3:00 PM

VIDEO OR TELEPHONE CONFERENCE CONNECTION FROM THE MEETING SITE TO: 1500 COLLEGE PARKWAY; SGA OFFICE, LEONARD CENTER FOR STUDENT LIFE, GREAT BASIN COLLEGE CAMPUS, ELKO NV 89801

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<https://gbcnv-edu.zoom.us/j/84298011629?pwd=u7cz48zlwBHMP2dBEHkFAQ9r3DEMQR.1>

EXECUTIVE MEMBERS:

**STORM RAINE, PRESIDENT
JULIA STOKES, VICE PRESIDENT
MUHAMMED/DIVINE, INTERIM - SECRETARY**

SENATORS:

**MUHAMMED SALIKHOV, ELKO
JULIAN SOSA, ELKO
DIVINE JACOBSON, ELKO
DAVID BERNADINO-LOPEZ, ELKO
CALVIN COWAN, PAHRUMP
LIZ NASH, ELY
CATHERINE COLE, ONLINE
TERILYN MARINO, ONLINE**

NOTE: Below is an agenda of all items scheduled to be considered. Notification is hereby provided that items on the agenda may be taken out of the order presented, two or more agenda items may be combined for consideration, and an agenda item may be removed from the agenda or discussion relating to an item on the agenda may be delayed at any time.

The agenda and any supporting material, including materials submitted after the posting of this agenda but before the

meeting, may be accessed on the Internet by visiting the SGA page of the GBC website: [Great Basin College: Student Life - Meetings](#).

In accordance with NRS241.020(6), supporting materials that are submitted to the Student Government Association (SGA) will be made available in advance of the meeting. Reasonable efforts will be made to assist and accommodate physically disabled persons attending the meeting. Please call the Office for Students with Disabilities (775) 327-2336 in advance so that arrangements may be made.

1. ROLL CALL

- Roll call of members and any persons serving as a proxy for a member will be taken.

Estimated Time: 5 minutes

2. PUBLIC COMMENT

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In accordance with Attorney General Opinion No. 00-047 (April 27, 2001), as restated in the Attorney General's Open Meeting Law Manual, the President may prohibit comment if the content of that comment is a topic that is not relevant to, or within the authority of, the SGA, or if the content is willfully disruptive of the meeting by being irrelevant, repetitious, slanderous, offensive, inflammatory, irrational or amounting to personal attacks or interfering with the rights of other speakers.

Estimated Time: 5 minutes

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

POSSIBLE ACTION

A Request is made for approval of the GBC SGA Agenda for the meeting on 8/18/2026.

Estimated Time: 1 minute

4. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES

POSSIBLE ACTION

A Request is made for approval of the GBC SGA Minutes for the meeting on 7/7/2026.

Estimated Time: 1 minute

5. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

SGA PRESIDENT RAINE will discuss current SGA events and activities as SGA President.

Estimated Time: 5 minutes

6. VICE PRESIDENT’S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

SGA VICE PRESIDENT STOKES will discuss current SGA events and activities as SGA Vice President.

Estimated Time: 2 minutes

7. SECRETARY’S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

INTERIM SGA SECRETARIES will discuss current SGA events and activities as SGA Secretary.

Estimated Time: 2 minutes

8. STUDENT ADVOCATE’S REPORT

INFORMATION ONLY

STUDENT ADVOCATE, JAMES KENDALL, will discuss current SGA events and items concerning SGA.

Estimated Time: 5 minutes

9. SENATOR REPORTS

INFORMATION ONLY

Senators from each location will discuss their current and future events: Elko, Ely, Online, Winnemucca, and Pahrump.

Estimated Time: 10 minutes

10. COMMITTEE REPORTS

INFORMATION ONLY

Chairs of each Committee (Mascot, Amendments, and Beats & Bites) will discuss the progress of their committees.

Estimated Time: 5 minutes

11. Unfinished Business

Estimated Time: 0 Minutes

12. NEW BUSINESS

Items for consideration at future meetings may be suggested. Any discussion of an item under “New Business” is limited to description and clarification of the subject matter of the item, which may include the reasons for the request, and no substantive discussion may occur at this meeting on new business items in accordance with the Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS 241.010 *et seq.*).

A. Beats and Bites- Winnemucca Center

POSSIBLE ACTION

- Jana Nettleton with the Winnemucca will be hosting their Beats and Bites event on 9/3/26 from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM. There will be at least 60 students. They are asking for \$300 for supplies and \$1500 for food. The total for food and supplies is \$1800.

Estimated Time: Less than 5 Minutes

B. Campus Wide Survey**INFORMATION ONLY**

- Senator Nash would like to share a campus wide survey that all campuses will be able to use. She has made a rough draft and would like feedback on this item. She also mentions Ice Cream. This is an information only item.

Estimated Time: 5-10 Minutes

C. Snacks for New Student Orientation**POSSIBLE ACTION**

- This event is hosted by Kole Webster and Carrie Meisner. This event will be held on 8/28/26 from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM in Elko. They are requesting \$200 for food. This event has happened before but this is the first time SGA may be providing the funding for it. More than \$200 students will be attending.

Estimated Time: Less than 5 Minutes

D. GBC Volley Ball Club**POSSIBLE ACTION**

- James Kendall, the advisor of the GBC Volleyball Club and its members has utilized the GBC Fitness Center during the Summer Term for scheduled practice and facility reservations. The club is requesting approval to use funds from its student organization account to transfer payment to the GBC Fitness Center account to cover the cost of the Summer Term reservation as well as the reserved practice time for the Fall Semester.
- Approval of this request will allow the Volleyball Club to pay for its facility usage using its available club funds and ensure continued access to the Fitness Center for the upcoming Fall Semester. They are requesting \$800 for supplies.

Estimated Time: 5-10 Minutes

E. Drink Supplies**POSSIBLE ACTION**

- Senator Nash is requesting \$150 for drink supplies for Ely Campus. SGA has funded this before.

Estimated Time: Less than 5 Minutes

F. SGA Refund**POSSIBLE ACTION**

- Senator Nash is requesting a refund of a host account for \$110.92. The money was used for items bought for Choose GBC.

Estimated Time: Less than 5 Minutes

G. GBC Golf Tournament**INFORMATION ONLY**

- The GBC Foundation would like student volunteers at the GBC Golf Tournament. The event will be held on August 21st in Elko, from 8:00 AM. Volunteers will need to arrive by 6:30 to 7:00 AM. Sign up here:
<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd273lmbDDGHcXdlpm5zNmpmytH8jqsBBc9iBQPibTRRZznPA/viewform?pli=1>

Estimated Time: 5-10 Minutes

H. Hispanic Heritage Month

POSSIBLE ACTION

- Senator Nash would like to request \$150 for supply funding. This funding will be used for items of candy, bags, key chain, flags, and banners to celebrate hispanic heritage month. This event has occurred before, but this is the first time SGA may be providing the funding for it.

Estimated Time: Less than 5 Minutes

I. Student Organization Recognition

POSSIBLE ACTION

- James Kendall will notify SGA that two Student Organizations have submitted proposals for recognition for the next Academic Year. The GBC Volleyball Club and the GBC Pickleball Club.
 - The Volleyball Club is asking to be considered for Tier 2 funding. (\$2,500)
 - The Pickleball Club is asking to be considered for Tier 3 funding. (\$1000)

Estimated Time: 15 Minutes

J. Study Groups

POSSIBLE ACTION

- Heather Mitchel of the Student Success Team is requesting \$220.00. They plan to use the funding to provide snacks and water for a biology study group that will meet in the library in-person and through zoom. This event has been funded by SGA in the past.

Estimated Time: Less than 5 Minutes

K. Biology Kick Off Event

POSSIBLE ACTION

- The student Success Team is requesting \$80.00. They plan to use the funding to supply donuts, juice, and coffee for an event where students can meet with their professors and get to know other students in their classes. All Biology Students, Professors, & Tutors will be invited, and at least 50 students will be attending. This is an inaugural event and this is the first time SGA may be providing the funding for it.

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Posted in accordance with Nevada Open Meeting Law (NRS Ch. 241), at the following locations:

GBC, Berg Hall, 1500 College Parkway, Elko, NV 89801

Nevada Public Notice Website - <https://notice.nv.gov>

GBC SGA Website - [Great Basin College: Student Life - Meetings](#).

14. Adjournment

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