

# NEWS AND UPDATES

## Student Events & Activities Newsletter

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# EVENTS

**Student ID is required to attend events. Don't have a Student ID, please stop by Enrollment Services in the Taylor Building.**

## Food Drive

March 3rd - March 14th

CSI Nutrition and Wellness Club is doing their annual food drive for the Gilbert's Pantry. Please fill the bag with your non-expired donations. You can bring the bag directly to Gilbert's Pantry, TAB 235 or leave it by your door and a CSI Nutrition Club member will pick it up by 3/14/25.

Items in high demand: Juice, Instant Potatoes, Cooking Oil, Pasta Sauce, Dish Soap, Dried Beans, Granola Bars, Kleenex, Peanut Butter and Body Soap.

CSI NUTRITION & WELLNESS CLUB

# FOOD DRIVE

MARCH 3RD - MARCH 14TH 2025

CSI NUTRITION & WELLNESS CLUB IS HOLDING THEIR ANNUAL FOOD DRIVE TO BENEFIT GILBERT'S PANTRY.

**Items in High Demand:**

- Juice
- Instant Potatoes
- Cooking Oil
- Pasta Sauce
- Dish Soap
- Dried Beans
- Granola Bars
- Kleenex
- Peanut Butter
- Body Soap



PLEASE FILL THIS BAG WITH YOUR NON-EXPIRED DONATIONS. YOU CAN BRING THIS BAG DIRECTLY TO GILBERT'S PANTRY, TAB #235, OR LEAVE IT BY YOUR DOOR AND A CSI NUTRITION CLUB MEMBER WILL PICK IT UP BY 3/14/25.



**Seeds, n Sweets**  
**March 11<sup>th</sup>**  
**12-2 pm**  
**Upper SUB**

JOIN US FOR YUMMY TREATS, PLANTING, AND IF YOU DON'T HAVE A GREEN THUMB, DON'T WORRY WE HAVE JUST THE PLANT FOR YOU!

MUST HAVE STUDENT ID

## Hour

Tuesday, March 11th  
12:00 - 2:00 PM  
Location: Upper SUB

Join us for yummy treats, planting, and if you don't have a green thumb - don't worry, we have just the plant for you!



**YOGA IN THE LIBRARY**

*All yoga levels welcome!  
Yoga mats provided.*

**WEDNESDAY,  
MARCH 12TH,  
NOON TO 1 PM**

## Yoga in the CSI Library

Wednesday, March 12th  
12:00 - 1:00 PM  
Location: CSI Library

Join us for Yoga in the CSI Library. All yoga levels welcome to join! Yoga mats provided.

## Eagles Empower Support Group

Wednesday, March 12th  
1:00 - 2:00 PM  
Location: Taylor Room 233





**EAGLES EMPOWER  
SUPPORT GROUP**

**WHERE & WHEN**

Student Union Building Southside 2nd floor  
Wednesdays from 1:00 PM to 2:00 PM

**CONTACT**

Shannon Hyde • sh Hyde@csi.edu  
208.732.6268

**ABOUT US**

Eagles Empower Support Group is for students who identify with the need to build a campus support network with fellow students.

The group will provide opportunities for students to create more caring and equitable relationships with other students on campus.

**ARE YOU INTERESTED?**

- Sharing Your Story
- Encouraging Others
- Engaging in Service Opportunities
- Embracing Positivity

**MISSION STATEMENT**

Eagles helping each other become stronger, more confident, and more successful in our endeavors.

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sh Hyde@csi.edu



**JOIN US FOR  
GRAD FEST**

**THURSDAY, MARCH 13TH // 10 AM - 1PM & 5PM - 7PM**

**FINE ARTS LOBBY**

Grad Fest is a graduate's one-stop way to get all the information you need about commencement.

**Grad Fest features information about the following commencement related items:**

- CSI Alumni Association
- CSI Financial Aid Office
- Order Custom Announcements
- Purchase Regalia at the Bookstore: Caps, gowns and tassels
- Pick up guest tickets

**Raffle prizes are donated by:**






## Grad Fest

Thursday, March 13th  
10:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Location: Fine Arts Lobby

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- CSI Financial Aid Office
- Custom announcements
- Purchase regalia at the bookstore: Caps, gowns and tassels
- Pick up guest tickets

Raffle prizes, food, swag!

## Grad Fest



# GRAD FEST

MARCH 13TH 10AM - 1PM & 5PM - 7PM

FINE ARTS LOBBY

AFTER YOU GO THERE



GO HERE



## CSI BOOKSTORE

FOR

CAPS & GOWNS \* ANNOUNCEMENTS \* STOLES \* CORDS \* GIFTS

**20% OFF ALL CSI CLOTHING**

**ONE DAY ONLY!**

## CSI Bookstore

Thursday, March 13th

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

5:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Location: CSI Bookstore

After you go to the Fine Arts Lobby stop at the CSI Bookstore for caps, gowns, announcements, stoles, cords and gifts. 20% off all CSI Clothing - one day only!!



## Welcome to the Flock Social Group

Thursday, March 13th

5:30 - 7:30 PM

Location: Upper SUB

Feeling like the odd eagle out? Come hang out with us! Games, crafts and friends! Social group meetings every Thursday.

## Pinch Pot Party

Wednesday, March 19th

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Location: Upper SUB

Join the fun and come make your own pinch pot, origami and sip on a soda-float while you unwind!

Must have Student ID.



## SBDC Business Start Up Seminar

Do you want to start a business, but don't know where to begin? Then our LIVE, 3-hour Start-up Business Seminar is for you. Gain the know-how and the motivation to start your business and hit the ground running.

The topics & Information you'll receive will include:

- The Basics of Business Regulations - what you need to know *before* you open your doors
- The Importance of Preparedness - what's a business plan and how it can help your business grow
- Essentials of Business Taxes
- and so much more...

Take your first steps towards creating a successful business. Register for our training today.

Date & Time: 03/26/2025 from 12:30 - 3:30

Cost: \$65

To register, [Click Here](#)

### Your Trainers

Bryan Matsuoka - Idaho Small Business Development Center

Thea Jordan - Small Business Administration

Steve Taylor - Idaho State Tax Commission

**CSI LIBRARY BOOK CLUB**

THE BOOK CLUB  
PICK FOR MARCH  
IS... "THE ONE" BY  
JOHN MARRS



**COPIES AVAILABLE  
FOR CHECK OUT!**

**WHEN:  
MARCH 27TH,  
FROM 12-1**

**WHERE:  
CSI LIBRARY**

## Library Book Club

Thursday, March 27th  
12:00 - 1:00 PM  
Location: CSI Library

March's book club pick is  
The One by John Marrs.  
Copies are available at the  
CSI Library. Don't forget to  
join us for the discussion.

March Reading Challenge

Read a graphic novel	Read a book that takes place in Spring	Listen to an audiobook or podcast
Read an award winner	Reader's choice	Read a book with a green cover
Read a journal article	Borrow a book from the library	Read 30 minutes each week

Finish 3 boxes and bring your sheet to the library by 3/31 for a prize!

## Library Reading Challenge

Complete 3 boxes to win a prize at the CSI Library!  
Bring your completed March Reading Challenge to the library by March 31st.

Join us in





JOIN US IN CREATING A NEW STUDENT

# BOOK CLUB

Make it Yours! :)

If interested email Reba Puentes at [rpuentes@csi.edu](mailto:rpuentes@csi.edu)



# Creating a New Student Book Club

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## CLIFTON STRENGTHS

Discover and Develop your Greatest Talent

📍 202 Falls Ave Suite #1 Twin Falls, ID 83301 ⌚ April 9th @ 2:00pm to 4:00 PM



### CliftonStrengths Finder

The secret to a high-performing team isn't just talent—it's knowing how to harness that talent. Your team is made up of unique individuals, each bringing their own strengths to the table. This powerful workshop goes beyond just identifying strengths—it teaches you how to orchestrate them for maximum impact. You'll gain insight into your personal talents while learning how to collaborate better, communicate effectively, and turn individual strengths into collective success.

#### What You'll Get:

- Your Personalized CliftonStrengths Assessment - Discover your Top 5 Strengths and how to use them to your advantage.
- One-on-One Coaching - Spend an hour with Bryan Matsuoka, a Gallup-Certified CliftonStrengths Coach, to gain personalized insights. *(Small businesses receive unlimited coaching & consulting!)*
- Game-Changing Team Strategies - Learn how to transform workplace dynamics and build a team that works smarter, not harder.

Are you ready to unleash your team's true potential? Take the next step—register today!  
Date & Time: 04/09/2025 from 2:00 PM to 4:00 PM  
Cost: \$185  
To register, [Click Here](#)



The poster features the College of Southern Idaho (CSI) Esports logo at the top, which includes a stylized eagle head and the text 'COLLEGE OF SOUTHERN IDAHO', 'CSI', and 'ESPORTS'. Below the logo, the word 'GAMING' is written in large, bold, white letters with a black outline, and 'TOURNAMENT' is written in smaller, bold, white letters below it. The background is dark with yellow and white abstract shapes resembling a game controller and a map. At the bottom, the date 'APR 12' is prominently displayed in yellow, followed by 'Doors open | 1:00 PM' and 'Gaming Starts | 3:00 PM' in white. Below this, the text 'Chess and Catan' and '(Taylor Building, Second Floor)' is written in white. A QR code is located at the bottom left, and the text 'For more info SCAN HERE' is at the bottom right.

## Chess and Catan Tournament

Saturday, April 12th  
Doors open: 1:00 PM  
Gaming Starts: 3:00 PM  
Location: Upper SUB

Come join ESports for Chess and Catan!

For more information click [Click Here](#)

## DUCK HUNT

— **HAPPENING SOON** —

What's Duck Hunt?

CSI Program Board will be hiding ducks across campus and leaving clues behind. Find the duck, get a prize!



## Duck Hunt Happening Soon!

What's Duck Hunt? CSI Program Board will be hiding ducks across campus and leaving clues behind. Find the duck, get a prize!

Follow us on Instagram @csiprobo to make sure you get the clues! Happy hunting!

# FINANCIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Apply to be a





Apply to be a  
**Resident Assistant (RA)**

**DEADLINE: March 21st, for 2025-2026**

**Resident Assistant**

A Resident Assistant (RA) is a student leader and resident of CSI Student Housing whose main task is to create a sense of belonging and a community of support. As a role model, resource, and advocate for other residents, RAs also serve on the RA Council to assist in events and activities campus wide, respond to emergencies, help create a safe space for residents to thrive, inform residents of campus events, do rounds, and work HUB shifts (EH only).

**Benefits**

- Housing scholarship
- Weekly and annual leadership training
- Annual leadership retreat
- Annual Challenge Course experience
- Meal plan scholarship (EH only)

**Responsibilities**

- Create community with CSI student housing residents
- Participate in Leadership Development
- Assist the Residence Coordinator/Apartment Manager and Office of Student Affairs
- Enforce & abide by the Student Code of Conduct & Housing Policies
- Serve on the RA Council
- Plan and execute events & activities
- Rounds &/or HUB shift, weekdays and weekends

**Requirements**

- Enroll in & maintain 12+ credits/semester
- Maintain a 2.5+ GPA
- Reside in CSI Housing
- Role model a standard of professional conduct
- Maintain good financial & judicial standing

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

**EAGLE HALL: AIMEE BOYER**  
EMAIL: HOUSING@CSI.EDU  
PHONE: 208-732-6575

**EAGLE VIEW: WANDA LUNA**  
EMAIL: WLUNA@CSI.EDU  
PHONE: 208-733-0740



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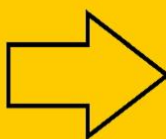
**Benefits:**

1. Housing Scholarship
2. Leadership Training
3. Leadership Retreat
4. Meal plan Scholarship

For more information contact  
Aimee Boyer at  
housing@csi.edu or 208-732-6575 or Wanda Luna at  
wluna@csi.edu or 208-733-0740.

# CSI CHILDCARE SCHOLARSHIP NOW OPEN

**SCAN TO LEARN MORE**



**CSI.EDU/FINANCIAL-AID/SCHOLARSHIPS**

Do you need childcare assistance? Do you have children under the age of 5? Are you a current student at CSI? If so, you may be eligible for a CSI Foundation's Childcare Scholarship. To apply visit [www.csi.edu/financial-aid/scholarships](http://www.csi.edu/financial-aid/scholarships).

# SERVICES FOR STUDENTS



CSI LIBRARY  
*Spring Semester Hours*  
JANUARY 21 - MAY 15  
MONDAY - THURSDAY  
7:30 AM - 9 PM  
FRIDAY  
7:30 AM - 4 PM  
SATURDAY  
12 - 4 PM  
SUNDAY - CLOSED

## CSI Library Spring Semester Hours

January 21- May 15

Monday-Thursday  
7:30am-9:00pm

Friday  
7:30am-4:00pm

Saturday  
12:00pm-4:00pm

Closed Sundays



**ARE YOU A  
SINGLE PARENT  
OR DISPLACED  
HOMEMAKER?**

**EMAIL**

[cnd@csi.edu](mailto:cnd@csi.edu)

**PHONE**

208.732.6219

**WEBSITE**

[csi.edu/center-for-new-directions](http://csi.edu/center-for-new-directions)



Stronger careers, brighter futures—

CSI's Center for New Directions is here to support single parents and displaced homemakers on their journey to success!

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**CSI WORK-BASED**  
LEARNING CENTER

Stuck on your career path? Resume help, career coaching and internship matching are right here! Visit the Work-Based Learning Center, formerly Career Services, in the ATIC Building.

*get help now!*

[wbl.csi.edu](http://wbl.csi.edu) 208-732-6303

# Work-Based Learning Center

If you're looking for career help, visit the Work-Based Learning Center! WBLC Manager Stefanie Hauff is available to help you find a job or internship or start charting your career path.

## What we do:

- 1-on-1 meeting to identify a career path.
- Paid Internships
- Help with your resume, cover letters and LinkedIn account.
- Mock interviews
- Eagle Job Board is full of real, local job openings from trusted employers.
- Watch our video for more information - [Click Here](#)

## Community

### Ride TFT Twin Falls Transit

For current hours visit their website [here](#).

\$3 Standard fare

Call 208.974.7433 to schedule a ride.



# RIDE

# TFT



## TWIN FALLS TRANSIT

### RELIABLE

RIDE TFT hours of operation are:  
**6 a.m. - 9 p.m. Mon. - Fri.**  
**7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturdays**

**\$3 Standard fare**  
**\$1 60 and older or with disability**

### CONVENIENT

Download the convenient app and schedule your ride, see your wait time and drivers location, and more!

### SAFE

RIDE TFT is available for individual riders as young as 12 to ride alone. Any age with an adult. Be assured that you and your loved ones are safe.

### FAST

Pick up at your door and drop off at or near your desired location. It's better than a big bus, it's micro transit.

+1 208-974-7433



## Looking for Resources?

Check out the Student Support Services. Click on the MYCSI Tab at the top of the CSI homepage and then select Student Services or follow the link

[Student Support Services](#)



If you are a current student who could use food assistance please know that your request will be handled privately and confidentially. You are eligible for a food box twice a month.

Click on the link below to access the form.

### [Gilbert's Pantry Form](#)

Gilbert's Pantry is located in the Student Affairs Office on the 2nd Floor of the Taylor Bldg.

We listen. We care. We help you learn skills for dealing with life.

Student Mental Health Services  
Phone: (208) 732-6260



Located on the 2nd floor of the Taylor Building in the Center for Student Support and Connection.



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Follow us on snapchat:

**csieagles**

To be in the know of the student events and to ask us any questions you have!

Check out the links below to get more information on services available for you.

[Food and Dining](#)

[Herrett Museum & Planetarium](#)

[Student Housing](#)

[Library](#)

[Student Mental Health Services](#)

[Outdoor Recreation & Challenge Course](#)

[Student Accessibility Services](#)

[Recreation Center](#)

[Visit the CSI Event Calendar!](#)

[Student Activities](#)



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