

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.



Join CSI Eagle Leads

Want to help students become connected, support them as they navigate their college experience, assist getting students to events and activities, and make friends? Apply to become a mentor for Eagle Leads. Earn up to \$1000 in scholarships.

> Join Today <u>Click Here</u>

Join CSI Diversity Council

Want to work as a team in a council of diversity to provide mentorship opportunities to high school students, put on events and

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED

DIVERSITY Council

Benefits of Joining:

- A scholarship opportunity of up to \$1,150
- Getting to go to a Retreat during the semester
- Fun team bonding activities and socials



Director's Contact Information

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Members :

- Work as a team in a council that is combined with Latinos Unidos to embrace diversity
- Provide mentorship opportunities to Jerome high school students to continue higher education
- Put on events and activities that showcase and educate about different cultures
- Represent our students from various parts of the world

activities showcasing and educating others about different cultures, and represent our students from various parts of the world? Join Diversity Council! A scholarship opportunity of up to \$1,150.

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February 1- March 8, 2025 •• CSI MEDICAL ASSISTANT CLUB ••

Community Service Project

St. Luke's CARES

(Children at Risk Evaluation Services)

Donations being accepted for any of the following: Backpacks grades 1-12 Blankets ages 5-17 Notebooks and pens ages 10-17 Color books with crayons/colored pencils all ages Hygiene supplies (*travel size*) all ages: -shampoo/conditioner -combs/brushes -toothbrushes/toothpaste -deodorant -cologne/perfume -female cosmetic bags/personal hygiene products

Contact CSI Medical Assisting Club Advisor: Kara Mahannah kmahannah@csi.edu 208-732-6728 Monetary donations accepted to purchase needed items!

Community Service Project

February 1st - March 8th

Consider donating to the Children at Risk Evaluation Services at St. Luke's. They are accepting any of the following items:

- Backpacks grades 1-12
- Blankets ages 5-17
- Notebooks and pens ages 10-17
- Color books with crayons/colored pencils all ages
- Hygiene supplies (travel size) all ages

Donation boxes will be set up throughout the campus.

Contact Kara Mahannah at kmahannah@csi.edu with any questions.



Minute to Win It Eagle Hour with Student Accessibility

Date: Tuesday, February 4th Time: 12:00-2:00PM Location: Upper SUB

Join us for Minute to Win It games, puzzles and prizes!!

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Wednesday, February 5th 1:00 - 2:00 PM Location: Taylor Room 233

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.

Contact: Shannon Hyde, shyde@csi.edu

Cybersecurity Carnival





EAGLES EMPOWER SUPPORT GROUP

WHERE & WHEN

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

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ABOUT US

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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.



Please join the IT Department for Pop the Balloon, Bingo, prizes, snacks and to learn about cybersecurity at CSI. All participants will be entered into a drawing for a \$50 CSI Bookstore gift card. Hope to see you there!

> Thursday, February 6th 12:00 - 2:00PM - Upstairs SUB

CSI IT Cybersecurity Eagle Hour

ESPORTS

TOURNAMENTS

Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tourney (Taylor Building, Second Floor)

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Doors open | 1:00 PM Gaming Starts | 3:00 PM

For more info SCAN HERE

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ESports Gaming Tournament

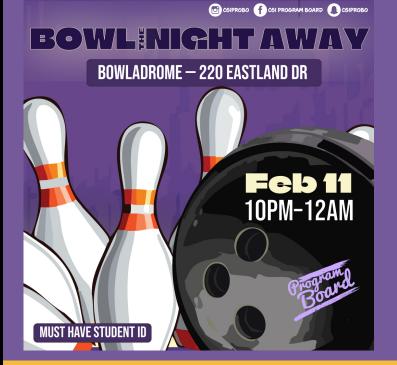
Saturday, February 8th Doors Open: 1:00 PM Gaming Starts: 3:00 PM Location: Taylor Building, Second Floor

Join us for a Super Smash Bros. Ultimate Tourney!

Please register Here



Tuesday, February 11th



10:00 PM- 12:00 AM Location: Bowladrome 220 Eastland Drive

Join us for a free bowling night at Bowladrome in Twin Falls! Must have Student ID.

CSI Transfer Fair

Wednesday, February 12th 11:00 - 2:00 PM Location: Twin Falls Campus

4:00 - 6:00 PM Location: Mini-Cassia Center

Regional four-year Colleges/Universities, and Military, will be available to visit with students about the transfer process. Learn about academic programs, financial aid, scholarships and housing.

Free pizza, swag and raffle drawings. Students who attend will be entered into a drawing for a chance to win a \$500 CSI Scholarship.

TRIO Presents: Mcfarland USA's

Twin Falls Campus FINE ARTS BUILDING LOBBY

PLAN FOR YOUR FUTURE!

TRANSFER

Mini-Cassia Center

FREE PIZZA, SWAG RAFFLE DRAWINGS!

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TRIO invites the community to **CSI's Fine Arts Auditorium** to hear Thomas Valles, the real-life runner from Disney's McFarland, USA, deliver a motivational speech that will share his inspiring journey from a troubled youth to a champion athlete, highlighting the significance of finding positive role models and cultivating the determination to succeed.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12TH

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High School Appreciation Game

Saturday, February 15th Women's Game: 1:00 PM Men's Game: 3:00 PM

Calling all Dual Credit and Apply Idaho Students! Join us for our High School Appreciation basketball games. High school students get in for free! Register by calling 208-933-2320 or email dualcredit@csi.edu.





NON-TRADITIONAL RESOURCE FAIR



New and returning Non-Traditional students, come JOIN US!

Discover resources and support for Non-Traditional Students! Connect with on-campus and community services, meet local businesses, and enhance your college journey.



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Aaliyah Rodriguez Phone: 208.732.6292 Email: agarcia7@csi.edu

Non-Traditional Resource Fair

Tuesday, February 18th 12:00 - 2:00 PM Location: Upper SUB

New and returning Non-Traditional students, come and join us! Discover resources and support for Non-Traditional Students. Connect with on-campus and community services, meet local businesses and enhance your college journey.

Contact Aailyah Rodriguez at 208-732-6929 or agarcia7@csi.edu for questions.

FINANCIAL OPPORTUNITIES

Scholarship Opportunity

2025-2026 Agriculture Department and NextGen Scholarships.

Application Opens: January 1st 1st Priority Date: Saturday, March 1st

Application remains open after the first priority date, but highest consideration is given to early applicants!

Contact Shalani MayCSI NextGen Grant Managerswmay@csi.edu208-732-6499





STUDENT ESSAY CONTEST

NISOD invites you to participate in the Scott Wright Student Essay Contest! Describe in a 500-word essay how a faculty member, staff member, or administrator encouraged you to complete a course, finish a semester, or graduate from college and how that encouragement helped you reach your goal(s).

The Prize

Three (3) winning student authors and the featured faculty members, staff members, or administrators in the winning essays will each r

- \$1,000 USD
- Travel to the International Conference on Teaching and Leadership Excellence (May 24-27 in Austin, Texas), which

- Up to \$400 USD toward travel to Austin, Texas;
 Up to three (3) nights lodging (Saturday, Sunday, Monday nights only);
 One (1) complimentary conference registration.
- In addition, each winning student author's college will receive a complimentary one-year NISOD membership.

Evaluation Criteria

Submissions will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Organization
 Conciseness
 Grammar · Content
- OriginalityClarity

Eligibility Requirements

Student must be enrolled at a NISOD member college for the spring semester to participate Students must be at least 18 years old by May 2025.

The faculty, staff member, or administrator written about in the essay must currently be employed by the college.

The student and the faculty, staff member, or administrato write about in the essay must be able to travel to Austin to participate in the Student Essay Contest presentation held during NISOD's annual conference.

Timeline

- Contest opens: August 19, 2024
 Submission deadline: March 7, 2025
 Winners notified: March 21, 2025
 Winner acceptance due: April 4, 2025
 Prize presented and essay read at NISOD conference:
 May 25, 2025



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Visit here for complete details:



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.

SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

CSI Library Spring Semester Hours

January 21- May 15

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

Friday 7:30am-4:00pm

CSI LIBRARY Spring Cemester

JANUARY 21 - MAY 15

MONDAY - THURSDAY 7:30 AM - 9 PM

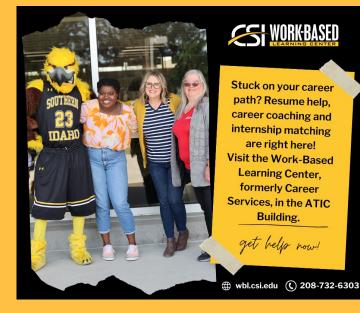
> FRIDAY 7:30 AM - 4 PM

SATURDAY 12 - 4 PM

SUNDAY - CLOSED

Saturday 12:00pm-4:00pm

Closed Sundays



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 - <u>Click Here</u>



Ride TFT Twin Falls Transit

For current hours visit their website here.

\$3 Standard fare

Call 208.974.7433 to schedule a ride.

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.

Pick up at your door and drop off at

or near your desired location. It's better than a big bus, it's micro tran-

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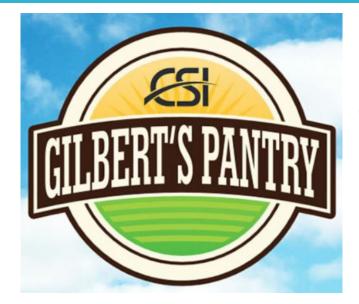
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Community

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 <u>Student Support Services</u>



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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