Welcome back!
We hope your quarter has started off well! To begin the school year, we’d like to let you know what has been happening with the VSC recently and fill you in on some ways that you can get involved this year.

**RELECTIONS FROM SEPTEMBER**

9/11 Military Appreciation Soccer Game
The 9/11 Military Appreciation Soccer Game was a success – and a victory for Cal Poly Men’s Soccer! It was great that we were able to recognize our veterans and service members. The halftime presentation discussed the importance of the university’s support of military organizations and honored all those who have died to keep our country safe. Thank you to all who attended.

9/19: First Tailgate of the Year
SVO’s first tailgate of the year was the weekend before classes started. We had a great time meeting fellow veterans, dependents, and supporters. See you all at the next one! (October 3rd!)
9/21: VSC Opening for Fall 2015
The Veterans Success Center opened again for fall quarter on the first day of fall classes, September 21. It has been great to see so many new (and old) faces stopping by the center. Many people have stopped in to check out the VSC and find out ways to get involved. Stay tuned! We will make sure to continue keeping everyone updated.

9/24: First SVO Meeting of the Year
Thank you to all who attended the first Student Veterans Organization meeting for the 2015-2016 school year! We were very happy with the turnout. At the meeting, we were able to discuss (over pizza and cookies) a few things we are looking to do this year, including social and volunteer events.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

New VSC Staff
We’d like to welcome two new staff members to our team at the Veterans Success Center! Haley Ehlers is a first year graduate student in the Biomedical Engineering program, and Nicole Villarreal is a junior transfer Business major.

Dean’s List
Congratulations to our club and staff members who made the Dean’s list for the spring quarter!
- Haley Ehlers and Elton Yang made the Dean’s list.
- Sean Tischler obtained a 4.0!
- Ariel Crisostomo and Sarah Morningred made the President’s list for the 2014-2015 school year.

We like to celebrate the successes of the members of our VSC family. Please email us if you have any milestones or successes that we can celebrate with you!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Northrop Grumman
Northrop Grumman, a leading global security company, would like to extend an invitation to Student Veterans Organization members to mingle with Northrop Grumman leadership from 10-11am on Monday, October 19 in Bonderson 104. This is an opportunity that you will not want to miss as Northrop will be doing on-the-spot interviews that afternoon. Please RSVP to Sean Tischler at veteranscenter@calpoly.edu by October 12th to attend.
**Engineering Resource Fair Booth**
The Veterans Success Center will be participating in the 5th annual Engineering Resource Fair on **Tuesday, October 20th from 5:30-7:30pm at the Poly Canyon Village Conference Room**, hosted by the Engineering Advising Center. We are asking for volunteers to help run our information booth at the event. Please email Ariel Crisostomo at veteranscenter@calpoly.edu to sign up to volunteer. Even if you are not volunteering, attending the event would be a great opportunity to get familiar with the different departments and services available to you on campus. Hope to see you there!

**Tailgates**
Join us for our next tailgate this Saturday, October 3rd! Please email us an RSVP if you plan to attend so we can determine how much food to buy. The Student Veterans Organization puts on these tailgate events for every home game, and we would love to see everyone there! Here is the schedule of home games for the rest of the season.

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**Student Veterans Organization**
Our next SVO Meeting will be **Thursday, October 8th at 11am in the VSC (Building 52, Room E4)**. We will continue planning for Veterans Awareness Week and discuss other social and volunteer events coming up. Our meetings will take place at this time every other Thursday. See you there!

**Veterans Success Team**
The meeting times for the Veterans Success Team this year will be:
- Wednesday, October 14th from 2-3pm in UU 216
- Wednesday, January 6th from 2-3pm in UU 216
- Wednesday, April 6th from 2-3pm in UU 216

**CLOSING THOUGHTS**
“For last year’s words belong to last year’s language And next year’s words await another voice. And to make an end is to make a beginning.”
— T.S. Eliot

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