INFORMATION MEETINGS:
TUES NOV 17 AT & WED NOV 18 - 4 PM - SUB 419
All candidates are expected to attend - If neither of those times work for you contact vpacademicaffairs@newpaltzsa.com

Candidacy Form
Name_________________________ Expected Date of Graduation__________
Email_________________________ Phone____________________________

Election Guidelines
The Student Association is the primary representative and governing body of SUNY New Paltz students, with a budget of $1.5 million funded by your Student Activity Fee. SA manages all student clubs and organizations on campus, provides services including but not limited to transportation around the town and legal services, allocates money for students to attend conferences to further their education elsewhere, and much much more! SA is here to advocate for and represent student concerns in order to serve the SUNY New Paltz community. The effectiveness of this student government is dependent on student participation, so we thank you for getting involved!

I. To ensure fair and equal SA elections, the following actions are prohibited:
   A. Slandering (Comments or criticisms on personal matters not made public by the damaged party, non issue or platform based remarks.)
   B. Vandalizing (writing, drawing, or removal of flyers.)
      1. No person shall take, steal, burn, destroy or damage any property, be it personal or otherwise, on the College campus or other property under College control or belonging to another member of the College community. In addition, no person shall in any manner whatsoever deface any property under the ownership or control of the College.
   C. Intimidating Voters
      1. Voters must not feel pressured or coerced into supporting a candidate.
      2. Candidates may not directly approach students or table with electronic devices while the polls are open.
      3. If a voter feels pressured they can notify the Chief Justice who will conduct a hearing in conjunction with the Judicial Board regarding the alleged offense.
   D. Posting flyers anywhere other than public bulletin boards as stated in the Student Handbook.
   E. Use of Resources that include, but are not limited to, a New Paltz affiliated e-mail, Blackboard, and SA affiliated e-mail lists.

II. Campaign Material may only include:
   A. A maximum budget of $11 from SA to go towards printing at the NP print shop.
      1. All campaign material must be approved and stamped by the SAUS office before use.

III. Candidates must take down all campaign material after the elections
IV. If a candidate is in violation of the aforementioned guidelines any activity paying student should bring it to the attention of the Judicial board no later than 24 hours after the polls close.
Senate Expectations:

Senators are required to sit on at least two (2) committees and must serve at least two (2) office hours a week in the Student Association Office located in SUB 419. Senators are expected to attend every meeting.

Committees available to senators include, but are not limited to:

- Academic Affairs Committee
- Budget and Finance Committee
- Constitution and Rules Committee
- UPD Committee
- Environmental Task Force
- Student Association Productions
- Alumni Affairs Committee
- Curriculum Committee
- Academic Senate
- Educational Technology
- Sustainability Committee
- Council Board
- Student Labor Coalition
- Transportation Implementation

Declaration of Intent

I __________________________ hereby declare my candidacy for _______________________________ in the Student Association of SUNY New Paltz. In signing this statement I agree to follow the election guidelines put forth in the SUNY New Paltz Student Association Constitution. Additionally, I agree that in the event I am elected, I will become educated in all issues pertaining to my position, and make informed decisions pursuant to the Constitution and Bylaws of SUNY New Paltz.

Verification of Good Academic Standing

This information is to be used by the Office of Records and Registration to verify you are in good academic standing.

Name:_________________________________________________________________
Phone Number: ________________________________________________________
Student/Banner ID:_______________________________________________________
Signature: _____________________________________________________________

(For office use only)

1. Did this student have a Grade Point Average of 2.0 or higher last semester?
   Yes                           No

2. Does this student have a Grade Point Average of 2.0 or higher now?
   Yes                           No

3. Is this student in good academic standing at the State University at New Paltz
   Yes                           No