

How to join...

Membership in the CJS is open to all full-time and part-time SVSU students, undergraduate and graduate, who maintain a cumulative grade average of at least 2.0.

Students pay membership dues-set at \$20 for the entire 2007-2008 academic year-entitling them to participate in the organization's activities. Dues-paid members each receive one CJS T-shirt at no additional cost.

Just fill out an application and bring it with you to a meeting or drop it off with another member. **New members can join at any time!**

Check out our webpage at:
<http://www.svsu.edu/abs/cj>

Join us on VSpace!
We are listed under:
Criminal Justice Society



Meeting Calendar

All meetings are on Wednesday afternoon from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. Business meetings and discussion are from 4:00 to 4:30, with the guest speaker starting at 4:30.

Except as noted, all meetings are in the Multi-Purpose Room in the Doan Center, between RFOC and the Bookstore. The alternate meeting room is the Alumni Lounge, on the corner where Curtiss turns into Doan.

September 5

September 19

October 3

October 17

October 31

November 14

January 23

February 6

February 20

March 12

March 26

April 9

April 23

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About us....

The **Criminal Justice Society (CJS)** is the SVSU organization for students with strong professional interests in criminal justice. The CJS has five primary purposes:

1. To provide access to professionals representing all aspects of the criminal justice career field.
2. To develop organizational and leadership skills among its members.
3. To participate in SVSU extracurricular campus activities and events.
4. To contribute to the development of knowledge concerning the criminal justice professions and graduate education in the field.
5. To allow student participation in community service, civic, and charitable activities.

The CJS is headed by a board of directors consisting of four officers- president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer- and five other members. They are elected at the end of the winter term to serve for the following year.

The CJS is sponsored by members of the SVSU CJ Department. Current sponsors include professors Burk Foster, (bfoster@svsu.edu) Holly Child (hchild@svsu.edu), and Joe Jaksa (jjjaksa@svsu.edu). One or more of the sponsors attends each meeting and social function in an advisory capacity.



A few CJ Society Members

In the 2006-2007 meeting year, guest speakers included:

- Saginaw Chief of Police
- criminalist from the Bridgeport State Police Crime Lab
- Saginaw County Prosecutor
- Saginaw Correctional Fac. administrator
- Deputy U.S. Marshal
- legal advocate with the Bay Area Women's Center
- Saginaw Circuit Court Probation Officer
- Saginaw K-9 officer and his dog
- the supervisor of the Flint office of the Federal ATFE
- former SVSU criminal justice department heads
- panel of faculty members speaking on criminal justice graduate programs
- Saginaw homicide detective

CJS members were provided with a special tour of the Bridgeport Crime Lab and took part in other visits to local and state correctional facilities.

Already scheduled for the 2007-2008 year, the list of planned speakers includes an FBI agent, a corporate security executive, a Saginaw family court official, an arson investigator, and many more!