



VSCA news & updates

October 2022

Upcoming Events

10/25/22
Adviser Exchange:
[Managing Your
Message](#)

11/5/22 - Regions 1,
4, & 5-6-7-8
[Workshops](#)

11/12/22 - Advisory
Committee Meeting at
Mechanicsville HS

11/19/22 - Region 3
[Workshop](#)

2/4/23 - Advisory
Committee Meeting

3/17- 3/18/23 VSCA
State Convention

2023 Achievement Award Application

Each year, the Virginia Student Councils Association honors member schools who promote leadership and community service through their school's Student Council activities by presenting the Achievement Award to schools who meet the criteria.

To be recognized, schools must apply and submit documentation of completing a variety of activities. Check out the [2023 application](#) and submit it by January 13 to be recognized for your council's good work!



Happy Fall, Y'all!

Your [VSCA officers and region reps](#) hope that your year is off to a good start and we look forward to interacting with you this year in the many programs we have planned, from online live Instagram chats and Adviser Exchanges to in-person regional workshops and the state convention. VSCA is a supportive community that can help all of us connect with others around the state who do what we do and share ideas. If it has been a while since you were an active member, we invite you to come on back and [discover all that VSCA has to offer!](#)

Region Workshops Offer Affordable Training

Hosted by the elected Regional Representative schools from each region, Region Workshops are a great opportunity for students to gain ideas and skills to be more effective student council members and network with other student leaders in their part of the state. Taking a group of students is a great team-building activity and the low registration rate of \$15 for member schools makes it a very affordable option for training. VSCA members can attend any workshop, so if a different region than the one you belong to is on a date that works better or is closer, feel free to register for any of the workshops.

Region workshops for 2022 are scheduled for the following dates and places:

- **Region 1:** November 5 hosted by Mechanicsville HS
- **Region 2:** October 29 hosted by Hickory HS
- **Region 3:** November 19 hosted by Massaponax High School
- **Region 4:** November 5 at Freedom HS
- **Regions 5-6-7-8:** November 5 at Liberty HS

Adviser & Principal of the Year Nominations

Each year VSCA recognizes outstanding advisers and principals who go above and beyond to support their SCA programs. Consider nominating a deserving administrator or adviser with this [nomination form](#).



Registration details are available on the [VSCA website](#), and are typically about 2 weeks before the workshop.

Adviser Exchange

Join us for our first online adviser idea exchange of the 2022-23 school year at 7:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, November 2** when the topic will be [Managing Your](#)



[Message](#). VSCA Director Lyn Fiscus will share a variety of resources and strategies for publicity and sharing a positive message about your student council program. This webinar will be interactive, so come prepared to share ideas and learn from others. [Register here](#) to get the link to attend the webinar.

Membership Information

VSCA's membership year runs from July 1 to June 30 each year. The new [membership brochure](#) details all the advantages of membership. If you haven't already sent in your membership affiliation, please do so now by completing [this form](#) and sending in a check with the appropriate amount.



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