



Article I. Organization

A. Name

The name of this organization shall be hereby known as **Pride+**.

B. Purpose

The Pride+ Club strives to

1. Provide an environmentally friendly atmosphere at Los Angeles Valley College in which students are not discriminated against due to age, sex, ethnicity or sexual orientation.
2. Raise awareness of LGBTQQIA+ lifestyle, culture and history with hopes to transform many misconceptions and stereotypes
3. Stimulate personal growth to members through mental and emotional support and guidance.
4. Improve visibility of LGBTQQIA+ individuals attending or employed by Los Angeles Valley College, promote equality and understanding.
5. Foster diversity and create a welcoming and inclusive environment.

C. Dues

There are no dues for members of Pride+.

D. Time, Place and Frequency

Pride+ members will meet every Wednesday 2:30PM-3:30PM.

Article II.

A. Eligibility

Membership is open to all Los Angeles Valley College students and faculty members. The only requirement of each member is to pay \$10 ASO semester membership fee.

Article III.

Section I. Officer Responsibilities

1. The executive board will consist of President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, ICC representative ("ICC rep") and ICC Alternate representative. All officers are expected to attend at least 3 out of 4 meetings per month.
2. The president shall carry out the constitution by delegating responsibilities to officers and members of this organization. The president will act as the official spokesperson of Pride+ and create committees as needed. The president will head each club meeting. They will also attend ICC meetings if both the ICC reps are unable.
3. The vice president shall assist the president in their duties to represent the organization. The vice president shall assume the responsibilities of the president in the president's absence.
4. The secretary shall type and keep records of all the minutes of the organization's meetings; this includes the revision of the organization's documents as needed. The secretary will be responsible for all the Pride+ publications and publicity distributed to students. The secretary will also be responsible for documenting meeting agendas and mementos in the club records binder.
5. The treasurer shall be responsible for all the funds of the organization. The treasurer will supervise the budget, organize budget requests, and keep record of all the club's expenditures.
6. The ICC representative will attend ICC meetings and speak for the club in these meetings.
7. The alternate ICC representative will assume the responsibility of the ICC rep in their absence.

Section II. Elections and Terms of Office

The executive board will be elected during the last meeting of each semester. Each officer will hold the position for one semester and need to be reelected for the next term. Each officer can serve for a maximum of five terms. All officers must be students of LAVC and maintain a GPA of 2.0 or higher.

Pride+ members present at the time of election are allowed to vote for officers. If an officer is unable to perform their duties (e.g. ineligibility), we will elect another person to fulfill those duties. An officer may have their position revoked if at least 3 of the other officers vote to remove them from their position.

A quorum will consist of at least a majority of the members who attend.

Amendments to the Constitution

Any member should have the right to propose an amendment. No constitution should be adopted by less than the majority of the voting membership. Parliamentary procedure will be in accordance with this constitution. All procedures not approved for by this Constitution, shall be governed by "Robert's Rules of Order, Newly Edition."