

## Classified Senate Report – 3/5/26 College Council Meeting

We had successful Tea Time events the last week of February. About 20-25 attended our IVC event and 60-65 attended our KTD event. Everyone enjoyed connecting over boba milk tea and snacks. A representative from Redwood Credit Union came to our IVC event. We look forward to a new partnership with them.

The 45-member Classified Book Club recently finished and discussed [Audition](#) by Katie Kitamura, The book is known for its minimalist prose, psychological depth, and dual narratives that question the nature of truth and selfhood, and it was shortlisted for the 2025 Booker Prize.

The Book Club discussed organizing a COM Employee Read that would be inclusive of all employees in the fall semester to coincide with the launch of the COMmon Read book, [Solito](#) by Javier Zamora. The librarians are on board and said they have copies of books for COM employees.

We are going to start calling for nominations for Classified Appreciation Awards for the May Employee Appreciation Luncheon.

We still have our [Hop Into Spring See's Candies Fundraiser](#) featuring spring themed candies, good through March 20<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you!

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