Our mission is to inspire and engage the community in support of Clatsop Community College students so they can achieve their goals.

FOUNDATION NEWS & UPDATES DECEMBER 2022

2022-23 Scholarship Donor & Recipient Reception



Gerry Swenson and CCC President Chris Breitmeyer awarding prizes from the Scholarship Reception Icebreaker challenge.

2022 Bandit Bash

Following the reception guests were invited to stay for the inaugural Bandit Bash. This was a free event for students, alumni, employees and various friends of the college to enjoy live music, beverages, snacks, and photo booth fun.



On November 5th, 90 attendees gathered on the first floor of Patriot Hall for the CCC Foundation Scholarship Donor and Recipient Reception. The opening welcome was provided by Board of Directors member Gerry Swenson, followed by a heartwarming speech from CCC President Chris Breitmeyer. An icebreaker allowed introductions of scholarship donors and recipients alike. Open seating encouraged even more interaction and firsthand sharing of the impact scholarships have for CCC students.



Kathleen Zunkel, donor of the ESL/Adult Basic Education Scholarship, engaging with students.



Donors, recipients & their families, along with Foundation and College representatives attended.

Edward Reed Welding & Fabrication Scholarship Reception

October 21 was the Edward Reed Welding & Fabrication Scholarship Reception. Attendees included friends and colleagues of Ed's along with some of the first scholarship recipients.

Ed served as a welding instructor at CCC from 1976 –2001. Ed had a passion for welding and creating artistic pieces. In addition to creating sculptures and metal work, Ed was an artist who enjoyed drawing and painting. He was generous to bequeath the majority of his estate to the CCC Foundation to establish an endowed scholarship to support welding students and also provide a program support fund in the amount of \$46,000.

Ed's legacy and impact will continue indefinitely through his scholarship fund and the CCC welding student recipients.



Scholarships Impact Student Success!



"I would like to express my sincere thanks in awarding me the Emmett D. Towler and the Historic Preservation Scholarships. These scholarships will help me continue to gain historic preservation skills that I will use to benefit our community on the North Coast...
Thank you for contributing to my education."

Vance McDermot

Endowed Scholarships

- * CCC Foundation Fund * CCC Foundation Opportunity
 - * Michael J. Ferguson Memorial
- * Arthur Fertig Memorial
- * James Hill Memorial
- * Chet & Edie Hogan Teaching
- * Judy Hogan Scholarship for the Arts
 - * Dwight T. Holland
 - * Amelia Kuitert Memorial
 - * Sally & Nestor Leino Memorial
- * Maritime Industry Helping Hands
- * Warfield & Elizabeth Martin
 Memorial Endowment
 - * Steven Mund
 - * The Raven
 - * Edward Reed Welding & Fabrication
 - * Sue Richardson
 - * Rochester
 - * Megan Samuel Memorial
 - Merriam Shawa
 - * Sarah Shawa Memorial
 - * Dr. John & Mrs. Jan Swanson
 - * Emmett D. Towler

LEGACY GIFTS

Gifts to the CCC Foundation have a lasting impact for CCC students. Many of the gifts are received as part of estates; however, these funds can be set up for a minimum gift of \$25,000 or a commitment of \$5,000 a year for 5 years and can support either scholarships or programs.

Annual Scholarships

- * CCC Art
- * CCC Historic Preservation
- * Barbara Emily Knudson Foundation
- * Laurie Choate Memorial
- * The Margaret Chopping
- * Columbia Memorial Hospital
- * Columbia Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Nursing
- * Beth Fasset / Marie Schultz / Evelyn Koppen
 - * Greg Dorcheus
- * ESL/Adult Basic Education
 - * Meredith Fick Memorial
- * Funland Entertainment Center
 - * Allan & Marie Gann
 - * Arline & Cliff LaMear
 - * CCC Maritime Match
 - Nehalem Bay Emergency
 Services
 - * Scott Parker Memorial
 - * Brenda Penner & Steve Forrester
- * PNW Chief Warrant Officers
 Association
- * Providence Healthcare Diversity
 - * Providence Seaside Hospital
 - * Lorrain Rodriguez Nursing
 - * Carol P. Schwartz
 - * Seaport Lodge #7 AF & AM Nursing
 - * Step to Success Career Tech
 - * Allyn J. Washington
- Whitehead & Warwick Memorial
 - * Mary Wood Memorial
 - * World of Speed Automotive

Interested in setting up an annual scholarship to support CCC students?

Contact the Foundation Office 503-338-2306 or ahunt@clatsopcc.edu

2022 Go for Green Employee Giving Campaign



On October 27. President Breitmeyer endured all 10 levels of spicy wings that represented different levels of employee participation in the 2022 Go for Green: Make Spicy **Employee**

Giving Campaign. Spices were obtained from Pat's Pantry, and Foundation Chair Cliff Fick prepared the wings.

Thank you to all who participated. Kudos to the Classified Staff Union for their group contribution, Tom Ank for 'sweetening' the pot with his bottle of honey incentive and Krystal Brailsford. From the creative collaborations of team CCC, we reached 100% participation in 2022 and President Breitmeyer felt 100% of the spice!!

Magic Opportunity Fund Updates

Over 100 student applied to receive the *Magic Opportunity Fund*. Thanks to the generous support from our 2022 *Be Part of*

the Magic fundraising event, we were able to fund 70 students with \$1,500 for the academic year. These students will receive \$500 per term they are enrolled: fall, winter, and spring.

"This is the first scholarship I have ever received and I'm extremely thankful for it. I just began my first year in the Nursing Program here at CCC...

This scholarship has been able to help financially with many things and it's given me and my family a sense of relief.

Thank you for the support!

Brittany Kelly





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At the Clatsop Community College Foundation, we believe that our entire community benefits when every student has the tools and resources they need to help them succeed in school and in life.

WE APPRECIATE YOUR SUPPORT

Please visit our website to make a gift or sign up to receive news & updates from our e-newsletter instead of direct mail:

https://www.clatsopcc.edu/leadership/foundation/



► Or make a gift with our QR code!

Upcoming Events & Happenings

- ⇒ **Dec 31–** Last day to give in 2022 for tax deduction
- ⇒ **April 29–** Share the Magic
- ⇒ June 9– Lum's Auto Golf Tournament

Tax Savings Tip-

Lock in tax savings by using your IRA Required Minimum Distribution for your next gift to the Clatsop Community College Foundation and reduce your taxable income.

Join a CCC Foundation Committee

Would you like to be a member of the CCC Foundation team? We invite you to join one of our committees. There are four available:

- * **Finance**: Meets bi-monthly, makes annual budget and endowed fund percent spending recommendations, reviews investment guidelines & performance, examines annual audit
- Events: Meets monthly or as needed, annual fundraising event, Scholarship Donor & Recipient Reception, other fundraising/ friendraising events
- * Marketing & Promotion: Meets monthly or as needed, communicate general Foundation impact, strategize & implement event promotions, strategize & implement for increased outreach
- * Student Engagement: Meets quarterly or as needed, involved with scholarship application and review processes, involved with student events on campus, strategize & implement alumni engagement.

To learn more, please contact the Foundation Office.

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