

Thank You for Making 2023-24 a Successful Year!

As the 2023-24 academic year wraps up, the ClatsopCC Foundation would like to thank all the funding partners who joined in our mission to ensure students have access to the tools and resources they need to succeed in school and in life! **A new record total of over \$630,000 was distributed to students and programs at the college through funds managed by the CCC Foundation.**

CCC EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Over 315,000 was disbursed to education programs at Clatsop Community College:

- \$5,470 for Emergency Student Needs from the Olive Bridge Fund
- \$6,500 CCC welding program equipment
- \$1,200 Information Literacy Project
- Nursing program support from Columbia Memorial Hospital and Providence Health & Services.
- Automotive program alignment machine
- \$72,500 in grant funding support from The Roundhouse Foundation for:
 - ◇ Career and Technical Education student cohort supplies:
 - ◆ Nursing and Allied Health
 - ◆ Maritime Science
 - ◆ Historic Preservation
 - ◆ Emergency Medical Technician
 - ◇ Air tank bottle refill station
- \$105,000 in private funding to support:
 - ◇ Air tank bottle refill station
 - ◇ Valve upgrades for the Fire Response Research Center (FRRC)

SCHOLARSHIPS

Over \$231,000 was awarded to students through scholarship funds. Thanks to the efforts of the Financial Aid Office nearly 78% of available scholarships were disbursed to students during the academic year. Over 150 students received funding.



Congratulations to the 2024 ClatsopCC graduates.

MAGIC OPPORTUNITY FUND

A total of \$84,000 in support was disbursed through the Magic Opportunity Fund. Initially, 65 students were awarded \$500 per term completed for a total of \$1,500 for the academic year. Of these, 51 students were retained through Spring term, which is nearly 80% completion compared to ~60% for students in the overall population.

This is a similar trend to completion/retention statistics from 2022-23 (84% completion for recipients vs. ~60% for non-recipients). The CCC Foundation is encouraged by the continued impact from the Magic Opportunity Fund and appreciates all of the community support to help ensure cost is not a barrier for certificate and degree seeking students to achieve their goals.

Thank you to our 2023-24 Student Ambassadors



Frankie Gentry



Argie Mendez



Flint Largin

The CCC Foundation was delighted to showcase our first cohort of student ambassadors. The purpose of the student ambassador program was to incorporate the student perspective on how the CCC Foundation impacts their education and career goals.

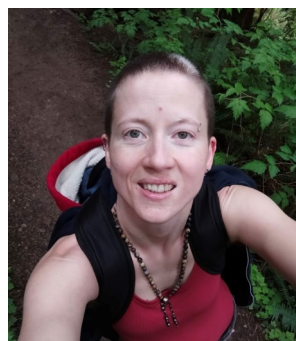
In addition to sharing their student story and the impact of CCC and scholarships from the CCC Foundation in various video messages, the student ambassadors participated in a variety of Foundation events. This included helping at the February Pickles for Pickleball event to raise funds for the Bandit Food Pantry and attending the April 13th CELEBRATE event. Kris Reid also accompanied, Director of the CCC Foundation, Angee Hunt, to present at the Seaside Downtown Development Association meeting on March 14.

The students represent a variety of education and career interests including welding, nursing, environmental studies/biology, and English Literature. Recruitment for the 2024-25 ambassadors is currently underway and the finalists will be announced in September.



Asher Finch

Congratulations to Asher Finch as a recipient of the Ford Foundation Scholarship and Kris Reid for the Jack Kent Cooke Scholarship. These prestigious awards will substantially cover educational costs as they work to achieve their goals!



Kris Reid



Check out this video that was shared during the April 13th CELEBRATE event. Hear from our student ambassadors how gifts to the CCC Foundation reduce financial barriers and help them achieve their goals!

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
- * Ralph Wirfs & Karen Kenyon

MAKE A GIFT

Would you like to provide the gift of scholarship to a CCC student?

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

Annual Scholarships

- * **James & Pamela Alegria**
- * **Anderson Generational Nursing**
- * **Assistance League of the Columbia Pacific**
 - * **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**
 - * **Karen Elder**
- * **ESL/Adult Basic Education**
- * **Meredith Fick Memorial**
- * **Funland Entertainment Center**
- * **Columbia River Bar Pilots**
 - * **Allan & Marie Gann**
 - * **Arline & Cliff LaMear**
- * **Nehalem Bay Emergency Services**
- * **Scott Parker Memorial**
- * **Brenda Penner & Steve Forrester**
- * **PNW Chief Warrant Officers Association**
 - * **Providence Health & Services**
 - * **Carol P. Schwartz**
- * **Seaport Lodge #7 AF & AM Nursing**
- * **Step to Success Career Tech**
- * **TLC, a Division of Fibre Federal Credit Union**
 - * **Allyn J. Washington**
 - * **Whitehead & Warwick Memorial**
 - * **Mary Wood Memorial**
- * **World of Speed Automotive**

Community Partnership Thank You NW Natural

On May 24, as part of the ongoing 65th CCC Anniversary year long celebration, a campus clean-up event was hosted to prepare for graduation on June 14.

NW Natural provided a BBQ hot dog lunch. CCC Foundation members helped serve. A team of student volunteers helped with various clean-up projects on campus.



CCC Student Volunteers
Cleaning windows in Patriot Hall



CCC Foundation
*Gerry Swenson, Dave Zunkel,
Jim Alegria, & Angee Hunt*



NW Natural BBQ Team
*Eric Brady, Kelsey Balensifer, &
Darrell Nelson*

Legacy Planning

Legacy planning is a financial strategy that prepares people to bequeath their assets to a loved one, next of kin, or charity of choice in your will or during your lifetime.

There are a variety of gifting strategies that can be used:

- ◆ Donor Advised Funds
- ◆ Traditional Charitable Giving
- ◆ Charitable Remainder Trust

Consult with your financial advisor to learn what options are best for you and your legacy planning goals.

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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.

Upcoming Events & Happenings

- ⇒ **July 1:** Summer Term Classes BEGIN
- ⇒ **Sept 24:** New Student Orientation and welcome to CCC BBQ lunch
- ⇒ **Sept 30:** Fall Term Classes BEGIN

April 13th CELEBRATE



Thank you to all who partnered with the CCC Foundation for our April 13th CELEBRATE fundraising event. We appreciate the unified support of the three mayors to assist with the paddle raise. Over \$73,000 was raised to support the Magic Opportunity Fund!

SAVE THE DATE
CCC FUNDRAISING EVENT
APRIL 12, 2025



Thank You for Your Service & Support



Janice Horning

Janice (Jan) Horning has worked for the CCC Foundation as a part-time assistant since June 2022. Her last day will be June 30, 2024. She is a CCC alumni and former Arthur Fertig Memorial Scholarship recipient.

Jan is an active volunteer member in the community. She previously volunteered for PTA, Cub and Boy Scouts, as well as served on a school board. Currently, she is active with the AAUW Astoria Branch.

The Foundation would like to thank Jan for her support to advance our mission during her time as the CCC Foundation Assistant.

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