

Breaking Barriers

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Moments that Matter

Inside the Sansing Scholars Luncheon



The **Sansing Scholars Luncheon** reached its 20th year on October 27th. Hear how the Sansing Scholars program has impacted recipients **Elizabeth Vandyne** and **Alan Drake**.

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Giving Tuesday Happening November 29th!



The National Day of Giving, **Giving Tuesday**, is coming up on **November 29th**. Mark your calendars and **help make a difference** this holiday season!

Cantonment Rotary Club Culinary Arts Endowed Scholarship Luncheon



Wednesday, November 2nd the **Cantonment Rotary Club** got to meet the two fall recipients of its Culinary Arts endowed scholarship, **Heather Harvill** and **Savannah Barwick** at its annual luncheon.

[Click here to read more.](#)



Pirate Pride

*Donors - Volunteers -
Advocates*

"I volunteer with PSC Foundation and give to PSC so that more people are able to further their education which makes an impactful difference to them, their family and their community."

— Trey Poirier, PSC Foundation Board of Governors President

Trey joined the PSC Foundation family 5 years ago as a member of the Board of Governors. Why does he choose to be involved with the Foundation? It's simple, really, he says, "Having been blessed with many opportunities to further my education, I can only imagine how my life would be different without that foundation."

[Contact us about becoming a volunteer!](#)



Heart Matters

*Staff & Faculty Members
Who Give Back*

"I've seen firsthand the benefits of giving and creating opportunity for individuals who are in need. I'm happy to know that my contribution can make a difference in someone's life."

— Gulnaz Okumus, PSC Foundation Accounting Specialist

Gulnaz joined the Foundation in June and quickly devoted herself to its mission. Having spent the majority of her life in Europe and received education from several countries, her dream was to one day work in a professional college environment. Referencing the words of Kestrel Linder, she says; "My job here has shown me that 'giving is a skill that has to be taught'."

[Discover ways to give back!](#)





Events with a Mission

Celebrating Support for PSC's Greatest Needs

On Tuesday, November 15th the Foundation celebrated the dedication of the **Florida Power & Light Company Nonprofit Center Training Room**. Since 2019, the Nonprofit Center for Excellence and Philanthropy has held over **37** trainings with over **556** attendees from more than **91** nonprofits across **Baldwin, Bay, Escambia, Okaloosa, Santa Rosa, and Walton** counties.

[Click here to read more about the dedication!](#)

News You Can Use

#MonthlyWatch

Capturing Candid

View Cox Media and PSC's latest PSA and get connected to register for classes at Pensacola State College and find out about resources offered at Financial Aid.

[Watch the video here!](#)



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Eldon Norman Endowed Scholarship Zoom

"The opportunity to establish a scholarship at PSC really struck me, because it just made sense. It's great to pass it on. If you can influence a young person, that's the best legacy to leave."

— Jean Norman, Founder of the Eldon L. Norman Memorial Endowed Scholarship

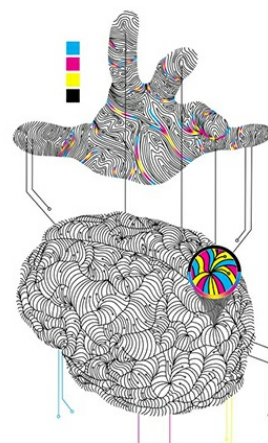
On Wednesday, November 4, three unique student recipients of the Eldon Norman Endowed Scholarship had the opportunity to meet with donor, Jean Norman over Zoom to share their gratitude and learn about her reason for giving. Jean shared that she had chosen to establish the scholarship in her late husband's name as a way to honor him and his passion for education and his curious nature.

[Click to learn more about or donate to PSC scholarships!](#)

Affinity Spotlight

The Anna Lamar Switzer Center for Visual Arts announces the **2022 Dr. Marjan Mazza Bachelor of Applied Science in Business and Management Graphic Design Senior Exhibition**. This collection will be available to view from **November 14th until December 9th** with the **opening reception on December 1st at 5:00 PM**.

[Join the Anna Society for Visual Arts to support PSC students and the arts and receive advanced notice of exhibitions, galleries, and events!](#)



Pensacola State College Happenings

The PSC Pirates CARE Team is accepting donations of new or gently used professional attire for the **Campus Career Closet**, a resource

Pirates CARE Dress for Success: Campus Career Closet

The Pirates CARE Team is seeking donations for the spring 2023 opening of our Campus Career Closet.

After opening in spring 2023, the Pirates CARE Campus Career Closet will be a resource for currently enrolled PSC students in need of professional clothing for interviews, internships, networking events, and the workplace. Students will be able to select and keep clothing at no cost.



for students to access outfits for interviews, internships, networking, and the workplace. Donations can be brought to **Bldg. 5, Room 510 M-F from 8 AM to 3 PM.**

For those seeking more information on the Campus Career Closet or how to donate, contact PiratesCARE@pensacolastate.edu or call **(850) 484-1759.**



We are currently accepting new or gently used professional attire to stock the closet.

Donations can be dropped off in Bldg. 5, Rm. 510 Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

If you are located on a different campus and would like to donate, or have any questions about this new initiative, please contact:

PiratesCARE@pensacolastate.edu or call 484-1759

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#QuoteOfTheMonth

“The unselfish effort to bring cheer to others will be the beginning of a happier life for ourselves.”

— Hellen Keller



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