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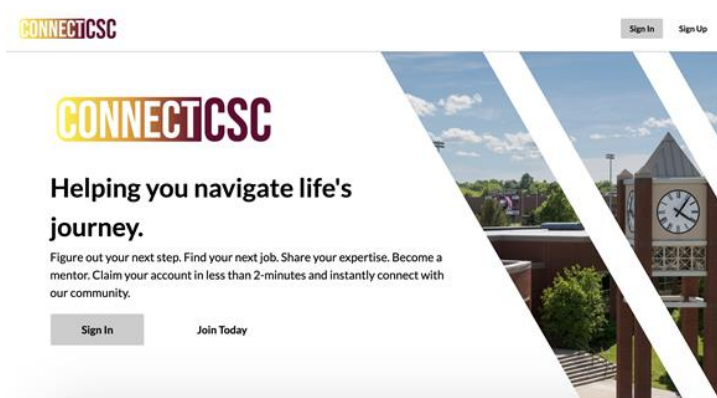
The Chadron State Foundation Today

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From the desk of:
Ben Watson
Chief Executive Officer

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Snow remains across campus after a series of significant winter storms passed through Chadron over the last month. Campus was closed for six days, finals were moved online, and winter commencement was cancelled due to the storms. The schedule changes and amount of snow presented many challenges, but as usual, western resilience found a way. The lack of commencement should not diminish the accomplishments of the graduates and we welcome them to our alumni family. Thank you helping another group of students pursue their dreams and for supporting the life of Chadron State College.



ConnectCSC... The Chadron State Alumni Association is proud to partner with Chadron State College and Peoplegrove to introduce ConnectCSC. ConnectCSC is built on the PeopleGrove platform to connect you to alumni and students. Help create and grow meaningful relationships by sharing your time and talent. Alumni/Student mentoring programs are set to roll out next semester. Sign up at csc.edu/connect

Mentors Needed... ConnectCSC is powered by our alumni, join today and sign up for the mentorship program for the spring semester. Current students are seeking alumni to connect with through online mentoring and you can make a real difference.



Presidential Search... The Board of Trustees of the Nebraska State College System invites applications and nominations for the position of President of Chadron State College. The Board seeks a new President who will work with Chancellor Paul Turman and the Board of Trustees to advance the mission of the institution and strengthen its ability to serve its students, faculty, staff, alumni, community, and region. The next President will need to embrace the rural community and culture of Chadron State College while serving as an advocate for the College to continue to extend its reach and influence in the next decade. The application deadline is February 16.

Eagle Athletics... Keep up on all the action by going to www.chadroneagles.com

Commencement Cancelled... Due to the unprecedented winter storm, the 2022 Winter Commencement Ceremony was cancelled. All students who were graduating are encouraged to attend the Spring Commencement Ceremony in May.

Congratulations... Sarah Schmitt-Wilson BA '02, an assistant teaching professor at Montana State University, and her colleagues won the Best Research Award and the Outstanding Service Award for her work related to rural education.

Congratulations... Dr. Tom Detwiler and his wife, Lee, received the college's prestigious Distinguished Service Award in December. The Detwiler's Distinguished Service Award is the first presented since 2017. The Distinguished Service Award honors recipients who have demonstrated exceptional service to Chadron State College through their volunteer or leadership efforts. Detwiler was an integral part of the teacher preparation program at Chadron State College for 29 years, the last 21 as director of student teaching. He also was the chair of the Education and Psychology division for six years and chair of the Education Department for two years.

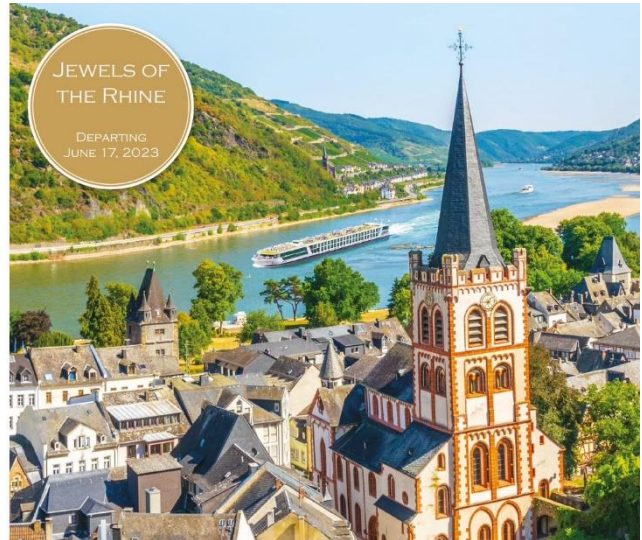
January Performance... The music department has one January performance scheduled. January 22, Faculty Recital, Dr. Brooks Hafey.

A Bit of History: 1993... The college became one of the first in the nation to incorporate ethics throughout its general education program.

Thank you... To Tom and Angie Mason for starting the Winfrey-Mason Family Endowment. The endowed fund will support graduate and undergraduate scientific research projects. Thank you for creating opportunities for generations of students at CSC.

2023 Alumni Travel Opportunity

The Chadron State College alumni travel program invites you to join fellow alumni and friends on the Jewels of the Rhine River Cruise, departing June 17, 2023. The adventure begins in Amsterdam and includes the Netherlands, Germany, France, and Switzerland. You'll experience architecture, history, world culture, delicious food and wine, and great company. **Free airfare has been extended to January 31, 2023 join the over 30 Alumni who have already signed up!**



The full brochure is available on the alumni website: www.csc.edu/alumni/get-involved/alumni-travel/ or contact the alumni office for more information.

"The Danube River Cruise with old and new friends was an amazing experience providing a variety of options and activity levels to choose from. This was our first cruise and we thoroughly enjoyed visiting and viewing each of the countries from the comfort of the ship and shore excursions, free time to explore the sites and visit with people, and reconnecting and sharing our experiences in the evenings over dinner. A well organized and wonderfully hosted trip by the CSC Alumni Office!"

-Ann Burk, 2022 alumni traveler

Recollections

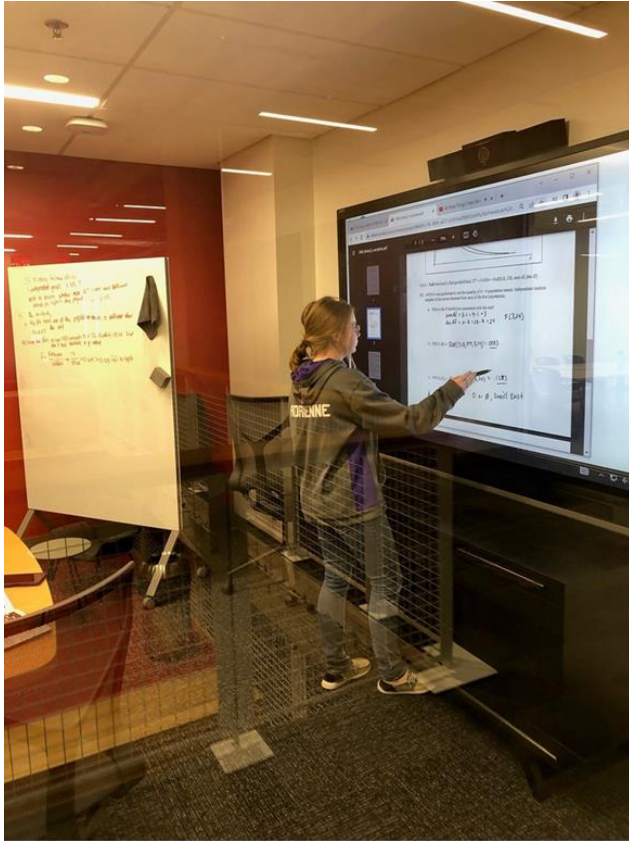


Florence Beguin—voted most popular girl in 1933

Recollections are excerpts of stories submitted to the College for the 75th Anniversary book written by Con Marshall. If you are interested in reading the full story please contact the Alumni office. The following is an excerpt entitled "Edna Work" by Florence Beguin Danekas.

"I loved Edna Work, the dean of women, so I could not understand why I was called into her office one day. It didn't take me long to learn the reason. The Chadron State football team had played at the University of Wyoming the previous weekend. My young friend, "Betty," and I wanted to go. We found Berne Rocek getting ready to go...and we asked if we could ride along...All went well. We got a room in the hotel where the team was staying, went to the game and came home. Verne had been waiting in the lobby, so we rode off without paying the bill, leaving the college to pay for it. I took full responsibility...since I was older. I paid the bill, apologized to Miss Work, who never mentioned it again. I don't think I could have enjoyed college anywhere else as much as I did at CSC."

In Their Words



Scholarships make education attainable and allow recipients to focus on their studies at Chadron State College. In Their Words demonstrates the impact scholarships make in students' lives.

The Chi Omega Beta Zeta Endowment was established by former members of Chi Omega. Chi Omega Sorority at one time was a very active sorority on campus and it was their desire to demonstrate their interest and importance of a college education by helping someone else along the way. Danae Hanson, of Hemingford, is a psychology major and a recent recipient of the scholarship.

"This scholarship is going to help me achieve my academic goals. This funding allows me to continue my studies here at CSC. I am very grateful for your support."

Giving to The Chadron State Foundation creates opportunities and enables positive outcomes wherever they may be. As new students come to

campus, hundreds of opportunities enable CSC attendees to broaden their horizons. Your gifts help to support the entire educational experience.



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