

## What does my alumni fee pay for?

As a student, the \$10 fee is automatically included on your fall and spring bills. You can opt-out by visiting the Alumni Cottage and filling out an opt-out form, in which case your \$10 fee will be reimbursed within 14 business days.

The \$10 is a small investment to get involved and reap the benefits of the CCC Alumni Association.

Here are some of the benefits:

- **Student Scholarships.** Each year the Alumni Association funds the Alumni Association Endowment which provides funds to students who might not otherwise afford their college education.
- **Student Development Grants.** The Alumni Association Board of Directors is very proud to provide grants to students who wish to go “above and beyond” the classroom experience. Funds are available to attend a professional conference, earn a certification in your academic major, conduct research with a faculty member, travel to historical sites as part of the History Honors program, or other academically related experiences.
- **Graduation Ceremony.** The Alumni Association is proud to welcome a new group of graduates at the spring and winter graduation ceremonies. We sponsor the receptions at each graduation and offer gifts in honor of your accomplishment.
- **Concerts on the Bluff.** For the past 40+ years, the Alumni Association has generously sponsored the free summer-long Wednesday evening concert series for the community. Bring your family and friends and enjoy listening to a variety of our local talent.
- **Alumni Cottage Receptions.** CCC is one of very few public community colleges in the country that has an actual Alumni Cottage! The cottage was built in 1890 and refurbished with support from our many alumni. We annually host a variety of receptions at the Alumni Cottage where you can tour the Alumni Museum located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor.
- **Homecoming & Reunions.** The CCC Alumni Association values each of our proud graduates and we love to host an annual homecoming on campus each August. We also organize alumni reunions all across the country so our graduates can network with other alums in the area.

As you can see, the CCC Alumni Association is very supportive of our current students and loves to network with our 11,000 + graduates. Your \$10 Alumni fee goes a long way. Thank you for supporting YOUR Alumni Association!