

Getting to Know Your Executive Leadership Team

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All about Phi Theta Kappa!

Why did you join PTK?

"I joined PTK to become involved on campus, create new friendships, and be involved with a network of students who value their education.... and the scholarships."

What is something you feel everyone should know about being a PTK member?

"Phi Theta Kappa is not just a club, it is a society that values hard work, service, and each other. Not only is PTK valuable at the Community College level but they create opportunities for transferring to a university and future careers."

Why did you decide to be a chapter officer?

"I really feel that there is a need in service right now, not only at the college but the community and world around us, I want to see those changes happen. From making sure to support ASG with needs of students to creating a connection with high school students as they pursue higher education and support for the community around CCC. I also feel that there is so much going on in the world that it is easy to get overwhelmed and I want to help create a safe space for students to check in and know they are valued at CCC."

Chapter Officer Goals:

"Create a connection between PTK and the community!"

Life at CCC!

What is one thing that you love about attending classes at CCC?

"I love that there are so many ways to get involved at CCC. From sports (have you seen our Wrestling stats?) to theater, arts, and clubs there is almost always something going on."

If you could improve upon one thing on campus, what would it be and why?

"I would love to provide more support for students who leave CCC prematurely. I started at CCC in 2007 but when things got tough, I left. I never received a call or email from a professor or staff member to check on me. I ultimately decided to return in 2019 and have never looked back. However, I wish someone would have checked on me and made sure I was okay as that gesture may have kept me here in 2007. This is something very close to my heart. I want to make sure that, as a CCC community, we check on each other!"

What are your plans after CCC?

"Transfer to PSU to obtain my BSW."

Just for FUN!

Describe yourself using only three words:

"Funny, loving, empathetic"

What is your favorite quote?

"Each life is made up of mistakes and learning, waiting and growing, practicing patience and being persistent". Billy Graham"

If you could share your favorite binge worthy TV show, what would it be?

"Sons of Anarchy! I once called in sick to work for two days to finish the season before I saw a co-worker who tended to spoil the show."