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A Visit to Cottey

is always a memorable experience, whether it's your first visit, third, or more. Seeing the realization of the goal of the P.E.O. Sisterhood, to provide first-rate educational opportunities for women, as manifested through a beautiful campus, excellent facilities, dedicated faculty and staff, and not to mention some extraordinary students,

is inspiring.

The opportunity to share our dedicated

community, the academic excellence information with your P.E.O. sisters, found in our faculty, classes, and students, and our commitment to an empowering, globally minded environment is an exciting prospect. We invite you to explore Cottey's campus and its features, from our experiential learning facilities, like our stock trading lab and esports arena, and our entrepreneurial lab, the Chellie Club, to experiencing suite life, enjoying our exceptional dining services, and even spending some time in the classroom. We hope you walk away with a true feeling of the Cottey experience, and feel inspired to share this

potential future students, and others in your network.

We have two and a half busy days planned for you, and we are confident you will see Cottey as incredible! None of this is possible without the support of the P.E.O. Sisterhood. Because of you, Cottey is the realization of an outstanding pursuit to support women as they further their educations.

Thank you for joining us at Cottey Seminar 2022!





## **REGISTRATION**

2:00 - 6:00 p.m. Robertson Hall Registration is in Robertson Hall parlor. You may check into your room and enjoy afternoon refreshments in Robertson Hall parlor.

## CHELLIE CLUB WILL BE OPEN

3:00 - 5:00 p.m. Center for Campus Life, Lower level of the Chapel Grab a drink or a snack after your day of travel!

## SPIRIT SHOP WILL BE OPEN

3:00 - 6:00 p.m. Center for Campus Life Lower level of the Chapel Purchase your Cottey gear, find office supplies, or buy a little something for your chapter at home!

**TOURS OF CAMPUS** 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 p.m. Cottey College Chapel Walking tours will depart from the front of the Chapel steps with the last tour beginning at 5:00 p.m.; tours will last approximately one hour.

## **DINNER & SEMINAR OPENING**

6:15 - 7:45 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room Welcome to Cottey Seminar 2022 **Dr. Stefanie Niles, President of Cottey** College

Patricia L. Brolin-Ribi, International P.E.O. Sisterhood Chapter President Dr. Kathryn Bayne, Chair of the Cottey College Board of Trustees

## **RECEPTION & SUITE TOURS\***

8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

• Reception - Meet Cottey's 13th President, Dr. Stefanie Niles, Cottey's Board of Trustees and the Executive Board of the P.E.O. Sisterhood in the Center for Campus Life, located in the lower level of the Chapel • Suite Tours - Our student resident assistants will be hosting you in the residence halls and will be stationed in the parlors. You will not have another opportunity to visit P.E.O. Hall or the upper floors of Reeves Hall during your stay on campus. \*Please refer to your personalized schedule for tour time assignments.



## RANEY OPEN FOR COFFEE

6:30 - 7:00 g.m. Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **BREAKFAST**

7:00 - 8:30 a.m. Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **CHAPEL OPEN**

8:00 - 8:45 a.m. Cottey College Chapel The Cottey Chapel will be open for open prayer and/or meditation to all who seek it.

## **OPENING PRESENTATION**

9:00 - 9:45 a.m. Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## PRE-REGISTERED WORKSHOP **PRESENTATIONS**

10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

**Academic Opportunities and Support** at Cottey | Rubie Burton Academic Center, Rm 109 Cottey is Committed! In this

workshop, Seminar attendees will learn more about the academic experience at Cottey and the suppor structures in place for our students.

**P.E.O. Events** | Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 211 Cottey is Community! In this workshop, Seminar attendees will hear about the various Cottevsponsored events, both on and off campus. Learn about Vacation College, P.E.O. Visit Day, Cottey presence at P.E.O. conventions and Convention of International Chapter.

**Championing Our Athletics** | Rubie Burton Academic Center. Rm 107 Cottey is Empowering! In this workshop, Seminar attendees will learn the ins and outs of the Cottey athletic program, from the student athlete experience, to how our athletes are Champions of Character, and how you can be part of the Cottey Champions Club!

**Taking Cottey into the World** | Rubie Burton Academic Center, Rm 214 Cottey is Globally Aware! This workshop explores all the ways Cottey is involved in the global

community, from study abroad, to the International Experience, and other opportunities on campus.

**Promoting Cottey to Prospective Students** | Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 203

Cottey is Incredible! This workshop examines the ways Cottey's enrollment office finds our future students. Learn about how today's student learns about Cottey and how you can contribute to a woman's incredible future!

## LUNCH

11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## SPIRIT SHOP WILL BE OPEN

12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Center for Campus Life, lower level of the Chapel

## IN DEPTH CAMPUS TOURS

1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Take a tour of some of the locations on campus that make Cottey truly INCREDIBLE, including the Wellness Center and Athletic facilities.

## **EXPERIENCE OF EDUCATION**

2:15 - 3:15 p.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium Hear from Academic Affairs and Student Life regarding the Cottey student experience.

# BREAKOUT SESSIONS BY OFFICE

3:45 - 5:00 p.m.

**Presidents:** Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 212

Vice Presidents: Rubie Burton Academic Center, Rm 109 Organizers: Rogers Fine Arts

Building, Rm 211

**Treasurers**: Rubie Burton Academic

Center, Rm 107

**Secretaries**: Rubie Burton Academic

Center, Rm 214

**Cottey Committees**: Rogers Fine Arts

Building, Rm 203

## **DINNER**

5:30 - 6:45 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## BREAKOUT SESSION by S/P/D\*

7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

**Group 1**: Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 212

**Group 2**: Rubie Burton Academic Center. Rm 107

**Group 3**: Rubie Burton Academic Center. Rm 214

**Group 4**: Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 211

**Group 5**: Rubie Burton Academic Center, Rm 109

**Group 6**: Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 203

\* Please refer to your personalized schedule



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6:30 - 7:00 a.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **BREAKFAST**

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## OPTIONAL WALK OR EXERCISE

7:45 - 8:30 a.m.

Walk to Radio Springs Park: Meet in front of Robertson Hall. Join Cottey staff on a walk to the park, adjacent to BIL Lodge.

Beginning Yoga Class: Rogers Fine Arts Building, Neale Hall. Yoga mats will be provided, limited to 36 participants.

## **SPIRIT SHOP WILL BE OPEN**

9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Center for Campus Life, lower level of the Chapel

## PHILANTHROPIC SUPPORT

9:00 - 9:45 a.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium
Cottey's magic happens through
more than tuition funding. Learn how
philanthropic support at Cottey helps
keep our mission going.

# PRE-REGISTERED WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

International Students (including Canada) | Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 211

Cottey is Globally Aware! In this session, attendees learn about the experience of international students at Cottey, from recruitment to financial aid, and support for these students once on campus.

# Experiential Learning: Hands-On Labs | Rubie Burton Academic Center,

Rm 109

Cottey is Academic Excellence! This workshop explores the many ways the College prepares our students for life after college. Learn more about experiential learning at Cottey and the applications of our various laboratories: stock trading lab, education lab, entrepreneurial lab, cadaver lab, and psychology lab.

## **Student Support at Cottey** |

Rubie Burton Academic Center, Rm 214

Cottey is Empowering! Student welfare is more than a robust academic experience. At Cottey, our students have access to many services directed toward health and wellness. Learn more about the wellness side of the Cottey experience and about the various services Cottey offers.

The Suite Life | Rubie Burton Academic Center, Rm 107 Cottey is Community! For our students, suites become a home away from home. With careful stewardship, Cottey students enjoy a seamless residential experience. This workshop explores how that experience becomes a reality, through suite endowments and other forms of support.

**Scholarship Q&A** | Rogers Fine Arts Building, Rm 203

Cottey is Committed! Repeatedly ranked for value and affordability, Cottey is a financially competitive choice for every student. This workshop will explore how financial aid, scholarships, grants, and P.E.O. work together to help fund our students.

## **CHELLIE CLUB WILL BE OPEN**

11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Center for Campus Life, lower level of the Chapel

# LUNCH WITH FACULTY AND STUDENTS

11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

# IMMERSION AND EXCURSION SHOWCASE

12:45 - 1:15 p.m.
Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

Learn about all the ways Cottey students get real world, hands-on experience right here on campus!

# DEDICATION - JANN RUDD WEITZEL EDUCATION LAB

1:45 - 2:15 p.m.

Blanche Skiff Ross Memorial Library, Lower Level

## REFRESHMENTS IN THE LIBRARY

2:15 p.m.

Blanche Skiff Ross Memorial Library, Main Level

## STUDENT PANEL PRESENTATION

3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium
This panel will focus on the various aspects of the student experience here at Cottey.

## STAFF PANEL PRESENTATION

4:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium Learn about the behind-the-scenes work that goes into making Cottey incredible!

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## **CLOSING THOUGHTS FROM** THE PRESIDENT

5:15 - 5:30 p.m. Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## DINNER

6:00 - 7:15 p.m. Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **DESSERT RECEPTION AT THE** PRESIDENT'S HOUSE

7:30 - 8:30 p.m.

President's House, 738 West Cherry Street | The President's House is located three blocks east from Main Hall. A shuttle for those preferring not to walk will depart from the Chapel Steps at 7:30 p.m. and will circle approximately every 10 minutes.



## **BREAKFAST**

5:15 - 8:00 a.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **BUS DEPARTURES FOR KANSAS CITY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT**

6:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.

Scheduled to arrive at the Kansas City airport no later than 9:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M.. the buses will load in front of the Chapel. If you are not sure which bus to ride, a departure schedule will be available in the Robertson Hall parlor.

## **RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE** 8:30 a.m.



## PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL

**DR. STEFANIE NILES** 

President of Cottey College

MS. KIMBERLY MARSHALL, CFE

Vice President for Administration and Finance

DR. JOANN BANGS

Vice President for Academic Affairs

MR. DAVID HERINGER

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DR. LANDON ADAMS

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MS. CHRISTI ELLIS, CFRE

Associate Vice of Institutional Advancement

MR. RANDON COFFEY

Director of Marketing

MS. CATHERINE MOSS

Director of the President's Office & Secretary to the Board

DR. AMANDA GILCHRIST

Chair of the Faculty

## **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

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Chair

**GEORGANN DOUGLAS** 

Vice-Chair

TAMARA KENWORTHY

Secretary

LYDIA BANGERT **PENNY BESSMAN** 

**JAMES BICKEL** 

JOAN BRADDOCK

**ARIEL DELANEY CHERYL DENSLOW** 

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## **EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS**

PATRICIA L. BROLIN-RIBI

**CATHY MOSS DR. STEFANIE NILES** 

## **OFFICERS OF** INTERNATIONAL CHAPTER

PATRICIA L. BROLIN-RIBI

President

**CATHY MOSS** 

First Vice President

**ALIX SMITH** 

Second Vice President

**KATHRYN S. EBERT** 

Organizer

JENNIFER G. MITCHELL

**Recording Secretary** 

*irainia* Alice Cottey Stockard became a P.E.O. in 1926, joining Chapter DW, Missouri. Although she initially felt she was too old to become a new member, she was very interested in the educational purpose of the Sisterhood and believed that she could contribute some service because of her years of experience. As she learned the extent of the Sisterhood's purpose, it occurred to her that Cottey College might become a real asset to P.E.O., and she believed that with P.E.O. members in every part of the country, the power of this relationship would be unlimited.



1884 Cottey College was Founded





Athletic Teams: Basketball, Cross-Country, Esports, Flag Football, Golf, Softball, Track & Field, Volleyball



to the vision of our founders while supporting the

growth of a college that has achieved national

recognition for providing an education

that inspires young women to reach for

the stars and sets them on a course to

impact our world!

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Clubs and Student Organizations

1927 <del>\*\*\*</del>

Gifted to the P.E.O. Sisterhood

Average Class Size

Internships Completed in

2020 - 2021



Student -Faculty Ratio

6:1



Countries





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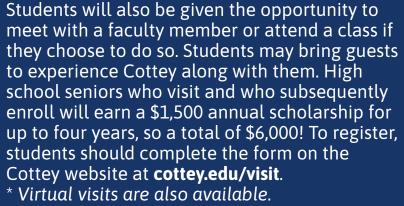
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We invite all interested students to Experience Cottey, an individualized, year-round visit opportunity for high school girls. Our goal is to highly personalize your Cottey visit experience. Schedule a visit with options like:

- One free hotel room for students who are located 100 miles or greater from campus
- Lunch in Raney Dining Room (expenses paid for by the College for student and parents) with a Golden Key (current Cottey student) and to ask any questions they may have
- Meeting with the President (if she is on campus and available)
- Visit bag with Cottey goodies
- Reserved parking space during the visit
- Photo on campus
- Spirit Shop coupon
- Chellie Club coffee shop drink



Scholars Day from October 1 to November 30. High academic achievers are invited to attend Cottey's Scholars Day either in person or via Zoom. This event is designed to celebrate high school achievements and reward students with the opportunity to earn up to a full tuition scholarship through an essay competition and interviews with current Cottey scholars and

Students will receive an invitation from the College to attend.

## **QUESTIONS**

can be directed to the Office of Enrollment Management via email at admit@cottey.edu or by phone at **888-526-8839** or 417-448-1437.



A Cottey Education

emphasizes high academic standards with

unique opportunities for personal growth

Students may apply to Cottey College as

taking a college preparatory curriculum

at their high school - meaning they will

have 4 years of English, 2 years of the same

foreign language, 3 years of mathematics,

2 years of science, and 2 years of history

and government. Cottey is currently test-

optional. ACT and/or SAT scores are not

required to be considered for admission,

however, are welcome to help more fully

understand a student's academic profile.

In reviewing applications, Cottey performs

a holistic assessment using GPA, test scores

(if available), recommendations, activities,

goals, and character. Overall, the College

seeks to admit students whose interests

and aspirations match the opportunities

To apply, go to cottey.edu/apply

provided by Cottey and who will contribute

to Cottey's unique educational environment.

early as April of their junior year. Students must have at least a 2.6 GPA and must be

experiences.

through residential, cultural, and intellectual

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## **BACCALAUREATE DEGREES**

BS in Biology

BA in Business Administration-Management

BA and BS in Criminology

**BA** in Elementary Education

BA in English

**BA** in Environmental Studies

BS in Health & Biomedical Sciences

BA in History

**BA** in International Business

BA in International Relations

BA in Organizational Leadership

BA and BS in Psychology BA and BS in Secondary

Education

BA in Theatre

BA in Women, Gender, & Sexuality Studies



Associate in Arts (A.A.) Associate in Arts - Music (A.A.M.) Associate in Science (A.S.)

## **MINORS**

Anthropology

Art

Business

Chemistry

Criminology

Dance

English

Finance

French and Francophone

History

International Relations

**Mathematics** 

Music

Organizational Leadership

Psychology

Sociology

Spanish

Theatre

Women, Gender & Sexuality Studies

Writing



## **EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING**

- Entrepreneurial Lab: The Chellie Club
- Stock Trading Lab & Esports Arena
- Education Lab
- Cadaver Lab
- Psychology Lab
- The Kolderie Center

## **LEADERSHIP IMMERSIONS**

Leadership Immersions involve intensive academic study or personal enrichment travel experiences that relate directly to the areas of women's leadership, social responsibility, and/or global awareness. Funds are available to individual students or groups of students who have declared a baccalaureate major, with preference given to faculty-led experiences.

## **SUMMER LEADERSHIP INTERNSHIPS**

Funds are made available to students who have declared a baccalaureate major to focus on an in-depth exploration of leadership from within a community, governmental, political, or non-profit organization. Students are expected to develop meaningful internship experiences in partnership with identified supervisors. Students showcase their experience at a campus presentation in the fall following the internship.

## **UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH GRANTS**

Grants are made available to students and faculty to focus on research projects related to the study of leadership and leadership development within their academic discipline. Undergraduate research funding is designed to support students who have declared a baccalaureate major and are poised to make an intellectual or creative contribution to her discipline.



# **Community**

The Cottey community is the cornerstone of the experience here. Our students are at home in a supportive environment where classmates, suitemates, faculty, and staff build a sense of belonging.



At Cottey, academic excellence is both a mission and a standard, and is attainable because you share this vision for each Cottey student. Cottey is able to provide students with robust opportunities in and outside the classroom, from state-ofthe-art facilities, excursion classes,

immersion experiences, and more. Cottey is academic excellence, a place where academic pursuit is a goal, and more importantly, a mindset.

# Committed

The mission of our founder, Virginia Alice Cottey, to offer excellent educational opportunities to women, has become the inspiration of many. Cottey is committed to this calling. These exceptional opportunities are possible because the promise your support provides. Cottey is able to make these extraordinary opportunities available to more women. Scholarships allow students to focus on what is most important: their goals.

# Globally Minded

Our students come from across the United States and all over the world; likewise, our faculty bring diverse backgrounds to the Cottey community. Taking classes, participating in suite life, or eating in Raney Dining Room is often a global experience and introduces each student to the concept of global awareness. Cottey is globally minded, and this is possible because of you. Cottey is intentional in diversifying the way students learn, through supporting students on study abroad, sponsoring the annual multicultural festival, to even the long-celebrated international experience, which reinforces the belief that we are all part of something greater and bigger than ourselves.

# Empowering

Empowerment is more than a slogan or a lofty goal. It's inspiring someone to meet their potential with the encouragement to imagine more and achieve their goals. The Cottey environment is particularly designed to stimulate growth for each student. Here, leadership is viewed as skillset that can be developed, not as a role that is limited to a select few. Cottey is empowering. Leadership promotion and student empowerment is everywhere across campus, from the courts and playing fields, to classrooms, in clubs and organizations, and more.



Tuition and fees account for 45 percent of Cottey College's operating budget with P.E.O. dues contributing an additional five percent. The balance is met through a result of philanthropy including donations to The Cottey Fund, individual contributions, gifts from P.E.O. chapters, and from interest earned on endowments.

## **CHAPTER GIVING**

The project gifts for Cottey that chapters prioritize in their budgets are a vital source of annual revenue for the College and help Cottey achieve a balanced budget every year. Many chapters have also established endowed or named funds at Cottey College, which they continue to grow through additional gifts to the College.

## **INDIVIDUAL GIFTS**

If you wish to make a personal gift to Cottey, you may send your gift directly to the College and receive chapter credit.

When you provide your chapter affiliation, your gift is credited to your chapter on a report on giving provided by the Office

of Institutional Advancement to state, provincial, and district treasurers three times per year. The College only releases a name with a gift amount when specifically directed to do so.

## P.E.O./ALUMNAE GIVING

If you are an alumna who is also a P.E.O., you have the opportunity to receive triple credit for your contributions to Cottey. By making gifts directly to the College, both your chapter and your class receive credit, as well as tax credits for your charitable gift.

## **DOUBLE YOUR GIFT**

Many companies offer matching gift programs to encourage employees, retirees, and sometimes their spouses to contribute to charitable organizations. Some also provide matching funds for volunteer hours. Companies use various methods for requesting matching funds, so for the best information, contact your company's human resources office. As an accredited college, Cottey is eligible for most companies' programs, as long as

donor contributions are made directly to the College; however, gifts for Cottey that are made through the P.E.O. Foundation or a local chapter are usually ineligible for matching.

## **SUITE SUPPORT**

Colorado became the first state to sponsor the furnishing of a suite in 1937. Since then, other states or provinces have joined in this opportunity to support the College by sponsoring suites financially and with student support throughout the academic year. There are presently 34 suites, all named in honor of the state chapters or donors who initially provided funds to establish an endowment. Rosemary Suite is endowed by the Cottey College Alumnae Association. Refurbishing the common living areas are financed through the earnings from permanently held funds and bedroom furnishings are refurbished with funds raised specifically for that purpose.



## **CASH**

Generally a cash gift may be deducted from your federal income tax return in the year your gift is made as long as you itemize deductions. Actual savings from the deduction will vary. Gifts may be made by cash or online by credit card. They may be one-time gifts, an annual contribution or monthly recurring gifts.

## STOCK TRANSFER

If stock or other property has increased in value and you have owned it for long enough for it to qualify as a long-term capital asset, you may contribute it to Cottey College and avoid capital gains taxes.

# PROPERTY THAT HAS LOST VALUE

In the case of assets that have lost value, you may benefit from selling the property, taking the loss for tax purposes and then contributing the cash to Cottey. This will allow for a deduction for the loss and the charitable gift.

## **IRA ROLLOVER**

If you are 70½ years old or older, you can take advantage of a simple way to benefit Cottey College and receive tax benefits in return. You can give up to \$10,000 from your IRA directly to Cottey College without having to pay income taxes on the money.

## WE ARE HERE TO HELP!

If you have any questions or would like additional information on any of these gift opportunities, please contact the Office of Institutional Advancement at 417-667-8181 or via email at advancement@cottey.edu

Strengthened by your support, Cottey College aspires to educate the best students in the best facilities by the best faculty. The importance of philanthropy in helping Cottey to reach this goal cannot be overstated.

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## **UNDESIGNATED GIFTS**

Undesignated gifts support the Cottey Fund. Gifts to the Cottey Fund supplement Cottey's annual operating budget and provide a flexible and instantly available source of funding that can be used when and where it is needed the most. These contributions help cover the cost of financial aid, enhancements to the campus, and the services that Cottey provides at no additional cost to students. These amenities include such things as student wellness programs, tutoring in the writing center, coffee in the library, admission to performances and athletic events, music lessons, and technical assistance from Cottey's IT staff. Gifts to the Cottey Fund impact all students, faculty, and staff.

## **DESIGNATED GIFTS**

Gifts may also be designated to a specific program, group, or priority area at Cottey. These gifts give the donor the satisfaction of supporting a program that has personal significance to him or her. Designated and restricted gifts may be labeled for current use or endowment. Current use gifts provide funds for immediate use, whereas endowment gifts are designed to provide financial security over a longer period of time.

## **THE WISHLIST**

The Wishlist is comprised of items that cannot be funded out of the operating budget. They may be items that faculty or staff would like for their programs to support our student's coursework and co-curricular activities or supplies and equipment that enhance campus grounds and facilities. The Wishlist is updated on a regular basis as new wishes are requested. Our students, faculty and staff are truly grateful for your gifts that result in their wishes coming true!

## **ENDOWED FUNDS**

Establishing an endowment is a powerful way to make a lasting gift to Cottey College. These are essentially never-ending donations because the principal is invested and only the interest is used by the College to support a specific program or purpose. This type of gift allows the corpus of the gift to remain intact, thereby ensuring the future strength and viability of the College. Endowments may be established for almost any educational or related purpose at Cottey. They may support faculty chairs, scholarships, leadership and cultural programs or other programs of the donor's choosing. Earnings on unrestricted endowments help to support the general operations of the College.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Gifts for scholarships make it possible for Cottey College to recruit outstanding young women who benefit from an education that is both personal and demanding. There are two ways of establishing a scholarship at Cottey:

- An Endowed Scholarship can be established with an outright gift or through a gift from your estate. The minimum contribution for an endowed scholarship is \$10,000, which is invested with the College's other endowments and the interest is awarded annually. This allows the fund to continue in perpetuity and provide scholarships for many generations of Cottey students.
- A Named Fund Scholarship may be established with a minimum gift of \$5,000. Unlike an endowed scholarship, the principal is not invested and all funds are awarded over a pre-determined number of years. Scholarships may be limited to students with criteria agreed upon by you and the College; however, scholarships the College can award without restriction are most flexible and beneficial. Both endowed and named fund scholarships may be established in your name, your family's name, or the name of your chapter or to honor another individual.

## **PLANNED GIFTS**

Just as Cottey College has ensured incredible futures for women for nearly 135 years, you may wish to provide for the future of your loved ones and for causes you care about. Having an estate plan in place allows for the

communication of the legacy and the values that you wish to endure.

## Popular Legacy Gifts

- Gifts by Bequest You name Cottey College as a beneficiary in your will or trust, designating the gift of your choice (cash, real estate, personal property, or securities)
- Gifts by Beneficiary Designation Request a change of beneficiary form from the company holding your assets (your IRA, 401(k) and other retirement plans, bank accounts, commercial annuities, life insurance policies) and include Cottey as a full or partial beneficiary.

## Benefits of Legacy Gifts

- You maintain control of your assets during your lifetime and can save on income taxes, capital gains taxes, and estate taxes.
- No minimum gift is required and every gift makes a difference.
- Your gift ensures that your legacy of empowering women through education lives on for many years to come.

## **STOCKARD SOCIETY**

The Stockard Society is named in honor of Virginia Alice Cottey Stockard, the visionary founder of Cottey College. The Stockard Society is a special group of friends who have made the commitment to empower women to learn, grow, and succeed by including Cottey College in their estate plans. Members of the Stockard Society are recognized on a display wall in Main Hall or may choose to remain anonymous.



Springfield, Missouri, '16, BA International Business - Senior US Sales Consultant with KONE International Elevator, based in Finland



Sarah Gage Florissant, Colorado, '18, BA English -Former Advancement Manager for the National First Ladies Library, and Park Ranger for the National Park Service, Gates of the Artic National Park & Preserve



Susana Trigoyen Holtville, California, '19 BA Business Administration - Management Owner and Managing Director at Dancin' Feet Studio, Holtville, California



Christi-Anne Beatty Lakeside Park, Kentucky, '19, BA Business Administration -Management, JD University of Cincinnati, '22, - Clerk at Coolidge Wall, Real Estate agent for Keller Williams, Cottey College Distinguished Young Alumna 2022



Berenice Arroyo-Arellano Denver, Colorado, '16 BA Liberal Arts, JD Ohio Northern University, '19 -Clerk for U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the District of Colorado



Kate Barlow Gillette, Wyoming, '14, BA International Business - Policy Advisor for Governor Mark Gordon, Wyoming



Morgan Shaw Parker '96 - President and COO for the Atlanta Dream WNBA team



Dr. Ann Marie Pendergast '77 - Anthony R. Means Cancer Biology Distinguished Professor at **Duke University** 



Francine Trving Neff '46 - United States Treasurer from June 1974 to January 1977



Kelly Smith Tunney '60 - Former Vice President of the **Associated Press** 



Carol Littleton '62 - Academy Award-nominated film editor and editor of E.T. the ExtraTerrestrial



Sancy Watrud Hoium '56 - Past President of International Chapter of the P.E.O. Sisterhood

# Vacation College

Live the Cottey life during Vacation College! Stay in our suites, complete with double and single rooms, a multi-unit bathroom, shared living space and small kitchenette. There are designated couples' suites on the third floor of Robertson Hall with designated men's and women's bathrooms.

Classes represent a wide range of interest areas in locations across campus. Participants attend morning and afternoon classes and enjoy nightly entertainment and activities throughout the week. Information about Vacation College will be mailed in January to every local chapter president, all state board members, state Cottey Committees, select alumnae, and friends of the College.

This is just a sample of past courses offered:

- Brassy Blues Women
- Life is Better with Bacon
- Stargazing & Mythology
- Native American Food Culture
- Glass Etching
- Give Me S'mores Lovin'
- Line Dancing

Join us for Vacation College 2023: May 17-22!

Registration opens in early January. To learn more visit:

cottey.edu/peo/grow/

# P.E.O. Visit Day

P.E.O. Visit Day is a great way to sample campus with a student-led tour, lunch in Raney Dining Room, presentations by staff, time for shopping in the Spirit Shop, and a presidential reception. P.E.O.s, BILs, Alumnae, and Friends of the College are invited. This event typically takes place in the

Our next P.E.O. Visit Day is October 1, 2022 cottey.edu/peo/p-e-o-visit-day/

# Individual & Chapter Tours

P.E.O. chapters and individual sisters and their guests are invited to schedule a campus tour! Tours typically last one hour and explore the main buildings on campus, including our academic buildings, performing arts center, center for campus life, library, and Main Hall.

Sign up for a Tour: cottey.edu/peo/p-e-o-tours/





# Online:

P.E.O. RESOURCES cottey.edu/peo

**ARCHIVE OF THE COTTEY COLLEGE VIEWPOINT MAGAZINE** cottey.edu/viewpoint

**LUMINARY CHAPTER INFORMATION** cottey.edu/luminary

**VACATION COLLEGE INFORMATION** cottey.edu/peo/grow

**REFERRAL FORM** cottey.edu/referstudent

**PROMOTE COTTEY** cottey.edu/promote-cottey

STUDENT VISIT EVENTS cottey.edu/visit

INDIVIDUAL OR CHAPTER TOUR cottey.edu/peo/campus-tours

# Contact

## **ENROLLMENT MANAGEMENT**

Admission, Financial Aid, or **Enrollment Questions** Toll-Free: 888-5-COTTEY Phone: 417-667-8181 ext. 2190 Email: admit@cottey.edu

## **INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT**

Philanthropy or Giving Questions Phone: 417-667-8181 ext. 2120 Email: advancement@cottey.edu

## **ALUMNAE & P.E.O. COMMUNICATION**

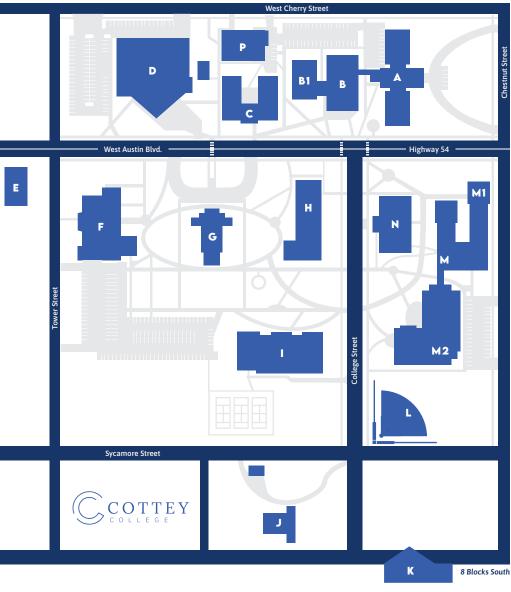
P.E.O. Related Ouestions Phone: 417-667-8181 ext. 2122 Email: peorelations@cottey.edu or P.E.O. INTERNATIONAL peointernational.org

**ATHLETICS** cotteycomets.com

**LEADERSHIP** cottey.edu/leadership

# 2 Blocks East 738 West Cherry Sycamore Street COTTEY

- A Main Hall
- **B** Judy and Glenn Rogers Fine Arts Building
  - B1 Neale Hall
- C P.E.O. Hall
- **D** Haidee and Allen Wild Center for the Arts
- **E** Wellness Center
- F Robertson Hall
- **G** -Chapel/Susan Bulkeley Butler Center for Campus Life
- **H** Reeves Hall
- - Hinkhouse Center
- J Helen and George Washburn Center for Women's Leadership
- **K** BIL Hill and Lodge
- L Vanek Family Memorial Field
- M Rubie Burton Academic Center
  - M1 Alumnae Hall
  - M2 Nelle Horner Grantham Hall
- N Blanche Skiff Ross Memorial Library
- The President's House
- P Physical Plant





# SCHEDULE at a glance



## **REGISTRATION**

2:00 - 6:00 p.m. Robertson Hall

## **CHELLIE CLUB WILL BE OPEN**

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Center for Campus Life, lower level of the Chapel

## SPIRIT SHOP WILL BE OPEN

3:00 - 6:00 p.m.

Center for Campus Life, lower level of the Chapel

## **TOURS OF CAMPUS**

**3:00, 4:00, 5:00 p.m.** Cottey College Chapel

## **DINNER & SEMINAR OPENING**

6:45 - 7:45 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **RECEPTION & SUITE TOURS\***

8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room



## **RANEY OPEN FOR COFFEE**

6:30 - 7:00 a.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **BREAKFAST**

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.
Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **CHAPEL OPEN**

8:00 - 8:45 a.m. Cottey College Chapel

## **OPENING PRESENTATION**

9:00 - 9:45 a.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## PRE-REGISTERED WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS\*

10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

## LUNCH

11:15 - 12:30 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **SPIRIT SHOP WILL BE OPEN**

12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Center for Campus Life, lower level of the Chapel

## IN-DEPTH CAMPUS TOURS

12:30 - 2:00 p.m.

## **EXPERIENCE OF EDUCATION**

2:15 - 3:15 p.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## **BREAKOUT SESSIONS BY OFFICE\***

3:45 - 6:45 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## BREAKOUT SESSION BY S/P/D\*

7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

## Monday AUGUST 15TH

## **RANEY OPEN FOR COFFEE**

6:30 - 7:00 a.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **BREAKFAST**

7:00 - 8:30 a.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## **OPTIONAL WALK OR EXERCISE**

7:45 - 8:30 a.m.

**Walk to Radio Springs Park**: Meet in front of Robertson Hall.

**Beginning Yoga Class**: Rogers Fine Arts Building, Neale Hall.

## PHILANTHROPIC SUPPORT

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## PRE-REGISTERED WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS\*

10:00 - 10:45 a.m.

## **CHELLIE CLUB WILL BE OPEN**

11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Center for Campus Life, lower level of the Chapel

## LUNCH WITH FACULTY AND STUDENTS

11:15 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## IMMERSION AND EXCURSION SHOWCASE

12:45 - 1:15 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## DEDICATION - JANN RUDD WEITZEL EDUCATION LAB

1:45 - 2:15 p.m.

Blanche Skiff Ross Memorial Library, Lower Level

## **REFRESHMENTS IN THE LIBRARY**

2:15 p.m.

Blanche Skiff Ross Memorial Library, Main Level

## STUDENT PANEL PRESENTATION

3:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## **STAFF PANEL PRESENTATION**

4:15 - 5:15 p.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## CLOSING THOUGHTS FROM THE PRESIDENT

5:15 - 5:30 p.m.

Center for the Arts, Auditorium

## **DINNER**

6:00 - 7:15 p.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## DESSERT RECEPTION AT THE PRESIDENT'S HOUSE

7:30 - 8:30 p.m.

President's House, 738 West Cherry Street



## **BREAKFAST**

5:15 - 8:00 a.m.

Robertson Hall, Raney Dining Room

## BUS DEPARTURES FOR KANSAS CITY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

6:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.

## RESIDENCE HALLS CLOSE

8:30 a.m.

\* Please refer to your personalized schedule