

COTTEY Chronicle

March 1, 2024

Sandra Chaney

On Saturday, Feb. 17, eight members of the Cottey History Club visited the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art in Kansas City. They enjoyed seeing African, American, Asian, European, and Native American works of art and artifacts, as well as sculpture and material culture from ancient Near Eastern, Egyptian, Greek and Roman societies. The cultural excursion ended with lunch at a local Irish Pub.

Students who participated were: (l-r in photograph) Alice Williams, Chasity Drue, Madison Covell, Isabel Johnson, Lisa Rojas, Julie Rojas, Addison Brigance, and Grace Van Engen. Students were accompanied by Dr. Sandy Chaney and Dr. Angela Firkus (our fearless driver).



Catherine Moss

Tuesday, April 23, 2023, 11 am – 12:30 pm; Retirement/Years of Service/Staff and Faculty of the Year Awards. For questions, email Becky Penn at bpenn@cottey.edu.

Mindy Clutter

Founder's Weekend is quickly approaching! This year the event will be held Friday, April 5th through Sunday, April 7th!

The Founder's Luncheon will be Saturday, April 6th. You must sign up before Spring Break to attend. Sunday brunch attire is required at this event. There will be a delicious meal and speeches from the Cottey College Alumnae Association, the Dow Scholar, five award recipients, and President Dr. Niles. The Alumnae Board also promotes the importance of giving back to Cottey College financially.

If you do not wish to attend but need to eat on campus, you can sign up for a sack lunch). **If you do not sign up for either the luncheon or a sack lunch, a lunch meal WILL NOT be provided for you.**

Follow this link to [RSVP for Founder's Luncheon RSVP OR sign up for a sack lunch](#). Founder's Luncheon tickets can be picked up Monday, February 26th through Friday, March 1st in Raney during the **LUNCH HOUR ONLY** from 11:30 – 1:00. You can email Mindy at mclutter@cottey.edu to make alternate arrangements if necessary.

Please consider the following items:

- Founder's Luncheon is Saturday, April 6th.
- The Luncheon runs from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm.
- **Sunday Brunch attire is required.**
- You must stay for the entire event!
- Remember proper behavior during speeches; please be respectful & courteous.
- PLEASE keep your commitment to either attend the luncheon or pick up your sack lunch.

Contact Mindy Clutter at ext. 2150 or mclutter@cottey.edu with any questions. Thank you!


Sarah Polo

Students in Dr. Polo's WRI 356 course participated in an all-day trip to Overland Park, KS on February 21. They took guided tours of two sites to explore how writing processes, rhetoric, and collaboration shape production of multimodal texts: Real Media production company and the Museum at PrairieFire. This also provided excellent inspiration for the students' course projects. Additional photos from the trip are available on the English Department's social media pages ([@cotteyenglish](#)). Funding for this experience was provided by the Harmon Chair in English endowment.



Nancy Kohn

Dr. Kohn's animal behavior class went to the Kansas City Zoo on Sunday, February 25th to study primate behavior. At the zoo, the students had to pick a primate to observe, create an ethogram, and then record the amount of time spent in each defined behavior.



MERRY ANN DEVANEY SAULS
WRITING CONTEST

ELIGIBLE SUBMISSIONS:
Projects completed for a Cottey class between
March 25, 2023 & March 18, 2024

Scan the QR code for details, contest rules, and entry form!

Deadline to enter:
Monday,
March 18,
2024,
11:59 PM

five categories.
1st prizes:
\$100.00
2nd prizes:
\$50.00

QUESTIONS?
Email Dr. Sarah Polo
(spolo@cottey.edu)
or Dr. Jon Green
(jgreen@cottey.edu)

Sarah Polo

Faculty, please remind students to submit their work to the MADS Writing Contest! Submissions close March 18. Full details are available [here](#).