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New Name... Same Mission!

Indian River Community College is now Indian River State College!

Indian River Community College Foundation is now Indian River State College Foundation!

These are exciting times...

In the past year, IRSC received baccalaureate-level accreditation and launched nine new Bachelor's Degree programs. In June, Governor Charlie Crist signed a bill expanding access to Bachelor's Degree opportunities and designating IRSC as one of nine colleges in the State College Pilot Project.

Keeping pace with the College, the IRSC Foundation is actively raising funds to support these new programs with faculty, increased library holdings, and scholarships. In 2007-2008, the IRSC Foundation provided more than \$5.5 million to IRSC for enhanced facilities and instructional support, and \$3.4 million to help hundreds of students through scholarships.

Your charitable gifts make a vital difference in how many students we are able to help, and we thank you for believing in the good work that IRSC is doing for our students and our community.

On the following pages, we invite you to learn more about our successes and plans for upcoming initiatives.



Edwin R. Massey
Edwin R. Massey, Ph.D.
President, IRSC



Ann L. Decker
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Executive Director, IRSC Foundation

Outstanding New Facilities for Our Community...



Brenda and Vernon Smith officially opened the doors to the area's first medical college with the dedication of the Brenda and Vernon Smith Center for Medical Education, which houses the Florida State College of Medicine – Fort Pierce Regional Campus at IRSC. Located at IRSC's Main Campus, this state of the art facility is also home to IRSC biotechnology programs.



Bringing the first conference facility to residents of Okeechobee, the Frank "Sonny" and Betty C. Williamson Conference and Education Center was dedicated on October 28. An exceptional venue for educational and community activities, the Williamson Center was constructed entirely with private gifts and state facilities matching funds.

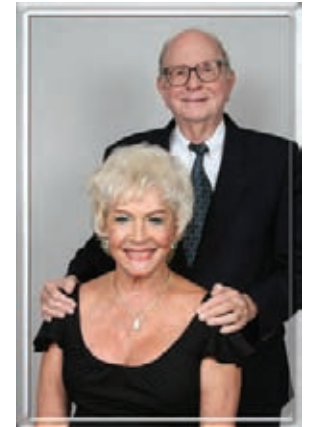


The Blackburn Educational Building provides convenient neighborhood access to more than 20 college programs, career and technical training, and free adult education. Located in northwest Fort Pierce and named for David and Ursula Blackburn, the Blackburn Educational Building was dedicated on September 23. IRSC's new facility also serves as a community center for meetings, after-school activities and community events.

Partners in Health—The Booth Foundation

Since 2003, Katherine and Alex Booth have provided millions of dollars in assistance to IRSC health science programs through scholarships, faculty support, equipment, and facilities.

More than 1,750 students will be helped by scholarships provided through the support of this generous couple. In addition, the Booth Foundation has provided funding for faculty, resulting in the addition of qualified instructors which makes it possible for more qualified students to graduate. Their support extends to facilities and equipment as well, and they most recently sponsored the Katherine Booth Nursing Lab in the Blackburn Educational Building.



Katherine and Alex Booth's outstanding support helps to ease the shortage of nurses in our community.

As partners in health, the Booths focus on providing scholarships, faculty, facilities, and equipment to maximize the successful training of IRSC nursing students. The result? More highly-skilled nurses in our hospitals, nursing facilities, and medical offices!

"You changed my life!" is the sentiment expressed by Jennifer Newman, a student in the Medical Lab Technologies program, when she unexpectedly met Alex and Katherine Booth during their recent visit to IRSC.



Jennifer Newman

Jennifer, the single parent of an 8-year-old, has always been interested in the medical field. Through a scholarship provided by the Booths, she was able to achieve her dreams of attaining a college education and becoming a role model for her son.

We Celebrate these Successes

Thanks to our donors, Board members, and college employees, we collectively achieved the accomplishments below. Our hope is that these accomplishments set the structure for providing better service and resources to IRSC in the years ahead.

For a detailed listing of additional accomplishments, please view the Foundation's website at www.irsccfoundation.org.

Alumni Highlights

- Recognized Dr. Patricia G. Cooper as the 2008 Distinguished Alumni
- Hosted the 2008 IRSC Swing, the College's 8th annual alumni and friends golf tournament which raised more monies to support student scholarships than any previous tournament year, helping us top the cumulative goal of reaching \$100,000

Campaign Highlights

- Launched the campaign for the Center for Competitive Economics and Entrepreneurship at the Main Campus in Fort Pierce
- Launched the campaign for the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) Building at the IRSC St. Lucie West Campus

Community Highlights

- Recognized Vernon D. Smith as the 2008 Dan K. Richardson Entrepreneur of the Year
- Sponsored programs, lectures, and cultural events for residents throughout four counties

Community Partnerships

- Dedicated the Blackburn Educational Building at the R. Duke Nelson Human Development and Resources Centre through a partnership with city and county government entities
- Began construction of the Brackett Library at the IRSC Mueller Campus in Indian River County through a partnership with county government entities – estimated completion date Fall 2009

Educational Facilities Highlights

- Dedicated the Schumann Center at the IRSC Mueller Campus in Indian River County, providing additional classrooms, labs, and student services
- Dedicated the Brenda and Vernon Smith Center for Medical Education which houses the Florida State University College of Medicine - Fort Pierce Regional Campus and IRSC's Biotechnology Program
- Dedicated the Williamson Conference and Education Center at the IRSC Dixon Hendry Campus in Okeechobee
- Continued construction of the 50-acre, seven building, state of the art Treasure Coast Public Safety Training Complex at the IRSC Main Campus in Fort Pierce - estimated completion Fall 2009.



Students preparing for careers in today's workforce require high-tech training in state of the art facilities. Partnerships with area donors provide the additional technology and equipment found in IRSC educational centers. In Vero Beach, John and Kathi Schumann supported the Schumann Center, which is a one-stop center for student services and houses the College's first-ever biology lab in Indian River County.

Faculty Highlights

- Awarded the following Endowed Teaching Chairs in 2008:
 - Harriett Kirk Crago Faculty of the Year Award – Dr. Chrysanthos A. Panayiotou, Department Chair, Electronics Engineering Technology
 - Anne R. Snyder Department Chair Excellence Award – April Van Camp, English/Modern Languages
 - Basil L. King Endowed Teaching Chair in Health Science - Patricia A. Gagliano, R.N., Nursing
 - Susan H. Johnson Endowed Teaching Chair - Dr. Marta Y. Cronin, Communication/Education
 - Marilyn C. Link Endowed Teaching Chair in Financial Management – Ray Carpenter, Business Administration
- Provided technology to faculty for the enhancement of instruction through a grant from AT&T

Lifelong Learning Institute at IRSC Highlights

- Redefined life after 50 for the more than 850 men and women who have joined this dynamic group of active adults returning to the IRSC classroom
- Held 100 offerings led by an impressive cadre of 65 volunteer peer leaders, providing affordable and accessible non-college credit programs at all five IRSC campuses

Pioneer River Press Highlights

- Published *Excursions in Geography* by Dr. James W. Lett, IRSC Geography and Anthropology Professor
- Published *Treasured Waters ~ The Indian River Lagoon* by artist Richard A. Kelly and author Camille S. Yates
- Hosted a book signing reception and art exhibit to release *Treasured Waters ~ The Indian River Lagoon*

Planned Gifts Highlights

- Increased the number of charitable gift annuities and bequests to support current and future students
- Enhanced the Planned Giving website and publications to better meet the needs of donors, estate attorneys, and financial professionals

President's Challenge/Take Stock in Children Highlights

- Awarded 80 economically disadvantaged middle and high school students, who will be the first in their families to graduate from college, with four-year tuition scholarships
- Provided mentors, guidance, and support to more than 675 young people who are earning scholarships by remaining in school and staying out of trouble

River Hammock Highlights:

- Professionally landscaped the grounds at the River Hammock property
- Provided safe and affordable housing to 184 students

Scholarship Highlights

- Awarded \$3.4 million in scholarships to deserving IRSC students for the recent academic year - including workforce development scholarships, health science scholarships, baccalaureate scholarships, transfer scholarships for IRSC graduates, and numerous scholarships for new and returning IRSC students
- Refined the "STARS" online scholarship application system



More than 3,400 deserving students were awarded scholarships through the IRSC Foundation in 2007-2008. This assistance helps students to overcome financial barriers and achieve their dreams. This, in turn, helps to improve our entire community.



One of IRSC's new Bachelor's Degree program students, Stephen Brancaccio, is pursuing a degree in Organizational Management. Married with one child, he is a recipient of one of IRSC Foundation's Bachelor Degree scholarships. In 2007, 154 students received scholarships valued at \$308,000 through this initiative.

The Legacy Club

We gratefully acknowledge the generosity of contributors who made gifts from September 1, 2007 through August 31, 2008.

Legacy Club Members are recognized for their ongoing commitment to education by including the IRSC Foundation in their will or estate plans. The Legacy Club gives IRSC the opportunity to honor donors, living or deceased, who have made a planned gift which will last beyond their lifetime and benefit future generations. We proudly recognize the members of the Legacy Club for 2007-2008.

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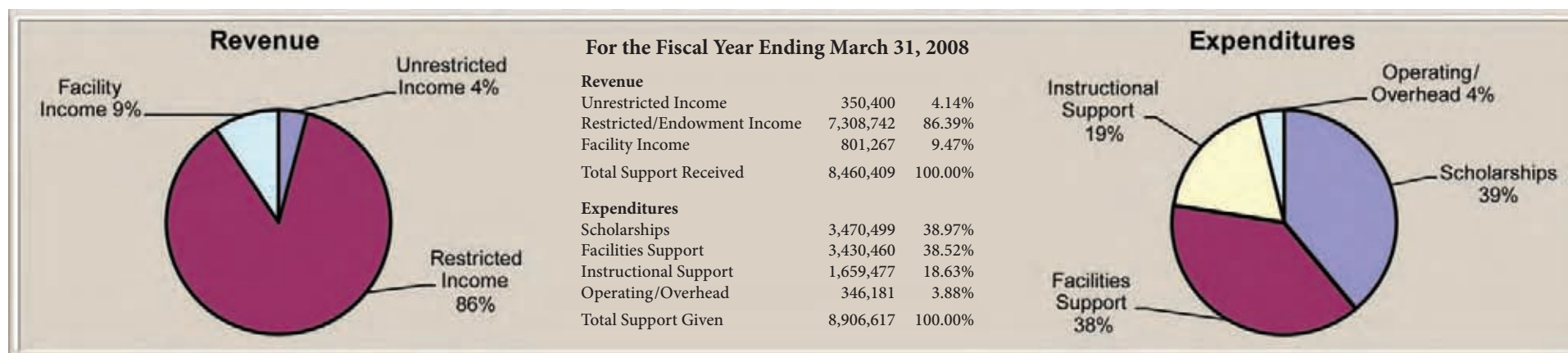
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If you have already decided to include IRSC in your bequest, please use the wording in Essentials, "Your Will and Beyond."

If you prefer, contact us at 772-462-4786 to request this information via mail.



The President's Club

Recognizes annual contributions of \$1,000 or more. Members of the elite President's Club receive an engraved plaque and are invited to "by invitation only" events including the President's Holiday Gathering.

Sustaining members are recognized for gifts of cash or securities of \$10,000 and above or by assigning a life insurance policy of \$25,000 irrevocably to the Foundation. They are lifetime members and will be listed every year.

Gift Categories

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Sustaining

\$10,000 and above or life insurance policy of

\$25,000 assigned irrevocably to the Foundation

Annual

\$1,000 in cash or securities each year

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\$500 - \$999

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The Entrepreneur of the Year Award recognizes an outstanding business founder or leader. The 2008 recipient was Vernon D. Smith, founder of Riverside Bank.



2001-2008 Entrepreneurs of the Year and their spouses

L to R: (front), Bob Brackett, Bud Adams, Hariot Greene, Barney Greene, John Schumann; (middle), Patsy Lambert, Sandy Brackett, Dot Adams, Donna Sue Banack, Brenda Smith, Kathi Schumann, Jo Massey, IRSC President Dr. Edwin R. Massey; (back), Roy Lambert, Don Proctor, Sid Banack, and Vernon Smith

Not Pictured: Dan Richardson, Marge Richardson, Linda Proctor, and Ray Ogleshorpe

Foundation Provides Instructional Support

The IRSC Foundation's Endowed Teaching Chairs are awarded following a competitive selection process. Endowed Chairs may be established in any discipline, permanently creating a way to support education. Sponsors of Endowed Teaching Chairs reward excellence in the classroom and provide resources for faculty to implement enhanced programs for students.



Basil L. King Foundation Board members provide tremendous support to IRSC through scholarships and sponsorship of the Basil L. King Foundation Endowed Teaching Chair in Health Science. Craig Harris, Margaret Benton, Barbara Allen, and Betty King assist Dr. Massey in honoring Patricia Gagliano of the IRSC Nursing Department.



Jennifer Strauss continues her mother's legacy by presenting Dr. Marta Cronin of the IRSC Education Department with the Susan H. Johnson Endowed Teaching Chair.



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Dr. Edwin R. Massey and Marilyn Link award the Marilyn C. Link Endowed Teaching Chair in Financial Management to Ray Carpenter of the IRSC Business Department.

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You may specify a particular area of interest or a Naming Opportunity for a specific facility.

Scholarship Fund

We can help you establish a "custom" scholarship to match your interests or honor a loved one.

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As an active grant maker, you may recommend which eligible organizations to fund and the IRSC Foundation will administer your Donor Advised Fund.

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- **Cash**
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- **Planned Gifts**

Recognizing Outstanding Partners

The IRSC Foundation honors outstanding donors through nominations for the Association of Fundraising Professional's (AFP) National Philanthropy Day, which recognizes outstanding philanthropists and volunteers whose achievements have made a significant impact on the Treasure Coast. In 2007, both area chapters selected IRSC Foundation nominees.



The Sailfish Point Foundation was recognized as the Outstanding Group Supporting Philanthropy by the AFP Treasure Coast Chapter. This vibrant group of volunteers has provided \$477,050 in scholarships for 175 students. Part of this support has helped 50 economically-disadvantaged students through the President's Challenge / Take Stock in Children scholarship and mentoring program. Tom Thurlow, Kathryn Adamiak, John Kelleher, Nanci Parlin, Marian Vitale, Dr. Edwin Massey, Ray Martino, Susanne Clemons, and Ed Arnowitz share the excitement at the annual ceremony.



AFP Indian River Chapter honored Wachovia Bank as Outstanding Corporate Philanthropist. Celebrating the occasion are Diane and Joe Lembo, and Jo and Dr. Edwin Massey. Through the years, Wachovia has provided \$184,825 to the IRSC Foundation for facilities and scholarships.

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In keeping with the goal to establish the Treasure Coast as the "Research Coast," IRSC is planning to construct the **Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) Building** at its St. Lucie West Campus.



Plans are also underway to construct the **Center for Competitive Economics and Entrepreneurship**, which will feature training in several high-need career fields.

In order to make these facilities a reality, the IRSC Foundation must raise \$4 million or more. Every gift is important and the Foundation will seek a dollar-for-dollar match by the State of Florida. Permanent Naming Opportunities are available for both of these high-profile educational centers.



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Ann Decker and Steve Huntsberger conduct a tour of the Robert H. Burroughs Fire Station and Training Center with sponsors Dr. Tim and Cammy Ioannides and Dr. Jonathan Sanders from Treasure Coast Dermatology. The building is named in honor of Robert H. Burroughs, who is Dr. Sanders' uncle.



Scheduled to be completed in summer of 2009, the 50-acre, seven building, state of the art Treasure Coast Public Safety Training Complex will be a national model for criminal justice, fire science, and human services training. Only a few naming opportunities remain.



Frank "Speedy" and LeVan Fee, along with Ann Decker, Jimmie Anne Haisley, and Steve Huntsberger tour the construction site of the Fee Physical and High Liability Training Building, one of the highly-equipped facilities at the training complex.

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The Lifelong Learning Institute (LLI) at IRSC is redefining life after 50 for a dynamic group of active adults returning to the IRSC college classroom. A year-round calendar of affordable and accessible non-college credit programs, special events, social programs, field trips, and even travel abroad demonstrate the incredible educational resource that is IRSC.



Through a grant from the Alex G. Nason Foundation, the IRSC Foundation purchased laptop computers, making popular computer offerings available to LLI participants in remote locations.

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Dr. Edwin R. Massey awards an Alumni Brick to Omar Duran at the annual President's Challenge/Take Stock in Children Ceremony. Omar, an IRSC graduate, is currently attending the University of Central Florida. He is the first in his family to attend college.



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Two Pioneer River Press publications won Florida Publisher Association Book Awards this year: *Two Lives, One Love* and *Excursions in Geography*, which also won an Independent Publishers Book Award.

The newest book, *Treasured Waters...The Indian River Lagoon* documents the gorgeous and diverse habitats of the Indian River Lagoon from New Smyrna Beach to Jupiter through a collection of 75 original oil paintings by artist Rick Kelly and descriptive text by Camille S. Yates. Proceeds from the sale of books, paintings, and gift items will support student scholarships.



Authors Drs. Jack and Jean Fielden display their book award for "Two Lives, One Love."



Author Camille Yates and artist Rick Kelly partnered to produce "Treasured Waters...The Indian River Lagoon."



Senator Ken Pruitt congratulates Rick Kelly on the book release of "Treasured Waters...The Indian River Lagoon." Senator Pruitt presented the artist with the Florida Senate Medallion of Excellence for his artistic contribution to the state.



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