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Norwalk Community College Foundation Celebrates 60 Years of Impact with “A Night of Brilliance,” Raising Funds for Student Success at CT State Norwalk

Norwalk, Conn. (October 24, 2025) – The Norwalk Community College Foundation celebrated six decades of impact and achievement at its gala, *A Night of Brilliance: 60 Years of Building Bright Futures*, held Thursday, October 23, at the Shore & Country Club in Norwalk.

Guests, including community leaders, educators, and philanthropic partners, gathered for an inspiring evening celebrating the transformative power of education and the students who inspire the Foundation’s mission. The event raised vital funds to support scholarships, student success initiatives, and emergency assistance programs for students studying at CT State Norwalk.

“The support we receive from our community continues to transform lives,” said Nancy von Euler, President and Chief Executive Officer of the NCC Foundation. “For 60 years, the Foundation has been committed to removing barriers, expanding opportunity, and ensuring that every student has the resources they need to achieve their goals. This event exemplifies the power of collective generosity.”

Guests enjoyed an elegant evening featuring remarks from Foundation and campus leadership, an inspiring student speaker, and an exciting live auction led by Michael Wolf of Wolf Auction Group. The evening was hosted by Colin Cosell, Public Address Announcer for the New York Mets and Army Football, who brought his signature energy and warmth to the celebration.

This year’s event was made possible through the generous support of sponsors at every level, including Platinum Sponsors: Nielsen’s Florist & Garden Center and the Carle C. Conway Scholarship Foundation, as well as Silver, Bronze, and Community Partner sponsors from across Fairfield and Westchester Counties.

Proceeds from *A Night of Brilliance* directly support the Foundation’s mission to promote access to higher education, strengthen the local workforce, and foster community well-being. Each year, the Norwalk Community College Foundation awards more than \$1.2 million in



scholarships and funds programs that remove barriers and empower students to succeed – from food assistance and affordable childcare to mentoring and career readiness initiatives.

For more information about the Norwalk Community College Foundation or to learn how to support student success, visit ncc-foundation.org.

About the Norwalk Community College Foundation

The Norwalk Community College Foundation is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that expands access to affordable, quality higher education, fosters the development of a productive workforce, and contributes to the knowledge and well-being of the Fairfield County community. The Foundation works with individuals, corporations, and local organizations to inspire investment in education and raise funds for CT State Norwalk. Each year, NCCF invests approximately \$3 million in scholarships, faculty and program support, and student success initiatives. To learn more, visit www.ncc-foundation.org.

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