

Quarterly insights and updates from the Trinidad State College Foundation



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A Chance to Give Back— Anthony Nagy

Being the second generation of Italian and Hungarian immigrant grandparents who came to Huerfano and Las Animas Counties, Anthony Nagy grew up in Trinidad in a family connected to the mining and ranching history that spans southern Colorado. “The coal camps around Trinidad and nearby communities were a draw for immigrants—people who came to America seeking a better life,” he said. [Read More](#)

Practical Tips for your Age Group

60's and Up

Explore portfolio options for retirees

40's to 50's

Retirement planning if you're starting late

20's to 30's

Retirement – the earlier you start, the better you'll be

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A Season to Remember (with Spencer Haywood at Nationals)

The 2022 Region IX Men’s Basketball Championship was a total team effort! After a shortened Covid schedule in 2021, this group of players was excited to embrace a full season of basketball. And their grit and determination would prevail, carrying them to Trinidad State’s first regional title since 1986.

A challenging schedule early in the year had the Trojans sitting at 6-5 after the first semester. “We knew that we were better than our record showed, but that slow start set up our magical run,” said Mike Folda, Head Coach. [Read More](#)



Enduring 'Society of 1925' Legacies

The Society of 1925 honors and recognizes those who remember Trinidad State with a legacy gift. We take a moment to reflect on the generosity of Wayne and Dorothy DeMiller.

Born in Ohio in 1907, Wayne DeMiller first came to Colorado in 1943. He’d been working

“We all pay month-by-month to pay down our mortgages. In a similar way, we can donate to Trinidad State month-by-month. Over time, it grows—making an impact that might not be possible with an occasional gift.”

-Jeff, '76, & Judy, '77, Mangino



SOCIETY OF 1925

Trinidad State College was established in 1925 as the first public two-year institution in Colorado, serving students across the Raton Basin and San Luis Valley. Today, the Society of 1925 honors those whose estate gifts will help future generations of students achieve their biggest dreams. [Learn More](#)

DONATE NOW

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Save the Date!

The Trinidad State Classes of

at an airplane manufacturing facility in Florida, but with WWII at its height, his expertise was needed out west. Originally, Wayne thought he would be joining an airplane facility in California, but a visit to his cousin in Trinidad would change these plans. [Read More](#)



Do We Owe You a Thank You?

Trinidad State Educational Foundation created the ***Society of 1925*** to honor and thank those who remember us with an estate gift. These legacy gifts support the students of tomorrow.

Although we deeply appreciate the opportunity to say, 'thank you,' we also know that people sometimes prefer to remain anonymous about their legacy gifts. There are times when we don't learn about a gift until we're notified by the estate. [Read More](#)

1970-73 are planning a reunion during the summer of 2022. The event will take place July 21st–24th. For more information, please contact James Luckett at jdluckett28@sbcglobal.net or 817-791-8487.

Searching for the "Science Series"

The Loudon-Henritze Archaeology Museum is searching for copies of the Science Series, published by the Trinidad State Science Club in 1942 and 1943. If you have a copy that you could share with the Museum, please contact Loretta Martin: 719-846-5508 or loretta.martin@trinidadstate.edu



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