

January 21, 2026

Dear Friends and Community Partners,

I hope this letter finds you well. As a valued supporter of education and our community, I am delighted to invite you to the third annual fundraiser — Blackjack, Glitz & Glamor: 80 Years of Luck & Laughter — benefiting the Wharton County Junior College Foundation. This special celebration will take place on Saturday, May 30, 2026, at the Sugar Land Marriott from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

This year's theme, 80 Years of Luck & Laughter, honors Wharton County Junior College's proud 80-year history of empowering students and strengthening our region. It also looks forward — celebrating the continued legacy we build together through philanthropy and community support.

Blackjack, Glitz & Glamor will once again offer an unforgettable evening of fun and purpose, featuring exciting casino games, delicious dining, and the chance to win fantastic prizes—all in support of student success. By joining us as a sponsor, you'll help fund scholarships, enhance academic programs, and provide vital resources that open doors for students to achieve their dreams.

Enclosed, you'll find information about sponsorship opportunities and benefits. Every partnership makes a meaningful difference, and your support helps ensure WCJC remains a cornerstone of opportunity for generations to come.

We hope you'll join us for this milestone celebration — a night filled with excitement, generosity, and community spirit — as we honor 80 years of luck and laughter at Wharton County Junior College.

With gratitude,



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80 Years of Luck and Laughter



Sponsorship Levels

Diamond Eight Honoree: \$25,000 - Exclusive

- ★ A Named Endowed Scholarship at WCJC
- ★ Two Tables of 8
- ★ Listing as the Event Honoree in media release, recognition on event material, website, digital materials, signage and Verbal recognition from podium*
- ★ One dedicated blackjack table for your guests for the evening
- ★ One Suite hotel room at the Sugar Land Marriott for the evening
- ★ Additional \$2000 in casino money per guest for the evening

Platinum Legacy Sponsor: \$17,000

- ★ Two Tables of 8
- ★ Listing as the in media release, logo on event material, website, digital materials, signage and verbal recognition from podium*
- ★ One dedicated playing blackjack table for your guests for the evening
- ★ Two regular hotel rooms at the Sugar Land Marriott for the evening
- ★ Additional \$2000 in casino money per guest for the evening

Golden Legacy Partner: \$12,000

- ★ Two Tables of 8
- ★ Listing as the in media release on event material, website, logo on event material, digital materials, signage and verbal recognition from podium*
- ★ One regular hotel room at the Sugar Land Marriott for the evening
- ★ Additional \$1000 in casino money per guest for the evening.

Royal Flush Sponsor: \$6,000

- ★ One Table of 8
- ★ Listing in event print material, website, and other digital materials*
- ★ One regular hotel room at the Sugar Land Marriott for the evening
- ★ Additional \$1000 in casino money per guest for the evening.

Lucky Hand Sponsor: \$3,000

- ★ One Table of 8
- ★ Listing in event print material, website, and other digital materials*

Winning Hand Sponsor: \$1,500

- ★ Reserved seating for 4
- ★ Listing in event print material and digital materials

80 Years of Luck and Laughter

Underwriting Opportunities***

- ❖ \$ 500 -- Card Game (17 opportunities)
 - Recognition at the table sponsored and in print materials
- ❖ \$1,000 – Craps Table (2 opportunities)
 - Recognition at the table sponsored and in print materials
- ❖ \$1,500 – DJ
 - Recognition at the DJ booth, in print, and digital materials
- ❖ \$2,000 – Photo Booth
 - Recognition at the Photo Booth, including on each printed and digital photo, in print and digital event materials
- ❖ \$1,500 – Décor
 - Recognition at each table, in print and digital materials
- ❖ \$2,000 -- Slot Machines
 - Recognition at the Slot Currency Exchange, in print and digital materials
- ❖ \$5,000 – Sound & Lighting
 - Premium Display Signage and Recognition from the podium, in print and digital materials
- ❖ \$3,000 – Wine & Liquor Pull (2 opportunities)
 - Recognition at the Wine Pull or the Liquor Pull, in print and digital materials
- ❖ \$80 for 80 – Bottle Sponsor at the Wine & Liquor Pull
 - Recognition on individual wine & liquor bottles that are pulled at the event
- ❖ Any Amount – Crazy Eights Table
 - Recognition at the Crazy Eights Table
- ❖ For other opportunities available please contact the WCJC Foundation

Individual Tickets:

- ❖ Tickets not associated with sponsorship are available for \$275 each

Dress/Attire:

- ❖ Dress for the Decade **Chic (Pick your lucky decade)**

***Do not include tickets to the event, without a separate purchase of individual tickets

**Wharton County Junior College Foundation is a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization whose mission is to raise awareness and funds for Wharton County Junior College. Funds are tax deductible toward this event minus the cost of service provided (\$190 per person).



SPONSORSHIP FORM

JOIN US:
MAY 30, 2026
SUGAR LAND MARRIOTT
6PM – 10PM

Please complete by using the QR code provided, or complete the form below and send it to Wharton County Junior College Foundation by mail or email at:

911 E. Boling Hwy, L-108-C
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Use this QR code to complete the form

Please complete all sections.

Company Name (if applicable) : _____

Contact Name: _____

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City: _____ *State:* _____ *Zip:* _____

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Diamond Eight Honoree/\$25000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Platinum Legacy /\$17000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Golden Legacy /\$12000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Royal Flush /\$6000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Lucky Hand/\$3000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Winning Hand /\$1500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Tickets/\$275 | <input type="checkbox"/> Underwriting Opportunity: | |

Please contact Jonathan Jeter at the Wharton County Junior College Foundation (979-532-6981) with questions or additional information on sponsorships or send an email to jeterj@wcjc.edu. Checks are payable to the **Wharton County Junior College Foundation**.

Thank you for your support. Bet on Education. Build a Legacy.

***Print Deadline – 4/30/2026** Please send company logo in JPG, PNG, or SVG for digital publication to jeterj@wcjc.edu. Print material logo specifications will be provided by the WCJC Foundation administration.

If you are unable to attend the event and would like the wcjc foundation to assist in filling your table, please check here for us to follow up: Yes, please follow up with me.