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Dear Friend,

For over 50 years, Essex County College has been a beacon of opportunity and collaboration, transforming lives and empowering generations of students to achieve their goals and dreams. In keeping with that proud tradition, the Essex County College Foundation and Essex County College invite you to take part in a very special occasion -

The 25th Annual Essex County College Golf Scholarship Tournament on –
Thursday, October 16, 2025, at the beautiful Maplewood Country Club.

This is more than an event— it's a quarter-century of community impact.

With your generosity, this tournament will help ease financial barriers so our students can reach their academic and professional goals. Research shows that a majority of ECC students face at least one of these challenges: food insecurity, housing instability, or even homelessness. Your support allows ECC to respond to these inequities — and invest in the full potential of every student who walks through our doors.

Now is the perfect time to register for the tournament — a fun-filled day of golf, lunch, cocktails, dinner, contests, and raffle prizes! Whether you're a seasoned golfer, a local business owner, or simply someone who loves supporting a great cause, this is an event you won't want to miss.

You can also support in other meaningful ways — by sponsoring a hole, donating a raffle prize, or contributing directly to the Essex County College Foundation Scholarship Fund. All proceeds benefit our students and help unlock brighter futures.

Thank you for being part of our ECC community — and for helping to make this special milestone possible. Please complete and return the enclosed card by September 27, 2025, and help drive change for our community- one swing at a time!

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact

Dr. Leigh M. Bello-Bryan at 973-877-3484 or bello@essex.edu or Dr. Keith Kirkland at 973-877-3070 or kirkland@essex.edu

We look forward to seeing you on October 16, 2025!

Sincerely,

Dr. Augustine A. Boakye
President
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