The impact of a quality education on an individual’s life cannot be underestimated. An education is essential to moving one’s personal goals forward, discovering career opportunities and obtaining a better job. The administrators, faculty and staff of St. Johns River State College know that education prepares our future leaders. We know education can change lives.

Today, SJR State celebrates over 50 years of unparalleled growth and success, and I am honored to lead this College as its fourth president. I am committed to providing the highest standard of education to ensure student success, and I am equally committed to reducing the financial barriers many students face.

To help us not only maintain what we are already achieving, but also have a greater impact in the future, I want to invite you to join a select group of supporters of SJR State — the President’s Circle. Your participation in this fellowship indicates a commitment far beyond financial support. President’s Circle members agree to invest their ideas, creativity and expertise when called upon for the betterment of the College. Members of the President’s Circle share the vision for SJR State to continue its goal in building and improving the learning opportunities and resources for our students.

Your support of St. Johns River State College will help to fulfill the promise of the College’s next 50 years and to make a greater difference in the community through our students. I ask you to consider joining the President’s Circle as a way of investing in the future.

Sincerely,

Joe H. Pickens, J.D.
St. Johns River State College President
Thank you for your consideration in becoming a member. The President’s Circle consists of several different levels of annual giving:

- Bronze - $500
- Silver - $750
- Gold - $1,000
- Platinum - $10,000 or more

Lifetime (Platinum) membership in the President’s Circle recognizes the highest level of personal philanthropy to St. Johns River State College.

The generosity and support of St. Johns River State College alumni and friends enables us to provide our students a quality education with a personalized learning experience.

There is no better way to invest in a student’s future than by making a gift to SJR State today. Your gift really does make a difference and will be put to work immediately. The President’s Circle provides for complete flexibility in where you direct your gift and how you choose to give. When making a gift, it is important to identify a need that resonates with you. Scholarships, athletics and the Florida School of the Arts are a few of the areas where your support can make a difference. The Office of Development and External Affairs is here to help support these efforts and is available to help you make the right choice.

Every gift has the power to make an impact. Individually and collectively, your gifts enable us to provide students with educational experiences that set them on the path to lifelong success. A gift to SJR State allows the College to maximize opportunities and addresses our most urgent needs, ensuring that SJR State is meeting the ever-growing requirements of a 21st century education.

Please help us honor our past as we build our future – make your gift today.

To join the President’s Circle, complete this card and mail it to:

SJR State Foundation, Inc.
5001 St. Johns Avenue
Palatka, FL 32177

President’s Circle membership:

- Renew current membership
- New membership

I do hereby accept membership in the President’s Circle. Membership is for one year and renewed at your discretion each year thereafter. I agree to contribute at the following President’s Circle membership level:

- Bronze - $500
- Silver - $750
- Gold - $1,000
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I would like to support:

- Unrestricted - areas of greatest need
- Athletics
- Florida School of the Arts
- Thrasher-Horne Center
- Other ____________

I will make my gift by:

- Check enclosed payable to SJR State Foundation, Inc.
  - I will make a gift totaling $ ________ payable in (#) ________ installments with final payment due no later than June 30. Please send me reminder notices.
- Credit card (circle one):
  - VISA
  - MASTERCARD
  - DISCOVER
  - AMEX

Name as it appears on card: ___________________________
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For more information regarding the President’s Circle, contact Caroline Tingle at 386-312-4100.

The IRS has determined that acceptance of these benefits, which are optional, will affect the amount of the gift which is eligible for the charitable deduction (or match by a company). For further information, please consult your tax advisor or the SJR State Foundation.