## **Mission Moment**



## Jessica R. Wynn

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First and foremost, I am a mother of 3 (Samantha, Summer, and Spence and a 4-legged friend, Daisy Mae)

I grew up in Lake Village IN, played softball and volleyball at William Penn College in Iowa and have been at CCSJ for a little over a year. I wear many hats here at CCSJ but my main role is administrative coordinator in athletic retention while also operating as the Athletic Coordinator, Student Athletic Advisory Committee Leader (SAAC) and Senior Women's Leader (SWL). I am deeply committed to help our student-athletes reach their fullest potential both athletically and academically with guidance and support. It is a privilege to work along such a great group of dedicated coaches, faculty and staff to help our student-athletes. I relish the opportunities that CCSJ has given me to impact student-athletes while also growing personally and professionally.

Prior to CCSJ, I had a long career in administration, first in the shipping and logistic industry then as an executive administrative assistant at North Newton High school, a position I took so I could engage more intently on my passion to help develop young women as the both the Head softball and volleyball coach, taking the softball team further into the postseason then any coach before me. I also helped several of my players secure opportunities to play college softball. Over the last decade, I collaborated with CCSJ Athletic Director and Softball Coach, Dave Lopez on several projects including softball camps for the next generation of student athletes focusing on grades 3 through 8. His partnership, mentorship and example greatly influenced me and improved my approach to coaching.

Often over the years Coach Lopez recommended I make that jump to the Collegiate level where he believed my passion, enthusiasm and love for the game and athletes would allow me to make an even greater impact. Finally, in February 2024 I took the plunge and have loved the first year and look forward to continuing to make an impact on our student athletes and our athletic department.