

What's Happening

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Library book sale runs through Sunday in Tonkawa

Aug. 7 at Northern Oklahoma College's Foster-Piper Fieldhouse in Tonkawa.

Hours of the sale are Friday, Aug. 5 (9 a.m., -8 p.m.), Saturday, Aug. 6 (9 a.m. – 6 p.m. with books at half-price), and Sunday, Aug. 7 (1 p.m. - 4 p.m., books are free).

A preview (at a cost of \$20) was held Thursday

The book sale will generate funds for the new Pickens Learning Commons library renovation in the Vineyard Library/ Administration Building. The new-found library space will provide enhanced student study areas and new technology. This will become a focus area for students at NOC.

The project will include new technology, study tables and chairs, soft loveseats and chairs, new reception area, shelving, and carpet.

It will also include the addition of two new permanent murals totaling 100'x20' by artist Yatika Starr Fields along with a constant collection of various art works from the Doctor Pickens Museum, Inc. to be on long-term display.

Fields has already created two existing murals in the Cultural Engagement Center, commissioned by the Doctor Pickens Museum in November 2020 and completed in June 2021.

"We are so excited to continue to partner with

An enormous book sale runs through Sunday, Hugh Pickens and the Doctor Pickens Museum, said NOC Vice President for Development and Executive Director to the NOC Foundation Sheri Snyder. "We are grateful for friends such as the Pickens who have chosen to share their gifts with us."

> When completed, the Pickens Learning Commons will include the Cultural Engagement Center, Testing Center, career and transfer services, library services, enhanced technology, tutoring services, and an art gallery.





Area patrons visited the NOC Book Sale on Friday at Foster-Piper Fieldhouse in Tonkawa. The sale runs through Sunday, book are half price on Saturday and free on Sunday. (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)

Regents' approve junior concurrent

Northern Oklahoma College Regents approved a measure Wednesday that allows high school juniors to receive a concurrent enrollment tuition waiver.

The tuition waiver for academically qualified high school juniors will be available starting in Fall 2022. Juniors are eligible to take up to nine college credit hours per year. The tuition waiver does not include academic fees or books.

The Oklahoma legislature approved the tuition waiver for juniors in the most recent legislative session.

"This is a great opportunity for high school students to earn college credit at a greatly reduced cost to their families," said NOC President Dr. Clark Harris. "We are so pleased the legislature is waiving tuition for juniors, this

Northern Oklahoma College Regents approved will help so many students get a head start on a measure Wednesday that allows high school their college experience."

Currently, seniors have been eligible to participate in the tuition waiver program while juniors could take college courses did not receive a tuition waiver.

A student taking full advantage of the program may earn as many as 27 college credit hours during high school, nine (9) credit hours during the junior year and 18 credit hours during the senior year.

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NOC Calendar

Aug. 5 - Aug. 19

Aug. 5

Library Book Sale, Foster-Piper Fieldhouse, 9 a.m. – 8 p.m., Tonkawa

Aug. 6

Library Book Sale (half price), Foster-Piper Fieldhouse, 9 a.m. – 6 p.m., Tonkawa

Aug. 7

Library Book Sale (free books), Foster-Piper Fieldhouse, 1 p.m. – 4 p.m., Tonkawa

Aug. 8

Tonkawa Targeted Enrollment, Renfro Center, noon

Fall Book Sale Begins, NOC Bookstores Kay County Wellness Clinic at Renfro Center, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., Tonnkawa

Aug. 9

Stillwater Faculty Report

Aug. 10

PLC Retreat, 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Enid

Aug. 11

Enid Targeted Enrollment, Gantz Center, noon

Aug. 12

Stillwater Targeted Enrollment, Classroom Building, noon

Aug. 15

New Faculty and Adjunct In-Service Meetings

Aug. 16

Tonkawa and Enid Faculty Report

Aug. 17

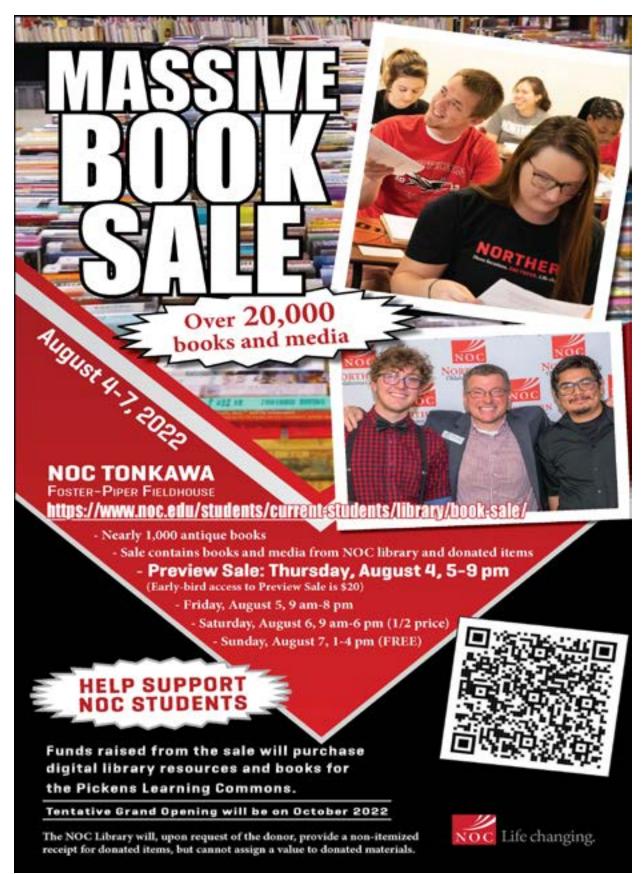
Tonkawa, Enid, Stillwater Faculty In-Service Maverick, Jet Move-In Day

Aug. 18

Maverick, Jet Move-In Day

Aug. 19

Maverick Madness Day Ready, Jet, Go Day



Dr. Harris promotes library book sale at regents' meeting

The Northern Oklahoma College Tonkawa Library Renovation project continues and the college is preparing for the NOC Book Sale, President Dr. Clark Harris reported to the board of regents Wednesday. The NOC Book Sale, set for Aug. 4-7 in the Foster-Piper Fieldhouse, will allow community members to purchase books that have been removed from the NOC library collection.

The library renovation will transform the current library into the Pickens Learning Commons for this fall.

Watkins and Vice President for Student Affairs Jason Johnson reported that seven NOC athletic teams earned NJCAA Academic All-American Team status with each earning at least a 3.0 GPA. Thirty-three NOC athletes earned a 4.0 GPA.

Johnson added that the NOC Women's Soccer team finished second academically in the nation with an overall average GPA of 3.61. The winner earned a 3.62 GPA.

Vice President for Financial Affairs Anita Simpson provided the monthly financial report including project allocations and purchases. She also provided a status report on the HEERF (COVID-19) fund allocations.

Sheri Snyder, Vice President for Community Relations & Development, announced the Country and Western Group "Shenandoah" will appear Sept. 29 in the Renfro Lectureship Series at NOC Tonkawa's Kinzer Performing Arts Center.

Vice President for Enrollment Management Dr. Rick Edgington reported that enrollment is progressing for Fall 2022 announcing a number of targeted enrollment dates for late July and August as NOC prepares for the Aug. 22 start of the fall semester. He also shared that NOC Vice President for Academic Affairs Diana had increased enrollment for summer semester over last summer's enrollment.

> The board appointed chairman Jami Groendyke and Brad Fox as Group One Trustees to the Northern Oklahoma College Foundation and reappointed Lyndee Funk and Tom Poole as Community Trustees to the foundation.

> Regents also approved the Course Catalog and Student Handbook. They were also provided information on the Graphic Standards Guide, Information Technology Plan, FY2022-23 Academic Plan, and the Strategic Plan Quarterly

> The September regents' meeting will be held in the Brown Conference Room in Stillwater Sept. 14 at 1 p.m.

Stillwater nursing apps accepted this fall

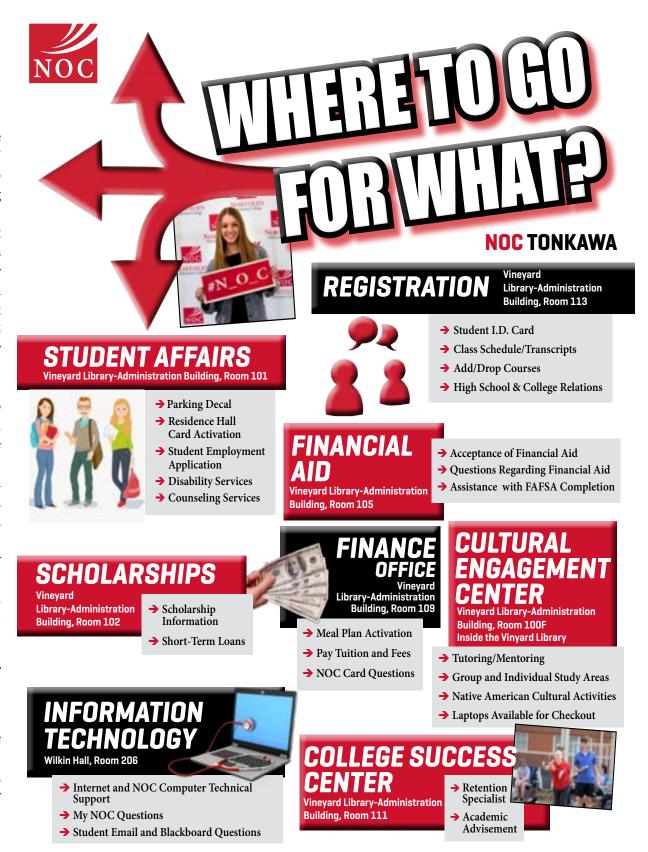
The Northern Oklahoma College Nursing Program will accept applications for spring semester 2023 start on the Stillwater campus through Oct. 1.

Applicants must meet minimum program requirements for admission and be accepted to Northern Oklahoma College prior to acceptance in the Nursing Program. Applicants

are selected based on qualifications and space availability.

NOC has nursing programs at Tonkawa, Enid, and Stillwater locations. Apply by March 1 for admission on all three campuses for fall semes-

Please call 580.628.6679 or apply at https://bit. ly/3sg1QB8.



For More Information, Contact Student Affairs 580.628.6240

Dr. Paul Bowers publishes poetry book

NOC Enid Language Arts Instructor Dr. Paul a sunken sub-Bowers recently published his third book of poetry, released in May 2022. had a wrench

The book, titled Ten Acres of the Universe, is 1'd break the published by Turning Plow Press. I'd break the porthole glass

The following is an excerpt from a review by / but it's too Kansas poet Roy Beckemeyer: late, it's been

"In the first poem of Ten Acres of the Universe, Paul Bowers shows he can wrap an event as timeless and familiar as spring plowing in words and images as fresh and unanticipated as spring's surprising renewals. Elsewhere, he points out "stars and galaxies ... heading home at dawn, / the dying glow of their headlights / disappearing over the farthest hilltop of the Milky Way" and we find ourselves both safe at home and feeling we have traveled to the far reaches of the heavens.

In Bowers' Ten Acres, "Before we know it, it is Sunday evening. / The birds abandon the sky / and fold their songs like wings." At a check-out line, a man behind him "...smiled when my wife waved him forward / as if such small acts coaxed the soul / nearer the skin's surface, and once, there, / took a long quiet breath, exhaled, waved back." He turns his mind to documenting the migration and evolution of love as years advance:

sality of the passage of our collective years, the patterns of hours and skies and everyday encounters that make up our advance:

--for his wife, on hearing a patient in a doctor's office quietly humming the spiritual "This Little Light of Mine": "I am waiting for my wife to return / from the inner chambers of the heart clinic; / and here, in my exile ... I can't for the life of me / remember what that little light is / the woman only four chairs over softly sings about."

--for his mother, when blowing leaves remind her of him as a child, burying himself in a raked pile: "And in her mind, lately filled / with the debris of dementia ... I bury myself again / and again in that mound of piling thoughts where I will remain hidden / and safe..."

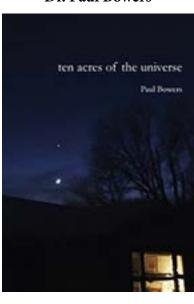
--and, for his hospitalized father "...dying in

marine. / If I had a wrench I'd break the porthole glass / but it's too late, it's been too long / and he is fathoms deep."

Arranged in seasons spring ter, these pocapture the univerpassage our collective years, the patterns of hours and skies and everyday encounters that make up our days; they are like string reminders tied around your heart that will



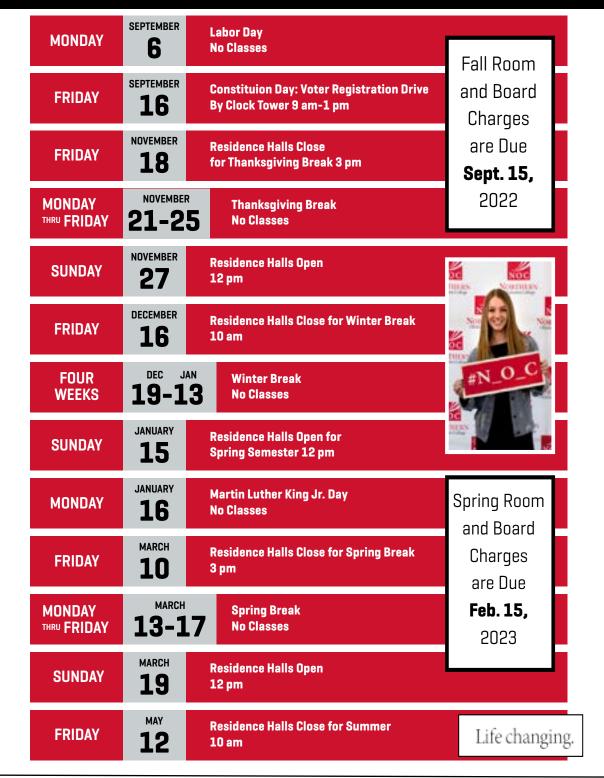
Dr. Paul Bowers



bring back moments from your own life, vivid and alive, some quietly peaceful, some devastatingly poignant. This is a book I will keep close and read often; I suspect you will want to do so, as well."

Other books by Bowers include two poetry collections: *The Lone, Cautious, Animal Life (2016) and Occasional Hymns (2018)*, and a collection of short stories, *Like Men, Made Various (2006)*. Bowers has taught at NOC Enid since 1999.

NORTHERN OKLAHOMA COLLEGE 2022-2023 Important Housing Dates



Maverick teams, athletes earn NJCAA academic awards in 2021-22

Four NOC Tonkawa athletic teams earned academic honors from the NJCAA including women's soccer who finished second in the nation with a 3.61 GPA.

Following women's soccer was women's basketball at 3.30, baseball at 3.21, and softball at 3.13.

NOC Athletic Director Alan Foster said, "While we enjoy our success on the field or court of competition our student athletes continue to impress with their performances in the classroom as well."

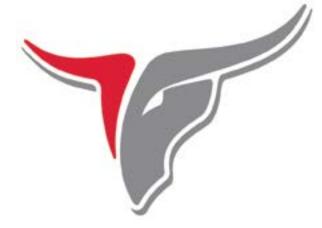
Student-athletes are eligible to earn academic honors by achieving an overall GPA of 3.60 or higher for the 2021-22 academic year. The criteria for the three All-Academic teams are listed below:

NJCAA All-Academic First Team: 4.00 GPA NJCAA All-Academic Second Team: 3.80-3.99 GPA

NJCAA All-Academic Third Team: 3.60-3.79 GPA

NOC Mavs athletes are listed as follows:

First Team – Lexi Albright (women's soccer), Lexie Boyer (women's basketball), David Carr (baseball), Eli Cartwright (baseball), Bowen Charboneau (baseball), Morgan Fowble (softball), Jazmine Furra (women's soccer), Larissa Haagsma (women's soccer), William Humphrey (baseball), Morgan Livesey (women's basketball), Luke Livian (baseball), Delaney Reimer (women's basketball), Jaime Rowlands (women's soccer), Addison Trent (women's basketball), Abbygayle Vargas (women's soccer), Vincent Vaughn (baseball), Jordan Webster



(women's soccer), Heidi Wiedmeier (women's soccer),

Second Team – Jaylyn Bennett (baseball), Milica Bulatovic (women's soccer), John Hall (baseball), Megan Hart (softball), Josie Jarvis (women's soccer), Margaret Landes (softball), Marko Madaris (men's soccer), Connor Moreno (men's soccer), Marissa Neil (women's soccer), Nate Windle (baseball),

Third Team – Jesus Aleman (men's soccer), Nicole Anderson (women's soccer), Meagan Bellar (softball), Geovanni Blackshaw (baseball), Garrison Brandt (baseball), Rachael Chatterji (women's soccer), Savannah Chenoweth (softball), Daniel Clarke (men's soccer), Jake Gadsden (men's soccer), Dylan Hamilton (baseball), Andres Hernandez (baseball), Kodee Holloway (men's basketball), Haiden Huster (softball), Cash Jay (baseball), Samantha Mendez (women's soccer), Aubrey Meyers (softball), Shelby Rayner (women's basketball), Jasmine Warriner (softball), Malik Wilson (baseball).

Life changing.



PACKING CHECKLIST

HERE'S A HELPFUL LIST FOR YOUR NEW HOME AWAY FROM HOME!

Room Needs/Storage

- □ Bedside Lamp
- ☐ Mini Trash Can/Trash Bags
- □ Storage bins
- □ Fan
- □ Pictures of Family/Friends
- Bulletin board and pushpins
- □ Dry-erase wall calendar/board
- Plastic/Paper Plates and Utensils
- ☐ Command Strips to Hang Room Decorations (nails should not be used in Bush, Boehme, Easterling, Markley or Threlkeld)
- ☐ Push Pins to Hang Decorations in Mavericks Hall

Linens/Laundry Supplies

- ☐ Sheets and pillowcases (XL Twin)
- ☐ Towels
- □ Pillows
- ☐ Mattress Pad (XL Twin)
- □ Blankets
- ☐ Comforter/Bedspread
- ☐ Clothes Hangers
- ☐ Laundry Bag/Basket
- 1 Laundry detergent, Fabric Softener and Stain Remover
- ☐ Iron/Ironing Board
- Quarters for Laundry

Electronics

- \square TV
- ☐ Laptop (printer is optional; there are computer labs where you can print)
- □ Portable speakers
- ☐ HDMI Cord, Ethernet Cord
- ☐ Surge Protector☐ Headphones

Shared Items

- Check with roommate□ TV□ Area Rug
- ☐ Coffee Maker ☐ Posters/Art
- □ Small refrigerator

Personal Items

- ☐ Personal Care/Hygiene Products
- ☐ Medical Insurance card and Any Medication
- ☐ Driver's License, Auto Insurance, etc.
- ☐ Social Security Card (for Employment Purposes)
- ☐ Renters' Insurance (Optional)

School Supplies

- $\ \square$ Pens and Pencils
- $\qquad \qquad \square \quad \text{Highlighters} \\$
- ☐ Tape
- □ Stapler
- ☐ Scissors
- ☐ Index Cards
- and Folders
 ☐ Flash Drive
 ☐ Day Planner/Calendar

☐ 3-Rina Binders

■ Notebooks

☐ Paper

Items NOT Permitted

- Electrical cooking appliances hot plates, toaster ovens, crockpots, instant pots, steamers, etc.
- · No open flames candles, lighters, etc.
- · Alcoholic beverages or containers (empty or full)
- · Weapons
- · Fireworks or other explosives
- · Illegal substances and/or paraphernalia
- · Any pets





Questions?

Contact Student Affairs Office

Tonkawa: 580.628.6240

Vineyard Library-Administration Building Room 101

Enid: 580.548.2227

Everest Administration Building Room 105





Jet teams, athletes earn NJCAA academic awards in 2021-22

Three NOC Enid athletic teams earned academic honors from the NJCAA this week.

Women's basketball, softball, and baseball each earned above a 3.0 GPA for the 2022-23 academic year.

Women's basketball earned a 3.48 while softball earned a 3.40. Baseball earned a 3.21.

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NICAA All-Academic Third Team: 3.60-3.79

NOC Jets' athletes are listed as follows:

First Team -- Kaycee Babek (softball), Ally Bartley (softball), Parker Cook (baseball), Brynlee Cue (women's basketball), Dillon Dibrell (baseball), Reagan Detrick (softball), Mol-



ly Dolan (softball), Slater Eck (softball), Calyn Halvorson (baseball), Anna Hester (softball), Student-athletes are eligible to earn academic JD Ketterling (baseball), Chloe Middleton (softball), Holden Yoder (baseball), Averi Zinn (women's basketball), Libbi Zinn (women's basketball),

> Second Team - Evan Casey (baseball), Jade Hazelbaker (women's basketball), Ashleigh McCause (softball), Piercen Mcelyea (baseball), Ariana Potter (softball), Macy Stockton (softball), Faith Watts (softball).

> Third Team - Gray Adams (baseball), Aaron Baker (baseball), Brook Fleming (softball), Emma Jackson (softball), Maddux Mayberry (baseball), Asher Mote (baseball), Jack Roubik (baseball), Blake Scott (baseball).

Targeted enrollment dates next week

targeted enrollment dates for Fall 2022 at registration/enrollment process. Tonkawa, Enid, and Stillwater.

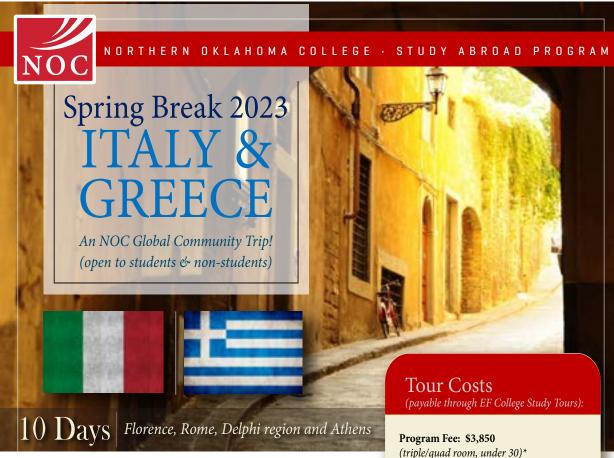
The dates are Monday, Aug. 8 (Tonkawa), Thursday, Aug. 11 (Enid), and Friday, Aug. 12 (Stillwater). Noon is the starting time for each session.

Enrollment professionals and academic ad-

Northern Oklahoma College has scheduled visors will be on hand to assist students in the

Please call 580.628.6668 in Tonkawa, 580.548.2353 in Enid, and 580.628.6904 in Stillwater for additional information.

Returning NOC students are asked to call for morning times.



Departure: Friday, March 10, 2023 Return: Sunday, March 19, 2023 **Departure City: OKC**



Medical/Accident Insurance: \$165 Approximate total: \$4,015

* monthly Auto-Pay available from EF

Final EF Payment Deadline: Early-November 2022 (unless using AutoPay)

Estimated Additional Expenses:

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1.800.873.2250 (Tour number: 2501304DA)

- Passport around \$120
- Guide/Driver Tip Money around \$80
- Money for Lunches, 3-4 Dinners; and miscellaneous expenses
- Three hours academic credit is available from NOC for approximately \$540 Non-resident rate will apply. (GLBL 2113: H, I)
- *Double room supplement (age 30 and over): additional \$320

Trevin Michael drafted

Former NOC Maverick pitcher Trevin Michael was drafted by the Detroit Tigers in the 2022 MLB draft on Monday.

He was taken in the 10th round with the 297th selection.

Michael pitched at NOC in the 2018-19 seasons for coach Ryan

Michael most recently pitched for the Oklahoma Sooners in 2022 posting a 4-2 record with a 2.89 ERA. He struck out 95 hitters in 71.2 innings pitched.

He also pitched at Lamar University after graduating from NOC. Michael is from Piedmont, Oklahoma.



Trevin Michael

NOC August Birthdays



Joshua Harris	Aug. 1	Fred Heath	Aug. 15
Paige Larson	Aug. 4	Scott Cloud	Aug. 18
Brad Matson	Aug. 6	Cissy Leonard	Aug. 23
Gene Young	Aug. 8	Bart Allen	Aug. 23
Todd Ging	Aug. 8	Paul Bowers	Aug. 24
Neisha Jones	Aug. 8	Michael DuRoy	Aug. 24
Curtis Parr	Aug. 9	Jennifer Hammons	Aug. 26
Bobbie Carson	Aug. 11	Anna Roland	Aug. 26
Paul Lester	Aug. 13	Rachel Kroemer	Aug. 27





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Wednesday August 17: Move-In Day, 9 am-4 pm BBQ, EB Courtyard, 6:30pm

Thursday August 18: Move-In Day, 9 am-4 pm Michael Mayo Hypnotist Show,

Briggs Auditorium, 7 pm Friday August 19: "Ready! Jet! Go!", 9:30 am-2 pm

Jets Scavenger Hunt, Monte Hall, 2 pm

Saturday August 20:

Jets Golf Scramble, Northern Hills Golf Course, 10 am

Sunday August 21:

Yard Games, EB Courtyard, 5 pm Sunday August 21:

Dorm Meeting, Monte Hall, 7 pm

Monday August 22: Yoga Mondays, EB Lobby, 8 pm

Tuesday August 23:

Jets Hall Ice Cream Social, Monte Hall, 7 pm Wednesday August 24:

Earl Butts Ice Cream Social, Monte Hall, 7 pm

Thursday August 25: Lankard Ice Cream Social, Monte Hall, 7 pm

Saturday August 27:

Jet Olympics, Mabee Center, 11 am

Sunday August 28:

Oklahoma City Dodgers Baseball Game

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Maverick soccer practice underway

The NOC Men's and Women's Soccer teams started practice for the 2022 season Monday, Aug. 1. Teams reported for a fitness test Monday, fall training camp started Tuesday.

Last season, both NOC teams were ranked in the Top 20 during the season, the women finished 15-4 while the men were 13-4-2.

The Mavs and Lady Mavs open the season Wednesday, Aug. 24 at Cowley College (KS).

The home opener is Sunday, Sept. 4 against Crowder College (MO).





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Wednesday, August 17

- Move-in Day, 9 am-4 pm
- Ice Cream Social, Student Union, 7 pm

Thursday, August 18

- Move-in Day, 9 am-4 pm
- Karaoke, Memorial Student Union, 7 pm

Friday, August 19

- Maverick Madness, KPAC, 9:30 am-2 pm
- Student Activities, East Gym, 2-4 pm
- Bingo for Food, East Gym, 7:30 pm

Saturday, August 20

- Scavenger Hunt (hunt for the Mav head)
- Prize awarded at 3 pm
- Volleyball, Between Bush and Boehme Hall, 7 pm

Sunday, August 21

• Swim @ Tonkawa Pool, 7-10 pm, Free with Student ID

Monday, August 22

- First Day of Classes, Donuts and Directions, Clock Tower
- All Dorm Meeting, KPAC, 7:30 pm
 Welcome to College Dance, Student Union, 8:30-10:30 pm

Tuesday, August 23

- · Block Party on Circle, 6:30 pm
- Cookout and Yard Games

Wednesday, August 24

- Meet the Mavs, Foster-Piper Fieldhouse, 7 pm
- Activities and Minute to Win it Games

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The 31st Annual Arts Adventure Camp had over 50 students attend with nine instructors for the four-day event July 18-21. (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)

Fifty students attend Arts Adventure Camp

Over fifty students sang, painted, drew, danced, sculpted and made videos, photographs, jewelry and masks during the 31st annual Arts Adventure summer camp at Northern Oklahoma College from July 18-21.

Nine expert artists from NOC and around the state offered thirteen unique classes in visual and performing arts for area youth in grades six to twelve, and some students attended from as far away as Colorado.

Some new classes offered this year were Linocut Printmaking and Digital Escape Room. Sponsored by Arts Adventure Foundation with support from the Oklahoma Arts Council, NOC, National Endowment for the Arts, local businesses and private donors, the popular

four-day camp culminated in an Open House for family and friends to visit the studios on campus and see the creative outcome of the week's work in visual art.

Additionally, the performance classes showed their accomplishments in the theater of the Kinzer Performing Art Center.

The summer camp began in 1991 and was held on the grounds of the Marland Mansion. In 2000, it moved to the campus of Northern Oklahoma College in Tonkawa. Arts Adventure is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization. Visit Arts Adventure Facebook page for photos and videos. Plans have already begun for the 2023 Arts Adventure Camp tentatively scheduled for July 17-20.

