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'Legally Blonde' on stage through Sunday at KPAC

The NOC Division of Fine Arts presents "Legally Blonde, The Musical" Nov. 11-14 at the Kinzer Performing Arts Center in Tonkawa.

Show times are 7:30 p.m. Thursday – Saturday and 2 p.m. Sunday.

The musical is directed by NOC Fine Arts Instructor Chad Anderson.

Anderson said the following in his director's notes:

"Movies adapted into musicals go back a long way (An American in Paris, High Society, State Fair) but their recent popularity is undeniable.

In the mid-nineties, Andrew Lloyd Webber's Sunset Boulevard launched a trend of film-to-



stage musicals with questionable critical success but considerable commercial triumph. 1997's Footloose musical didn't please critics, but audiences still flock to see the classic 80s film's stage version today. Since then, writers have found abundant source material for many modern musicals. Now it seems most new Broadway musicals originate from the screen (Millie, Shrek, The Wedding Singer, The Addams Family, The Producers, The Color Purple, Mean Girls, Beetlejuice).

I, for one, am a fan. We hope you are tonight, as well."

Music and lyrics by Laurence O'Keefe and Nell Benjamin. Based on the novel by Amanda Brown and the Metro-Goldwyn Mayer motion picture. The book is by Heather Hach.

Admission is free, there is limited seating. Social distancing and face masks are strongly encouraged. Children Under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.



NOC Visual Arts Instructor Audrey Schmitz explores Pueblo Pottery at a lecture last Wednesday in the Eleanor Hays Art Gallery in the Kinzer Performing Arts Center lobby. The pottery exhibit will be on display through Dec. 9. (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)

Pueblo Pottery exhibit at NOC

NOC Visual Arts Instructor and Eleanor Hays Art Gallery Director Audrey Schmitz spoke on the college's "Pueblo Pottery, Traditions of the Southwest" exhibit on display in the Kinzer Performing Arts Center through Dec. 9.

"Many thanks to Ron Licklider who has graciously loaned over 30 outstanding pieces to the college," Schmitz said. "I also want to recognize art students from this semester's Ceramics class who contributed research and narrative for the exhibit: A.J. Aguilar, Kelsey Grigg, Jackie Galvin, Ash Herard, Thomas Jenkins and Zoe Oxford."

"The art of making pottery among the Pueblo peoples dates back at least 2000 years," she said. "Pueblo" is the Spanish word for 'village' or 'small town' and is associated with a distinct cultural group in southwestern United States. When Spanish explorers first arrived in "New Mexico" in the 16th century, they encountered Native settlements in the fertile Rio Grande Valley. The Pueblo people subsequently lost

land to Spanish, Mexican and the U.S. Government, but many of their villages remain in original location. It is estimated that over 70 villages occupied the area prior to this consolidation."

She said originally pieces were used as a function of society but then many pieces were produced due to western expansion and tourism.

"After the Santa Fe Trail opened in the 1820s, manufactured goods became readily available and there was a decrease in functional pottery production," she said. "Despite fewer vessels being produced, many of the forms and designs that characterize each Pueblo's style were well established by 1880 when the Transcontinental Railway cut across the Southwest. The railroad and Route 66 highway system that followed in the 1920s and 30s stimulated rapid changes in Pueblo life brought by tourism and commercialization of Pueblo art and culture."

The exhibit is open 1 p.m. - 5 p.m. Monday -Friday and also during performing arts events.

Northern Oklahoma College Division of Fine Arts
presents

LEGALLY

Blonde

THE MUSICAL

Directed by Chad Anderson

Kinzer Performing Arts Center
NOC Tonkawa

November 11-14
Thursday-Saturday 7:30 pm
Sunday 2 pm

Free Admission
Children under age 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

Limited seating
Social distancing and face masks are strongly encouraged.

Music and lyrics by
Laurence O'Keefe & Nell Benjamin

Book by
Heather Hach

Based on the novel by
Amanda Brown
and the Metro-GoldwynMayer motion picture

Presented through Special Arrangement with Music Theatre International

Northern Oklahoma College cannot prevent you and/or any other attendees from becoming exposed to, contracting, or spreading COVID-19 while attending this event. Attendees choose to accept the risk of contracting COVID-19 and indemnify and hold NOC harmless from all liability. NOC will be following NOC's Pandemic Response Plan.

Stickball demonstration Thursday

Northern Oklahoma College is celebrating Native American Heritage Month for November. On Nov. 18 – Stickball – A Social Game presented by Jake Roberts. There will be a lecture and demonstration on the lawn west of Central Hall at 10:30 a.m.

All month, Native American Factoids will be on KAYE The Source FM Radio 90.7 and Native American Music will be played across campus on Tuesday and Thursday from 11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. during November.



NOC November Birthdays



Sandra Jensen	Nov. 19	Don Stinson	Nov. 24
John Kuhlmann	Nov. 20	Summer McClure	Nov. 24
Shannon Lorg	Nov. 20	Dee Cooper	Nov. 25
Elva Lara	Nov. 22	Shaen McMurtrie	Nov. 26
Lynn Kinzie	Nov. 22	Paul Nhuyen	Nov. 26
Peggy Emde	Nov. 23		



NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH

Thursday
November 18
10:30 – 11:45 a.m.

Jake Roberts
presents
Stickball
A Social Game



Join us for the
Lecture and
Demonstration
taking place out
on the lawn west
of Central Hall.

NOC Sheep Center at Tulsa State Fair




The NOC Sheep Production Class exhibited the NOC Sheep Show Flock at the Tulsa State Fair the first of October. NOC came away with the Champion Dorset, Hampshire and Suffolk Rams and the Reserve Champion Dorset Ewe. They were also named the Premier Exhibitors of the Dorset and Hampshire Divisions. Students participating in this Fall Semester Class are Bo Buss, Hunter, OK; Lexie Cerise, Ponca City, OK; Tanner Cline, Newkirk, OK; Jordyn Kahler, Bartlesville, OK; Caden Levings, Perry, OK and Haley Merhoff, Newkirk, OK. Also pictured is Abby Cardwell assisting the show crew.



'TIS THE SEASON

Paintings by Gene Dougherty



November 17- December 9 2021


Eleanor Hays Art Gallery

Kinzer Performing Arts Center
Northern Oklahoma College, Tonkawa
Viewing Hours: 1-5 pm, Monday - Friday
and during performances

Meet the Artist Reception
Tuesday, November 30, 5:30-6:30 pm

Stay for the Concert Band, Madrigal Singers and College Choir Christmas Concert at 7:30 pm

Masks and social distancing are strongly encouraged





NOC Tonkawa Criminal Justice students were inducted into American Criminal Justice Association last Tuesday. Pictured Front Row (L-R): Irasen Jauregui, Sierra Long, Mariyah Green, Samantha Mears, Cassidy Edsall. Back Row: Wesley Dunn, Gage McNabb, Kenneth Endl, Owen Hutcheson, Troy Cochran-Advisor, Seth Brockbank, AJ Nichols (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College).



NOC President Leadership Council visited the Greenwood Rising Black Wall St. History Center on Tuesday in Tulsa. Sen. Kevin Matthews provided the tour. (photo provided)

BASKETBALL
Theme
Nights

November 3
7:30 pm
Men v Pratt
Costume Night

November 12, 7:30 pm
Women v Butler
NEON Night

November 15, 7:30 pm
Men v SW Christian University
MEME Night

November 29
(M) 5:30 pm/(W) 7:30 pm
Men/Women v Mavericks:
BLACK OUT (Shirts provided)

December 3, 8 pm
Men v Hill College
Tie-Dye Night

December 4, 3 pm
Men v OnPoint Academy
Hawaiian Night

December 10, 5 pm
Men v Mid-American Christian
Ugly Christmas Sweater Night

January 10
(W) 5:30 pm/(M) 7:30 pm
Women/Men v NEO
Jersey Night

January 20
(W) 5:30 pm/(M) 7:30 pm
Women/Men v.
Eastern Oklahoma State College
Homecoming White Out

January 27
(W) 5:30 pm/(M) 7:30 pm
Women/Men v.
Redlands Community College
Wear Pink (Cancer Awareness)

January 31
(W) 5:30 pm/(M) 7:30 pm
Women/Men v. Murray State College
Camouflage Night

February 7
(W) 5:30 pm/(M) 7:30 pm
Women/Men v.
Western Oklahoma State College
Country Western Night

February 17
(W) 5:30 pm/(M) 7:30 pm
Women/Men v. Seminole State College
TOGA Night

February 24
(W) 5:30 pm/(M) 7:30 pm
Women/Men v. Connors State College
Flight Crew Night

Dress in Theme for Basketball Game

Veteran's Day events at NOC



NOC Enid hosted a Veteran's Day program in the Gantz Center on Thursday. Enid mayor George Pankonin spoke to those who attended. Elaine Johns, Executive Director, Woodring Hall of Honor & Veteran's Park also made a veteran's presentation. NOC President Dr. Clark Harris provided the closing remarks. The event was organized by Dr. Mary Ann McCoy, chair of the NOC Diversity Committee. The event closed the playing of "Taps." The NOC Enid President's Leadership Council provided a social after the program. (photos provided)



Fall 2021 Student Activities

- AUGUST**
Thursday, 27 Free T-Shirt Friday, Clock Tower 8:15-11:30 am
Tuesday, 31 Ping-Pong Tournament, Mavericks Hall 7 pm
- SEPTEMBER**
Wednesday, 8 Dodgeball, East Gym, 7 pm
Monday, 13 Karaoke, Easterling Hall, 7-10 pm
Friday, 17 Constitution Day, Scoops Ice Cream Truck
Circle Drive by Clock Tower 10 am – 1 pm
1 Ice Cream per Student Please
Monday, 20 Video Game Trailer, Circle Drive, 6-8 pm
Monday, 27 Bubble Soccer, 4-8 pm, North of Softball Field
- OCTOBER**
Monday, 11 Paint Night, Must Sign Up in Student Affairs Office
by September 30, East Gym, 6:30 pm
14-15-16 Haunted Sale Barn
20-22-23 Corner of 7th and Rivera at Dead End
28-29-30-31 (Must show valid Student ID)
Monday, 25 Inflatable Putt-Putt, East Gym, 4-8 pm
Tuesday, 26 Miss NOC Pageant, KPAC, 7:30 pm
- NOVEMBER**
Tuesday, 2 Bingo for Food, East Gym, 7 pm
Tuesday, 9 Christmas Paint Night, Must Sign Up in Student Affairs
Office by October 29, East Gym, 6:30 pm
Thursday, 11 Veterans Day, Flag Dedication at Tent by Clock Tower,
8 am-Noon
Tuesday, 16 Christmas Movie Night and Cookie Decorating,
East Gym, 7 pm
Mon.-Fri. 22-26 Thanksgiving Break
Monday, 29 Bedlam Basketball at NOC Enid
Women 5:30 pm, Men 7:30 pm
Tuesday, 30 Dodgeball, East Gym, 7 pm
- DECEMBER**
Thursday, 2 Tonkawa Christmas Parade, Downtown
Finals Week, 6-10 Food for Finals on Monday, December 6
Memorial Student Union

For More
Information,
Contact
Student Affairs
580.628.6240



NOC Tonkawa students planted flags in the Clocktower flower bed in honor of veteran's in their individual lives. (photos by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)



Cultural Engagement Center



Free Tutoring Available

in the Cultural Engagement Center

Writing/English	Mathematics	Chemistry & Physics I
Monday: 9:30 to 11:30 am (*WC) 11:30 am to 2:30 pm Tuesday: 2:00 to 6:00 pm Wednesday 9:30 to 11:30 am (*WC) 11:30 am to 2:30 pm Thursday 2:00 to 6:00 pm Friday 9:30 to 11:30 am (*WC) 11:30 am to 2:30 pm	Monday: 11:30 am to 5:00 pm Tuesday: 10:30 am to 12:30 pm 2:00 to 5:00 pm Wednesday: 11:30 am to 3:00 pm Thursday: 9:00 to 11:00 am 2:00 to 5:00 pm Friday: 1:00 to 3:00 pm	Monday: 6:00 to 8:00 pm Tuesday: 11:00 am to 1:00 pm 6:00 to 8:00 pm Wednesday: 6:00 to 8:00 pm Thursday: No Tutor Available Friday: No Tutor Available

*Writing Center: Central 100

For more information, contact Kathleen Swain at 580.628.6258
or Gina Conneywerdy at 580.628.6384



NOC Tonkawa students enjoyed a Paint Night sponsored by NOC Tonkawa Resident Life.



Standley Systems provided lunch at NOC Stillwater and NOC Tonkawa this week for NOC employee appreciation. Lunch will be provided at NOC Enid for employees Nov. 16.



Cultural Engagement Center



Laptops Available

For use in the CEC or Library

Stop by the CEC Desk
located in the Gathering Space

Must have NOC or government issued ID to check out a laptop

For more information, contact Gina Conneywerdy

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The NOC Enid Lady Jets 2021-22

NOC Enid Lady Jets season underway

The NOC Enid Lady Jets are 1-1 on the 2021-22 season with a win over the Oklahoma Angels and a loss at Cowley College.

Coach Kelli Jennings is in her second year at NOC Enid. Jennings said she is more comfortable in her second year.

“Anyone that has taken over a program knows the first couple years can be tough, and my first year at NOC was no exception,” she said. “Going from being a small high school coach to a college coach was challenging in several ways. The major differences going into my 2nd year would be I know my team this year, and I have an idea of what our conference is like as well as a better grasp on the college game. Each day, month, and year my goal is to continue to learn and grow in this coaching field.”

The 2021-22 off-season was a bit more normal

than last year, Jennings said her team accomplished plenty.

“I felt like our team during the off season was able to build some chemistry on the floor, offensively get an understanding of what we are trying to do, and get stronger in the weight room,” she said.

What are the strengths of this year’s team?

“I feel like our greatest strength is that we are a team,” she said. “I have a really selfless group of young women that each bring something different when they step on the floor.”

How can this team improve?

“I think an area of improvement early on is the need to limit turnovers,” she said. “I would also like to see us be able to attack and finish at the rim more than we are right now.”

2021 Final Exam Schedule—Enid, Stillwater, and Tonkawa Campuses

Monday, Dec. 6	Tuesday, Dec. 7	Wednesday, Dec. 8	Thursday, Dec. 9
If Course is MWF 9:30 am MW 9:30 am EXAM is 8:00—9:50 am	If Course is TR 9:00 am TR 9:15 am EXAM is 8:00—9:50 am	If Course is MWF or WF 8:00 am M, MW, or MWF 8:30 am EXAM is 8:00—9:50 am	OPEN
If Course is MW or MWF 12:30 pm M 12:30 pm W 12:30 p.m. EXAM is 10:00 am—11:50 am	If Course is TR 12:30 pm TR 1:00 pm EXAM is 10:00 am—11:50 am	If Course is MW or MWF 10:30 am MTWR or M WRF 10:30 am EXAM is 10:00 am—11:50 am	If Course is TR 10:30 am EXAM is 10:00 am—11:50 am
If Course is MWF 2:30 p.m. EXAM is 12:00—1:50 pm	If Course is TR 2:00 pm T 1:30 or 2:00 pm EXAM is 12:00—1:50 pm	If Course is MWF 11:30 am MW 11:30 am MTWR 11:30 am EXAM is 12:00—1:50 pm	OPEN
OPEN EXAM is 2:00—3:50 pm	OPEN EXAM is 2:00—3:50 pm	If Course is MWF 1:30 MW or W 1:30 EXAM is 2:00-3:50 pm	If Course is TR 4:00 pm EXAM is 2:00-3:50 pm
If Course is M 5:10 or 5:30 MW 5:30 pm EXAM is 5:00—6:50 pm	If Course is T 5:10 or 5:30 TR 5:30 pm EXAM is 5:00—6:50 pm	If Course is W 5:10 or 5:30 pm EXAM is 5:00—6:50 pm	If Course is TR 4:00 pm EXAM is 5:00—6:50 pm
If Course is M 7:00 pm EXAM is 7:00-8:50 pm	If Course is T 7:00 pm EXAM is 7:00-8:50 pm	If Course is W 7:00 pm EXAM is 7:00-8:50 pm	If Course is R 7:00 pm EXAM is 7:00-8:50 pm

Night classes refer to classes that begin at or after 6 p.m.

NOC Calendar

Nov. 13-19

November 13

Away Lady Mavs Basketball vs. Butler (KS) at NOC Enid, 1 p.m.
 Away Jets Basketball vs. Allen (KS) at NOC Tonkawa, 1 p.m.
 Home Lady Jets Basketball vs. Garden City (KS), 3 p.m.
 Home Mavs Basketball vs. Cowley (KS), 3 p.m.
 Legally Blonde, KPAC, 7:30 p.m.

November 14

Legally Blonde, KPAC, 2 p.m.

November 15

Home Jets Basketball vs. Southwest Christian JV, 7:30 p.m.
 Home Mavs Basketball vs. Oklahoma Wesleyan JV, 7:30 p.m.

November 16

Standley Systems lunch for NOC Employees, 11 a.m., Enid
 Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Tonkawa
 Runner Girls, Wesley House, 3 p.m., Tonkawa
 Renew at the BCM, BCM, 6:30 p.m., Tonkawa
 Christmas Movie Night/Cookie Decorating, East Gym, 7 p.m., Tonkawa

November 17

Free Student Lunch, Wesley House, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa
 Free Lunch, Gantz Center (James Room), 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Enid
 Board of Regents Meeting, Brown Conference Room, 1:30 p.m., Stillwater
 BCM Gathering, BCM, 7 p.m., Enid

November 18

Stickball Demonstration, Central Hall Lawn, 10:30 a.m., Tonkawa
 Away Jets and Lady Jets Basketball vs. Redlands, 5:30 p.m.
 Away Mavs and Lady Mavs Basketball vs. Western, 5:30 p.m.

November 19

Residence Halls close at 3 p.m.

For additional information, visit the following links: [NOC Calendar](#)

Jets, Mavs in basketball classics

NOC Tonkawa and NOC Enid are hosting basketball classics this weekend.

The Lady Jets are hosting games in Enid while the Mavs are hosting games in Tonkawa.

Friday (Enid)

Lady Mavs vs. Garden City (KS), 5:30 p.m.
 Lady Jets vs. Butler (KS), 7:30 p.m.

Saturday (Enid)

Lady Mavs vs. Butler (KS), 1 p.m.
 Lady Jets vs. Garden City (KS), 3 p.m.

Friday (Tonkawa)

Jets vs. Cowley (KS), 6 p.m.
 Mavs vs. Allen (KS), 8 p.m.

Saturday (Tonkawa)

Jets vs. Allen (KS), 1 p.m.
 Mavs vs. Cowley (KS), 3 p.m.

NOC SMS RESOURCE SERVICES

Advocacy, Help
and Resources for
Single Parents



Get
started
right away!

We recognize how important it is for single parents to get an education. Being a college student and a single parent is difficult. Often times students will think about dropping out because of unexpected events or financial strain.

See what NOC SMS Resource Services can do for you.



Contact your
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for assistance and
resources.

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Monday - Friday
8 am - 5 pm