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# What's Happening

## April 15, 2022

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## NOC Tonkawa Academic Awards given

Northern Oklahoma College Tonkawa students were honored Wednesday night at the Annual Academic Awards Banquet at the Renfro Center.

The following are the awards for 2022-23:

Oklahoma All-USA Academic First Team: Abriana Suprobo, Ashton Linton

Outstanding President's Leadership Council Student: Ashton Linton

Academic Athlete of the Year: Bowen Charboneau

Outstanding Agricultural Student: Kelby Linn

Outstanding Livestock Judging Student: Colt Jones

Outstanding Sheep Center Students: Becca Deming, Tyler Gibson

Outstanding Biology Student: Ty Scherman

Outstanding Chemistry Student: Bowen Charboneau

Outstanding Pre-Engineering Student: Rachael Chatterji

Outstanding Pre-Medicine Student: Bowen Charboneau, Ashton Linton

Outstanding Process Technology Student: Chase Harman

Outstanding Business Student: Larissa Haagsma

Christine Marshall Outstanding Accounting Student: Heather Decker

Gene Dougherty Outstanding Art Student:

Jayden Ryan

Piyush and Lisa Patel Outstanding DMI Student: Dawson Henrichs, Ellianne Turner

JT Burg Scholarship for Outstanding DMI Student: Marissa Hill

Outstanding Instrumental Music Student: Luke McHenry

Rhoda Sharp Award: Owen Hutchinson, Cassidy Edsall

Outstanding All-Around Musician: Carli Pendleton

Outstanding Musical Theatre Student: Makayla Sweeney

Outstanding Technical Theatre Student: Mariah Moberly

Charlene Bouchard Outstanding Literature Student: Tori Wood

Outstanding Language Arts Student: Matthew Davis

Outstanding Mass Communication Student: Sharon Park

Keely Marshall Outstanding Journalism Student: Savannah Chenoweth

Elizabeth Totten Outstanding Creative Writing Student: Tori Wood

Louis R. Vineyard Outstanding Radio & TV Student: Savannah Chenoweth

Outstanding Math Student: Ashley Evers, Salem Cearley

Outstanding Nursing Student: Savannah



Dr. Clark Harris and Ashton Linton



Dr. Clark Harris and Bo Charboneau

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Outstanding History Student: Laura Hernandez

Christine Marshall Outstanding Criminal Justice Student: Samantha Mears

NOC Gateway Study Abroad Scholarship:

Matthew Pawlikowski

4.0 Student Award: Ashton Linton, Bowen Charboneau, Chase Harman, Delaney Reimer, Larissa Haagsma, Morgan Fowble, Morgan Livesay

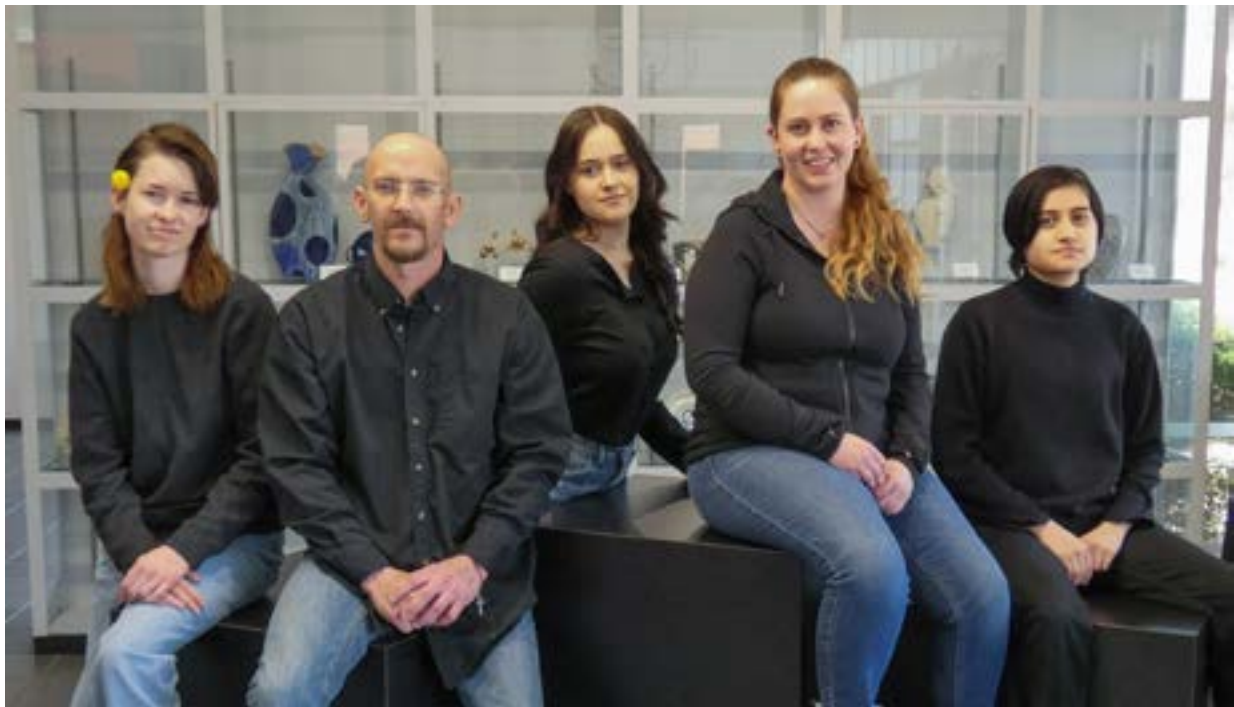
## NOC Graduation - April 30

*Tonkawa, 9:30 a.m. (Foster-Piper Fieldhouse, Tonkawa)*

*Enid/Stillwater, 2 p.m. (Briggs Auditorium, Enid)*

*Nurses Pinning, 7 p.m. (Briggs Auditorium, Enid)*





Northern Oklahoma College art students (from left) Zoe Oxford, Tonkawa; Tommy Jenkins and Hope Gillespie, Ponca City, Kelsey Grigg, Enid and Ash Herard, Ponca City will be featured in Precarious Shapes, the annual student art exhibition on view April 12-May 3 in the Eleanor Hays Art Gallery, NOC Tonkawa. A reception honoring all students with work in the exhibit is set from 6 p.m. - 7 p.m. Saturday, April 16 in the art gallery. (Photo by Ken Crowder)

# Student Art Exhibition opens this week, ‘Meet the Artist’ reception set for April 16

Precarious Shapes—the annual Northern Oklahoma College student art exhibition is on display through May 3 in the Eleanor Hays Art Gallery in the Kinzer Performing Arts Center at NOC Tonkawa.

Visual art students Hope Gillespie, Kelsie Grigg, Ash Herard, Tommy Jenkins and Zoe Oxford planned and organized the exhibit as part of the requirements for a credited Portfolio/Gallery Seminar at NOC. Precarious Shapes highlights the original art of these five artists along with works of other students enrolled in visual art, creative writing and digital imaging classes during the 2021-2022 academic year.

Under the guidance of Audrey Schmitz, gallery director and art instructor, Gillespie, Grigg,

Herard, Jenkins and Oxford gained experience in developing the infrastructure of the exhibit, including choosing the show title and poster design which includes details of each student’s art in the title’s typography. They also prepared their own work to be exhibition-ready, produced artist statements and title cards and installed dozens of additional curated works made by other students, all as part of their professional growth as working artists.

“Overall there is great diversity of media, subject matter and style in the works on view in Precarious Shapes, and the student show is always the most popular event in the Eleanor

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# PRECARIOUS SHAPES

STUDENT ART EXHIBITION 2022

HOPE GILLESPIE

KELSEY GRIGG

ASH HERARD

THOMAS JENKINS

ZO OXFORD

APRIL 12 – MAY 3, 2022

Eleanor Hays Art Gallery  
Kinzer Performing Arts Center

Viewing Hours: 1-5 pm, Monday-Friday and during performances  
[www.noc.edu/finearts/art-exhibition/annual-student-art-exhibition-2022](http://www.noc.edu/finearts/art-exhibition/annual-student-art-exhibition-2022)

**MEET THE ARTISTS RECEPTION**  
Saturday, April 16  
6-7 pm



# Artist

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Hays Gallery,” Schmitz added. “We are glad to be back in the gallery after two years of having an “online only” show, and it is also the perfect opportunity to buy original art at great prices from talented artists early in their career.”

The wide variety of work on display includes watercolor, acrylic and oil painting; sculpture; pastel, pencil, charcoal and ink drawings; pottery and ceramic forms; digital media; masks; bas relief tiles and mixed media works. Select items are available for purchase. The exhibit also includes a selection of poems by students

enrolled in creative writing courses.

A reception honoring all students is scheduled from 6 - 7 p.m. Saturday, April 16 in the art gallery. The exhibition and reception with refreshments is free and open to the public.

Regular gallery hours are noon - 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and during events in the KPAC. The exhibit will also be open following NOC commencement Saturday, April 30.

For more information about Precarious Shapes contact Schmitz at 580.628.6670 or [audrey.schmitz@noc.edu](mailto:audrey.schmitz@noc.edu).

## NOC Enid hosts leadership seminar

Northern Oklahoma College Enid and the Enid Entrepreneur Leadership Series are sponsoring a free Entrepreneurial Leadership Seminar Friday, April 22.

The seminar will be held at the Gantz Student Center-Montgomery Hall on the NOC Enid campus from 5 p.m. – 9 p.m.

The seminar is open to everyone who is interested in team development. A fun and memorable evening designed to help remove the mystique of team creation and effectiveness.

NOC Business Instructor and seminar organizer Todd Ging said, “Participants will experience different team development models,

practical application of leadership styles, and the effectiveness of different authority types. We will view movie scenes to identify and determine the effectiveness of the characters. The desired outcome is to better understand some predictable team interactions and stages to become more effective team members and leaders.”

The seminar is free, dinner and snacks will be provided.

For additional information, contact Todd Ging at 580.548.2390 or [todd.ging@noc.edu](mailto:todd.ging@noc.edu).

Attendees are asked to RSVP by April 19.

## Planetarium Show on Good Friday

The NOC Mackie Planetarium will present a 20-minute walk along the Via Dolorosa in the old city of Jerusalem at 12:05 p.m. on Good Friday, April 15.

Join the Franciscan friars on their Friday walk and prayer along Jesus’ last journey from the site of His trial to the site of His crucifixion at Golgotha and later on, His resurrection – this practice in Old Jerusalem goes back seven centuries.

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PLAY  
FESTIVAL**

Actors, Directors,  
and Writers only  
have 24 hours to  
create a play!  
Come see the  
final product!

THE CLOCK IS TICKING!

**Saturday  
April 16, 2022  
at 7:30 pm**

KPAC NOC Tonkawa

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





NOC Enid Baseball Alums were celebrated at a reunion last Saturday for the 20th anniversary of the Jets first NJCAA D2 World Series appearance in 2002. (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)

# Jets’ baseball holds reunion

Northern Oklahoma College Enid Jets’ Baseball hosted a 20-year reunion last Saturday with members of the 2002 NJCAA World Series team and other Jets’ baseball alumni.

Over 20 NOC Enid baseball alumni attended the event held in between games of the Jets and NOC Tonkawa doubleheader at David Allen Memorial Ballpark.

In just their second year of college baseball the Jets, led by coach Raydon Leaton, posted a 43-21 record and were the NJCAA Region 2 Champions, Southwest District Champions, and finished third in the NJCAA Division 2 World Series in Millington, Tennessee.

Coach Leaton, who now coaches in Florida, could not be present but did send a video message played on the David Allen Memorial Ballpark Video Board.

Members of the 2002 team included JT, Albright, Dennis Almy, Ryan Beaman, Tyler Beaver, Jay Bible, Chad Bone, Sean Cawood, Tony Cerar, Marcus Chapman, Bryan Coppock, Chane Cothran, Trent Decker, Brandon

Disney, Bernardo Estrada, Travis Gallaway, Michael Garner, Brenan Herrera, Chris Kinter, Jon Kissinger, Brian McKissack, Adam Morton, Darrin Nance, Jared Pitchford, Greg Porter, Joey Prenger, Mark Reftery, Hector Ramirez, JT Severe, J. Michael Sharon, Dusty Sills, Jerrod Spears, Zac Tenison, Dallas Vanderford, Brent Wadley, Eric Wayman, Jason Weber, and Chase Wilson. Assistant coaches were Jeremy Hise and Ryan Bay.

Reunion attendees included Anthony Edwards Jr. (03-05) Joey Prenger (00-02), Brent Wadley (01-03), JR Kirkland (00-02), Eric Wayman (00-02), Darrin Nance (00-02), Aaron McCandles (12-15), Sean Cawood (01-03), Justin Funk (03-05), J.T. Severe (00-02), Bernardo Estrada Jr. (01-03), Chane Cothram (01-02), JJ McMahon (04-05), and Bryan Coppock (02-04).

The event was sponsored by the Director of Alumni and Community Relations Kayla Wooderson and the Northern Oklahoma College Foundation.



# i came for the treats

All donors receive a free t-shirt, a “My Owner is a Donor” pet bandana and one free admission to the OKC Zoo.\*

## Northern Oklahoma College Enid Blood Drive

Thursday, April 21  
10 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
Gantz Center Ballroom

To schedule an appointment, contact Oklahoma Blood Institute at 877-340-8777 or visit [obi.org](http://obi.org).

Earn community service hours for giving blood!

All donors receive a 20% off Hollywood Food coupon, good in-person or online. Plus, a chance to win Acana dog food for a year!





Donors receive a coupon for a FREE Honey Butter Chicken Biscuit! from Whataburger



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\*where supplies last. Photo ID required.



# Mavs Softball reunion set for April 23

The Northern Oklahoma College Mavs Softball Team will host an alumni reunion Saturday, April 23.

Maverick softball alums will be recognized between games of the Maverick doubleheader against Connors. The doubleheader starts at 2 p.m.

There will be a cookout for the softball alums after the second game against Connors.

NOC Softball started in 1995 when the program began under the tutelage of Annette Kennedy. The following is a list of softball coaches and the years they were at NOC: Annette Ken-

nedy (1995-1998), Jo Stanhope (1999-2001), Karie Linsenmeyer (2002-2014), Kadie Berlin-George (2015-19), Tori Green (2020-Cur-

rent). In case of game cancellation, the reunion will be held at the Renfro Center on campus.

The RSVP deadline for softball alumni is April 18.

The event is hosted by the NOC Alumni and Foundation Office.

Contact Kayla Wooderson for additional information at 580.628.6473 or [kayla.wooderson@noc.edu](mailto:kayla.wooderson@noc.edu).

## NOC April Birthdays



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|-----------------|----------|-------------------|----------|
| John Reames     | April 15 | Shannon Varner    | April 22 |
| Lonnie Rhea     | April 15 | Rachel Kirk       | April 22 |
| Cassie Firth    | April 15 | Jenifer Lancaster | April 23 |
| Mary Ann Harris | April 18 | Anita Simpson     | April 27 |
| Denise Bay      | April 20 | Ross Buchanan     | April 27 |



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## Entrepreneurial Leadership Seminar

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*Entrepreneurial Leadership Seminar*

*Friday, April 22*

*5 p.m.-9 p.m.*

**NOC Enid  
Gantz Student Center  
Montgomery Hall**

**The seminar is free and open to the public.  
Dinner and snacks will be provided.**

**RSVP by Tuesday, April 19  
to Todd Ging at 580.548.2390  
or [todd.ging@noc.edu](mailto:todd.ging@noc.edu)**

**Sponsored by  
Northern Oklahoma College  
and the  
Enid Entrepreneur Leadership Series**



# Tonkawa hosts Interscholastic Contest

Students from 12 area schools participated in the Northern Oklahoma College Tonkawa Interscholastic Contest April 6.

Participating schools included Blackwell High School, Burlington High School, Cleveland High School, Covington-Douglas High School, Deer Creek-Lamont High School, Drummond High School

Hennessey High School, Pioneer-Pleasant Vale High School, St. Mary's Catholic School, Stillwater Junior High, Tonkawa High School, and Woodland High School.

According to Cara Beth Johnson, NOC Busi-

ness Division Chair, 314 exams were administered in 32 different testing areas.

Medals were presented for first, second, and third place to students in each contest.

Junior and senior students placing first through third place received \$150, \$100 and \$50 scholarships, respectively.

Certificates of merit were awarded to all participants. Certificates, medals and scholarships were sent directly to the schools or presented by NOC representatives at awards ceremonies upon request.

## Enid Blood Drive set for April 21

NOC Enid is hosting an OBI Blood Drive April 21.

The NOC Enid OBI Blood Drive is set for Thursday, April 21, in Montgomery Hall from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.

All donators receive a free t-shirt and one free pet bandana, and one free admission for the Oklahoma City Zoo.

The blood drive is sponsored by the OBI and President's Leadership Council.



The following is the Jets Sports Calendar through April 23

April 16: Away Baseball vs. Redlands, 1 p.m.

April 19: Away Baseball vs. Hutchinson (KS), 2 p.m.

April 21: Away Baseball vs. Carl Albert, 1 p.m.

April 21: Home Softball vs. NOC Tonkawa, 2 p.m.

April 23: Home Softball vs. NEO, 1 p.m.



The following is the Mavs Sports Calendar through April 23.

April 16: Home Baseball vs. Murray, 1 p.m.

April 19: Away Softball vs. UA Rich Mountain, 2 p.m.

April 21: Away Softball vs. NOC Enid, 2 p.m.

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## MAVERICK SOFTBALL ALUMNI REUNION

Special Recognition of  
Maverick Softball Alumni  
between games.

Cookout to follow the second game.

**Enjoy a day at the ballpark.**



**APRIL 23, 2022**

**Games at 2 pm and 4 pm**

**Mavericks vs. Connors**

In case of game cancellation,  
the reunion will be moved  
to the Renfro Center

**RSVP Deadline Monday, April 18, 2022**

Kayla Wooderson, Alumni and Community Relations Director  
kayla.wooderson@noc.edu or 580.628.6473.

Hosted by the NOC Alumni and Foundation Office



# NOC Calendar

*April 16-23*

## April 16

Student Artist Exhibit, "Meet the Artists," KPAC, 6 p.m., Tonkawa  
24 Hour One Act Plays, KPAC, 7:30 p.m., Tonkawa

## April 18

Easter Egg Hunt, Gazebo, 6:30 p.m., Tonkawa

## April 19

Free Student Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Tonkawa  
Enid Academic Banquet, Montgomery Hall, 5:30 p.m., Enid  
Renew at the BCM, BCM, 6:30 p.m., Tonkawa

## April 20

The Maverick Published Online  
Free Student Lunch, Wesley House, 11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m., Tonkawa  
Free Student Lunch, Gantz Center (James Room), 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Enid  
Stillwater Academic Banquet, Commons Area, 5:30 p.m., Stillwater  
BCM Gathering, BCM, 7 p.m., Enid

## April 21

OBI Blood Drive, Montgomery Hall, 10 a.m. – 3 p.m., Enid

## April 22

Final Day to Drop L8 Courses without Evaluation  
Entrepreneurial Leadership Seminar, Montgomery Hall, 5 p.m. – 9 p.m., Enid

## April 23

Mavs Softball Reunion, Maverick Field, 3:30 p.m., Tonkawa

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In this first Transfer Webinar, our admissions counselors introduce what it means to be a transfer student at OSU. They break down what you should expect for your application, acceptance and the helpful resources available to you as a transfer student.

### ▶ COLLEGE CREDIT TRANSFER GUIDES April 14 @ 12 p.m.

In this second Transfer Webinar, our admissions counselors discuss how your credits will transfer from your previous university to OSU. They also talk about your application process and transition to OSU.

### ▶ TRANSFER STUDENT LIFE May 15 @ 12 p.m.

In this third Transfer Webinar, our admissions counselors discuss transfer student life and go in depth about your academic resources, student life, living options, amenities on campus and more.



# NOC Tonkawa Campus Activities



Exotic Animals Zoo



Jase Holton Band



Career Fair



Jase Holton Concert Crowd

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