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# What's Happening

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# Global education offers unique opportunities

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NOC Global Education

I hope you're settling in well to your college classes and life here at NOC; you are definitely in for some new, exciting, and possibly life changing experiences no matter which NOC campus you attend.

One aspect of your college experience you may not have considered, or even heard about, is traveling abroad with a NOC faculty member or two on a short-term study abroad program, where you explore an amazing corner of our world while earning academic credit towards your degree. It's a fantastic way to earn college credit hours while gaining valuable knowledge and experience from exposure to a new country and culture. And it's easier and more affordable than you think!

You're attending the right school if education abroad is intriguing to you. NOC has taken more than a thousand students on short-term study abroad programs, to 41 countries, on all seven continents! And for 2023, NOC is offering three very exciting global education programs for you to choose from. They are:

\*March 10-19/spring break: ITALY & GREECE\* – 3 optional credit hours of humanities/international dimension

\*May 15 - 24: NOC BELIZE SUMMER PROGRAM – 4 credit

hours of lab science

\*May 28 – June 9: NOC LONDON SUMMER PROGRAM - 6 credit hours (6 humanities/international dimension)

We hope you have a wonderful semester and give some thought to traveling the world to earn a few of your college credits. You will definitely gain some valuable global experience and knowledge, which will undoubtedly expand your personal, professional, and academic opportunities! Many of our past participants have noted that their study abroad program was their most influential experience while in college. We know it can be for you as well!

\* denotes a NOC Global Community Program, which means it is open to students AND non-students (the credit hours are optional), so you can invite a friend or family member to join you on your global adventure.

Space is very limited – so definitely check out our PDF flyers and links on our NOC Global Education website: [www.noc.edu/global](http://www.noc.edu/global) - and give us a like on Facebook or Instagram (@NOC-global).

If you have questions, or need additional information, feel free to contact me via email at [wade.watkins@noc.edu](mailto:wade.watkins@noc.edu).

**Study Abroad OPPORTUNITIES 2023**

Three Opportunities to Explore the World!

Spring Break 2023 ITALY & GREECE	Summer 2023 BELIZE	Summer 2023 LONDON
<b>March 10-19, 2023</b> Approximate total: \$4,160 3 Credit Hours <b>OPEN TO ANYONE!</b> <i>(students and non-students)</i> \$4,160 includes airfare from OWC, lodging, tours, many meals, medical/accident insurance, local transfers. Additional expenses listed on back	<b>May 15-24, 2023</b> Approximate total: \$3,380 4 Credit Hours of Lab Science Study Environment and Culture in the Tropics! \$3,380 includes: airfare, lodging, local transport, ~2 meals per day, required activities, medical/accident insurance and four credit hours of lab science college credit. (L/N)	<b>May 28-June 9, 2023</b> Approximate total: \$2,950 6 Credit Hours of Humanities/International \$2,950 includes lodging at Regent's University London, required activities, 1-2 meals per day two-week local transport card, medical/accident insurance and six hours of humanities' international college credit. (H/I) (Does not include airfare)

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## Constitution Day - Sept. 16

Enid (Zollars) and Tonkawa (Clocktower)

9 a.m. - 1 p.m. (Register to vote)





# NOC students help 'Stamp Out Starvation'

A large number of Northern Oklahoma College students participated in a Stamp Out Starvation project Sunday at the First United Methodist Church in Tonkawa.

According to NOC instructor Dr. Kurt Campbell, over 85 NOC Students packaged 31,668 meals in a two-hour period. The meals are sent overseas to assist developing nations with food shortages.

Stamp Out Starvation started in 2007 by founder Monte Stewart from Cherokee.

It is a non-profit organization whose mission is to provide nutritious meals to people all around the world even in Oklahoma.

"We are able to accomplish this by organizing community and youth volunteer packaging events of Stamp Out Starvation's highly nutritious meals," Stewart states on his website [stampoutstarvation.com](http://stampoutstarvation.com).

Each Stamp Out Starvation food package contains six servings and each bag is prepared in less than 20 minutes by adding the food package to boiling water.

Each Stamp Out Starvation food package is based off of a rice and soy casserole that is fortified with 21 essential vitamins and minerals, six dehydrated vegetables, and chicken flavoring. This soy (52% protein) and nutrient-rich formula reverses the starvation process.

Stewart organizes an assembly line of volunteers who add the meal ingredients to plastic bags that are then sealed and boxed for shipment anywhere in the world.

NOC student groups included Baseball, Softball, Lady Mavs Basketball, Maverick Magic, President's Leadership Council, Northern Aggies, and FarmHouse Fraternity.

The volunteers enjoyed lunch before the event, sponsored by the church.



[www.stampoutstarvation.com](http://www.stampoutstarvation.com)



# NOC Calendar

## Sept. 16 - Sept. 23

### Sept. 16

Constitution Day (Voter Registration), Clocktower, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa  
 Constitution Day (Voter Registration), Zollars Library, 9 a.m. – 1 p.m., Enid  
 Scoops Ice Cream Truck, College Circle, 10 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa  
 Truck Parade, West side of Campus, 6 p.m., Tonkawa

### Sept. 17

Cherokee Strip Parade, Perry  
 Cherokee Strip Parade, Enid  
 Away Men's Soccer vs. Dodge City, 3 p.m.

### Sept. 18

Home Women's Soccer vs. Redlands, 3 p.m.

### Sept. 19

Begin L12-Week Courses  
 Yoga Mondays, EB Lobby, 8 a.m.  
 Intramural Flag Football (Sept. 19-23), Enid  
 Video Game Trailer, College Circle, 6 p.m. – 8 p.m., Tonkawa

### Sept. 20

Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Tonkawa  
 Runner Girls, Tonkawa Track, 3:30 p.m., Tonkawa  
 Renew at the BCM, BCM, 6:30 p.m., Tonkawa

### Sept. 21

Free Student Lunch, Wesley House, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa  
 BCM Student Lunch, James Room, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Enid  
 Home Soccer vs. Rose State, 2 p.m., 4 p.m.  
 BCM Gathering, BCM, 7 p.m., Enid

### Sept. 22

Dunk Tank, Gazebo, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa  
 Archery Tag, Mabee Center, 7 p.m., Enid

### Sept. 23

Final Day to Drop L12-Week Courses with Full Refund

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

**NORTHERN OKLAHOMA COLLEGE**

**FALL SEMESTER**

**FUN, FOOD AND FRIENDS**

*Bucket List*

**Fall Student Activities | Mark your Calendars!**

<b>Wednesday</b> September 14 <b>Dodge Ball</b> East Gym 7:30 pm	<b>Friday, September 16</b> <b>Constitution Day</b> Voter Registration 9 am - 1 pm Ice Cream Truck 10 am - 1 pm		<b>Monday</b> September 19 <b>Video Game Trailer</b> Circle Drive Outside Student Union 6-8 pm	<b>Thursday</b> September 22 <b>Dunk Tank</b> Gazebo Area 11 am - 1 pm
<b>Monday</b> September 26 <b>Paint Night</b> East Gym 6:30 pm <small>*Please sign-up in Student Affairs by Monday, Sept. 18th*</small>	<b>Wednesday</b> October 5 <b>Bubble Soccer</b> North of Softball Field 6-9 pm	<b>Monday</b> October 10 <b>Extreme Animal Petting Zoo</b> Gazebo Area 10 am - Noon	<b>Wednesday</b> October 13 <b>Tonkawa Haunted Sale Barn</b> 8-10 pm <small>Dead End of 7th &amp; Rivers                  Must show valid Student ID</small>	<b>Thursday-Friday</b> October 14-15 <b>Tonkawa Haunted Sale Barn</b> 8-11 pm <small>Dead End of 7th &amp; Rivers                  Must show valid Student ID</small>
<b>Monday</b> October 17 <b>Magician Show</b> KPAC, 7:30 pm	<b>Tuesday</b> October 18 <b>Family Feud</b> 7:30 pm	<b>Thursday-Saturday</b> October 20-22 <b>Tonkawa Haunted Sale Barn</b> 8-11 pm <small>Dead End of 7th &amp; Rivers                  Must show valid Student ID</small>		<b>Tuesday</b> October 25 <b>Miss NOC</b> KPAC, 7:30 pm
<b>Thursday-Saturday</b> October 27-29 <b>Tonkawa Haunted Sale Barn</b> 8-11 pm <small>Dead End of 7th &amp; Rivers                  Must show valid Student ID</small>	<b>Monday</b> October 31 <b>Tonkawa Haunted Sale Barn</b> 8-10 pm <small>Dead End of 7th &amp; Rivers                  Must show valid Student ID</small>	<b>Wednesday</b> November 2 <b>Bingo for Food</b> East Gym 7:30 pm	<b>Monday</b> November 7 <b>Paint Night</b> East Gym 6:30 pm <small>*Please sign-up in Student Affairs by Monday, Sept. 20th*</small>	<b>Tuesday</b> November 8 <b>Archery Tag</b> East Gym 7:30 pm
<b>Wednesday</b> November 16 <b>Golf Simulator</b> Racquetball Court 7:30 pm	<b>Tuesday</b> November 29 <b>Bedlam Basketball vs Enid</b> Women 5:30 pm Men 7:30 pm	<b>Tuesday</b> December 6 <b>Christmas Movie and Cookie Decorating</b> East Gym, 6:30 pm	<b>Monday</b> December 12 <b>Food for Finals</b> Student Union 7:30 pm	

# Mavs, Jets athletic reunions set

NOC Tonkawa and NOC Enid are hosting athletic reunions in October. The Mavs' Reunion is Saturday, Oct. 15 while the Jets' Reunion is Saturday, Oct. 29. Both events will include an luncheon from 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m., in Tonkawa at the Renfro Center and at Enid in Montgomery Hall. Following lunch will be athletic activities and an opportunity to meet the 2022-23 Mavs in Tonkawa and the Jets in Enid. Late afternoons and evenings will be reserved for off campus alumni group meetings. To RSVP for the event, contact NOC Alumni Coordinator Kayla Wooderson at 580.628.6473 or at [kayla.wooderson@noc.edu](mailto:kayla.wooderson@noc.edu).

## NOC September Birthdays



Wade Watkins	Sept. 18	Jerry Hawkins	Sept. 26
Tori Green	Sept. 18	Christi Hook	Sept. 26
Jeff Tate	Sept. 19	Kelley Larkin	Sept. 26
Colton Bond	Sept. 20	Chad Anderson	Sept. 26
Cara Beth Johnson	Sept. 20	Luke Kruse	Sept. 26
Jill Harman	Sept. 21	Erin Bolin	Sept. 26
Eric Stamps	Sept. 24		



# ALL-ATHLETICS ALUMNI REUNION

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2022

**ALUMNI  
LUNCHEON  
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM  
GANTZ STUDENT CENTER  
MONTGOMERY HALL  
NOC ENID**

Following the luncheon there will be individual athletic team breakout groups with the following:

Meet the Jets | Athletic Activities | Campus Tour

*Late afternoon/evening will be reserved for alumni groups to meet off campus.*

**To RSVP, Contact Kayla Wooderson  
580.628.6473 | [kayla.wooderson@noc.edu](mailto:kayla.wooderson@noc.edu)**

As more details are finalized, updates will be posted on social media pages.







NOC Roustabouts at the Kay County Fair Tuesday evening in Blackwell.



NORTHERN  
Oklahoma College

# MAVERICKS ALL- ATHLETICS ALUMNI REUNION

SATURDAY,  
OCTOBER  
**15**  
**2022**

ALUMNI LUNCHEON  
11:30 AM - 1:00 PM  
RENFRO CENTER  
NOC TONKAWA

Following the luncheon  
there will be individual  
athletic team breakout  
groups with the following:  
Meet the Mavs  
Athletic Activities  
Campus Tour

Late afternoon/evening will be  
reserved for alumni groups  
to meet off campus.

To RSVP,  
Contact  
**Kayla Wooderson**  
**580.628.6473**  
kayla.wooderson@noc.edu

As more details are finalized,  
updates will be posted on  
social media pages.

NOC Facebook



NOC Alumni Facebook



Mavs Facebook







NOC Mavs Softball at the Kay County Fair Thursday night. The fair concludes Sunday, NOC will have a booth at the fair all weekend.



NOC Parade Banner

## Cybercrime Happens Way More Than You Think!

Large-scale cyberattacks make the news, but that's just the tip of the iceberg. Cybercrime is on the rise, and the majority of attacks go unreported.

### Consider the following facts:

A cyberattack every 36 seconds

The University of Maryland found that there is an average of 2,244 cyberattacks per day, which is one every 36 seconds.

43% of SMB lack a cybersecurity defense plan

The International Criminal Police Organization (Interpol) reported that small- and medium-sized businesses (SMB) are being targeted at an increased rate.

\$108 Million lost in only 6-months

The US Federal Trade Commission, in a recent 6-month period, had seen over 128,000 phone-based fraud scams that cost victims a whopping \$108 Million – that's only half a year!

## Staying Safe Starts with YOU!

We often assume cybercrime only happens to someone else but hackers know the easiest way to get to your organization's information is through **YOU!**

Here are some actions to stay safe.

- Be careful what you post and share online.
- Don't reuse passwords for multiple sites.
- Follow your organization's security policies and procedures.
- If something seems suspicious, always verify that it's legitimate.

*In the time it took you to read this document, there were multiple cyberattacks across the globe. Make sure you stop, look, and think before you take any sort of action.*

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## Public Health "On the Go"

Mobile Wellness Units  
Coming Soon to a  
Location Near You

**Sept. 26, 2022**

9 a.m.-4 p.m.  
Northern Okla. College  
1220 E. Grand  
(Renfro Center)  
Tonkawa, OK



### Services available:

- Immunizations
- COVID-19 testing and vaccinations
- WIC enrollment
- Pregnancy testing
- Blood pressure
- SoonerCare/Medicaid Enrollment
- STI Testing & Treatment
- Glucose, Cholesterol and Hearing screening

*Insurance accepted but not required*

*Revised 06/21/2022*

Questions? Call (580) 762-1641  
View the full calendar at  
[Oklahoma.gov/Health/MobileWellness](http://Oklahoma.gov/Health/MobileWellness)



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# FALL 2022 ACT PREP WORKSHOP

*Tips and Skills for a Higher Score!*

*Testing with Success*

Featuring Shelly Beaty, Testing Specialist

**NOC TONKAWA**  
Tuesday, September 27  
Renfro Center

**NOC ENID**  
Wednesday, September 28  
Gantz Student Center  
Montgomery Hall



Check-In 8:30 am  
Workshop 9-11:30 am

**COST \$20**  
*Pay at Door*

Register Online by September 27, 2022

<https://noc.secure.force.com/events/#/list>  
(or scan code)

<b>TONKAWA</b>	Bryan Hook 580.628.6668 or recruiter1@noc.edu
<b>ENID</b>	Leticia Maxwell 580.548.2353 or recruiter2@noc.edu





NORTHERN OKLAHOMA COLLEGE AND  
RENFRO ENDOWED LECTURESHIP PROGRAM

PRESENTS



35<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY TOUR

**THURSDAY,**  
**SEPTEMBER 29, 2022**  
**7:30 PM**  
**Kinzer Performing Arts Center**  
**NOC Tonkawa**

<b>DINNER AND SHOW</b>
Reserved table for eight \$400 Dinner in Renfro Center at 6 pm (Doors open 5:45 pm) Concert in KPAC with preferred lower section seating
<b>CONCERT ONLY</b>
\$20 per person, <i>First Come, First served</i> KPAC upper section seating (Doors open 7 pm)
<b>TICKETS</b>
Beginning August 25 at 9 a.m., tickets will be available at: NOC Development Office 580.628.6214 Vineyard Library-Administration Building, NOC Tonkawa

Sponsored by the Renfro Endowed Lectureship Program and Northern Oklahoma College



# Northern Encounter

Fall 2022

Discover Programs, Services, Clubs  
and Organizations. Meet Faculty and Students.  
Take a Campus Tour!



Northern Encounter has been  
designated as a day for high  
school juniors, seniors and their  
parents to get an up-close look at  
what Northern has to offer.

9-11 am

**FREE T-Shirt**  
**Door Prizes**  
(Including Tuition Waivers)

*Tell your friends  
on Social Media!*

Pre-Register Online:  
<https://noc.secure.force.com/events/#/list>

SCAN CODE  
TO REGISTER



TONKAWA	ENID	STILLWATER
<b>October 5</b> Renfro Center Bryan Hook 580.628.6668	<b>October 12</b> Gantz Student Center Leticia Maxwell 580.548.2353	<b>October 19</b> NOC Stillwater Building Janet Jarvis 580.628.6904