

Advance Soccer Complex welcomes NOC Enid Soccer

Enid's Advance Soccer Complex officially welcomed NOC Jets and Lady Jets Soccer to Enid in a Jets Soccer Take-Off Event Wednesday afternoon.

NOC had three booths at the event while NOC Enid President Leadership Council students had games set up for area youngsters in the indoor area of the complex.

Speaking at the event were Advance Soccer Complex Manager Mike Steinke, Jon Blankenship of the Greater Enid Area Chamber of Commerce, NOC Athletic Director Alan Foster, and NOC Vice President for Enid Jeremy Hise.

"Since 2017, this complex has been our dream," Steinke said. "And we wanted to bring the highest level of soccer to Enid that we could. Fortunately, we accomplished that in bringing NOC soccer to Enid. Thanks for being here and welcome to Enid."

Blankenship said, "This is such a beautiful complex and we are grateful that NOC has become a part of our family. There are so many people to thank for making this a reality but I especially want to thank the NOC leadership

for making this a reality in Enid. We welcome you to Enid."

Athletic director Alan Foster said, "Our athletic department is so appreciative of you welcoming us to this facility. It is an amazing place for our student athletes to compete. Facilities are a huge part in junior college athletics and this facility will give us an opportunity to compete with anyone."

Hise thanked the current NOC Board of Regents for their leadership.

"Without your leadership, this would never have happened," he said. "NOC is proud to be an important part of the Enid community and today shows the relationship that NOC has with Enid and that relationship will continue to grow in the future."

To cap off the evening, the Jets women were 8-2 winners over the Connors Cowgirls while the Jets men were 3-0 winners in the men's game.

NOC Vice President for Enrollment Management Dr. Rick Edgington sang the national anthem before the women's game.



JJ the Jet gives the Jet sign before Wednesday's soccer matches with Connors on Wednesday.

NOC Fine Arts presents "Puffs"
Sept. 28 - Oct. 1



NOC Enid PLC students played games with Enid area youth at the Jets Soccer Take-Off Event on Wednesday.

NOC September Birthdays



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| Anna McGehee | Sept. 24 | Kelley Larkin | Sept. 26 |
| Jerry Hawkins | Sept. 26 | Chad Anderson | Sept. 26 |
| Christi Hook | Sept. 26 | Luke Kruse | Sept. 26 |

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DIVISION OF FINE ARTS
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EVENTFUL YEARS
AT A CERTAIN SCHOOL
OF MAGIC AND MAGIC

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Directed by Emily Rose Parman
Kinzer Performing Arts Center , NOC Tonkawa
SEP 28-OCT 1, 2023
Thursday-Saturday, 7:30 pm | Sunday, 2 pm
\$10 Adults | \$7 Students
Free Admission for NOC Students and Employees with ID. Children under age 12 must be accompanied by an adult.
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NOC presents “Puffs” Sept. 28-Oct. 1

The Northern Oklahoma Division of Fine Arts presents “Puffs” Sept. 28- Oct. 1 at the Kinzer Performing Arts Center.

Showtimes are 7:30 p.m. on Thursday – Saturday, Oct. 28-30 and 2 p.m. on Sunday, Oct. 1.

Admission is free to NOC students, faculty, and staff (with NOC ID). Admission for the general public is \$10 for adults and \$7 for students.

Also, the Tour de Quartz Art Exhibit will be on display at the Eleanor Hays Gallery in the KPAC.

Chikaskia Lit Festival set for Oct. 5-6

NOC Enid is hosting the 10th Annual Chikaskia Literary Festival Oct. 5-6 in the Marshall Building/Bivins Chapel.

The event is set for Oct. 5 from 1 p.m. – 5 p.m. and Oct. 6 from 8:30 a.m. – noon. Writers of poetry, fiction, and non-fiction will share their work.

Featured readers are Hank Jones, Tarleton State University, and Mark Walling, East Central University.

The festival is free and open to the public.

NOC IT tips for scam text messaging

Missed Delivery Text Messages

Legitimate delivery services typically do not communicate important delivery or tracking information exclusively through text messages. If you receive such a message, it's crucial to exercise caution. Instead of clicking on any links or providing personal information, contact the delivery service directly using their official contact information to verify the status of your package.


Locked Bank Account Text Messages

Legitimate banks and financial institutions do not request sensitive information or ask you to verify your account through text messages alone. They typically have robust security measures in place, utilizing secure channels for communication—such as their official banking apps or secure online portals.

Subscription Payment Issue Text Messages


Legitimate service providers prioritize the security of your information and typically have established protocols for handling payment issues. Always verify information independently and refrain from sharing sensitive details without proper verification.

If you receive a suspicious text message of any kind, forward it to 7726 and then delete it. This helps your wireless provider spot and block similar messages in the future.




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Northern Encounter




FALL

SCAN CODE TO REGISTER FOR FALL

Register Online:

Fall: <https://noc.tfaforms.net/forms/builder/5.0.0/217777>

Spring: <https://noc.tfaforms.net/forms/builder/5.0.0/217778>



SPRING

SCAN CODE TO REGISTER FOR SPRING

| STILLWATER | ENID | TONKAWA |
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| October 4, 2023 & January 31, 2024 | October 11, 2023 & February 14, 2024 | October 25, 2023 & February 7, 2024 |
| NOC Stillwater Building 9-11 am | Gantz Student Center 9-11 am | Renfro Center 9-11 am |


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NOC Enid Hispanic Heritage Club, Viva la Raza, is celebrating Hispanic Heritage Month. This year marks the 50th celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, which is celebrated every year from Sept. 15 to Oct. 15. The 2023 Hispanic Heritage Month national theme is 'Vive tu cul-tura' (Live your Culture). This year's theme is to celebrate and embrace Hispanic culture and heritage.

The club is opened to any Hispanic student wishing to participate. The next club meeting is Thursday, October 5, 2023, 2:30 p.m., Harmon Science, Room 103. Dr. Mary Ann McCoy is the Club Sponsor.

Displays are located in Harmon Science, 2nd Floor, and Zollars, 1st Floor.



Free and Open
to faculty, staff,
students and the
general public.

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Chikaskia Literary Festival


Join us for our 10th Annual Chikaskia Literary Festival.
Lovers of the Language Arts are welcome to come and enjoy
works by regional award-winning poets and fiction writers.

**Thursday and Friday
October 5-6, 2023**


Bivins Chapel/Marshall Building
Writers of poetry, fiction, and nonfiction
will share their work.

Thursday, 1-5 pm | Friday 8:30 am-12 pm


Featured Readers:



Hank Jones
Tarleton State University
Stephenville, Texas



Mark Walling
East Central University
Ada, Oklahoma



OBN's Mark Woodward speaks to NOC Enid students

Approximately 50 NOC Enid students attended a talk by Mark Woodward, Oklahoma Bureau of Narcotics Public Information Officer on Monday inside the Gantz Center.

Woodward spoke to the students about the OBN and potential job opportunities.

The OBN agent was invited to NOC by Vice President for Enid Jeremy Hise. Criminal justice instructor Troy Cochran appreciated Woodward's talk.

I'd like to thank Vice President Jeremy Hise for setting up this presentation by Mark Woodward with OBN," Cochran said. "Guest speakers like this can really open our student's eyes to the reality of what is going on with drugs and law enforcement in our communities. Mark Woodward's presentation had students captivated and wanting more. One student came up to me afterward and said that her mind was blown, which is exactly the type of education and real-world exposure that makes an impact."

In the presentation, Woodward provided a history of the OBN which started in 1975 as a standalone agency with four agents. Now, the agency has over 150 agents across Oklahoma with offices all across the state.

Woodward said the OBN agents do everything from serving warrants, extensive undercover work, and assisting other law enforcement agencies in drug investigations. He also said that OBN agents are now assisting with Human Trafficking Investigations as well.

"It's not the kind of work for everyone," Woodward said. "There is a lot of time away from home but there isn't more rewarding work than what we do."

Woodward explained the technology the OBN uses including wire intercepts, drones, and social media to assist in their work.



Mark Woodward

Since joining OBNDD in 1995, Woodward has taught more than 3,000 Drug Identification classes for law enforcement and the general public. Additionally, he has helped draft and enacted more than 200 drug, human trafficking, and money laundering laws in Title 63 of the Oklahoma State Statutes.



Fall 2023

Faculty Professional Development



Zoom Link - <https://zoom.us/j/96980851698>

All professional development sessions will be recorded and placed on the "Training and Information Videos" link under the "Employees" tab on myNOC.

SEPT
12
2-3 pm

Non-Academic Instruction and First-Year Student Success

By Dr. Benjamin Blood, Northern Pennsylvania Regional College

First-year student success courses best serve students when they address non-academic obstacles to success and provide strategies for overcoming them in conjunction with academic skills and strategies for success. This session will discuss the manner in which the non-academic skills of metacognition, time management, self-discipline, resilience, perseverance, and help-seeking have been incorporated into a corequisite support course for English composition in an accelerated learning program model. This session will also provide suggestions for incorporating these strategies into a range of disciplines and first-year student success models.

SEPT
18
2-3 pm

Adding Mobile Learning to Your Pedagogy to Increase Engagement

By Dr. Sarah Nichter, The Director for The Center for Teaching and Learning University of the Cumberland

Are your teaching methods making the most of the rise of mobile learning? This session will invite participants to learn about mobile learning to increase their mobile learning teaching skills. A growing number of students in online, hybrid, and fully in-person courses are using their mobile devices as educational tools to benefit their learning, whether their courses support it or not. This session will detail strategies to support mobile learning for engagement in your classes. Participants will be able to engage in some mobile learning activities and will learn course design, lesson design, and course policy strategies to support mobile learning in their online, virtual, and in-person classes.

OCT
4
2-3 pm

Are Discussion Boards Really Interactive? Ideas for Purposeful Asynchronous Communication

By Dr. Florencia Henshaw, University of Illinois Urbana Champaign

Discussion boards are the quintessential tool for asynchronous communication in online environments. However, typical forum posts resemble individual writing assignments followed by an obligatory and, oftentimes, vague response component, involving "at least two classmates who don't have any replies yet." In this webinar, Henshaw proposes a different way of approaching asynchronous communication assignments, which aligns more closely with our goal of helping students to develop communication skills. She will share several examples and ideas for novice, intermediate, and advanced learners, as well as some tips to minimize cheating.

OCT
16
2-3 pm

The Importance of Co-Curricular Activities to the College Experience

By Dr. Kate Evans, University of Arkansas Pulaski Technical College

The University of Arkansas is a regional leader in offering co-curricular programs for students. Dr. Evans will share about the importance of co-curricular activities in creating well-rounded student experiences. She will share how these activities develop students' critical thinking and problem-solving skills outside of the classroom setting and how her institution worked to create meaningful co-curricular programs and assessments for students.

NOC Mission Statement

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NOC Enid athletes participated in Cherokee Strip Parade in Enid



The Fall 2023 **Staff** **Professional Development** **Opportunities**



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OCT
23
2-3 pm

Help! My Inbox Is Suffocating Me: Ways to Declutter Your Emails

By Todd Ging, Business Instructor, Northern Oklahoma College

Are you drowning in a sea of emails? With a few Outlook functions, you can organize and prioritize your email correspondence with multiple time-saving features.

NOV
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2-3 pm

The Hole in My Heart: Returning to Work After Losing A Loved One

By Dr. Tami Micsky, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work
Slippery Rock University

Many are faced with the death of a loved one and return to work to face workplace stress coupled with the loss of someone dear. This session will focus on strategies that can be used to reconnect with coworkers and the demands of work, all while dealing with the new reality of navigating grief.

DEC
4
2-3 pm

Student Stress: The Links Between Body and Mind

By Dr. Jalisha B. Jenifer, Associate Director of Faculty Development
Columbia University

This session will explain the links between body and mind and will reveal why students' nerves can get the better of them. Tips will be shared to help students overcome the stressful situations faced in Higher Education settings.

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NOC Roustabouts at the Kay County Fair in Blackwell

Nursing application deadline Oct. 1

The Northern Oklahoma College Nursing Program is currently accepting applications for Spring 2024.

The deadline for applications is 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.

Please call 580.628.6679 or apply at <https://www.noc.edu/academics/academic-divisions/nursing-division/adn-rn/>.



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TOUR DE QUARTZ

SEPTEMBER 5 - OCTOBER 6 | 2023

A selection of paintings and photographs created by students at the 2023 Oklahoma Summer Arts Institute at Quartz Mountain

Viewing Hours:
1-5 pm, Monday - Friday
and during performances



OKLAHOMA SUMMER
ARTS INSTITUTE
QUARTZ MOUNTAIN

Poster Art: Elyse Janzen

Eleanor Hays Art Gallery

Kinzer Performing Art Center, NOC Tonkawa

NOC Calendar

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| Sept. 24 Home Jets Baseball Scrimmage vs. Tulsa Sandlot, 2 p.m. Away Men's and Women's Soccer vs. Murray, 2 p.m./4 p.m. | Lit Club Meeting, Zollars 201D, 2 p.m., Enid The Maverick Student Newspaper Meeting, Central 304, 2 p.m., Tonkawa Away Women's Soccer vs. Redlands, 7:30 p.m. The Gathering, BCM, 7 p.m., Enid The Gathering, BCM, 7:30 p.m., Tonkawa |
| Sept. 25 Magic Show, Renfro Center, 7 p.m., Tonkawa | Sept. 28 ACT Prep, Gantz Center, 9 a.m. – noon, Enid Puffs, Kinzer Performing Arts Center, 7:30 p.m., Tonkawa |
| Sept. 26 Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa Home Mavs Baseball Scrimmage vs. Randall, 1 p.m. | Sept. 29 Final Day to Drop Withdraw from E8 Courses without Evaluation Away Jets Softball Scrimmage vs. Southern Nazarene, 3 p.m. Away Jets Baseball Scrimmage at Crowder Juco Festival Puffs, Kinzer Performing Arts Center, 7:30 p.m., Tonkawa |
| Sept. 27 The Red & Silver Review Published Online ACT Prep Workshop, Renfro Center, 9 a.m. – noon, Tonkawa Free Lunch, Wesley House, 11 a.m. - 1 p.m., Tonkawa Free BCM Lunch, Gantz Center, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Enid Home Mavs Softball Scrimmage vs. Cowley (KS), 1 p.m. | For additional information, visit the following links: NOC Calendar |

Soccer teams sweep Connors State

NOC Soccer swept Connors State on Wednesday, the women won 8-2 while the men were 3-0 winners.

For the season, the Jets women are 5-2-2 and 4-1-2 in NJCAA Region 2 play. NOC is in 3rd place in the conference behind Seminole and Murray.

The men, 4-3-1 on the year, are 3-2 in conference play. The Jets are in 4th place behind Eastern, Murray, and Rose.

On Wednesday, Luana San Miguel scored five goals against Connors while Hailey Stage added three assists. Ranyia Cattina, Kya Cornett, and Klaire Downey added goals for the Jets. Cattina added two assists.

In the men's game, Jhevan Smith, Ryan Doig, and Max Lane scored goals while Aron Kanyai stopped all four Connors shots.

ACTIVITIES

FALL 2023

SEPTEMBER

- September 6
Ping Pong Tournament
Mavericks Hall | 7:30 pm
- September 12
Pizza and Letters Home
Student Union | 7:30 pm
- September 15
Constitution Day
Voter Registration Tent | 9am-11 pm
Ice Cream Truck | 10 am-1 pm
- September 15
Busted Knuckle Truck Show Parade
West of Harold on Jenkins Ave
6-7 pm
- September 18
Dodgeball
Old Gym | 7:30 pm
- September 25
Magician Show
Renfro Center | 7 pm

OCTOBER

- October 2
Bubble Soccer
Soccer Field | 6-8 pm
- October 4
OBI Blood Drive
Student Union
- October 11
Picnic with the President
Cookout and Games
By Gazebo | 11:30 am-1 pm
- October 16
Bingo for Food
Student Union | 7:30 pm
- October 17
Miss NOC Pageant
KPAC | 7:30 PM
- October 24
Archery Tag
East Gym | 7-9 pm
- October 31
Trick or Treat Fair
In the Circle | 5-6:30 pm
Halloween Movie Night

NOVEMBER

- November 7
Family Feud
Renfro Center | 7:30 pm
Sign up your team of five in Student Affairs by October 26
- November 13
Campus Wide Hide n Seek
Meet at Gazebo | 8 pm
- November 20-24
Thanksgiving Break
- November 27
Karaoke
Student Union | 7:30 pm

DECEMBER

- December 4
Golf Simulator and Racquetball
Racquetball Courts | 7:30 pm
- December 11
Food for Finals

Winter Break Begins December 15
Dorms close at 10 am