

Dr. Evans rehired by Board of Regents

The Northern Oklahoma College Board of Regents rehired NOC President Dr. Cheryl Evans at Wednesday's regents meeting at NOC Enid.

Upon conclusion of a short executive session, NOC President Cheryl Evans was rehired with unanimous consent from the regents. Chad Dillingham made the motion, seconded by Jodi Cline.

Hired in 2011 as the first female president in the school's history, Evans has just completed her ninth year serving the institution with locations in Tonkawa, Enid and Stillwater.

"Thank you for the confidence you have shown in me," Dr. Evans said to the regents. "We con-

tinue to work hard for our students during this challenging time. We have a great team at NOC and I appreciate them very much."

The regents were complimentary of Dr. Evans and the NOC staff for their work during the Covid-19 Pandemic.

"You have done a fantastic job during these interesting times," Dillingham said. "You do a great job in normal times but with all the adjustments that have had to made and made quickly, you have stepped up to the plate and made everything work effectively. I assure you that does not go unnoticed."

Regent Chair Dale DeWitt added, "I appreciate

each and every one of you (NOC staff)."

The Regents approved room and board rates for the 2020-21 school year. Rates will remain the same for 2020-21 at both campuses.

Also, the regents approved the rates for NOC property rentals. There will be a \$5 per month raise in rental properties at NOC Tonkawa and NOC Enid. There will be no raises for



Dr. Cheryl Evans

facility rentals in 2020-21.

Regents approved a number of policies including a new telework policy for the Employee Handbook added during the Covid-19 Pandemic.

The regents heard and approved the financial report submitted by Vice President for Financial Affairs Anita Simpson.

The board also heard the recommendation from Dr. Pam Stinson, Vice President for Academic Affairs to rehire NOC faculty for 2020-21.

In other business, the regents approved the meeting dates for 2020-21.

The next meeting will be at June 22 at NOC Tonkawa.

Regents attending the meeting included chairman Dale DeWitt, Vice-Chairman Jodi Cline, Chad Dillingham, Stan Brownlee, Michael Martin.



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Memorial Day, May 25

No Classes/Offices Closed

Miss NOC's to reign another year

The Miss America Competition has been canceled for 2020 due to Covid-19 allowing current Miss NOC's Carli Pendleton and Emily Hall to serve another year as the current Miss NOC's.



Carli Pendleton

Pendleton, a Tonkawa native will be a sophomore at NOC Tonkawa while Hall, an Enid native, will be a sophomore at NOC Enid.

Hall was named Miss NOC Enid and Pendleton Miss NOC Tonkawa at the Miss NOC Scholarship Competition held Oct. 29, 2019.

Pendleton and Hall were set to attend the Miss Oklahoma Competition in July but that pageant was canceled due to the cancellation of Miss America.



Emily Hall

Seven current or former NOC students were vying to be named Miss Oklahoma. In addition to Hall and Pendleton, current NOC student Chandler Brown is Miss Ponca City with former Miss NOC's Telara Day (Miss Muskogee), Alexis Large (Miss Redbud), Karli Lovelace (Miss Elk City), and Lexi Neahrng (Miss Brookside) also in the program.

NOC Calendar

No Classes/Offices Closed	May 22
Memorial Day, No Classes/Offices Closed	May 25
No Classes/Offices Closed	May 29
No Classes/Offices Closed	June 5
Begin June 4-Week Courses	June 8
Final Day to add June 4-Week Courses	June 9
Final Day to Drop June 4-Week Courses	June 10

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

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NOC plans in-person classes this fall

Northern Oklahoma College is planning to open all of its locations beginning July 1, college officials announced Monday.

NOC does plan to have in-person classes in the fall, officials are working on plans to ensure the safety and well-being of the campus community. More detailed plans on classes, campus housing, activities, and events will be shared later in the summer.

NOC President Cheryl Evans stated, "We are making plans for the fall semester and working to have a safe return for the NOC family. We look forward to having students back in classrooms and in the dorms."

Most college employees will conclude teleworking and return to work June 1 following social distancing and CDC guidelines. This plan aligns with phase three of the state's re-opening date for all workplaces while also considering the needs of vulnerable populations.

NOC locations will continue to be closed to the public through June 30, but can be accessed by appointment with NOC employees if necessary.

Summer courses are being held this summer via online and synchronous Zoom technology.

Students are encouraged to enroll for the summer or fall semester either by contacting their advisors or by contacting NOC Enrollment Management at 580.628.6220 (Tonkawa), 580.548.2275 (Enid), or 580.628.6910 (Stillwater).

All enrollment appointments are currently conducted by email, via Zoom, or over the phone (please leave a voicemail). Students needing to enroll in person may make appointments through the enrollment management office (see note above). For a complete listing of courses, students should refer to the NOC website.

All college-related events, both on-campus and off, scheduled to occur prior to June 30 are suspended unless otherwise approved on a case-by-case basis. NOC will evaluate adding events for July 1 and beyond at a later date. NOC campuses have been closed since March 30 Due to Covid-19.

College officials said that plans are subject to change with short notice as conditions are evaluated daily.



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SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES:

AUGUST 25 - All other scholarships for the Fall semester
JANUARY 25 - New or transfer students for the Spring semester

1.

Apply to NOC

www.noc.edu/future-students

2.

Complete FAFSA

www.fafsa.ed.gov. NOC School Code 03162

3.

Scholarship Form

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Students earn academic awards

A number of Northern Oklahoma College students earned academic awards for the 2019-2020 academic year.

Normally, students are honored at a NOC Awards Reception in April but the receptions were canceled due to Covid-19.

“Although we weren’t able to host awards ceremonies this year due to the pandemic,” said Dr. Pam Stinson, Vice President for Academic Affairs. “We are no less proud of our students for their excellent work in the classroom and we celebrate their successes.”

The following is a list of awards by campus:

Stillwater

Outstanding President’s Leadership Council

Student: Jess Ritchie

Outstanding PTK Student: Markena Adams

Outstanding Biological Science Student: Patience Goforth

Outstanding Accounting Student: Kimberly Martin, Kaylee Donaldson

Outstanding Child Development Student: Stacie Rothwell, Margaret Patterson

Outstanding Language Arts Student: Juan Ornelas

Outstanding Nursing Student: Kimberly Fassnacht, Kashion Livsey

Outstanding Geography Student: Adam Flores

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NOC May Birthdays



Laura Marshall	May 21	Suzanne Tate	May 24
Linn Laughery	May 21	Jeremy Cook	May 25
T.L. Walker	May 21	Janet Jarvis	May 26
Kathy Hannah	May 24	Dianna Ditmore	May 29
Aaron Butcher	May 24	Jena Kodesh	May 29

Save *the* Date

Class of
2020

August 8, 2020

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will be celebrated through either a modified live ceremony or a virtual ceremony, dependent upon which best follows CDC guidelines of the time.



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Awards

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Quirey Family Study Abroad Scholarship: Amber Wittig

NOC Gateway Study Abroad Scholarship: Monti (Lucy) Sovia, Rory Dyson, Hayden Burnett, Brittney Rees

Enid

Oklahoma All-USA Academic Team: Joshua Barber, Cydi Beasley

Outstanding President's Leadership Council Student: Dominick Spangler

Academic Athlete of the Year: Lauren Ball
Outstanding Biology Student: Paul Hilgendorf

Outstanding Pre-Med Student: Cadyn Brice
Outstanding Accounting Student: Alejandro Yanez

Outstanding Business Student: London McKee

Outstanding Elementary Education Student: Andrew Lambert

Outstanding Language Arts Student: Emily Hall

Outstanding Mass Communication Student: Karen Marquez

Outstanding Nursing Student: Brianna Crosswhite, Emilie Rhoades

Outstanding Social Science Student: Levi Loos

Tonkawa

Oklahoma All-USA Academic Team: Kayla Hooper, Karah McCleary

Outstanding Presidential Leadership Council Student: Karlianne Lovelace

Outstanding Phi Theta Kappa Student: Kayla Hooper

Academic Athlete of the Year: Alex (AJ) Moore

Outstanding Agricultural Student: Brynna Keeler

Outstanding Livestock Judging: Paige Dupin

Outstanding Chemistry Student: Trenton McAreavey

Outstanding Pre-Engineering Student: Corbin Crowder

Outstanding Pre-Medicine Student: Mandi Luis, Trenton McAreavey

Outstanding Process Technology Student: Angela Shafer

Outstanding Business Student: Gage Colclasure

Christine Marshall Outstanding Accounting Student: Karlianne Lovelace

Piyush and Lisa Patel Outstanding DMI Students: Baylor Bukofzer, Desiree Richardson

JT Burg Scholarship for Outstanding DMI Student: Ethan Zielinski

Outstanding Instrumental Student: Faith Crum

Rhoda Sharp Award: Sarah Hunsucker

Outstanding All-Around Musician: Lucas Wolf

Outstanding Musical Theatre Student: Abigail Brock

Outstanding Technical Theatre Student: Madison Kimbrel

Charlene Bouchard Outstanding Literature Student: Kaitlyn McIntyre

Keely Marshall Outstanding Journalism Award: Madison Dwyer

Elizabeth Totten Outstanding Journalism Award: Deaveon Bankston

Elizabeth Totten Outstanding Creative Writing Student: Kaitlyn McIntyre

Outstanding Radio Student: Evan Glasgow

Louis R. Vinyard Outstanding Radio/TV Student: McCrae Williams

Outstanding Math Student: Corbin Crowder, Kayla Hooper

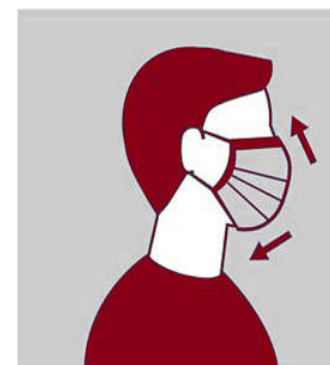
Outstanding Nursing Student: Emilie Bales, Halie Hawkins

Outstanding History Student: David Hazard

Christine Marshall Outstanding Criminal Justice Student: Aerin Rhea

Newman Fellow: Karlianne Lovelace

To help prevent the spread of COVID-19,
everyone MUST wear a face mask while on campus



How to Wear Cloth Face Coverings

Cloth face coverings should-

- fit snugly but comfortably against the side of the face, *(pull the top over your nose and the bottom over your mouth and chin)*
- be secured with ties or ear loops
- include multiple layers of fabric
- allow for breathing without restriction
- be able to be laundered and machine dried without damage or change to shape
- be worn in public areas or work centers with exception of employees who are in their offices with the door closed



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Jets, Maverick athletes earn recognition

Northern Oklahoma College athletes earned athletic awards for the 2019-20 academic year.

Under normal circumstances, athletes are honored at an Athletic Awards Reception in April but this year the reception was canceled due to Covid-19.

“Although we were not able to host the athletic awards banquet due to the pandemic, we are proud of the accomplishments of our student-athletes in the classroom and on the playing field,” said NOC Athletic Director Jeremy Hise. “They have continued the tradition of excellence in both areas and we are proud of all of them.”

The following are the awards for 2019-20:

Enid

Athletic Training: Two-year letter winners include Elisabeth Musa, Peyton Watkins, Hudson Hedges, Jacy Leone

Baseball: Two-year letter winners include Shane Nixon, Conner Priest, Steve Owings, Lucas DeGarmo, Evan Kowalski, Matthew Henderson, Scout Capps, Alex Buonasera, Ethan Wayland, Braden Hill, and Brandon Hudson. One-year letter winners include Hudson Hedges, Brett Smith, and Drew London

Men's Basketball: Two-year letter winners include Shemar Walker, Rance Kendrick, and Questyn Luckey. One-year letter winners include Josh Perkins and Zach McDermott

Softball: Two-year letter winners include Kait-

lyn Thomas, Jade Strickland, Addison Gilliam, Bailey Gilliam, Rylee Detrick, Mayson Pettus, Lauren Ball, Victoria Vasquez, Desirae Tecumseh, Mackenzie Simmons

Women's Basketball: Two-year letter winners include Kaylee Hurst, Sarah Griswold, Tanara Combs, Euresia Brown, Hayden Freeman, Peyton Watkins

Tonkawa

Athletic Training: Two-year letter winners include Savannah Nelson and Hannah Marker. One-year letter winner is Josh Ghram

Baseball: Two-year letter winners include Bryson Armstrong, Bryan Burgos, Garrett Crone, Chase Defillippo, Jack Edmunson, Kirby Lohrengel, Ben MacNaughton, AJ Moore, Jaken Snider, Zach Stephenson, Charlie Wirtz, and Matt Yates. One-year letter winners include Sean Klein and Collin Armstrong

Cheer: Two-year letter winners include Madison Dwyer and Kayla Dyer

Men's Basketball: Two-year letter winners include Demaree King, Barron Tanner, Jr., Deaveon Bankston, Andrew Gronigan

Team MVP: Demaree King

Co-Offensive Player of the Year: Demaree King and Tyrel Morgan

Freshman of the Year: Tyrel Morgan

Defensive Player of the Year: JD Ray

Most Improved Player: Justin Wilson

Men's Soccer: Two-year letter winners include

John Woodhead, Matthew Cuellar, Antonio Barbosa, Jose Perez, and Ruben Flores. One-year letter winners include Josh Peterson and Mark Milstead

Softball: Two-year letter winners include Madison Kettler, Aylin Nunez, Jenna Chassie, Rachel Rumsey, and Katelyn Yee. One-year letter winners include Marcela Walker and Laney Hover

Women's Basketball: Two-year letter winners Chideyah Guyton, Hannah Maples, and Carlee Murray. One-year letter winners include Ally Jennings

Team Leaders: Chideyah Guyton (10.8 points, 1.3 steals per game), Radina Zhivachka (46 per cent field goal percentage), Cassie Manning (37 per cent 3-point percentage, 60 3-pointers made, 81 per cent free throw percentage), Hannah Maples (6.6 rebounds per game), Carlee Murray (1.8 blocks per game), Celeste Moore (3.6 assists per game)

Women's Soccer: Two-year letter winners include Hannah Hembree, Marissa Gaytan, Madeline Kindred, Ariana Ramirez, Kayla Hooper, Katelyn Glock, Maddie Cochran, Savannah Nelson, Emma Peak, Kate LaSpisa

Offensive Player of the Year: Skylar Yochum

Midfielder of the Year: Sofie Joergensen

Defensive Player of the Year: Hannah Hembree



Northern Oklahoma College athletes signings

More NOC Mavericks have signed to continue their careers at four-year institutions.

This list will be updated in the weeks ahead. Additional details are available at www.nocjets.com.

www.nocmavs.com.

Mavs Baseball

Garrett Crone – NWOSU

Mavs Softball

Madison Kettler -- NWOSU

Jets Softball

Jade Strickland -- OBU



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NOC Honors Health Care Heroes



Kari Hamill



Shalee Shafer



Editor's Note: The Northern Oklahoma College Alumni Association is honoring former NOC students for their work in the medical field during the Covid-19 Pandemic.

NOC thanks these medical professionals for using their passion to spread hope and change lives and for their commitment to continue to help combat this virus.

These professionals are not just nurses, they bring sunshine into the many lives they touch every day.

If you or someone you know is a healthcare professional, essential medical staff or a first responder, please email Kim Ochoa, Director of Alumni and Community Relations at kim.ochoa@noc.edu.

NOC would like to honor all of them.

Their profiles may be seen on the NOC Foundation and Alumni Association Facebook Page.

Kari Hamill graduated from NOC Stillwater in 2017 and is currently working at St Francis South ER. She continued her education and received her BSN from SWOSU in 2018 as well as her Bachelor's in Nutritional Sciences from

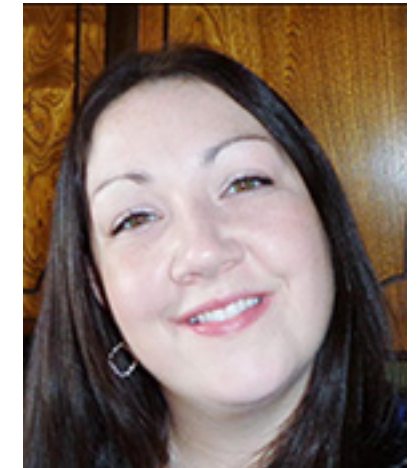
Oklahoma State University in 2018. She is currently in the FNP-DNP program at Northwestern Oklahoma State University and plans to graduate in May 2023 as an APRN-Family Nurse Practitioner.

Shalee Shafer is a 2015 Enid graduate. She is working at Integris Bass Hospital in Enid and works in the Emergency Room and Outpatient Fusion.

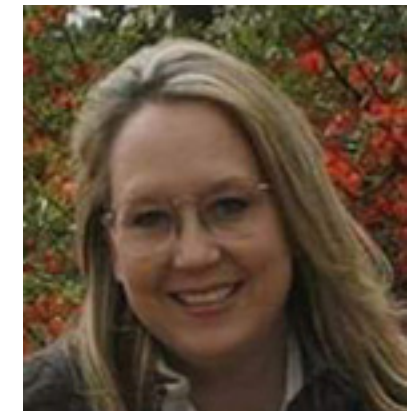
Amanda Shuemaker is a graduate of NOC Tonkawa. She is currently employed at Ecompass Home Health.

Missey Allensworth is a 2019, NOC Tonkawa, graduate. She works in the emergency room at Stillwater Medical Center.

Jeremy Logsdon started his medical career working as a Combat Medic for the U.S. Army National Guard and from there obtained his LPN licensure from Autry Technology Center in Alva. Jeremy is a 2006 graduate of NOC Enid and earned his BSN in 2013 from Southwestern Oklahoma State University. He graduated



Amanda Shuemaker



Missey Allensworth



Jeremy Logsdon

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Heroes

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from The University of Oklahoma with a Master's in Nursing-Family Nurse Pracitioner. He was awarded "The Outstanding Graduate Student" award from OU College of Nursing. Jeremy worked at St. Mary's for 16 years in various roles including ER, Med. Surg., Ortho, Neuro, Nursing Informatics, and Nursing Leadership before moving to Share Medical Center. Jeremy is now working in a rural setting as a Family Nurse Practitioner. He resides in Alva, OK and is working for Share Medical Center.

Paige Meyer is a 2011 graduate from NOC Tonkawa. She began her nursing career at the Ponca City Medical Center n the Birth and Family Department, she then went to Hillcrest Medical Center and worked in Labor and Delivery. Paige is now a Team Leader at Ascension St. John Jane Phillips Family Services in Bartlesville.

Stephanie Bonnell graduated in 2005 from NOC Tonkawa. She finished her bachelor's de-

gree in 2015. She has worked at Jane Phillips in Bartlesville since graduating. She began her career as a bedside nurse (LD/PP) then as an educator for the OB department and as Nurse Manager since 2017.

Ken Wright is a 2015 graduate of NOC Tonkawa. For the last 2 ½ years Ken has worked as a travel nurse working in California, Delaware, New Mexico, Alaska and Texas. He will soon be traveling back to work in California.

Brandy McCall came to NOC Tonkawa to play soccer and graduated in 2016 with her nursing degree. She currently works in Tulsa for Hillcrest Medical Center and Saint Francis Hospital.

Jenifer Burnham is a Case Manager at Carter Home Health Care. She is a 2019 graduate of NOC Enid.

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Paige Meyer



Stephanie Bonnell



Ken Wright



Brandy McCall



Jenifer Burnham