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What's Happening

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Masonic, Presidential Partner Grants deadline Sept. 15

The Northern Oklahoma College Foundation is offering grants through the Masonic Fraternity of Oklahoma Endowment and the Presidential Partners Program.

These funds are made available to Northern Oklahoma College programs, students and employees whose proposed projects support the Foundation's mission of providing quality educational experiences.

NOCF annually determines fund availability and will award grants based on annual earnings of the endowments. Please find attached the Foundation Grant Policy and Procedures and the request forms for the two funds.

The request forms are to be completed and returned to the Office of Development and Community Relations.

The Masonic Endowment request is to be used exclusively for student support. Deadline for consideration is September 15. Presidential Partners funds may be used for student or employee support. Presidential Partners may be submitted any time during the year.

The Foundation will do its best to provide full or partial funding for all requests; however, submission does not guarantee any funding will be granted.

When planning for grant requests, please remember to reference NOC's Pandemic Response Plan for any event planning and travel

guidelines.

Also, if you had an approved grant from the 19-20 academic year that was not utilized, the award will be carried over to the current academic year. Please remember to for additional information or questions regarding this program, please contact the Development office.

During the 2019-2020 year, NOCF awarded \$4,125 in Masonic Endowment Grants and over \$45,000 in Presidential Partners Grants to the following programs/activities:

Masonic

Lincoln Academy Book Project – Honors Composition II Program

First Friday with Yatika Fields – Thunder Club

New York City Trip – Music Theatre

American Criminal Justice Association Regional Competition – Criminal Justice

Kansas City Museum Experience – Art Department

Epic Shorts Student Film Festival – Digital Media Institute

Presidential Partners

President's Leadership Council Activities and Promotional Items

2019-2020 Professional Development Activities

NOC Employee Social, Cultural and Community Relations Activities

Chautauqua Teacher Institute

NOC Advisory Board Luncheon

Cultural Engagement Center – Artist Receptions

National Championship Rings – Enid Athletics

American Chemical Society Midwest Regional Meeting – Eng./P.S/PTEC

Oklahoma Hope – Disaster Training – Nursing

NOC Logo Shirts – NOC Employees

New York City Trip – Music Theatre

Lunch and Learn with M. Scott Carter – Mass Communications

Lunch and Learn with Cargill and West – Mass Communications

American Criminal Justice Association Re-

gional Competition – Criminal Justice

National Council on Undergrad Research

Conference – Science/Eng. Departments

Kansas City Museum Experience – Art Department

Chikaskia Literary Festival – Language Arts

Leadercast Women – Take Courage Series – Student Affairs

The Willie Spears Experience – Community Relations

9-Hole Putt-Putt Course – NOC Enid Women's Basketball

Disc Golf Collaboration with NWOSU and City of Enid – NOC Enid

Faces of Tonkawa Project – Alumni and Community Relations

Graduation Virtual Spirit Week Giveaways – Alumni and Community Relations

NOC logo Face coverings – NOC Employees

NOC Calendar, Aug. 31 - Sept. 4

Sept. 1

Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m., Tonkawa

Runner Girls, Wesley House, 4 p.m. – 5 p.m., Tonkawa

Worship Night, BCM, 7 p.m., Tonkawa

Bingo for Food, East Gym, 7:30 p.m., Tonkawa

Sept. 2

Free Student Lunch, Wesley House, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa

Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Enid

Bible Study, BCM, 2 p.m., Tonkawa

Maverick Newspaper Published Online

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



Aaron Butcher is leaving NOC Enid after two years as the jets' head coach. (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)

Aaron Butcher leaves NOC Enid basketball program for Indiana post

Northern Oklahoma College Enid men's basketball coach Aaron Butcher has resigned, accepting an athletic director's position at Tippecanoe High School in Akron, Indiana.

Butcher, an Indiana native, coached the Jets to a 29-34 record in two seasons.

"I am thankful to Northern Oklahoma College for trusting me to lead the men's basketball program," Butcher said. "While we weren't actively pursuing other opportunities, the opportunity to return back to our home area was something that me and my family couldn't pass up."

"I will miss the practices, the film sessions, the locker room after big wins, and the thrill of watching our guys move on to be successful at their 4-year schools after their time with us," he

added. "Northern is a great place with so many wonderful people. I have no doubt that with the roster we have set in place for this season that great things are in store for the Jets."

NOC Athletic Director Alan Foster wished Butcher well.

"While I am sad to not have the opportunity to work more with Aaron (Butcher) I wish him and his family all the best in this new endeavor," he said. "We will look forward to filling this position with a quality coach who can continue the NOC-Enid Jets successful trajectory. Our student athletes deserve our best efforts."

Butcher came to NOC from Ancilla College in Donaldson, Indiana.



STUDY ABROAD 2021

CREDITS EASILY TRANSFER TO OTHER COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES

NOC GLOBAL COMMUNITY PROGRAMS (OPEN TO STUDENTS & NON-STUDENTS)

ITALY AND GREECE SPRING BREAK MARCH 12-21



10 DAYS
FLORENCE, ROME,
DELPHI, SORRENTO,
ATHENS

SIGHTS INCLUDE
Sistine Chapel,
Colosseum, Trevi Fountain,
Piazza Della Signoria,
Basilica of Santa Croce,
Pantheon, Gates of
Paradise and more!

**Optional 3 academic
credit hours**
(GLBL 2113: H, I)
\$502**

\$3726* includes
air, lodging, most
meals and tour
director. Additional
\$165 medical/travel
insurance.

CUBA CULTURE AND SOCIETY MAY 22-29



Explore Havana and enjoy
the art, architecture,
and culture of the Cuban
capital city.

**Optional 3 academic
credit hours**
(GLBL 2113: H, I)
\$502**

\$3600* or additional
\$600 for single room
upgrade, includes air,
lodging, 7 breakfasts
and 7 dinners; all
activities, visas and
other documentation
needed for entry into
Cuba, all tips, medical
insurance, full-time
guide and Cuba exit tax.
Optional cancellation
insurance \$135.

NEW ZEALAND UNTAMED LANDSCAPES MAY 30-JUNE 11



See Hobbit Homes,
Geysers, Majestic Glaciers,
Fiords, Maori Villages,
Beautiful Mountains,
Gorgeous Lakes,
Skyline Gondola Ride
and More!

**Optional 3 academic
credit hours**
(GLBL 2113: H, I)
\$502**

Land Only Cost
\$3890*. The airfare
through EF Go Ahead
is being quoted from
OKC at \$2205. Our
recommendation is to
sign up for land only
and make your own
travel arrangements.
Airfare is running
\$1,300-1,400 for the
same time in 2021.

BOTANY IN BELIZE MAY 13-22



The coral reef, the
ocean, the islands and
rainforests will serve as
your science lab as you
explore and study the
neo-tropical ecosystems
of this Central American
country.



Earn
4 academic
credit hours
BISL 1214 (N, L)
Introductory
Plant Biology

\$2,720* includes
airfare, lodging, most
meals, airport transfer
in Belize, all required
activities, primary
medical and travel
insurance, in-country
transportation, expert
local guide and driver,
study abroad t-shirt,
and 4 credit hours of
lab science.

LONDON SUMMER PROGRAM JUNE 20-JULY 2



Northern Oklahoma
College is partnering
with Regent's University
London to offer the 2021
NOC London Summer
Program. Students
will attend courses,
participate in academic
and cultural field
trips and enjoy guest
lecturers in the most
cosmopolitan city in
the world. Enrollment is
limited.

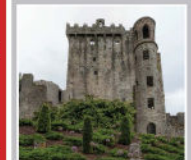
**Earn 6 academic
credit hours**
GLBL 2123 (H, I)
and
HUMN 2223 (H, I)

\$2,800* includes
tuition, fees, housing,
orientation tour, some
local transport, out-
of-town tours, travel/
medical insurance,
required course
activities and partial
meal plan. Airfare is
separate.

DUBLIN SUMMER PROGRAM JUNE 27-JULY 9



Northern Oklahoma
College is partnering
with University College
Dublin, Ireland's oldest
and most renowned
university. Students
will attend courses and
participate in educational
and cultural faculty-led
and independent field
programs.



**Earn 6 academic
credit hours**
GLBL 2113 (H, I)
and
GLBL 2123 (H, I)

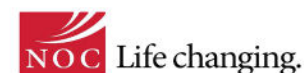
\$2,800* includes
tuition, fees, housing,
orientation tour, some
local transport, out-
of-town tours, travel/
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Contact: Dean Wade Watkins
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*Approximate price. Out-of-state fees will apply to tuition portion of charges.
For cancellation information, please contact Wade Watkins for refund/voucher options.



OBI Blood Drive set for Sept. 3

The Oklahoma Blood Institute is hosting a blood drive Thursday, Sept. 3 in the East Gym at NOC Tonkawa.

Donations are accepted from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

All donations will be tested for Covid-19 anti-bodies to identify potential plasma donors.

Donators also receive a free t-shirt from either OU or OSU.

NOC August/September Birthdays



Vanessa Ailey	Aug. 30	Jeff Tate	Sept. 19
Candy Oller	Sept. 1	Cara Beth Johnson	Sept. 20
Suzanne Stergas	Sept. 4	Jill Harmon	Sept. 21
Shannon Cranford	Sept. 5	Matthew Barnes	Sept. 21
Kenneth Headrick	Sept. 6	Renee Lee	Sept. 23
Frankie Wood-Black	Sept. 6	Anna McGehee	Sept. 24
Kathleen Swain	Sept. 8	Jerry Hawkins	Sept. 26
Stacey Frazier	Sept. 9	Christi Hook	Sept. 26
Diane Fugett	Sept. 9	Kelley Larkin	Sept. 26
Gene Long	Sept. 11	Scott Haywood	Sept. 26
Cathy Ballard	Sept. 14	Chad Anderson	Sept. 26
Wade Watkins	Sept. 18	Luke Kruse	Sept. 26
Stony Jones	Sept. 18	Destiny Rosato	Sept. 30

NOC Tonkawa Blood Drive Oklahoma Blood Institute

Free COVID-19 Antibody Testing!
[Northern Oklahoma College](#)
Thursday, 09/03/2020 (10 a.m. - 5 p.m.)
East Gym
NOC Tonkawa

Click the drive information above to schedule your life-saving appointment.

All donations* will be tested** for COVID-19 antibodies to identify potential convalescent plasma donors.

Appointments preferred, to help with social distancing. Walk-ins accepted as schedule allows. Masks Required.

*Donors ages 16 or 17-years old need parental consent to be screened for COVID-19 antibodies and are not eligible to donate convalescent plasma. **This test has not been FDA cleared or approved. It has been authorized by the FDA under an EUA (Emergency Use Authorization) for use by authorized laboratories. The test has been authorized only for the detection of the IgG antibody against SARS-CoV-2, not for any other viruses or pathogens. Blood drives will be managed according to CDC safety recommendations. Test results will be made available post-donation.



ALL DONORS RECEIVE
their choice
OF OSU OR OU T-SHIRT*!

877-340-8777 | OBI.ORG |



*While supplies last. Photo ID required.

NOC Alumni Classroom Champions

Misty (Pendleton) Bess

Bess is a 1987 NOC Tonkawa graduate.

After NOC, Misty continued her education at the University of Central Oklahoma (UCO) and graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Business Finance. After earning her bachelor's degree, Misty began working as an accountant with Heartland Federal Bank in Ponca City.

Misty returned to NOC, this time as a secretary for Dr. Irene Ackerson and Dr. Ron Appleman. It was during her work at NOC, Misty decided to return to college and earn an Early Childhood Education Degree.

She graduated from NWOSU in 1998 and began her teaching career in 5th grade at Frontier School in Red Rock. Misty taught at Frontier for four years before coming to Tonkawa Public Schools. She has been with Tonkawa Schools for the past 22 years and has taught at the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th grade levels.

Last year she stepped out of the classroom and began the role of Library Media Specialist for the Tonkawa School District. She serves in the elementary library in the mornings and high school library in the afternoons. Misty is continuing her education and is currently working on her master's degree in School Library Media Science through UCO.

Misty has been happily married to her husband, Larry NOC Class of 1990, for 31 year. They have two children, also NOC alumni, Cody Class of 2013 and Kylee Class of 2016. They also have a daughter in law, Kayla Class of 2013, and 2 grandsons.



Misty Bess

Aspen Evans

Aspen Evans is a 2018 NOC Tonkawa Graduate.

While at Northern Oklahoma College Aspen was a part of the 2016-2018 Presidents Leadership Council, as well as an active member of the Northern Aggies club.

Her favorite memories of NOC are helping put on the Northern Classic cattle and sheep shows.

After NOC, Aspen continued her education at Oklahoma State University (OSU). She received her Bachelor's degree in Agriculture Leadership with a focus on Education. She spent the past summer interning with Oklahoma 4H as a STEMist. While creating curriculum for students that highlights the importance of science, math, and technology, she realized that her pas-



Aspen Evans

sion is providing reliable education for Oklahoma youth. Both of her parents are educators so this came as no surprise to those closest to her.

This fall Aspen will be teaching Family and Consumer Science to 8th -12th graders at Porum High School. She is looking forward to meeting her students and helping them to create their own success plans.

Lacey McCombs

Lacey graduated from Northern Oklahoma College with an Associate in Science, Physical Education-Athletic Training degree in 2013. While at NOC she was a member of the Lady Mavs softball team. She continued her education at Oklahoma State University and obtained a Bachelor of Science in Health



Lacey McCombs

Education and Promotion option: Exercise and Health in 2015. Lacey went on to receive her Master of Science in Athletic Training from Oklahoma State University Center for Health Services in 2017.

Lacey currently is the Head Athletic Trainer at Lincoln Christian High School in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Lacey works with and supervises 3-8 students athletic training aides during the year.

Angela (Krey) Riddle

Angela met her husband, Marc, while attending classes at NOC. Angela continued her education while Marc began his career in the Marines. She began taking classes in Beaufort, SC until the military moved them to California. Angela then had to drive over an hour to Camp Pendleton to take the remaining classes in order to complete the degree. She received her Bachelor of Science in Social Psychology from Park University.

In 200, Angela completed her first Master's degree (Marriage and Family Therapy) with University of Phoenix in San Diego, CA in 2008. In 2019, she finished her Masters in General Psychology with Walden University, and was immediately accepted into Walden's PHD program for Psychology with a specialization in Educational Psychology. Angela currently teaches Psychology at York Technical College in Rock Hill, SC.

Education is very important to this family and they are proud of the degrees their daughters



Angela Riddle



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Classroom

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have received. Their youngest daughter, Sarah, has just graduated from Appalachian State University with dual Bachelor degrees in Mathematics Education and Social Studies Education. She has accepted a job in Waynesville, NC at

Shining Rock Classical Academy. She will be teaching a couple of math classes, a science class, and a social studies class. She is engaged to be married in August 2021. Their oldest daughter, Catharine, has just graduated from Savannah College of Art and Design. She has accepted a job at the Newport News Shipbuilding. She will be working with 3D digital graphics to design Naval Ships.

Andrea Lehman

Lehman is a 1995 NOC Tonkawa graduate. She is a native of Shidler, Oklahoma and a 1995 NOC Tonkawa graduate. After earning her Associate of Arts Degree from Northern Oklahoma College Andrea, traveled to Stillwater and attended Oklahoma State University for one year. She received her Bachelor of Arts Degree from Southeastern Louisiana University.



Andrea Lehman

Andrea has been teaching for 22 years. She spent the first seven years teaching first and second grade and has spent the last 15 years teaching 6th grade. She resides in Merritt Island, Florida and teaches at Lewis Carroll Elementary.



Cafeteria Menu for August 31st – September 4th, 2020

Chicken Strip Basket Night!
*The cafeteria will be serving chicken strips
Monday – Thursday for dinner!*

	<u>Lunch:</u>	<u>Dinner:</u>
Monday August 31st	Pork Loin Taco Salad*	BBQ Sausage Chicken Fajita Fettuccini
Tuesday September 1st	Chicken Enchiladas Baked Ham	Philly Steak Sandwich Chicken Pot Pie
Wednesday September 2nd	Beef and Broccoli Baked Spaghetti	Chicken Bacon Ranch Pasta BBQ Rib Sandwich
Thursday September 3rd	Salisbury Steak Dirty Rice	Taco Thursday Chicken Chimichanga
Friday September 4th	Baked Fish Pot Roast	Chef's Choice

Menu subject to change

All meals served with the following: Vegetable, Starch, Bread (Dinner Roll, Breadstick, etc.), Salad Bar,* Sandwich Bar,* Pizza Bar, Assorted Desserts, Assorted Fountain Drinks, Kool-Aid and Tea (* = Vegetarian Option Available)

Dining Hours:

Breakfast:	7:30 AM – 8:30 AM	\$6.25 (+ tax)
Lunch:	11:30 AM – 1:30 PM	\$8.50 (+ tax)
Dinner:	5:15 PM – 6:30 PM	\$8.50 (+ tax)
Dinner:	4:45 PM – 5:45 PM (Friday)	\$8.50 (+ tax)

****10 Meal Card Available to faculty/staff/community members for \$75.00 + Tax****