

Kaycee Babek named Miss NOC Enid 2023



The Miss NOC Enid Court. Pictured (L-R): Ashleigh Miller, sponsor Shannon Varner, Miss NOC Enid Kaycee Babek, Isyss Morgan, Carson Collins. (photo by John Pickard/Northern Oklahoma College)

Kaycee Babek of Meeker, Oklahoma, was named Miss NOC Enid 2022 at NOC Tonkawa Tuesday night in the Kinzer Performing Arts Center in Tonkawa.

She was crowned by Miss NOC Enid 2022 Mia-Claire Jones and Miss Oklahoma 2022 Megan Gold.

Babek received a \$1000 scholarship expense award, Miss America crown and pin, sash and a bouquet of long-stemmed red roses. She will advance to the Miss Oklahoma Scholarship Pageant in Tulsa next June.

The new Miss NOC Enid is a sophomore majoring in pre-medicine.

For the talent competition, she performed a juggling act to “Say Hey.” Her Social Impact Statement was “Calling All Future Foster Parents.”

Isyss Morgan of Enid was the 1st Runner Up and receives a \$600 scholarship expense award. Others in the competition included Ashleigh Miller of Cushing, Oklahoma, and Carson Collins of Mannford, Oklahoma. Miller and Collins each received a \$250 scholarship expense

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Miss NOC Enid

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award.

Candidates were judged in artistic expression, presence and poise in evening wear and on-stage question. Earlier in the day they were individually interviewed by the judges.

Dr. Edward Dixon, NOC Fine Arts Division chair, served as master of ceremonies for the evening. Miss Oklahoma 2022 Megan Gold performed for the audience.

Special entertainment was by Miss NOC Enid 2022 Mia-Claire Jones who played a piano selection.

NOC President Dr. Clark Harris, presented the official Miss NOC Enid portrait to Miss Jones.

Jets Athletic alums reunite Saturday

The Northern Oklahoma College Enid Jets are hosting an All-Athletics Alumni Reunion Saturday, Oct. 29.

Alums will be hosted for a luncheon from 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m. at the Gantz Center. Following the luncheon, there will be athletic team breakouts for each sport including Meet the Jets, Athletic Activities, and Campus Tours.

The bookstore will be open from 1 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. for NOC memorabilia.

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

RSVP to NOC Alumni Coordinator Kayla Wooderson at 580.628.6473 or kayla.wooderson@noc.edu.

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ALL-ATHLETICS ALUMNI REUNION

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 2022

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

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

RSVP by Monday, October 17 to Kayla Wooderson
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As more details are finalized, updates will be posted on social media pages.

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Miss NOC Enid 2023 Kaycee Babek is crowned by Miss Oklahoma Megan Gold (above). Babek is pictured with 1st runner up Isyss Morgan (below).



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STEM Ambassadors meet at Enid

by Misty McBlair

Red & Silver Review Staff Writer

STEM Ambassadors is a new organized student group that represents people involved in science, technology, engineering and math programs. STEM offers professional development, community service to Enid and surrounding towns all while increasing knowledge of STEM career opportunities and fellowship opportunities on the NOC Enid campus.

Members of STEM have group goals and are excited about presenting programs in area schools to bring science learning alive and to

educate students of career and educational opportunities.

STEM Ambassadors meet once a month, usually around the 2nd or 3rd Thursday of the month. Membership is not limited to STEM majors. Anybody can join. Announcements of upcoming activities and meetings can be found on the clubs GroupMe account.

For any other information you can contact any of the STEM Ambassador club officers; Grace Howry, Alyssa Quezada, Mia-Claire Jones or Ashly Chavez. You can also reach any Biological or Physical Science Faculty member.



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Mia-Claire Jones reflects on her year as Miss NOC Enid in 2022

Mia-Claire Jones' year as Miss NOC Enid ends Tuesday with the crowning of a new Miss NOC Enid.

It's been a fast and furious year for the sophomore from Morrison, Oklahoma, studying Pre-Med.

"It's been a blast," Jones said. "It's gone by really fast but I've enjoyed it so very much."

Jones had never participated in a pageant before last year's Miss NOC event and was shocked when she won.

"I did it for the scholarship money," she said. "I thought 'why not' give it a try?"

"I was kind of scared," she added. "I'd been in front of people before but this was totally different. It really pushed me out of my comfort zone."

What's been the best part of being Miss NOC?

"Just meeting so many great people and experiencing new things," she said. "I know I've met people that will be lifelong friends."

When Jones was planning for the talent portion of the Miss NOC Scholarship Competition, she planned to play a piano selection. This was a challenge for Jones because she had just taught herself to play piano during COVID-19.

"That was pretty scary," she said. "But I got through it okay."

Jones now takes regular lessons.

Jones' impact statement is "Adopt Positivity" which she is very passionate.

"I gave away a lot of toothbrushes," she said. "I want people to be positive and not be afraid to smile. When people smile, they are happy. Smiling is like a superpower for people. It cuts through the negativity and makes people feel good."

Jones enjoys being a role model.

"You never know who you are impacting," she

said. "If some little girl sees me as Miss NOC Enid, that may encourage her to try and do the same thing. You have to try things in order to be successful."

She enjoyed her experience at the Miss Oklahoma Pageant so much she is trying to qualify for this year's pageant.

"I've been participating in competitions this year because I had so much fun at last year's," she said.

What's her advice for this year's winner?

"It's your year so make it the best it can be," she said.

She plans to attend Oklahoma State University next fall. Her goals are to become a sports physician for sports' team.



Mia-Claire Jones



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NOC Enid Calendar

Oct. 27

Spooky Movie Night, EB Lobby, 8 p.m.

Oct. 28

Jets Basketball Madness, Mabee Center, 7 p.m.

Oct. 29

Jets All-Athletic Alumni Reunion, Gantz Center, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Nov. 2

BCM Student Lunch, James Room, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
BCM Gathering, BCM, 7 p.m.

Nov. 7

Capture the Flag Intramurals (Nov. 7-10)
Yoga Mondays, EB Lobby, 8 p.m.

Nov. 9

BCM Student Lunch, James Room, 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
BCM Gathering, BCM, 7 p.m.

Nov. 10

Jet Feud, Montgomery Hall, 7 p.m.



Jets Sports Calendar

Oct. 27

Jets Baseball Fall World Series Game 2, Failing Field, 2:30 p.m.

Oct. 29

Jets Athletic Alumni Reunion, Gantz Center, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.
Jets Baseball Fall World Series Game 3, if needed, David Allen Ballpark, 2 p.m.

Nov. 1

Home Lady Jets Basketball vs. Oklahoma Wesleyan JV, 5 p.m.
Home Jets Basketball vs. OnPoint, 7 p.m.

Nov. 3

Home Lady Jets Basketball vs. Southwest Christian JV, 5 p.m.
Away Jets Basketball vs. Mid-America University JV, 7 p.m.

Nov. 6

Away Jets Basketball vs. South Plains at UCO, 4 p.m.

Nov. 7

Away Jets Basketball vs. West Plains at UCO, 2 p.m.
Home Lady Jets Basketball vs. Bethel JV, 5 p.m.

Nov. 9

Home Jets Basketball vs. Jacksonville College, 7 p.m.

Nov. 11

Away Jets Basketball vs. Butler (KS) at Tonkawa, 4 p.m.
Home Lady Jets Basketball vs. Butler (KS), 6:30 p.m.

Nov. 12

Away Jets Basketball vs. Kilgore (TX) at Tonkawa, 1 p.m.
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