

What's Happening

Friday, Sept. 1

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Enid Planetarium Show set for Sept. 5

The Mackie Planetarium on the Northern Oklahoma College Enid campus will present the next show on Tuesday Sept. 5 at 7 p.m.

Director Fritz Osell will present the night sky over Enid and show prominent constellations and planets in the evening sky. Osell will also show known stars with planets that have been discovered.

"Thousands of planetary systems have been found in our neighborhood of the galaxy," Osell said. "The discovery of new planetary systems is largely a result of the combination of advanced telescopes like the James Webb space telescope with the rapid advancement of computer technology."

The full dome planetarium show will take visitors to Saturn and watch the spacecraft Huygens descend on the surface of Saturn's moon Titan.

Osell said that Titan is one of two moons in the

solar system that have an atmosphere. Visitors will watch the Huygens spacecraft descend by parachute through Titan's atmosphere and see what appear to be river valleys and shorelines on the surface of the moon.

There is no charge but donations of non-perishable food items for Our Daily Bread and for Loaves and Fishes are accepted.

The Mackie Planetarium, under the direction of NOC instructor Fritz Osell is one of the largest in Oklahoma. Visitors can view the sky as it appears during any hour of the night of any year from any location on the Earth. The building can seat 115 visitors under a 40-foot diameter dome, and the chairs are custom designed to optimize the viewing experience. The planetarium can also be used as a lecture room.

For more information, contact Fritz Osell at 580.548.2314.



NOC Enid Mackie Planetarium

Miss NOC meeting Thursday, Sept. 7

An information meeting for Miss NOC is set for Thursday, Sept. 7 at 11:30 a.m. in the Kinzer Performing Arts Center Room 118.

Interested Enid students will attend the meeting from the Presidential Conference Room in the Gantz Center via ITV.

The pageant is set for Tuesday, Oct. 17 at 7:30 p.m.

The winner receives a \$1,000 scholarship, the runner-up receives a \$600 scholarship, and the

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**No Classes/Offices Closed for
Labor Day on Monday, Sept. 4**

Miss NOC

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2nd runner-up receives a \$400 scholarship.

Kira Pendleton (Miss NOC Tonkawa) and Kaycee Babek (Miss NOC Enid) were the winners last year.

This is the first year the Miss NOC will be a combined competition for NOC Enid and

NOC Tonkawa.

The winner advances to the Miss Oklahoma Pageant in June.

Contact Shannon Varner at Shannon.varner@noc.edu or at 580.628.6365.



Life changing.

NOC September Birthdays



Candy Oller	Sept. 1	Wendy Spiva	Sept. 18
Crystal Smith	Sept. 1	Tori Green	Sept. 18
Mary Morris	Sept. 3	Stony Jones	Sept. 18
Suzanne Stergas	Sept. 4	Jeff Tate	Sept. 19
Shannon Cranford	Sept. 5	Belinda Horinek	Sept. 20
Kenneth Headrick	Sept. 6	Cara Beth Johnson	Sept. 20
Sarah Machia	Sept. 6	Jill Harmon	Sept. 21
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
Gene Long	Sept. 11	Kelley Larkin	Sept. 26
Jennifer Bedwell	Sept. 11	Chad Anderson	Sept. 26
Cathy Ballard	Sept. 14	Luke Kruse	Sept. 26



NOC ENID

PLANETARIUM SHOW

First Tuesday of Every Month

Tuesday,
September 5, 2023 | 7 pm
Mackie Planetarium
Free Admission
[Donated non-perishable food items accepted]



Alex Cabella



Olivia Perrin and coach Cesar Zepeda

NOC Enid Soccer season underway

NOC Enid Soccer played their inaugural games Sunday and Monday at the Advance Soccer Complex in Enid.

The Jets women beat Redlands 4-0 Sunday night while the Jets played Pratt (KS) to a 0-0 draw Monday night.

Olivia Perrin scored the first goal in Jets history and later added a second goal in a 4-0 win. Luana San Miguel and Celeste Maldonado added goals for the Jets.

The Jets men had to wait for their second

game to score the first goal in team history as Alex Cabello scored in a 2-1 loss at Eastern on Wednesday.

Perrin scored her third goal of the year in Wednesday's 1-1 draw at Eastern in the Jets women's game.

Jets soccer hosts Crowder (MO) Friday at 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. and then Hutchinson (women) at 5 p.m. and Dodge City (men) on Sunday at 7 p.m.



NOC Enid Women after 4-0 win over Redlands Sunday night in programs' first win



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You Could Be The Next MISS NOC

Competition will be
October 17, 2023
KPAC 7:30 pm
NOC Tonkawa



Miss NOC Tonkawa 2023
Kira Pendleton

Miss NOC 2024
\$1,000 Scholarship

1st Runner-up
\$600 Scholarship

2nd Runner-up
\$400 Scholarship



Represent **Northern** at the
MISS OKLAHOMA COMPETITION!

INFORMATION SESSION

Thursday, September 7, 2023
11:30 am
Kinzer Performing Arts Center
Room 118

If you are unable to attend the meeting
or have questions, please contact:

Miss NOC Director
Shannon Varner

Kinzer Performing Arts Center, Room 115
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NOC Roustabouts and Roustabout Alums participated in a Full Moon Concert Thursday night in Tonkawa sponsored by the NOC Foundation and Alumni & Community Relations.

Roustabout alums perform at concert

The Guys featuring Northern Oklahoma College Roustabout Alumni headlined the Full Moon Concert Thursday at Tonkawa’s Centennial Park.

The musically eclectic band featured four NOC Roustabout alumni including Brandon Haynes (lead-vocals/piano), Brad Matson, (auxiliary percussion), John Shwayat (bass), Hunter Voge (drum-set), and Erik Willadsen (guitar) who is also a NOC graduate. Roustabout alumni include Krista Hembree, Tim Muniz, Christopher James, Taryn Pruett, Kenneth Thomas, Alyssa Baker, Faith Crum, Regan Clapper, performed as well.

Haynes teaches music and is the vocal director and musical arranger for the Roustabouts at Northern Oklahoma College. He is also the director of music and worship arts at First United Methodist Church in Tonkawa and the artistic director for the Choral Arts Society of

Northern Oklahoma (CASONO) Ponca City community choir.

Voge (aka Hunter Grant in the music realm) connected with Haynes through church praise-band collaborations and the NOC Roustabouts. In 2019, he co-produced his debut solo album with Haynes entitled Hunter Grant: Pieces and is available on various streaming platforms including Spotify and Apple Music. Shwayat is a music graduate from NOC and frequently performs bass guitar in the area for various groups. Outside of music, Shwayat is a deputy treasurer at the Kay County Treasurer’s Office. Willadsen is a personal banker at Gateway First Bank in Tonkawa and also works as a ranch hand.

Northern Oklahoma College and NOC Foundation joins North Central Oklahoma Arts Council and Heart in the Park Committee to sponsor this event.



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Gantz Student Center

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NOC Calendar

Sept. 1

Final Day to Withdraw with a Full Refund
Home Men's and Women's Soccer vs. Crowder (MO), 5 p.m., 7 p.m., Enid

Sept. 3

Home Women's Soccer vs. Hutchinson (KS), 5 p.m.
Home Men's Soccer vs. Dodge City (KS), 7 p.m.

Sept. 4

Labor Day, No Classes/Offices Closed

Sept. 5

Free Lunch, BCM, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Tonkawa
Tour de Quartz Art Exhibit Opens, KPAC, noon, Tonkawa
Planetarium Show, Mackie Planetarium, 7 p.m.

Sept. 6

Red & Silver Review Published Online
Free BCM Lunch, Gantz Center, 11:30 a.m. – 1 p.m., Enid
Away Men's and Women's Soccer vs. NEO, 5 p.m./7 p.m.
The Gathering, BCM, 7 p.m., Enid
The Gathering, BCM, 7:30 p.m., Tonkawa

Sept. 7

Miss NOC Information Meeting, KPAC Room 118, 11:30 a.m., Tonkawa
Miss NOC Information Meeting, President's Conference Room, 11:30 a.m., Enid
Home Mavs Baseball vs. Rose State, 2 p.m.
Away Jets Baseball vs. Kansas Wesleyan, 2 p.m.
Home Men's Soccer vs. Bethel College, 7 p.m.

Sept. 8

Staff In-Service Meeting, 8:15 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

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



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DAISY Award nominations open

Northern Oklahoma College invites you to submit nominations for The DAISY Award® for Extraordinary Nursing faculty. Current or past nursing faculty may be nominated by colleagues, peers, patients, families, or alumni.

The award is part of The DAISY Foundation's mission to express gratitude to nurses with programs that recognize them for the extraordinary, compassionate and skillful care they provide patients and families.

Marriya Wright was awarded the NOC DAISY Award® in May 2023.

NOC Nursing Division Chair Dr. Nikole Hicks said, "NOC's nursing faculty make a difference in the lives of their students who go on to provide exceptional nursing care in our communities. We are pleased to partner with the DAISY Foundation to recognize NOC's life-changing nursing faculty."

The award recipients are chosen by a committee at NOC to receive The DAISY Award which will be presented at the Pinning Ceremony at NOC Tonkawa on May 3, 2023. Nursing faculty may be nominated at <https://bit.ly/3GLauf9>.

The DAISY Foundation expanded its flagship brand The DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nurses to Academic Institutions in order to recognize the faculty who inspire compassionate care in their students and the students who demonstrate it during their education.

The DAISY Foundation is a not-for-profit organization, established in memory of J. Patrick Barnes, by members of his family. Barnes died at the age of 33 in late 1999 from complications of Idiopathic Thrombocytopenic Purpura (ITP), a little known but not uncommon au-

to-immune disease. (DAISY is an acronym for Diseases Attacking the Immune System.)

The care Barnes and his family received from nurses while he was ill inspired the creation of The DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nurses, an evidenced-based means of providing nurse recognition and thanking nurses for making a profound difference in the lives of their patients and patient families.

"We honor faculty who inspire nurses to care like Patrick's nurses cared for him and for our family. Recognizing and celebrating nursing students for the above-and-beyond care and compassion they show to patients and their families will be a strong reminder that nursing is not all about tasks and technology," said Bonnie Barnes, CEO and Co-Founder of The DAISY Foundation.

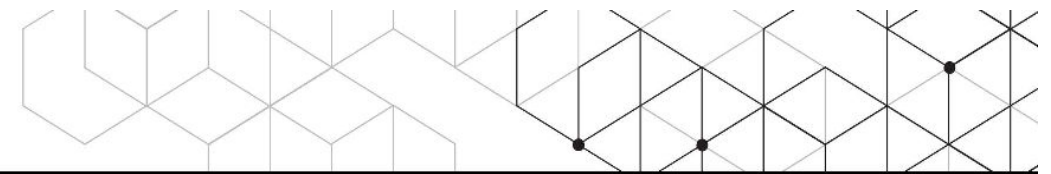
Each Honoree receives a certificate, a DAISY Award pin and a beautiful and meaningful sculpture called A Healer's Touch, hand-carved by artists of the Shona Tribe in Zimbabwe.

About The DAISY Foundation

In addition to The DAISY Award for Extraordinary Nursing Faculty and The DAISY Award for Extraordinary Students, the Foundation expresses gratitude to the nursing profession internationally in over 3,600 healthcare facilities and schools of nursing with recognition of direct care Nurses, Nurse-led Teams, Nurse Leaders, Lifetime Achievement in Nursing, and through the J. Patrick Barnes Grants for Nursing Research and Evidence-Based Practice Projects. More information is available at <http://DAISYfoundation.org>.



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Introducing 24x7 Blackboard Learn Support!

We are thrilled to announce that **starting August 21st**, NOC students and faculty will have access to round-the-clock support for Blackboard Learn!

Have questions about navigating the new interface, submitting assignments, or accessing course materials? Our new 24x7 support is here to help.

Additional areas of support will be available on Oct. 5th

For general Blackboard help information: help.blackboard.com

Blackboard Learn Support

Now available anytime!

CALL (580) 308-3021

If you are needing assistance with logging into Blackboard please contact NOC's IT Help Desk. (580) 628-6291 or ITHelpDesk@noc.edu





Thirty-five students from all three NOC campuses participated in the 2nd annual professional workshop on the Tonkawa campus. The students came from nursing, pre-engineering and others providing networking opportunities. During breakout sessions students got the opportunity to talk with representatives from transfer institutions, industry representatives, and alumni. This workshop is designed to help develop critical work skills, resumes, and find internship opportunities.



NOC nursing students participated in a Skills Lab Friday at the Renfro Center in Tonkawa.

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Free Application for Federal Student Aid

2024-2025

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Enid 580.548.2261
Stillwater 580.628.6500
Email: Financial.aid@noc.edu

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FINANCIAL AID
WEBPAGE

FAFSA
APPLICATION
OPENS
IN DECEMBER

- 1

Gather Materials

Social Security Card, Driver's License, W2 Forms, and Last Year's Income Information for You and Your Parents.
- 2

Create FSA ID

studentaid.gov
- 3

Complete FAFSA

studentaid.gov
NOC School Code: 003162

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