



Campus Update

November 2014

TURPEN TO SPEAK AT ECU COMMENCEMENT



Mike Turpen, chair of the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education and a champion for education in Oklahoma, will be the speaker at ECU's 2014

Commencement Ceremonies at 10 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 13 in the Kerr Activities Center. Turpen is well-known for his weekly television appearances as a political analyst on "Flashpoint with Turpen and Humphreys", which airs weekly on KFOR, channel 4, in Oklahoma City.

CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION HELD

The Linscheid Library Federal Depository Centennial Celebration was held on Oct. 23. The event was attended by State Sen. Susan Paddock, who talked about the importance of the library being a source for obtaining government documents as a depository for the past 100 years.



ECU FOUNDATION BOARD MEETS



Members of the ECU Foundation Board were on campus for their annual meeting on Oct. 28. The ECU Foundation

assists students with scholarship opportunities, thanks to generous donors.

HALLIE BROWN FORD CENTER TOURS GIVEN



Dr. Brad Jessop showcases the best features at Hallie Brown Ford Fine Arts Center to

representatives from the University of Central Oklahoma and the City of Edmond. The community is exploring the possibilities of developing a similar facility.

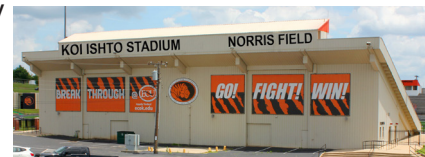
HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AT ECU

Hundreds of high school students were on the ECU campus for various regional and state activities including the Tigerpalooza Band Contest, Little Dixie Music Contest, Chalk Art Festival and One Act Plays.



KOI ISHTO STADIUM NAMING TO BE HELD

ECU will officially name its football facility, Koi Ishto (meaning "Big Cat" in the Chickasaw language) Stadium, on Saturday, Nov. 15. ECU is also recognizing the more than 100 year partnership with a Chickasaw Appreciation Day -- all Chickasaw Nation Members and employees will receive free admission!



The Tigers will battle Southeastern Oklahoma State at 2 p.m.

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DR. WEEMS HONORED WITH OSTA AWARD



Dr. Bruce Weems, dean of ECU's College of Health Sciences, was honored for his service to science education in the state with the prestigious Jack Renner Award by the Oklahoma Science Teachers Association (OSTA) on Friday, Oct. 31.

GIRDLEY RECEIVES HONOR

ECU student Newakis Girdley, a senior political science major from Ada, was the only university student in the country selected to attend the Women in Government's 15th Annual Southern and 16th Annual Eastern Regional Conferences recently in New Orleans.



ECU REGISTERS LOCAL VOTER



ECU won first place for institutions, between the sizes of 3,001 and 7,001 students, in the Oklahoma Campus Compact's Voter Registration Drive Contest.

TWO ECU STUDENTS TAKE FIRST PLACE

ECU students Laura Asaro (left) and Linzi Thompson each took first place in their respective divisions at the 20th Annual Oklahoma Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation (OK-LSAMP) Research Symposium poster competition held in Stillwater.



FALL CAREER EXPO CONDUCTED



The ECU Career Center conducted a Fall Career Expo on Oct. 1 in the ECU Foundation Hall of the Chickasaw Business and Conference Center. Recruiters from healthcare, business

and finance, law enforcement, telecommunications, education, science and graduate schools were on hand.

STUDENT BEADS JEWELRY FOR FRANCE

ECU graduate student Tammy Brown (right), a member of the Chickasaw Nation, presented Chickasaw beaded jewelry she made to Dr. Mara Sukholutskaya (left) and Dr. Katricia Pierson, who were headed to France after the presentation to meet with representatives from Limoges University on an exchange program. The jewelry was to be presented as gifts in France.



GSA HOLDS LUNCH, HEARS SPEAKER



In honor of National Coming Out Day, ECU's Gay-Straight Alliance conducted a lunch and talk from Paula Sophia on Oct. 9. Later that day a Marriage Equality Townhall Meeting was held in the Chickasaw Business and Conference Center.

DR. McMAHON DELIVERS LECTURE

Dr. Jennifer L. McMahon, professor of English and Languages, delivered ECU's 18th Annual Hedgehog and Fox Faculty Lecture, "The Philosopher's Stone," at the Raymond J. Estep Multimedia Center in the Bill S. Cole University Center.



DR. WHITE PRESENTS ROTHBAUM LECTURE

Dr. Jonathan White, a historian of the American Civil War, presented the 2014 Rothbaum Lecture, entitled "Lincoln and Civil Liberties," on Oct. 13, in Bill S. Cole University Center.



ART ADDED TO WELLNESS CENTER WALLS



The ECU Wellness Center now has touches of art on its walls as Lone Grove junior art student Joshua Benson created figurative murals on the walls, showing movements of the body

in action and sports.

STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES CONDUCTS OPEN HOUSE

ECU's Student Health Services and Counseling Center conducted an open house for their new and renovated offices on Oct. 1.



ECU STUDENT TEACHERS



ECU student teachers pose for a group photo. The students are working on internships in area schools.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, Nov. 8, 2014

Dad's Day (All day)

2014 GAC Cross Country championship @ 9:30 a.m.

Football vs. Harding @ 3 p.m.

Babes in Toyland @ 7:30 p.m.
Dorothy Summers Theater

Monday, Nov. 10, 2014

Marvin Stokes Endowed Lecture (All day)

Percussion Ensembles Concert 6:30 p.m.
@ Ataloo Theater

Wednesday, Nov. 12, 2014

ECU Fall 2014 Noyce Colloquium 11 a.m.
@ Estep Auditorium

Thursday, Nov. 13, 2014

Art Show - Native American Heritage Month Activity
8 p.m. @ Stanley Wagner Ballroom

Instrumental Ensemble Concert
7:30pm @ Ataloo Theatre

Friday, Nov. 14, 2014

NT Live: Skylight 6:30 p.m. @ Estep Center

Saturday, Nov. 15, 2014

Chickasaw Appreciation Day (All Day)

Football vs. Southeastern Oklahoma State 2 p.m.

Richter-Uzur Duo Concert 7:30 p.m.
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