

March 2024



ECU CAMPUS UPDATES



ECU revived a piece of university history last in February when Tiger Tangles made its long-awaited return to campus. More than 800 people filled Ataloo Theatre for Tiger Tangles. ECU students showcased their talents during 20 different performances.



ECU President Wendell Godwin along with students, faculty and staff attended Higher Ed Day at the Capitol in Oklahoma City. Students visited with legislators, including State Senator Greg McCortney and State Representative Ronny Johns, and participated in the Higher Education Day Program on the House Floor.





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Upcoming Events

March 4

- ECU Solo Competition, 7:30 p.m.

March 5

- Lockmiller Art History Lecture, 3 p.m.

March 6

- All Major Career Fair, 11 a.m.

March 7

- ECU Chorale Concert, 7:30 p.m.

March 11-15

- Spring Break

March 20

- Junior Day

March 25

- ECU Founder's Day/Day of Giving
- Women in Leadership Speaker Series - Chancellor Allison Garrett

March 27

- ECU School of Nursing Recruitment Day



ECU ranked among Oklahoma's best colleges by Niche

ECU has been ranked as the No. 3 top public university in Oklahoma and the No. 5 best college in Oklahoma.

For more information, visit ecok.edu/news.



ECU Black Alumni Association hosts event for Black History Month



Brenda Teele

In celebration of Black History Month, the ECU Black Alumni Association hosted a free dinner and program on Feb. 20 in the Chickasaw Business and Conference Center.

The program's featured speaker is Brenda Teele, evening anchor for KXII news, a CBS affiliate in Sherman, Texas.

For more information, visit ecok.edu/news.

ECU hosts Women in Leadership Speaker Series

The ECU Stonecipher School of Business Scholar Leader Program is hosting a Women in Leadership Speaker Series throughout the semester.

Lisa John, the secretary of culture and humanities at the Chickasaw Nation, was the presenting speaker for the first of the series on Feb. 26.

OSRHE Chancellor Allison Garrett will be the presenting Women in Leadership Series speaker on March 25.



Lisa John

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ECU students visit Washington D.C.

February 15-21, Political Science and Legal Studies ECU students participated in the DC Internship Experience 2024. The 13 students attended meetings and tours at the US Capitol, Supreme Court, Department of Agriculture, Library of Congress, the Kenyan Embassy, and other sites. Pictured left: students visited U.S. Senator Tom Cole (R-OK).

2024 Distinguished Honorees Named

Distinguished Alumni

- Dr. Charles Burchell (1963)
- Frankie Crawford (1985)
- Duane Murray (1972)
- Dr. JudyLee Oliva (1975)



Dr. Charles Burchell



Frankie Crawford

Distinguished Family

W.W. and Lelia Reid (Billie) Stephenson Family

Distinguished Former Faculty

Dr. Bruce Weems (1972-2015)

Billie Floyd (1958-1984)

Distinguished Service Award

Chris Feiler (1980)



Duane Murray



Dr. JudyLee Oliva



Dr. Bruce Weems



Billie Floyd



Chris Feiler

All honorees will be highlighted at the Evening of Honors on May 10 in the Chickasaw Business and Conference Center. For more information, visit ecok.edu/2024EOH.

ECU Athletics Inducts Seven Into Class of 2024 Hall of Fame

The esteemed class comprises of six outstanding individuals and one remarkable national championship team. Included in this group are Teresa Jones Ingram (Student-Athlete – Women's Basketball), Scott Linn (Distinguished Coach - Tennis), Robert Dudley (Distinguished Athletic Alumni - Baseball), Calvin Prince (Distinguished Athletic Alumni - Football), Mike and Karen Smith (Distinguished Service), and the 1993 National Championship Football Team. You can see the photos from the event at www.ecok.edu/athletic-hall-fame-banquet.

For more information, visit ecutigers.com.

Tiger Athletics

BASEBALL

- March 4 vs. Nebraska Wesleyan, 1 p.m.
- March 5 vs. Nebraska Wesleyan, noon
- March 8 vs. SWOSU, 2 p.m.
- March 9 vs. SWOSU, noon DH
- March 22 vs. Henderson State, 2 p.m.
- March 23 vs. Henderson Stat, noon DH
- March 26 vs. Southern Nazarene, 2 p.m.
- March 29 vs. Oklahoma Baptist, 2 p.m.
- March 30 vs. Oklahoma Baptist, noon DH

SOFTBALL

- March 5 vs. Arlington Baptist, 4:30 p.m. DH
(Latta High School)
- March 12 vs. Southeastern, 2 p.m. DH
- March 15 vs. Ouachita Baptist, 2 p.m. DH
- March 16 vs. Ouachita Baptist, noon

For full athletic schedules and game times, visit ecutigers.com





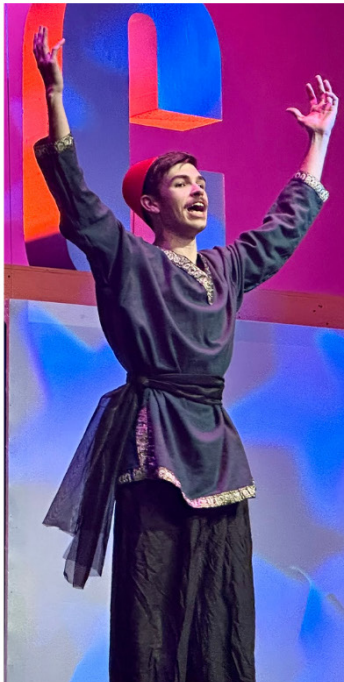
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ECU Showtime presented an original production "Death by Chocolate Feb. 15-17 in this mystery dinner show.

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FOUNDER'S DAY
DAY OF GIVING

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MARCH 25TH, 2024
EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

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Leadership Ada

ECU hosted "Leadership Ada" on campus where they visited several departments, toured campus and visited with President Godwin.



The Quey Percussion Duo brought 20 years of dazzle when they came to ECU on Feb. 15 in Ataloo Theatre.

