

THE UPDATE

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THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Monday August 22

Late Registration

Office of Student Development and Orientation...
"Dude, Where's My Class"
Information Station 8:30-11:30 a.m. Sunwatcher Plaza

Greek Life...
Meet the Greeks Reception 6-8 p.m. CSC Comanche

Tuesday August 23

University Programming Board...
Customized Street Signs 12-4 p.m. CSC Comanche

Moffett Library...
Retirement Reception: Sue Coffey 2-4 p.m. Leisure Reading Area

Athletics...
Women's Football Clinic 6:30-8:30 p.m. Sikes Lake Center

Office of Student Development and Orientation...
Student Convocation & Block Party 7-10 p.m. Fain Auditorium & Sunwatcher Plaza

Office of Student Development and Orientation...
Spirit Days Reunion:
Ice Cream Social 10-10:45 p.m. CSC Atrium

Wednesday August 24

Student Payment Deadline

Museum of Art...
Exploring the World of
Genghis Kahn Bus Tour 8 a.m.-6 p.m. Irving, Texas

University Programming Board...
Custom Dog Tags 12-4 p.m. CSC Atrium

Greek Life...
IFC Information Meeting 6-8 p.m. CSC Shawnee Theater

Recreational Sports and Wellness...
Dodgeball Tournament 7-8:30 p.m. Wellness Center

Student Organizations...
Portico Supports MSU 8-10 p.m. Sunwatcher Plaza

Thursday August 25

Office of Student Development and Orientation...
The Big Time Event!
(Community Expo) 9 a.m.-3 p.m. CSC Comanche

Multicultural Services...
Movie: *My Own Two Wheels* 1:30-11 p.m. CSC Shawnee

Office of Student Development and Orientation...
Welcome Week Fun Tent 2-4 p.m. Sunwatcher Plaza

Career Management Center...
Fun and Games with the CMC 2-4 p.m. CSC Atrium

Office of Student Development and Orientation...
The Norman Magic Show 8-10 p.m. CSC Comanche

Friday August 26

University Programming Board...
Multicultural Showcase 2-4 p.m. CSC Comanche

University Programming Board...
Movie: *The Fast Five* 10-12 p.m. The Quad

Saturday August 27

Athletics...
Student-Athlete Life Skills Day
Keynote Address 6 p.m. D.L. Ligon

University Programming Board...
Texas Rangers Baseball 2:30 p.m.-12 a.m. Arlington, Texas

AROUND CAMPUS

Retirement Reception

A retirement reception honoring Sue Coffey, Serials Librarian, will be from 2-4 p.m. Tuesday, August 23, in the Moffett Library's Leisure Reading Area. Come and join the librarians as they celebrate Sue's 37 years of service to Midwestern State University.

Welcome Week

The Office of Student Development and Orientation will be hosting welcome week for all students this week.

Events scheduled include:

- “Dude, Where’s My Class?” Information Station
- Customized Street Signs
- New Student Convocation & Block Party
- Spirit Days Reunion: Ice Cream Social
- Custom Dog Tags
- The Big Time Event! (Community Expo)
- The Norman Magic Show
- Multicultural Showcase
- *The Fast Five*: Movie Screening
- Texas Rangers Baseball Game

For more information on these events, contact the Office of Student Development and Orientation at ext. 4500.

Women’s Football Clinic

MSU is hosting a FREE women’s football clinic on Tuesday, August 23, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at Sikes Lake Center. The program will include dinner from Johnny Carinos, an explanation on what the X’s and O’s really mean, a question and answer session from Coach Maskill and the football staff, MSU football players with the inside scoop, and plenty of prizes. This free clinic is limited to 150 women. To register contact Mary Helen Maskill at mary.maskill@mwsu.edu or at ext. 8947. Registration is free, but donations will be accepted for the Bill Maskill Foundation, a nonprofit that gives back to the youth of Wichita Falls. For more information on the Bill Maskill Foundation, please visit www.wfac.org.

Student-Athlete Life Skills Keynote Address

Join Chris Fuller of the John Maxwell Company at 6 p.m. Saturday, August 27, in D.L. Ligon Coliseum for your opportunity to grow your leadership skills into influence. This is your opportunity to build teamwork and leadership for your organization and the attendance is priced just right- no cost. The keynote speech culminates the annual Student-Athlete Life Skills Day as the MSU Athletic Department extends an invitation to the Wichita Falls and Midwestern State communities to join the Mustangs family for a night of leadership and growth.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Retirement Reception

Join the Applied Arts and Sciences Department in honoring, Dr. Charles Olson, program director, on his retirement after 10 years of dedicated service to the MSU community. The reception will be from 2-4 p.m. on Monday, August 29, in Prothro-Yeager 226.

Part-Time Job and Volunteer Fair

The Career Management Center and the Office of Student Development and Orientation are sponsoring a Part-Time Job and Volunteer Fair for all MSU students on Wednesday, August 31, in CSC Comanche Suites from 12-2 p.m. Students seeking information regarding part-time employment within the community and/or ways to dedicate time to volunteerism or community service are encouraged to attend. For more information visit www.mwsu.edu/career or call ext. 4473.

CAMPUS NEWS

Six Flags Tickets

The MSU Credit Union has Six Flags Fall Special tickets on sale. Members pay \$24.83 while non-members pay \$25.83 (cash only). Tickets are valid one regular operating day through October 30, 2011.

Mustangs Route

In a new partnership with MSU, the City of Wichita Falls is providing a dedicated bus route, the Mustangs Route, to provide transportation to students living in quarters near the campus. As part of this partnership, all MSU students, faculty, and staff may access the entire public transit system free of charge by presenting a valid MSU ID. The public transit route schedule may be viewed at the following link: <http://www.wichitafallstx.gov/index.aspx?NID=696>. In addition to the Mustangs Route, the Southeast Route that connects to the mall and the transfer station will continue to stop on the MSU campus.

Emergency Expense Account

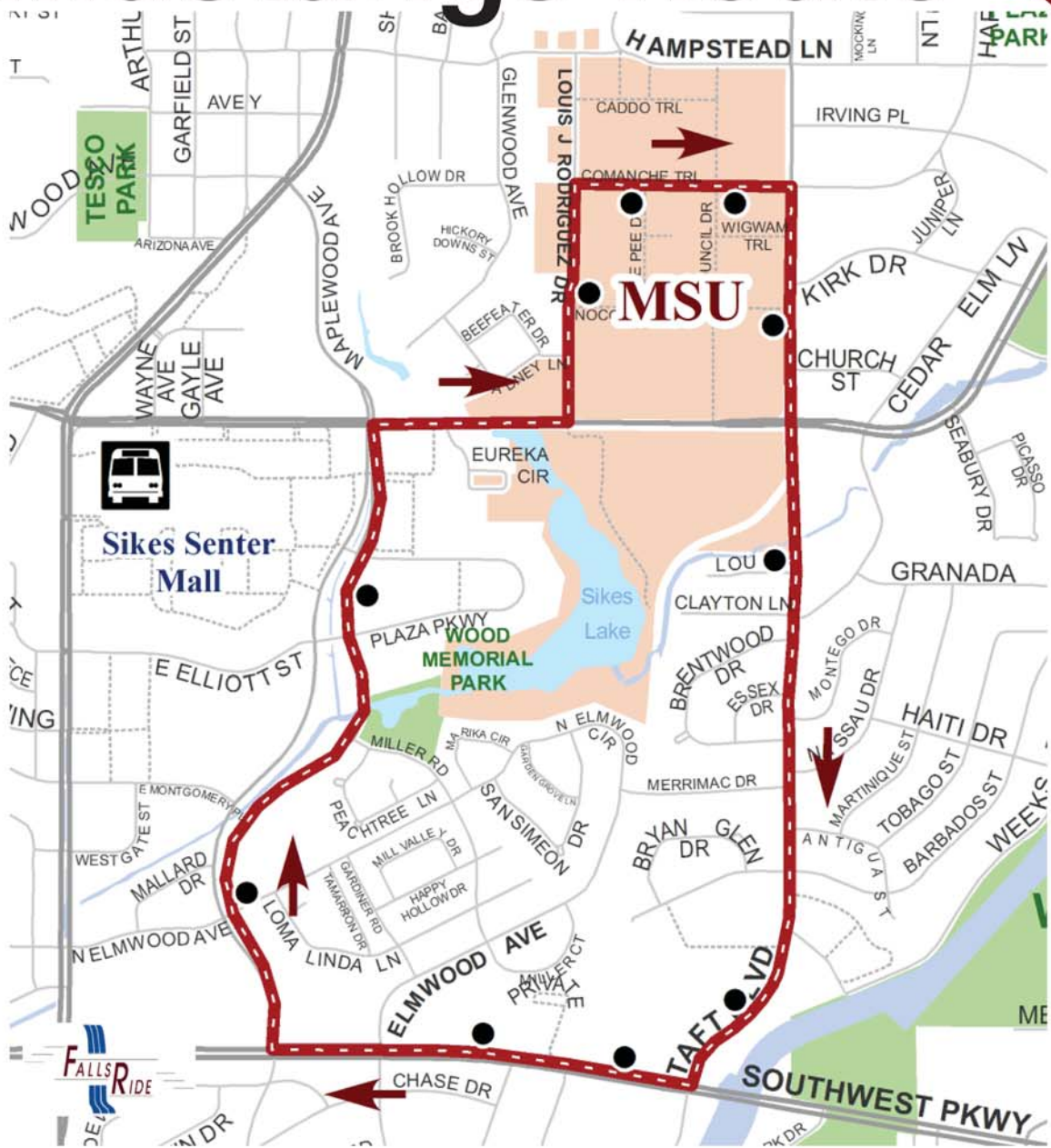
An account has been established at the MSU Credit Union for Dalia Tezaguic (Facilities Services- Dillard College of Business Administration). She unexpectedly needed to travel to Guatemala to be with her husband, David, who had an aneurism that required emergency surgery. For those wishing to help the Tezaguic family with these unexpected expenses, make donations at the MSU Credit Union.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Dr. Ruth Morrow, Bolin Distinguished Chair of Piano, spoke at the International Conference on New Directions in the Humanities in Granada, Spain, this past June. The title of her paper was, “The Art of Listening: Through Silence to Sound—Or the Other Way Around?”

Introducing the Mustangs Route

Available M-F from 7:15 a.m. until 9 p.m.!



Mustangs Route provides access along the Taft/Maplewood corridor to provide transportation to students living in quarters near campus.

The existing Southeast Route connecting MSU to Sikes Senter Mall and the Wichita Falls Transfer Station will remain.

**All city bus routes are FREE
for faculty, staff, and students with valid MSU ID.**

For more information about Falls Ride, the public transit route system, visit www.wichitafallstx.gov/index.aspx?NID=696.