

the Update

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This Week's Events

Monday April 13

Athletics...
Women's Golf at Doc Houseright Invitational Granbury, Texas

Athletics...
Men's Tennis at Cameron 2 p.m. Lawton, Okla.

Department of Mass Communication...
Media Monday 6:30 p.m. Fain C111

Tuesday April 14

Athletics...
Women's Golf at Doc Houseright Invitational Granbury, Texas

Dillard College of Business Administration...
Building the Job I Love Series:
Jacob Morath Noon Dillard 189

Athletics...
Women's Tennis vs. Tarleton 2:30 p.m. MSU Tennis Courts

Center for Continuing Education...
Film Series: *Pulp Fiction* 7 p.m. WFMA

Department of Music...
University Jazz Ensemble 7:30 p.m. Akin Auditorium

Wednesday April 15

Athletics...
Women's Tennis at Cameron 2 p.m. Lawton, Okla.

Moffett Library...
Nolan A. Moore III Birthday Party 3 p.m. Moffett 215

Counseling Center...
Building a Better You Series:
Communication Skills 3:30 p.m. Sundance Meeting Room

Thursday April 16

TACT...
TACT Annual Retiree Luncheon 11:30 a.m. Wichita Falls Country Club

Kimbell School of Geosciences...
Colloquium Series: Dr. Jon Price 5 p.m. Bolin 100

Athletics...
Softball vs. St. Mary's 7 p.m. Mustangs Park

Department of Music...
Percussion and Pan Ensemble 7:30 p.m. Akin Auditorium

Friday April 17

Athletics...
Women's Track at the Michael Johnson Classic Waco, Texas

Athletics...
MSU Tennis vs. Dallas Baptist 1 p.m. MSU Tennis Courts

Lamar D. Fain College of Fine Arts...
Retirement Reception: Laura Jefferson,
Alan Black, and James Schuppener 3 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Atrium

Athletics...
Softball vs. Cameron 5 & 7 p.m. Mustangs Park

Athletics...
MSU Tennis vs. Cowley County CC 6 p.m. MSU Tennis Courts

Residence Hall Association...
Homeless for a Night 7 p.m. Mustangs Walk

Department of Music...
Guest artists: H2/4 7:30 p.m. Akin Auditorium

Saturday April 18

Athletics...
Women's Track at the Michael Johnson Classic Waco, Texas

MSU Cycling...
MSU Cycling at Tulane Conference Championship New Orleans

Recreational Sports...
Rec Sports Softball Tournament 9:30 p.m. Wichita Falls Athletic Complex

Athletics...
Softball vs. Cameron 5 & 7 p.m. Mustangs Park

Athletics...
2015 Maroon & Gold Spring Game 5 p.m. Memorial Stadium

Sunday April 19

MSU Cycling...
MSU Cycling at Tulane Conference Championship New Orleans

Around Campus

Building the Job I Love Series: Jacob Morath

The Dillard College of Business Administration and the Lalani Center for Entrepreneurship and Free Enterprise will present Jacob Morath at noon Tuesday, April 14, in Dillard 189. Morath grew up on an area farm and is an avid hunter. After earning his Bachelor of Science in Applied Mathematics from Texas A&M, Jacob and his wife returned to Wichita Falls to launch a career as an actuary. His plans changed when he couldn't find work as an actuary. That frustration and the experience of having seen his parents enjoy life as self-employed farmers led Jacob to start his own business in 2009.

Building on his love of hunting, Jacob's business, The Taxidermists' Woodshop, provides top quality plaques and mounts to taxidermists across the United States. Jacob was an Idea WF winner in 2012 and his business has grown to five employees.

Building a Better You Series

The MSU Counseling Center will present a series of workshops in April designed to help students learn new techniques and ideas to improve physical and psychological health, improve communication skills, enhance relationships, and explore ideas about choosing a career path. All workshops will take place at the Sundance Court Third Floor Meeting Room.

Communication Skills: Wednesday, April 15
Angie Reay and Reagan Foster
Housing and Residence Life/Counseling Center

Career Choice: Wednesday, April 22
Tonya Wright-Hamilton and Vikki Chaviers
Career Management Center/Counseling Center

Healthy Relationships: Wednesday, April 29
Caleb Hannon and Lori Arnold
Recreational Sports & Wellness Center/Counseling Center

For more information, call ext. 4618.

Mark Your Calendar

Artist-Lecture Series: Elizabeth Smart

The Artist-Lecture Series will present Elizabeth Smart at 7 p.m. Tuesday, April 21, in Akin Auditorium. After being abducted in 2002 and held captive for nine months, Elizabeth Smart became nationally known for being a part of the most followed child abduction case of our time. The founder of the Elizabeth Smart Foundation, she has helped promote the National AMBER Alert, the Adam Walsh Child Protection & Safety Act, and other safety legislation to prevent crimes against children. She chronicled her experiences in the *New York Times* best-selling book, *My Story*, published in 2013. Admission is free to MSU students, faculty, and staff with ID. Tickets are available at the Clark Student Center Information Desk. For tickets or more information, call ext. 7500.

Exploring the World of Art

The Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU and the Kemp Center for the Arts will present the Exploring the World of Art Bus Trip on Wednesday, April 22. The day trip will begin with a continental breakfast at 7:30 a.m. at the WFMA. The bus will depart at 8 a.m. from the WFMA for Oklahoma City. Participants will view *Intent to Deceive* at the Oklahoma City Museum of Art and visit Artspace at Untitled. Cost of the tour is \$45 and includes

transportation, two docent tours, admission to the two exhibits, and refreshments. Lunch is at the participant's cost and will be at the OKCMOA Museum Café. Cost is transferable, but nonrefundable. Seating is limited. For more information or to make reservations, call 940-767-2787.

Retirement Reception

The Department of Computer Science will host a retirement reception honoring Dr. Timothy Donovan from 2:30-4 p.m. Thursday, April 23, in Dillard 189. Donovan is retiring with 28 years of service to the University.

Speakers & Issues Series:

Dr. Carter L. Hudgins

The Speakers and Issues Series will present Dr. Carter L. Hudgins at 7 p.m. Thursday, April 23, at the Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU. Hudgins will speak about Sir Walter Raleigh, Thomas Harriot and the Search for the Lost Colony. This illustrated lecture will review the archaeological search for the Lost Colony on Roanoke Island in North Carolina. Hudgins is Director of the Graduate Program in Historic Preservation jointly sponsored by Clemson University and the College of Charleston. Prior to joining the Clemson faculty, Hudgins was Hofer Distinguished Professor of Early American Culture and Historic Preservation at the University of Mary Washington where he served multiple terms as chairperson of the Department of Historic Preservation and the Department of History and American Studies. Admission is free with donations welcome. For more information, call Dr. Claudia Montoya at ext. 4259.

Moonlight Stampede Against Drugs 2015

The MSU Crime Stoppers will host the Moonlight Stampede Against Drugs 2015 from 7:15-9:30 p.m. Friday, April 24, at the Sikes Lake walking track. The Moonlight Stampede is an event to bring awareness of drug use within the community and school campuses while raising funds for the area campus Crime Stoppers to pay rewards for tips leading to arrests. The event is free. T-shirts may be pre-ordered for \$10. Purchase of a shirt enters you into a "Night Out Package" raffle. For more information, contact Elwyn Ladd at elwyn.ladd@mwsu.edu or (940) 704-3095.

Festival of One-Act Plays

The Department of Theatre will present the Festival of One Act-Plays at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 24-25, in the Fain Fine Arts Bea Wood Studio Theatre. This festival shows the collaborative creative efforts of senior-level directors, designers, and technicians. General admission is \$5. For information, call ext. 4399 or ext. 4393.

Campus News

MSU Credit Union Accepting Scholarship Applications

Applications are now available at the MSU Credit Union for the Doris L. Murray, Marjorie A. Gramlich, Mike & Patricia Hagler Scholarship. The scholarship is awarded for the Fall 2015 semester to a member, or members, in good standing with the credit union and who is attending MSU as a full-time student. The scholarship will automatically continue for the Spring 2016 semester if satisfactory progress is maintained (at least 2.0 GPA). To be eligible an applicant should have completed the application process by noon, June 17, 2015. For more information call ext. 4622 or log in at www.mwsucu.com.

Jobs

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Registrar Assistant I

Department: Office of the Registrar

Starting Date: As soon as possible

Starting Salary: \$1,743 monthly, plus benefits

In the Spotlight

A total of 34 student athletic trainers were recognized by the Lone Star Conference April 8 as the league announced its annual Athletic Training Student Academic Award winners for 2014-15. Each academic year, the LSC recognizes student athletic trainers who devote several hours to assist with the operation of the athletics department while also finding the time to excel in the classroom. To be eligible for LSC academic honors, student athletic trainers must carry at least a 3.30 grade point average with a minimum of 24 semester hours at the nominating institution. This year's honorees represent five of the LSC's nine member institutions, with Midwestern State having a league-high 10 honorees. Midwestern State University's Athletic Training Student Academic Award recipients are **Austin Bauer, Darien Roach, Jacob Herring, Briana Rojas, Delize Paul, Jessica Geis, Amy Simmons, Jaycee Alvarez, Victoria Shores,** and **Sarita Adhikary.**

Four of MSU's Radiologic Science faculty presented at the Oklahoma Society of Radiologic Technologist's Annual Meeting in Oklahoma City on March 26. **Beth Vealé** presented "Radiologic Evidence of Parasites," **Lynette Watts** presented "Social Media for the Radiography Professional," **Kevin Clark** presented "You Swallowed What? Pediatric Foreign Body Ingestions," and **Rodney Fisher** presented "What do those T and Z Scores Mean? A Bone Densitometry Primer."

Joey Greenwood, Director of Recreational Sports/Wellness Center, presented "Design to Opening: Three Case Studies From Very Different Perspectives in Collegiate Recreation Center Construction and Design" at the National Intramural Recreational Sports Association National Conference on April 2 in Grapevine, Texas.

Keith Williamson, MSU Medical Director, co-authored an article published "Ultraendurance Cycling in a Hot Environment: Thirst, Fluid Consumption, and Water Balance" in the *Journal of Strength and Conditioning Research* in conjunction with researchers from the University of Connecticut and the University of Arkansas. Plans are under way to develop this topic and related research further at the 2015 Hotter'N Hell Hundred.

Roberto Fuenes, Professor of Spanish, presented his paper, "El costumbrismo filipino de la época colonial," at the 7th Conference on East-West Intercultural Relations: Intercultural Dialogues and Crossings among the East, the Americas, and the Iberian Peninsula held in March in New York City.

Jeff Killion, Chair/Graduate Coordinator of Radiologic Sciences, gave two presentations at the West Coast Educators Council's 19th Student-Educator Seminar in Orlando, Fla. He presented "Technostress" and "Academic Advising."

Christopher Wertz, Assistant Professor of Radiologic Sciences, was interviewed for an article that appeared in the February/March issue of *ASRT Scanner* on pages 32-33.

From the Bookstore

Just arrived: Huge selection of children's books. Shop our growing clearance area for new items just added today.

Our next Flash Sale will be April 21-22.

Faculty needing regalia for the May ceremony, contact Jenny at ext. 4384.

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