

THIS WEEK

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29

Counseling Center Academic Workshop: Managing Anxiety Over Finals
3:30-5 p.m. Legacy Multipurpose Room

Senior Exhibitions Open
6-8 p.m. Harvey Art Gallery

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Counseling Center Academic Workshop: Building Academic Skills to Succeed on Final Exams
3:30-5 p.m. Legacy Multipurpose Room

Men's Basketball at Cameron
7 p.m. Lawton, Oklahoma

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1

Counseling Center Academic Workshop: Creating a Time Management Plan for Final Exams
3:30-5 p.m. Legacy Multipurpose Room

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2

Counseling Center Academic Workshop: Integrating Course Experiences into your Career Plan
3:30-5 p.m. Legacy Multipurpose Room

Women's Basketball at Oklahoma Christian
5:30 p.m. Oklahoma City

Men's Basketball at Oklahoma Christian
7:30 p.m. Oklahoma City

Band & Choir Holiday Spectacular
7:30 p.m. Akin Auditorium

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3

Last Day of Classes

Retirement Reception for Delores Jackson
2-4 p.m. Dillard 189

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4

Finals begin

Nameless Comedy Improv Show
6:30 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Center Theatre

Do you want to share your news or accomplishments with the campus community?

Please submit your information to public.information@msutexas.edu to be included in the next issue.

AROUND CAMPUS

Senior Exhibitions at Harvey Art Gallery

Senior Exhibitions open Monday, Nov. 29, at the Juanita Harvey Art Gallery. Exhibits will feature a variety of media with each student having his/her own individual theme and will be on display through Dec. 17. An opening reception will be held from 6-8 p.m. Friday, Dec. 10. Gallery hours are 9 a.m.-noon and 2-5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 940-397-4264 for more information.

Musical Holiday Spectacular

The Department of Music will present the Band and Choir Holiday Spectacular at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 2, in Akin Auditorium. Admission is free. Call 940-397-4267 for more information.

Retirement Reception: Delores Jackson

The campus community is invited to a retirement reception honoring Delores Jackson from 2-4 p.m. Friday, Dec. 3, in Dillard 189. Delores has been with MSU Texas for 20 years. **RSVP by Nov. 30** to deborah.foshee@msutexas.edu.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Nameless Comedy Improv Show

The newly formed Nameless Comedy Improv troupe will perform a completely made up in the moment show at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 4, in the Fain Fine Arts Center Theatre. Show prompts may be taken from audience. The show is free to all, and will last about two hours. Presented by MSU Texas Theatre and Alpha Psi Omega National Theatre Honor Society. Call 940-397-4670 for more information.

Mass Communication Senior Documentary Screenings

The Department of Mass Communication will present screenings of senior documentaries at noon Friday, Dec. 10, in the Fain Fine Arts Center Theatre. Call 940-397-4670 for more information.

Second Friday Concert

The Department of Music will present the Second Friday concert with Dr. Ruth Morrow at 5:15 p.m. Friday, Dec. 10, in Akin Auditorium. Call 940-397-4267 for more information.

Commencement Information

The MSU commencement ceremony will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 11, in Kay Yeager Coliseum. Texas Tech University System Chancellor Tedd L. Mitchell will be the speaker. Please meet at 9 a.m. in the back hallway in the MPEC to line up with your college. Faculty who need a special seating pass for spouses to sit in the reserved section #5, please request one from the Office of the Provost no later than Monday, Dec. 6. Call the MSU Registrar's Office at 940-397-4116 or visit msutexas.edu/registrar/commencement for more information.

FROM THE BOOKSTORE

As a token of appreciation, the MSU Texas Bookstore is offering a 30% off Holiday Shopping Pass for faculty and staff through Dec. 4. The one-time pass is valid for an entire apparel and gift purchase and is for in store use only. The barcode for the shopping pass is available through your individual msutexas.edu email accounts. For more information visit the [Bookstore online](#).

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IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Dittika Gupta, Associate Professor of Curriculum and Learning, was elected to the board of the National School Science and Mathematics Association this summer. She took office in October 2021 and serves as the chair of the board's Nominations and Elections Committee.

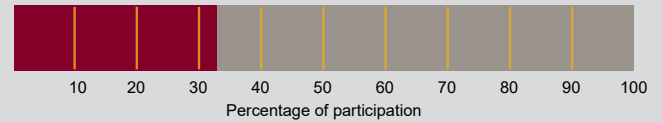
History students **Isabella Black** and **Maggie-Mae Ellison** completed a remote internship this summer under the supervision of **Mary Draper**, Assistant Professor of History, with the Center for Digital History at George Washington's Mount Vernon. They helped with the creation of Mount Vernon's new podcast, "[Intertwined: The Enslaved Community at George Washington's Mount Vernon.](#)" which was released Nov. 15. The students and Midwestern State receive a shout out at the end of each episode.

Eric Lynch, Assistant Professor of French, presented the paper titled "Philippe Vasset's Blank Map of Paris" at the recent Pacific Ancient and Modern Language Association conference held in Las Vegas.



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