MONDAY, AUG. 22
Classes begin
Auditions for Theatre productions
6-8 p.m. Fain Fine Arts Center

TUESDAY, AUG. 23
Stangs Resource Fair
11 a.m.-1 p.m. CSC Comanche

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 24
Part-time Job Fair for Students
11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Clark Student Center

THURSDAY, AUG. 25
Men's Soccer vs. Colorado Mesa
4 p.m. Laredo, Texas

Receipt for Tracee Robertson
4-6 p.m. WFMA at MSU Texas

Women's Soccer vs. Regis (Colorado)
8 p.m. Denver, Colorado

EURECA Meet & Greet
4:30-6:30 p.m. Sikes Lake Center

FRIDAY, AUG. 26
Volleyball vs. Sioux Falls
10 a.m. Kearney, Nebraska

Volleyball vs. Nebraska-Kearney
6 p.m. Kearney, Nebraska

Jason Bly Solo Exhibition
Juanita Harvey Art Gallery

British Studies 2022 Exhibition
Fain Foyer and Pit Galleries

SATURDAY, AUG. 27
Volleyball vs. Washburn (Kansas)
10 a.m. Kearney, Nebraska

Women's Soccer vs. Colorado School of Mines
1 p.m. Golden, Colorado

Volleyball vs. Minot State (North Dakota)
2 p.m. Kearney, Nebraska

Men's Soccer vs. Regis
4 p.m. Laredo, Texas

Improv Team Auditions
1-5 p.m. Fain Fine Arts

MONDAY, AUG. 29
Retirement Reception for Chief Patrick Coggins
2-4 p.m. Dillard 189

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 31
Print Shop closed for inventory

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AROUND CAMPUS

Campus parking decals
All students, faculty and staff who park on campus are required to have an MSU Texas parking permit. Registration for parking permits for students, faculty and staff is available online (Firefox or Chrome recommended). Parking permits are valid Sept. 1-Aug. 31 for the respective academic year.

Community Education ceramics classes
Community Education ceramics classes begin Monday, Aug. 22, in the Fain Fine Arts ceramics studio (C119). Classes will be taught in both handbuilding and wheel throwing from 6-9 p.m. Mondays through Dec. 5. Tuition is $350 and includes all materials and firings. Sign up online for handbuilding and for wheel throwing. Contact Gerber Pease by email at call ext. 4264 for more information.

Theatre auditions
Auditions for the fall Department of Theatre productions of The Glass Menagerie and Peter and the Starcatcher will be from 6-8 p.m. Monday, Aug. 22. Callbacks will be Aug. 23 by invitation. To prepare, memorize a one-minute monologue which shows emotional connection. To sign up for an audition, please fill out the online audition form and schedule an audition time slot online.

Theatre will practice nontraditional and identity-conscious casting in all productions. They encourage all actors to audition, regardless of race/ethnicity/caste, disability, body type, age, orientation, or gender/ gender identity. Gender diverse actors are encouraged to audition. Community members can also audition for MSU Texas productions; casting preference will go to currently enrolled students when possible. Contact Assistant Professor Morgan Mallory for more information or for help finding material.

Farewell Reception:
Tracee Robertson
A reception will be held for WFMA Director Tracee Robertson from 4-6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 25, at the museum. RSVP to Elizabeth Adams.

Exhibitions at Juanita Harvey Art Gallery
A solo exhibition by Assistant Professor of Art Jason Bly and an exhibition of photos of the British Studies 2022 trip will open Friday, Aug. 26, in the Juanita Harvey Art Gallery and the Foyer and Pit galleries in Fain Fine Arts. An opening reception will be held from 6-8 p.m. Friday, Sept. 9. The exhibitions will be on display through Friday, Sept. 23. Call ext. 4264 for more information.

Retirement Reception:
Patrick Coggins
A retirement reception for MSU Texas Police Chief Patrick Coggins will be from 2-4 p.m. Monday, Aug. 29, in Dillard 189. The reception will celebrate his 35-year career in law enforcement, with six here at MSU Texas. Refreshments will be served. Call Stephanie Estrada at ext. 4310 for more information.

Print Shop closure
The MSU Texas Print Shop will be closed Wednesday, Aug. 31, for inventory. The print shop will reopen Thursday, Sept. 1. The staff will be available to answer emails during the closure.

Live at the Lake
The Live at the Lake concert series presented by the Wichita Falls Museum of Art at MSU Texas will host the Jay Hollis Band from 6-8 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 8, at the Priddy Pavilion at Sikes Lake. Bring blankets or lawn chairs. Call the museum at 940-397-8900 for more information.

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CAMPUS NEWS

Leimer co-editor of book on artist Jimenez Underwood

Chicana artist Consuelo Jimenez Underwood’s body of work is considered essential to the study of Chicana art history. Her work is now the subject of a new anthology published by Duke University Press and co-edited by Ann Marie Leimer, professor of Art in the Harvey School of Visual Arts at MSU Texas, and Laura E. Pérez, professor of Chicana and Latinx Studies and chair of the Latinx Research Center at the University of California, Berkeley.

Read the full story in the MSU Texas news.

Wilson appointed CMR editor-in-chief

Associate Professor of Mass Communication Bradley Wilson has been appointed as the new editor-in-chief of College Media Review, the College Media Association’s longstanding publication for research and news about the world of college media. College Media Review provides data and research to advisers and educators who need it while also giving members a place to get their work published. Read the full story in the MSU Texas news.

Kappa Sigma chapter earns prestigious national award

For the second consecutive year, the Kappa Sigma Chapter at Midwestern State University has been awarded a Kappa Sigma Founders’ Award of Chapter Excellence as one of the fraternity’s top chapters in North America. Read the full story in the MSU Texas news.

Centennial Stories

To honor our Centennial, Channel 6 is airing a series of stories featuring a few of the people who make MSU Texas special. Please check out these Mustangs stories. KAUZ: Celebrating 100 years with MSU Texas.

Fall 2022 undergraduate research scholars

The MSU Texas Office of Undergraduate Research will fund 20 EURECA research projects in fall 2022. These projects were selected by peer-review from the six colleges; 15 are new and five are continuations from the spring funding period. Read the full story in the MSU Texas news.
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Trio of Lost Vultures Saxophone Concert
The Department of Music will present “Trio of Lost Vultures: A Night of Saxophone” at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 13, in Akin Auditorium. Performing will be Assistant Professor of Music Sarah Dunbar and guest artists Michael Davis, Oklahoma City University adjunct professor of saxophone, and Ekaterina Chernaya-Oh on piano. Admission is free. Call ext. 4267 for more information.

2022-2023 Faculty/Staff Campaign Celebration Lunch
A celebration lunch in support of this year’s MSU Faculty/Staff Campaign will begin at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 20, in the Quad. First National Bank is sponsoring and preparing the hamburger and fixings meal. For more information, contact the Office of University Advancement at ext. 4539 or email Steve Shipp.

Family Weekend 2022
Midwestern State University will present Family Weekend 2022 Friday and Saturday, Sept. 23-24. Family Weekend is a time for families to join their MSU student for fun and college memories. Events kick off Friday with an outdoor concert by Intensity Band followed by the Caribfest SOCO Show. On Saturday there will be an outdoor movie, fun and games at the Quad, and family tailgating before the Mustangs-Simon Fraser football game Saturday night. See the full schedule of events online. Contact Angie Reay by email or call 940-397-4466 for more information.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Frank B. Wyatt, Professor in the Department of Athletic Training & Exercise Physiology, published an abstract from a National Conference Proceedings in the August 2022 Journal of Exercise Physiology. The title of the abstract and presentation was “Meta-Analysis: A Timely Research Design.”

Facilities Services Star Awards
Star Award recipients in July were Brian Talcott, painting foreperson; and Steven Fisher, painter. Star Awards recognize Facilities Services employees who take pride in their work and give outstanding service to the campus. These employees are recognized with a certificate posted in their work space as well as a unique copper mustang cut-out that can be displayed on desks and/or in the Daniel Building front office.

This past year has been an extra busy one for the painters. They were assigned numerous tasks associated with the recent renovation of Memorial Hall, and they had to squeeze in as much summer street painting as possible. With the changing of the Presidents, they have had to take care of six years of delayed maintenance items at Sikes House which resulted in over 2-1/2 months of “extra” work for Brian and Steven. They have also had to handle the normal summertime increase in requests for work to be done while students are gone or in preparation for the arrival of new faculty. To add to their responsibilities, the Facilities staff has been performing building audits which typically generate dozens of hours of paint work each month. These additional tasks have increased their normal backlog of work orders from approximately 30 to 90, causing them often to be painting to make a deadline.

The painters have also been starting work at 4 a.m. for street painting. In a normal summer this only lasts for a month, but due to all the additional work they have been keeping this schedule for the past two months and are likely to do it for several more weeks.

We are thankful for our dedicated painters.

JOBS

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Administrative Assistant
Department: Dillard College of Business Administration
Starting Date: Sept. 15, 2022
Starting Salary: $2,276.25

Electrician
Department: Facilities Services
Starting Date: ASAP
Starting Salary: $2,814.33 monthly plus benefits