



MESSENGER

Published as a service to the students and instructors of the Ardmore Higher Education Center. The Center Program administered under the direction of the Board of Trustees for the Ardmore Higher Education Program

Ardmore, OK 73401

July 10, 2006



Walking track being constructed in front of the AHEC building.

SOSU NEWS: Please check the SOSU and AHEC websites FOR CLASS SCHEUDLE UPDATES. Call Kathy Carr at 1-580-220-2863 for more information.

OSU/OKC: Coming to AHEC this fall: Bloodstain Interpretation and Fingerprint Identification! These two great classes will be taught by OSBI Special agent David Seals. Call Kathy Carr at 1-580-220-2863 for more information.

ECU/EOC NEWS: Just a reminder to all students it is time to file your financial aid for the school year 2006-07. Come and see Kirk Rushing or Deborah Godwin to get it filled out electronically. Remember to file your 2005 taxes as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please contact us for any further information.

MSC NEWS: Fall enrollment slots are filling up fast, please call and get your appointment now. Also please submit ACT scores and any transcripts that are needed before your fall enrollment appointment.

SUMMER CONTINUING EDUCATION CLASSES: The following insurance class will be presented by Bricker Performance Education, Inc. at AHEC this fall. Log on to www.bricker-education.com to enroll.

- Oklahoma Life, Accident & Health Insurance Exam Prep: MT, 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m. 7/24 - 7/25.

This class is being offered in partnership with the Southern Oklahoma Technology Center.

Coming this fall we will be offering classes especially designed for the seniors in our area. Classes will be offered in personal enrichment, History, travel, computer techniques, and the arts. If you are interested in teaching or leading a discussion group please contact Dr. Robin Plumb or Georganne Westfall in the AHEC office.

Real Estate Licensure class will be offered starting August 28. Deadline for enrollment is August 11.

New program from OU - coming to the Ardmore Higher Education Center this fall. The Interdisciplinary

Graduate Certificate in *Gerontology* offered, beginning in the fall. This is an 18 hour program. Five required courses and one elective course are designed to provide basic knowledge needed to work with older adults. For more information, please contact Dr. Robin Plumb, at 223-1441.

LIBRARY NEWS: Summer library hours: Monday through Thursday 8:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. On Friday, the library is open 9:00 a.m. – noon and 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

FINANCIAL AID NEWS: Financial Aid Disbursement for Murray State College. Disbursement for 2nd half of student loans and loans for 1st borrowers will be disbursed in the MSC Advisement suite, Thursday July 13th. You must have your attendance verification form signed by 2 instructors totaling 6 credit hours and photo I.D. If you want a student loan for summer, please see Rhonda Glenn as soon as possible. Time is running out to process loans for the summer. If you have not filed your FAFSA 06-07 for the Fall semester, you must do so quickly. In order to make an appointment to enroll you must have filed your FAFSA and be awarded for the fall semester. As always, please check the MSC financial aid bulletin board for the latest information.

NEW SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE AT AHEC: The McCrory Foundation will offer a new scholarship for students attending classes at AHEC. Come to the AHEC office for your application. Deadline is August 15, 2006.

Welcome to Bonnie Petersen, Murray State College Assessment and **Sherry Gray**, Assistant Bookstore Manager. Sherry and Bonnie are recent graduates of Murray State College and will be continuing their education while working.

ECU NEWS: Andrea Bryant will begin her new duties as East Central University student advisor on Monday, August 24. She comes to us from the Alumni Center at OSU in Stillwater.



The 1st of 3 Murray State College buildings! The new MSC offices, math lab and testing center, and classrooms are being constructed and will be ready for the fall 2006 semester.