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Weatherford, OK Fire Department's Santa Express Event Arrives December 15

Chase Wright Staff Writer

Picture this: it's the middle of December and

you hear the faint sound of sleigh bells. You dash out to the front yard to see the one and only Santa Claus aboard the Santa Express fire truck! No, you're not dreaming; he's actually here!

From 5:30pm - 8:00pm, on Thursday, December 15th, Santa Claus will be traveling throughout the streets in Weatherford, OK to see all the boys and girls with the best Christmas Spirit.

Working closely with the Weatherford Fire Department, Santa will be getting a good look at Weatherford before he comes back on Christmas Eve. So, "you better watch out because Santa Claus is coming to town!"

Thomas, OK Planning Country-Themed Holiday Event, Begins December 7

Chase Wright

It's time for some Country Christmas in Thomas! On

Wednesday, December 7th, the city of Thomas invites everyone out for a Merry Christmas celebration. Activities for the day begin with the Christmas Bazaar open at the Sr. Citizen Center from 11am - 7pm.

The afternoon festivities begin with gingerbread houses at the library from 4pm - 5pm. If you haven't

gotten a chance to see Santa yet, from 4:30pm - 6:15pm, Santa Claus is stopping by for some outdoor photos!

Once you've grabbed your photo, you'll want to take a festive carriage ride, offered before the parade between 4:45pm - 6:45pm.

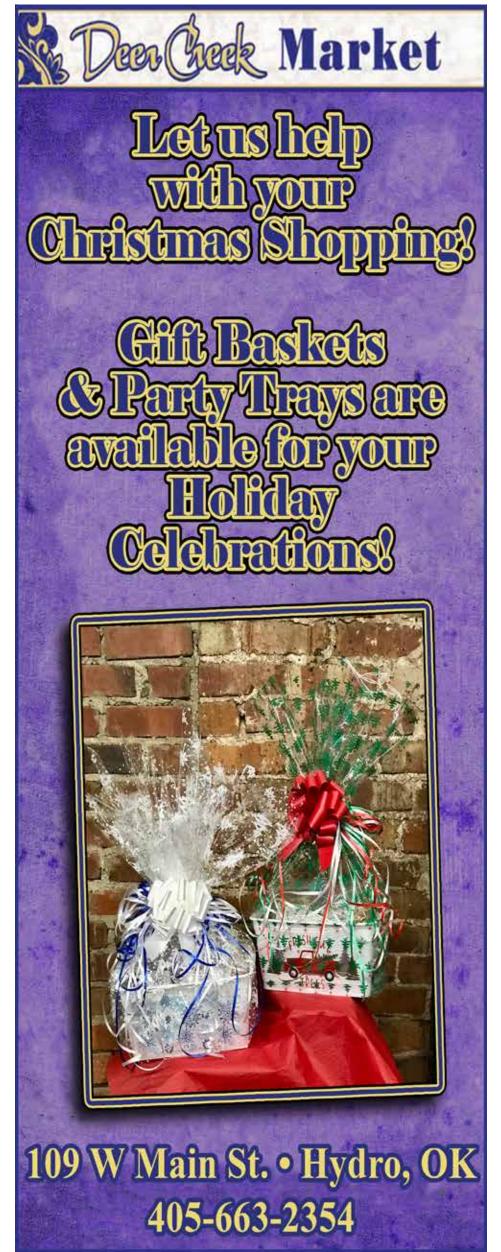
Following the parade, there will be a drawing for special prizes. Sign up at the Kids Connection between 5pm - 6pm.

Prizes for the parade include Chamber Bucks to the top 3 floats; Chamber Bucks to the top 3 spots in offroad vehicles, motorcycles, 4-wheelers; and Chamber Bucks for the top 3 in golf carts.

At 7pm, The Christmas Parade begins in front of the First Bank of Thomas. The parade will feature all kinds of decorated vehicles and floats, and it will end with jolly ol' Santa Claus atop the fire truck at the end!







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Larry Sawatzky

Memorial services for Larry Wayne Sawatzky, 79, a Weatherford resident. were held at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, November 29, 2022, in the Kiesau Memorial Chapel, officiated by Chaplain Ron Thiessen and under the direction of the Kiesau-Lee Funeral Home.



Larry Sawatzky was born January 2, 1943, to Albert and Sadie (McLaughlin) Sawatzky in Clinton, OK, and passed away Friday, November 25, 2022, at his Weatherford home.

He attended and graduated from Arapaho High School in 1961. Larry served in the United States Air Force. The 3M Company in Weatherford employed him for over 30 years until his retirement. He also farmed and ranched his whole life, which was one of his greatest joys. He was a collector of antique tractors. He also obtained numerous trucks over the years and had nicknames for each one, regardless of whether they operated. Larry married Carol Gentry on October 19, 1967. They had two daughters: Jennifer and Abby. Later in life, he married Carletta Davis on October 26, 1993, in Eureka Springs, AR.

Larry was preceded in death by father Albert, mother Sadie, stepmother Susan, and brother Ronald.

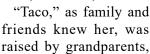
He is survived by his wife of 29 years Carletta of the home, his two daughters: Jennifer Sawatzky of Bentonville, AR; and Abby Babb and husband Kelly of Stuart, OK; stepson Charlie Riley and wife Tricia of Corn, OK; and Ronnie Riley and wife Sarah of Jenks, OK; sister Andrea Sizemore and husband Walter of Tulsa, OK; grandchildren: Derek Beck and wife Morgan of Weatherford, OK; Aaron Riley and wife Ariel; Jeffrey Riley and wife Emily; Hunter Riley, Reid Riley, Madison Riley, Lauren Riley, Garrett Kennedy, and Lauren Kennedy, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

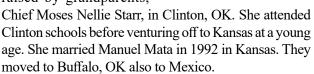




Regina Louise "Taco" Mata

Regina Louise Mata was born November 19, 1972, to Juan Arriaga and Madonna Starr in Oklahoma City, OK, and passed away Thursday, November 24, 2022, in Clinton, OK.





Cheyenne-Arapaho employed her in Clinton to transport the elderly. She also worked in housekeeping in local motels. She enjoyed doing beadwork and drawing. She was also a collector of "stuff."

She was preceded in death by her mother, Madonna Starr, and her husband, Manuel.

She is survived by daughters: Madonna Mata, Tahlequah, and Monica Starr, Elk City, OK; sons: Juan Antonio Mata and wife Nichole Nowata, OK; Rafael Mata and Illiana, Clinton; Esteban Mata, Weatherford; and Manuel Mata, Clinton; and her father Juan Arriaga, Clinton.

She is also survived by ten grandchildren.

Dawnita Allard

Dawnita Gay Allard, of Roosevelt, Oklahoma, passed away on December 1, 2022. Dawnita was born on June 10th, 1958 to Truman and Margala Barnes in Waxahachie, Texas.



Dawnita grew up in Brea, California until moving to

Hobart, Oklahoma at the age of 15 in 1973. There, she met most of her lifelong friends, as well as her future husband, Russell Allard. They were married in 1979 and welcomed a son, Tyson, in 1983 and second son, Cody, in 1986.

Dawnita was a lifelong Tennis fan and enjoyed watching OU football. Dawnita was an advocate for rescue animals, rescuing 10 dogs and numerous cats over the course of her life. Dawnita was diagnosed with Kidney Cancer in 2007 and fought the disease for the rest of her life. Dawnita loved training and riding horses through her youth and spending time with her granddaughters.

Dawnita is preceded in death by her Father, Truman Barnes.

Dawnita is survived by her Husband, Russell Allard of Roosevelt, OK; Son and Daughter-in-Law, Tyson and Kerri Allard of Weatherford, OK; Son and Daughterin-Law, Cody and Jennifer Allard of Fort Worth, TX; Granddaughters, Quinn and Berkley Allard of Weatherford, OK. Mother, Margala Gates of Hobart, OK; Brother, Butch Barnes of Hobart, OK.

In Lieu of flowers donations can be made to the Southwest Veterinary Clinic Rescue Animal Fund in Hobart, OK.



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Marcella Keller

Marcella Gertrude Keller was born on October 11, 1921, to Mathias and Ethelburg (Heger) Keller in El Reno, Oklahoma, and passed away peacefully in her home, surrounded by her family, on Tuesday, November 29,



2022, at the age of 101 years, one month, and 18 days. Marcella was a beloved Mammie and mom to her family, who will all miss her dearly. Marcella attended Sacred Heart Catholic School in El Reno before moving to Hydro, Oklahoma, where she graduated in 1939. After graduation, she worked in Hydro at Basinger General Store, Kirpatrick's Filling Station and Cabins, and Heger Grocery Store (for her uncle Charles). Her sister, Loretta, took over all the duties on the farm after their father's passing. At Kirpatrick's Cabins, Marcella cleaned six cabins, washed sheets in an old foot pedal-powered Maytag washing machine, and hung the sheets on a clothesline to dry. Because she was such a hard worker, she made \$4.00 per week, which was \$1.00 more than the other hired help. She was able to buy herself a car plus many furnishings for the house on the farm.

In the 1950s, Marcella moved to Weatherford, where she worked at Eaton's IGA for nineteen years and 3M for fifteen years, eventually retiring in 1993. Marcella never married or had children of her own, but she has two special nieces who became her daughters. She helped raise her grandchildren, Kenlee Smith Copeland and Dyson Smith, living with them until they moved out. She lived her last thirty years with her daughter, Brandie Smith.

Marcella was also a loving Mammie to three additional grandchildren: Lillyanna Puente, Connor Pair, and Taylor Pair.

Marcella enjoyed spending time at home with her family, over-watering her flowers, working jigsaw puzzles, and feeding her fat cats. In the summer of 1986, she won the Green Spade Award for the best yard in Weatherford.

Marcella was preceded in death by her parents, Matt and Ethel Keller, two sisters: Mona Rita Ford and Roberta Williams; and two nieces: Twila Marshall and Sheila Triplett.

She is survived by two daughters: Brandie and husband Travis Smith of Weatherford; and Bridget and husband Steven Pair of Weatherford; sister Loretta Marshall of Hydro; five grandchildren: Kenlee Copeland and husband Tacoma; Dyson Smith; Lillyanna Puente; Connor Pair; and Taylor Pair; two nieces: Celia Marshall and Rhonda Marshall of Hydro; and two nephews: Bernie and Laura Marshall of Hydro; and Carlos and Terri Triplett of Weatherford.

Dan Turner

Dan Ross Turner was born June 12, 1944, to Doyle Earl Turner and Winnifred Pearl (Smith) Turner in Sayre, Oklahoma, and passed away Friday, November 25, 2022, in Alliance Health Clinton.



Dan was raised in

Sweetwater, OK and, at a young age, he moved with his family to Erick, OK. He attended and graduated from Erick High School in 1962. He furthered his education by going to Oklahoma State University at Stillwater, OK and Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford, OK, receiving his degrees in Education. He married his wife Toni Queenan on January 14, 1967, in Erick, OK.

He was an educator and served both as a principal and classroom teacher in Erick, OK and Kingfisher, OK and retired after 35 years.

He was a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints in Clinton, the Sigma Tau Gamma Fraternity, the Rotary Club and the Lion Club. He enjoyed fly fishing, raising horses, hunting, genealogy and family history.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and brother Michael Turner.

He is survived by his wife Toni of the home, son Jason Turner, daughter Jordan Mosby, sister Sherri Johnson, and brother, Doug Turner.

He is also survived by three grandchildren: Joey Mosby, Gunner Mosby and Bridgette Mosby.





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Former Miss America Coming Home for Christmas Susan Powell is coming home for Christmas! The Elk City Arts Council is announcing that former Miss America and Elk City Native Susan Powell will join a cast of singers

and the Oklahoma City Philharmonic in Elk City Wednesday, December 14, 7:30pm at the Kelli O'Hara Auditorium for the Elk City's Hometown Christmas. Susan will join Vince Leseney, Mandy Jiran, the Oklahoma City Philharmonic

(conducted by Alexander Mickelthwate), and the Canterbury Voices for a wonderful evening of traditional Christmas Music. This show would not be possible without the very generous support of the tourism committee of the Chamber of Commerce and City of Elk City, plus the many supporting

underwriters of the Elk City Arts Council. Tickets can be purchased online by calling Shonda Currell at (580) 225-1941 or by visiting ElkCityArtsCouncil.org.





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A Teacher's Prayer



We are nearing the end of the first semester of the school year. Students as well as teachers are eager for a break from each other as well as the work required. I read an illustration recently that may depict the life of a school teacher. It seems a first grader came home to share with her mom

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the news, "My teacher is a Christian." The mother replied, "How do you know?" The child explained, "She prays." O God, help me through the day, or sometimes she just says 'O God' and lays her head on the desk."

I'm sure many teachers can identify with this illustration. Having taught a couple of years in my former life and substituting several times, that could have been me.

It is important that we pray for our school teachers. They have the potential to exert great influence n your children. Teachers, together with their parents, have the responsibility for setting in motion the desire to learn. Guy Dobb, former "Teacher of the Year" in speaking to a group of educators expressed this in poem entitled "A Molder of Dreams" It is a poetic way of expressing the great influence a teacher can have on the young learner. With gods in a little g he said:

"You are the molder of their dreams,

The gods who build their trust, their young beliefs of right and wrong, the spark that sets aflame the poets of the young, the

very young. You are the guardian of a million dreams.

Your every smile or frown can heal or pierce a heart. Yours' are a hundred lives, a thousand lives. Yours' is

the pride of loving them and the sorrow too. Your patient work, your touch, make you the gods of hope who fills their song with dreams and make those dreams come true."

Marsha Wright has written A Teachers Prayer that could be the expression of every teacher: To comment: jhm82@outlook.com, (580) 302-1142

"Help me to be grateful

For the students who like to learn And feel challenged by those who don't.

Help me to be thankful

For the students I love

And understand those I'm learning to love. Help me to be motivated

By the students who learn to think

And be committed to those afraid to try.

Help me to be inspired By the students who choose right over wrong

And be patient with those who lack the courage. Help me to be gentle

With the student s who make mistakes,

And learn to forgive a difficult child. Help me to be wise with the students building

And be unwavering with those without conscience. Help me to be committed to students who are

responsible And be persistent with those who value nothing. Help me to be calm in the midst of violence

And model self-control in the midst of anger Help me to be faithful in the days of discouragement And be dedicated to make one child smile."







A signing ceremony for a concurrent enrollment partnership between Southwestern Oklahoma State University and Clinton Public Schools was held on the Weatherford campus. SWOSU President Dr. Diana Lovell says it surrounds concurrent enrollment for high school students. allowing those students to earn dual high school and college credit.



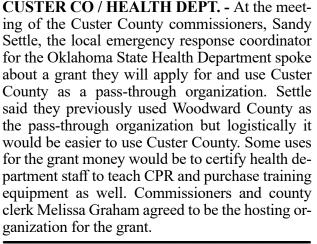




The Weatherford Rotary Club has added two new members. Pictured (from left): Rotary President Josh Vanderburgh, new members Ryan Baldwin with Pioneer Cellular, and Ryan Terry with Bank of Western Oklahoma.







CLINTON SCHOOLS/FINALISTS - Clinton Public Schools have announced their finalists for teacher of the year and support staff of the year. Teacher of the year finalists include Michele Granger, Marilyn Norman, Marykathryn Daugherty, Shakira Thigpen, and Heather Davis. Support staff of the year finalists are Juanita Casas, Greg Granger, Michelle Thompson and Virginia Goucher. The winners will be announced December 21st.

WEATHERFORD/SUBWAY - Plans for a remodel and expansion of the Weatherford Subway have been filed with the city of Weatherford. Plans show that as part of the work, the store will expand seating for a total of 38 seats. The \$150,000 project will expand into the former GNC location in the Weatherford shopping center. The shop is currently closed during the remodel and expansion process.

WEST OK/SAFE CITIES - Safewide.com has released its top 10 safest towns & cities in Oklahoma. The town of Hinton came in 2nd, Burns Flat was 7th and Cordell was 10th. The towns and cities selected have some of the lowest crime rates in the state, and some have the lowest in the nation according to FBI crime statistics.

CLINTON/ALLIANCE-HEALTH - Hospital leaders of Alliance-Health Clinton have provided an update on plans to discontinue operations of Alliance-Health Clinton when the lease agreement expires at the end of this calendar year. Officials say Alliance-Health Clinton will offer most services until December 31st including general surgery, ophthalmology and podiatry procedures, outpatient rehabilitation for physical, speech and occupational therapies and outpatient radiology and lab services. The ER will continue to accept patients until midday on December 31st. However, inpatient services are scheduled to end before December 31st, to support an orderly transition of patient care. Inpatient rehabilitation will accept new admissions through December 15th. Acute inpatient medical and surgical admissions will be accepted through December 26th. The skilled nursing unit is no longer accepting new patients. In early November, the city of Clinton contracted with Carrus Health to be the new facility manager beginning January 1st.

ODOT/CLINTON EXIT 65 - In an update on Wright Wradio, Oklahoma Department of Transportation Division 5 engineer Brent Almquist provided details surrounding the exit 65/65, a project in Clinton. Almquist says the project will be let out to bid in late 2024 or early 2025. He says the work will be done in 8 phases.

WRH/MRI PROJECT - The Weatherford Hospital authority has decided to table action, regarding the MRI upgrade project. The board is seeking guidance on how to proceed with the bidding process. The board could meet in executive session to make a decision on a bid surrounding the project.





Alcohol causing problems? Alcoholics Anonymous meets daily at 928 W. Main, Weatherford. Call (580) 819-0727 for more information. Christian Free Store - Donations of school supplies, clothes, shoes, etc. are needed or if you are in need. Please call (580) 637-2345 or (580) 291-3875. Alfalfa, OK Community Center "Bible Study," Every Monday Night from 7:00-8:00 Hwy 58. Five miles South of Hwy 152. For more Information contact (405) 643-9211. Free and Open to the Public. Oklahoma Parkinson's Alliance, monthly support group meeting the second Thursday of each month, excluding December, at 5:30 p.m. at Weatherford's Pioneer Center, 1000 Gartrell Place. Patients, caregivers, family or friends are welcome. Questions? Contact OK Parkinson's Alliance (405) 810-0695 or info@oklahomapa.org, Iron sharpens Iron is a Christ centered adult support group every Tuesday night at 7pm. 233 E Main in Hydro, First Christian Church.

Happy Birthday Wishes for December 7 - Marie Burgard, Tabatha Cabaniss, Saige Carpenter, Shelly Chase, Kevin Davis, Fay Jackson, Kyle Jones, Renee Kester, Stefani Lamb, Canon Lyles, Mary Lou Mirkey, Ashlyn Newton, Mikka Ronan Eithel Simpson, Bonnie Stucker, Kathy Whitson, Amber Wood; December 8 - Kimberly Fisher, Falcon Taylor Hinchey, Jeff Jackson, Eugene Jefferson Jr., Mario Llamas, Rita McLemore, Rich Miller, Paula Price, Misha Prichard, Daniell Rippee, Ryan Walker; December 9 - Cale Courtney, Andrew Foster, Dennis Martin, Lynn McCauley, Melissa McCulley, Glenn McCulley, Chad Nabors, Joy Nix; December 10 - Mitzi Cannon, Richard Coit, Betty Donovan, Carolyn Elliott, Ethan Hines, Parker Jacks, Steve Juarez, Angela Morrison, Michelle Mournsey, Nicole Page, Micharl Russ, Chris Sanchez, Kassidy Skinner, Kimberly Sumner, Jeffrey Willis; December 11 - Andrew Davis, Elisabeth Fraser, Matthew Goeringer, Debra Hupfer, Penny Lanier, Mary Ralston, Monty Reynolds, Jenna Scales, Bob Schmidt, Brenda Williams, Laurie Wood, Emma Jean Wynn; December 12 - Leonard Boyd, Megan Fite, Jina Hampton, Mike Hopper, Chet Hunter, Lonnie Hymer, Joy Keng, Alice Peet, Sue Roles, Josh Vanderburgh, Lisa Wandrie, Amber Wood; December 13 - Valerie Farriss, Tre Ingram, Steven Kixmiller, Sara Martin, Pat Meyer, Richard Meyer, Kaleb Miller, Addison Holland, Irl Nikkel, Holly Noel Ronan, Lisa Snider, Bret Wood.

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Food Club Shells and Cheese Dinners 12oz	\$1.38
Herdez Salsa Casera, Verde, 7 oz	\$1.28
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Kellogs Snack Crackers 9oz - 15oz Asst. Varieties	\$2.98
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Pecans 16oz	\$12.99
Kraft Velveeta 2 lb. box	\$7.98
Kraft Salad Dressings 16oz All Varieties	\$2.79
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Food Club Peanut Oil Gallon	\$13.99
Food Club Marshmallow Crème 7oz	\$1.29
Food Club Hot Chocolate Mix 10 ct	2 for \$3.00
Dairy	
Food Club Shredded Cheese 32oz	\$5.99
Daisy Sour Cream 16oz	\$2.48
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Food Club Dip 12oz All Varieties.....

Blue Bonnet Spread 16oz quarters.....

Produce

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Honeycrisp Apples	\$0.99lb.
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Red - Orange - Yellow Bell Peppers	4 for \$5.00
Baby Potatoes Asst. Varieties 1.5 lb	\$2.99
Yellow Onions	\$0.79 lb.
Seedless Red Grapes	2 for \$5.00
U.S. #1 Sweet Potatoes	\$0.99 lb.

Frozen

Blue Bunny Twisted Cones 4 ct	\$4.49
Food Club Whipped Topping 8 oz	2 for \$3.00
Pictsweet Breaded Okra 24oz	\$3.99
Pecan Pies 8 inch	\$5.99
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Meat	
Deli Sliced American Cheese	\$4.99 lb.
New York Strip Steak	\$9.99 lb.
Rump Roast	\$6.19 lb.
Boneless Center Cut Pork Chops	\$2.99 lb.
Pork Spare Ribs	\$2.99 lb.
Pilgrims Pride Boneless Skinless Chicken Breast	\$2.99 lb.
Fricks Ham Steaks	\$5.79 lb.

Dry Grocery

Simply Done Slow Cooker Liner 4 ct	2 for \$3.00
Simply Done Oven Roasting Bags 2 ct	\$1.19
Simply Done Foam Plates 50 ct	2 for \$4.00

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	SWO	SE
FG%	.317	.438
3FG%	.148	.391
FT%	.786	.846
RB	29	43
то	10	21
STL	7	3

Lady Bulldogs Drop Road Matchup at Southeastern

Jon Chidester SWOSU Media Relations

SWOSU Women's Basketball trailed by just

six at half time, but saw that deficit continue to grow in the second half – falling to Southeastern 62-53 on Saturday in the first road conference game of the season

The Lady Bulldogs trailed by 16 at the start of the fourth quarter after the Savage Storm knocked down a three-pointer to open up the scoring. SWOSU managed to get the margin within single digits by the end of the contest by outscoring the home side but couldn't get themselves all the way out of the hole that had been dug prior.

That fourth quarter was the best offensive output

the Lady Bulldogs put together all game. They shot 50% in the final 10 minutes and edged Southeastern 19-15 in the process.

Prior to that, SWOSU suffered through more shooting woes for the second straight conference game.

Through three quarters, SWOSU shot just 26% collectively and finished at 31% for the game.

The three-point shot continues to give SWOSU trouble. They were just 4-of-27 (14%) from threepoint land against Southeastern on Saturday.

Southeastern had a slow start themselves and let SWOSU hang around in the first half. It wasn't until the third quarter where they got things rolling to

extend their lead to double digits and put the Lady Dawgs in a hole. Final shooting numbers for the Savage Storm showed 43% as a team which included 9-for-23 from deep.

The SWOSU defense forced 21 turnovers while only giving away 10 themselves. They continue to win the turnover battle in games, which will undoubtedly help them later in the season once shots start falling. They were however, outrebounded 43-29.

Averi Zinn finished with a game high 18 points. Macy Gore added 12.

East Central will be SWOSU's next opponent in more GAC action. The Tigers visit Weatherford next Saturday (Dec. 10) for a 1pm tipoff.



	swo	SE
	340	3L
FG%	.467	.521
3FG%	.278	.629
FT%	.600	.696
RB	36	48
то	10	15
STL	9	4

SWOSU Men Downed by Storm in First Conference Game

Jon Chidester

In the first road conference game of the season SWOSU fell victim to a hot-shooting Southeastern team, losing 112-87 to wrap up the first week of league play.

The Savage Storm connected on 22 three-point shots, shooting nearly 63% from deep in the process, and finished the game better than 50% in overall field goal percentage – a tough stat line to overcome for any team.

Both halves were controlled by the Storm. They led

by 13 points at halftime and led by as many as 30 points in the second half. SWOSU had the game within single digits (9) just before the first media timeout of the second half, but that was as close as they would get.

For the second consecutive game, an opposing player scored 30-plus points on the Dawgs after Jett Sternberger of Southeastern finished with 31.

It was a career night for Jamaal Smith. He finished with 13 points and added four rebounds. Ben Smith also scored

13, followed by three players with 10 apiece.

The Dawg offense managed to shoot 46% collectively, but just 5-of-18 (27%) from three-point land. Entering Saturday, SWOSU was averaging over 10 makes a game from deep. Five against Southeastern marks a season low.

The loss drops SWOSU back to an even 4-4 on the season and 0-2 in GAC action. They'll practice throughout the upcoming work week and prepare to host East Central next Saturday, December 10.



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Finding that perfect gift or doing a little bit of bulk holiday shopping? Be sure to check out all of the wonderful offerings available locally and nearby. Avoid shipping woes and enjoy some festive decor as you shop across western Oklahoma this season. Julie Burden, the Clinton Chamber of Commerce President, wishes Western Oklahomans a happy holiday season and reminds them to support local businesses while Christmas shopping!

Ft. Sill's 77th U.S. Army Band to Host Holiday **Concert in Weatherford**

Keith Pannell

The 77th U.S. Army Band from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, is embarking on a two-state free holiday concert tour to bring

some good cheer across Oklahoma and Texas. The band will perform a mix of traditional and contemporary holiday favorites, from Big Band to rockand-roll, sure to put everyone in the holiday spirit.

"Army bands have been raising the spirit of the American Soldiers and the public for centuries," said Maj. Gen. Kenneth Kamper, U.S. Army Fires Center of Excellence and Fort Sill commanding general. "The holiday season would not be complete without hearing the sounds of the season from the 77th Army Band."

The 77th Army Band will perform the Weatherford Performing Arts Center, Dec. 13 at 7 p.m. The concert is free and open to the public.

For more information and updates on the 77th Army Band Holiday Concert Tour, please visit the Fort Sill Facebook page, www.facebook.com/officialftsill.



Public Notice:

Invitation to Bid Improvement Construction

Date: December 1, 2022

This shall serve as official public notice per Public Competitive Bidding Act (PCBA) and Public Trust Act (PTA).

This public notice is requesting bids for construction to improve the MRI suite at Weatherford Regional Hospital (WRH), located at 3701 E Main, Weatherford, OK 73096

The following criteria must be met on each bid received or the bid shall be considered invalid:

- 1. All bids must be typed and submitted as originals
- 2. No erasures or "white outs" are acceptable. Errors may be corrected by drawing a line through the error and reprinting the correct number or text next to it.
- 3. All bids must be signed and dated by an authorized representative of your
- 4. This is a sealed bid process. All bids must be sent directly to the party named to
- receive the bid
- 5. Bid information must not be shared prior to the bid opening
- 6. The bids must include complete space preparation for a GE Artist EVO 29.1 with Air Recon DL (copies of MRI room specifications can be obtained by
 - contacting WRH as outlined above):
 - a. Construction Management
 - b. Architectural design
 - c. Electrical engineering
 - d. Mechanical engineering
 - e. Concrete work
 - f. General construction g. Radio Frequency Shielding
 - h. Drywall
 - i. Ceiling tile
 - j. Flooring
 - k. Painting I. Inspecting
 - m. Coordinating the project with equipment manufacturer
- 7. For bids to be accepted and considered, the bid proposal must be received by mail or email, no later than 5pm on December 23rd, and sent to the address: below:

Brian Denton, CEO Weatherford Regional Hospital

3701 E Main

Weatherford, OK 73096

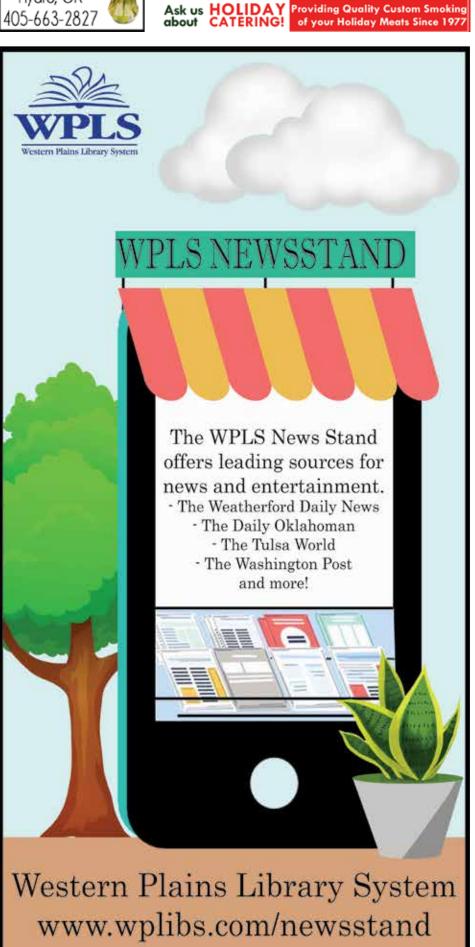
Email: bdenton@weatherfordhospital.com

- 8. Please include the following in your bid submission:
 - a. What you propose to do and for what amount b. Number of calendar days required for completion
- 9. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, bid bond or irrevocable letter of credit equal to five percent (5%) of bid which will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders. The check will also be returned to the successful bidder upon execution of the contract and delivery of bond, letter of credit and insurance. 10. Sealed bids will be opened at the regularly scheduled meeting of the Weatherford Regional Hospital Board of Trustees December 29, 2022, at 6pm, held
- at the Timothy Day Business Center on the SWOSU campus.
- 11. Pre-Qualification Criteria:
 - a. Bidder must have prior successful experience with RF Shielding construction for MRI in a hospital setting.
 - b. Bidder must provide reference(s) of successful RF Shielding construction for MRI in a hospital setting with bid.
- 12. Contract, Terms, Bond, Insurance:
 - a. Contract will be awarded within 30 days of opening the bids.
 - b. Contract must be executed within 60 days.
 - c. Performance bond shall be equal to contract price.
 - d. Defective workmanship and material bond or insurance shall be effective for one (1) year from bidder's acceptance of project.
 - e. Selected bidder must carry fire and hazard insurance during the construction phase.
 - f. Public liability and workers compensation insurance is required.
 - g. The required insurance may be obtained by the bidder from their insurer of









Smith and Smith Awarded Bulldogs of the Week

Grant Kopycinski

Ben Smith (men's basketball) and Shamica Smith (women's basketball) have been picked as the newest Bulldogs of the Week. The award is brought to you by Wright Wradio, the official partner of SWOSU Athletics for both livestream and radio.

B. Smith (Edmond, OK) was a consistent producer for the Bulldogs in their two games this past week. In the first matchup, he had a season high 15 points, with three rebounds. The second game versus Southeastern, Smith added 13 points and three rebounds. These two games brought his scoring average for the year to 12.3 points per game. This is the second highest on the team.

S. Smith (Norman, OK) had a career night in the Thursday night game versus Oklahoma Baptist. She set her new career high in rebounds with 12 boards. She also put in two points, one assist, and one steal in the losing effort. That 12 rebound game now puts her at 6.7 rebounds per game, the team lead.









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