

Commitment to Excellence Awards



Professional staff recipient: Nick Hood, with President Dr. Chad Wiginton



Faculty recipient: Patricia Purdue, with President Dr. Chad Wiginton



Part-time Staff recipient: Debbie Valerio, with President Dr. Chad Wiginton

Western Oklahoma State College faculty and staff came together on December 10 in the Pioneer Heritage on campus for the annual holiday luncheon. At the event, the Commitment to Excellence awards were presented to deserving individuals. The Commitment to Excellence is awarded to one faculty, one staff, and one part-time individual. The recipients were nominated by their counterparts. Dr. Wiginton presented the following awards: Part-time staff- Debbie Valerio, development and alumni relations, Professional Staff- Nick Hood, distance learning facilitator and interactive media specialist, and Faculty- Patricia Purdue, division director (social science, behavioral science, philosophy, and religion).

Years of Service Pins



5 years of service recipients Brenda Straub, Leandra Johnson, Cheryl Orr, with Dr. Chad Wiginton



10 years of service recipients Mike Pate and Bruce Wilson with Dr. Chad Wiginton



15 years of service recipients Rolando De La Berrera and Nick Hood, with Dr. Chad Wiginton



10 years of service recipient Randy Marceleno with Chrystal Overton



20 years of service recipients Brian Carpenter, Jennifer Sommers, and Dr. Chad Wiginton



25 years of service recipients Joanne Huff and Tanya Wingate, with Dr. Chad Wiginton

During the spring 2022 in-service, Dr. Chad Wiginton presented 12 deserving employees with their "years of service" pins. Western is fortunate to have many faculty and staff that are dedicated to serving both the community and students each year, and love the opportunity to honor them. Receiving 5-year pins were English instructor Brenda Straub, Upward Bound Academic Coordinator and Assistant Basketball Coach Leandra Johnson, and Counselor Cheryl Orr. Receiving 10-year pins were WINDS Director Mike Pate, Criminal Justice Instructor Bruce Wilson, and Lead Floor Tech Randy Marceleno. Receiving 15-year pins were Men's Basketball Coach Rolanda De La Berra and Distance Learning Facilitator and Interactive Media Specialist Nick Hood. Receiving 20-year pins were Information Systems Specialist Brian Carpenter, Accounts Payable and Inventory Coordinator Jennifer Sommers, and Western's President Chad Wiginton. Receiving 25-year pins were Library Technical Assistant Joanne Huff and Information Center, Receptionist.

UPCOMING AT WESTERN

Jan 24 | Homecoming | 5 PM

Jan 24 | Casino Night | 9-11 PM | PHC

Jan 25 | Blood Drive | 9 AM - 2 PM | Band Hall

Jan 26 | Covid-19 Vaccine Cline | 9-11 AM | Bnad Hall

Jan 26 | Public Auction for Ag Land Lease | 11:15 | TE 27, next to OSU Extension Office

Jan 27 | Scholarship Workshop | 12:30 | LRC

Feb 2 | Counselors Day | 8 AM | PHC

COVID-19 VACCINE CLINIC

HOSTED BY THE JACKSON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Available to all WOSC staff and students

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26
9 A.M. - 11 A.M.
THE BAND HALL

WESTERN OKLAHOMA STATE COLLEGE HOMECOMING & CASINO NIGHT

Monday | January 24

5 PM : HAMBURGER & HOT DOG COOKOUT

5 PM : WOMEN'S BASKETBALL GAME

CORONATION BETWEEN GAMES

7 PM : MEN'S BASKETBALL GAME

9 - 11 PM : CASINO NIGHT

ALL EVENTS ARE FREE

High School Seniors, wear your High School T-shirt, sign in, and receive a \$100 scholarship at each event you attend!

*Casino Night for WOSC students and HS Seniors



CONGRATULATIONS AUBRIE MEGEHEE

NJCAA REGION 2 DI
ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Week of Dec. 13-19

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CONGRATULATIONS ISAIAH GIFFIN

NJCAA REGION 2 DI
ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Week of Jan. 3-9

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