THE RIVERHAWK CENTER FOR TEACHER EXCELLENCE



Monthly Newsletter

Looking Back





LIT Brain

On February 28th the RCTE hosted its first "Celebration of Teaching" event on the Tahlequah campus. Celebration of Teaching is an annual event in which we invite high school juniors and seniors who are interested in becoming educators to our campus. We introduce them to COE faculty, host breakout sessions divided up by subject area, and have a Q&A COE student panel. Approximately 88 students attended this event. We would like to thank all the students, faculty, staff, and sponsors who helped make

On February 17th, the BA RCTE hosted a PPAT Seminar on the BA campus. Anyone who was interested in more information about the PPAT was welcome to attend. There were approximately 46 people in attendance from various educational settings, including: paraprofessionals, those seeking alternative certification, and current NSU students. One of our Academic Coaches, Dr. Reubin McIntosh, spearheaded this event, with the help of the rest of the RCTE Team. We would like to thank Drs. Proctor and Garrett for

helping us plan this

successful event.



this event a huge success!



COMING UP:

Yappy Hour (BA) | Mar. 12

RiverHawk Hired Career Expo | Mar. 13

Spring Break | Mar. 18-22

Pickleball Tournament (TQ) | Mar. 27

Teacher Job Fair | April 5

WHO ARE WE?

The RiverHawk Center for Teacher Excellence is a new, grant-funded organization whose aim is to recruit and retain P-12 teachers of diverse backgrounds in an effort to address Oklahoma's teacher shortage and put educators in classrooms whose unique identities reflect that of their students. At our centers on both the Tahlequah and Broken Arrow campuses, we offer a multitude of services such as tutoring, counseling, workshops, scholarships, as well as just a place to hang out and study. We have coffee, tea, snacks, and various school supplies donated especially for Education majors like you!



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Education's purpose is to replace an empty mind with an open one.

-Malcolm Forbes

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Individuals:

Hideaway Pizza.

Sandy Ross, Dee McAffrey, Lauren Ross, Lori Fogerty, April Bardell, Kelly Callaway, Tobi Thompson, Nichole Sumpter, Kristy Eubanks, Emily Blakley, Niki Kottre

IMPORTANT LINKS



On March 12th, the BA
RCTE will be hosting
YAPPY HOUR! All
education majors, those
who are interested in
becoming a teacher, and
COE faculty and staff are
welcome to attend! Please
see the attached flyer

below for more information

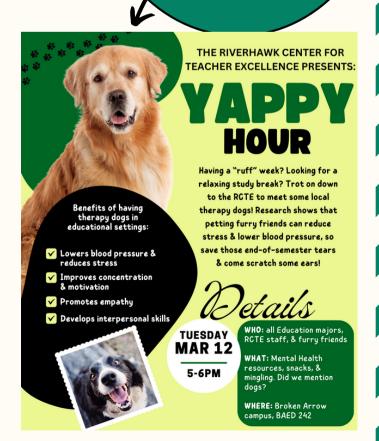
about Yappy Hour!



Please remember to check in every time you visit your respective center using the QR code that applies to you.

Thank you! 😃





MEET YOUR SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTORS:

Rebecca Harris (TQ)



ELED 4363 Dr. Garrett

Rebecca is an Elementary
Education major currently
completing her Pre-II Internship.
In her free time she loves to read,
travel, and spend time with her
family. Fun fact: She used to
have a cake and cookie
decorating business.

Tamika Jones (TQ)



ENGL 1213 Dr. Jankowski

Mallory Buford (BA)



EDUC 3313 Dr. Hobson

Matti Walker (BA)

SPED 4433 Dr. Day

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EMERGENCY?

The RCTE can help!



RiverHawk Hired Career Expo

On Wednesday, March 13th,
Career Services will be hosting a
career fair for freshman,
sophomores, juniors, seniors, and
graduate students from the
College of Business &
Technology, College of
Education, College of Liberal
Arts, College of Science &
Health Professions, and NSU
Graduate College. The event is
free and you can find more
information at this link.



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PICKLEBALL TOURNAMENT

MARCH 27, 2024

11:00 - 3:00PM



HAPPENING ON THE TAHLEQUAH CAMPUS!



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MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON!

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