



A WEEKLY ROUNDUP OF GOOD NEWS ABOUT THE TIGER FAMILY

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Top Stories



Fort Hays State earns top-5 national ranking

09/11/19

Fort Hays State University, with almost a third of its enrollment over the age of 25, has been recognized for being among the best four-year colleges in the United States for modern students.



Meeting the needs of rural communities now extends to elementary education

09/09/19

Extreme teacher shortages are hurting schools all across America. This alarming trend is especially acute in rural areas. Many professionals living in rural areas who already have a bachelor's degree want to become teachers, but they can't afford to leave home, work and family to complete the coursework required for the second bachelor's degree that is the traditional pathway to becoming a teacher.

Accomplishments and Happenings



FHSU Foundation appoints eight new members to Board of Trustees

09/06/19

The Fort Hays State University Foundation recently appointed eight new members to its Board of Trustees: Joe Bain, Paul Kitzke, Jamie Kuehl, Don Reif Jr., Steve Shields, Peter Werth, David Younger, and Katie Zogleman.



Hays Symphony season opener

09/09/19

Mark your calendars now for the Hays Symphony's season opener with new director Brian Buckstead at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 21, in Fort Hays State University's Beach/Schmidt Performing Arts Center.



2 FHSU students to travel to West Africa through IRES Grant

09/06/19

Two Fort Hays State University students traveled to Douala, Cameroon, on the west coast of Africa to conduct geoscience research through an International Research Experience for Students grant funded by the National Science Foundation.



Russell to be first in fall 2019 series of free hearing screenings from FHSU

09/06/19

Russell will be the first of three free hearing screenings, funded by the Kansas Masons, offered again this fall in Western Kansas communities by Fort Hays State University.



KWEC offers "World Shorebirds Day" program to area students

09/06/19

Fort Hays State University's Kansas Wetlands Education Center has partnered with The Nature Conservancy to offer a "World Shorebirds Day" program to area seventh-and-eighth grade students.



FHSU graduate students to perform jazz recital

09/11/19

A Fort Hays State University jazz quartet featuring three graduate students from China and an FHSU instructor will perform a recital at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 1, in the Beach/Schmidt Performing Arts Center.



New season of live theatre comes to the Fort Hays State stage on Oct.3

09/12/19

A season of comedy is planned for the 2019-20 season of theatre at Fort Hays State University, beginning Oct. 3 with "The Drowsy Chaperone," a parody of 1920s-style musicals starring Man in Chair.

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