



A WEEKLY ROUNDUP OF GOOD NEWS ABOUT THE TIGER FAMILY

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## knowledge & scholarship



### **KIEDRA HICKERT NAMED KANSAS SPEECH-LANGUAGE HEARING ASSOCIATION SLP OF THE YEAR**

9/28/23

Kiedra Hickert's nomination for Speech Language Pathologist of the Year was based on her work and dedication to the Herndon Clinic and the Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders. Several of her clients included comments and offered support for her nomination.



### **FHSU'S PRAIRIE CUP KNOWLEDGE QUEST TEAM WINS AT KANSAS SPEECH-LANGUAGE HEARING ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE**

9/28/23

Champions: Anne Stukey, Abigail Wallace, Jordan Parker, Emily Peaney, and Ashlyn Cure, graduate students in speech-language pathology, won the competition which entailed answering questions much like they will encounter for the national certification exam. This is the 3<sup>rd</sup> year that FHSU has won the competition.



### **MARY MARTIN RECEIVES MMA TEACHING AWARD**

9/27/23

Dr. Mary Martin, professor of marketing, was awarded the MMA Teaching Innovation Award at the Management Marketing Association 2023 Fall Educators' Conference in Orlando, Florida.



# headlines & happenings



## **FHSU SHOTGUN TEAM CELEBRATES NEW FACILITY**

10/2/23

To kick off Homecoming weekend, Fort Hays State University community members, alumni, and friends gathered for a Friday morning ribbon cutting at the Hays City Sportsmen’s Club to celebrate the newly completed Wilmer and Lorena Kellogg Training Center, Home of the FHSU Shotgun Team.



## **CHANGES COMING TO FAFSA**

10/1/23

There are major changes and improvements coming to the 2024-25 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form. As a result, the new form will be available in December 2023, not Oct. 1. Students are encouraged to watch their email for the release date to apply quickly and to get their FSA ID’s now at studentaid.gov. FHSU priority deadline is March 1, 2024.



## **SERENA’S SUNFLOWER 5K COMING UP OCT. 14**

10/14/23

The second annual Serena’s Sunflower 5K in honor of Serena Blaske will be Oct. 14 beginning at 9 a.m. on the FHSU campus, Hammond Hall parking lot. Serena was a student in the FHSU teacher education program. Proceeds from the event will go to maintain a scholarship in Serena’s honor.



## **SEN. MORAN TO ANNOUNCE FHSU NURSING GRANT AWARDS**

10/6/23

Fort Hays State University will host a press conference to announce the awarding of federal grants to help the university expand the number of highly-trained nursing professionals serving in rural Kansas. U.S. Sen. Jerry Moran will join representatives from the FHSU Department of Nursing to share details on two significant grant awards from the Health Resources and Services Administration.



# global engagement



## **CABINET AGENDA AND SUMMARY NOTES**

10/05/23

The Cabinet agenda and summary notes are posted here:

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## **TIGER FAMILY REUNITES DURING FHSU HOMECOMING**

10/3/23

Homecoming weekend at Fort Hays State University drew hundreds of alumni, friends, and community members back to campus. Graduates nationwide traveled to Hays to celebrate special memories from their time at FHSU.



## **FHSU WELCOMES 165 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

9/1/23

Global Affairs and International Student Services are excited to welcome 165 international students from 40 countries to the FHSU campus for Fall 2023. International students play a vital role in bringing the FHSU mission to action by developing globally engaged citizen leaders.

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