



## Did You See This?

Catch up on what's happening at Murray State!

### Aggies All In x 2

Community organizations visited both Murray State campuses this week to meet with students, staff and faculty. They shared information, played games and awarded prizes.

Thank you, Buzz Radio for coming and hanging out with us in Tishomingo.



Congratulations to Theresa Brown for winning the \$50 cash cup drawing at the Ardmore Aggies All In.





## Thank You!

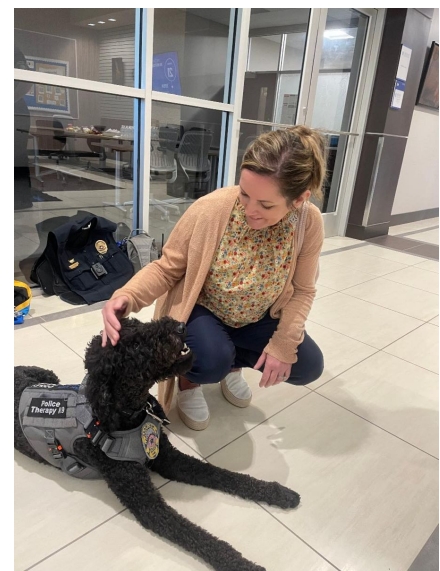
"Belonging to a community is about working together and building something greater than oneself.

Thank you, to our dedicated faculty, staff and communities who work tirelessly to create a welcoming environment where every student feels supported in their journey of learning and growth."

-- Dr. Tim Faltyn  
Murray State College President

## Welcome Week Activities

As the first week of school comes to an end, here's a look back at some of the other activities hosted by Murray State's Student Affairs group.



Ardmore PD brought therapy dogs Rip, Dooly and CoCo by the Ardmore campus for a visit.





Adara Harper provided entertainment for everyone at Ardmore.



The BCM provided lunch on Wednesday.

## KTEN News Story on Gunsmithing Program

KTEN Reporter Alex Porter traveled to Murray State in Tishomingo to continue his story on the new gunsmithing degree and facility.

Murray State President Dr. Tim Faltyn and Murray State Shotgun Team Head Coach Scott Robertson discussed the importance of gunsmithing, the connection with Murray's Shotgun Team and the firearm industry.

### Murray State expanding curriculum for gun industry

Tuesday, August 22nd 2023, 8:57 PM CDT  
By Alexander Porter



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## Murray State College Rodeo Team Hosts Showcase



Murray State students and community members filled the stands Wednesday night, as the Murray State Rodeo Team hosted a showcase.

The 50 members competed against each other in their respective events. This was



their version of a "home game."

Attendees also enjoyed BBQ sandwiches, chips and watermelon, courtesy of Great Western Dining.

The Murray State College Foundation is the steward of three scholarships for rodeo student athletes. Donors for two of the three scholarships joined Executive Director Jordyn Frazier to present this year's recipients with a certificate.



Murray State President Dr. Tim Faltyn welcomed everyone to the night's festivities.

Thank you, Randy McCollum and Jody House for emceeding the showcase.



Congratulations, Sam Seimer on being awarded the Dustin Gaskey Memorial Scholarship. Sam competes in tie-down roping.

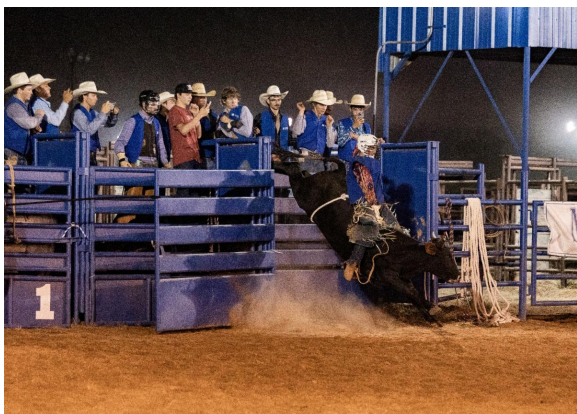


Congratulations, Nikki Lewis on being awarded the Johnny G. Russell Memorial Scholarship. Nikki competes in breakaway and team roping. Also pictured is Johnny "Jay" Russell, the nephew of Johnny G. Russell.





Thank you, First Bank and Trust and Vulcan for your generous sponsorships.



Congratulations, Kristany Travis on being awarded the Bill and Delores Burch Memorial Team Roping Scholarship. Kristany competes in team roping and breakaway. Also pictured is Sharon Burch Marshall, the daughter of Bill and Delores Burch.



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