

## Did You See This?

# Catch up on what's happening at Murray State!

#### Park J. Student Union Groundbreaking

Murray State College held a groundbreaking ceremony for the student union located the Tishomingo campus. The student union was originally constructed in 1964, and it is believed that it has only undergone one minor renovation since then.



Ceremony speakers: (L-R)

Senator Jerry Alvord; Speaker of the House Representative Charles McCall; Murray State College President Dr. Tim Faltyn; Murray State College Regent Adisha Chapman; and Oklahoma State Regent Ann Holloway.



The \$7 million project included an update to 14,000 square feet of space in the building with an expansion of 9,000 square feet.



<u>Pictured left:</u> Murray State College Student Government Association (SGA) Officers with President Faltyn.



#### Thank You!

"This project helps us accomplish a number of things with the needs of our students at the forefront. Thank you to our friends and partners for standing alongside us on this journey"

-- Dr. Tim Faltyn **Murray State College President** 

#### **Murray County Chamber Banquet**

Murray State College faculty and staff attended the Murray County Chamber of Commerce Banquet on Thursday evening.



<u>Pictured left to right:</u> Brian Cothran, Dean of Ag, Business and Occupational Technology

Shauni Kimbro, Forage, Livestock and Specialty Crops Instructor, and Climate-Smart Grant Coordinator

Ginger Cothran, Vice President of Murray State Ardmore campus

Kelly Garrett, Community Outreach Coordinator at Murray State Ardmore campus

Jordyn Frazier, Associate Vice President of External Affairs and Murray State College Foundation Executive Director

Not pictured: President Dr. Tim Faltyn

#### **Aggies Got Talent**



Tuesday night brought the Aggies student talent show. Seven students competed against each other for the coveted win. From signing to playing the piano and reciting a poem.

Special thanks to our celebrity judges:
Greg Upchurch, Drummer for 3 Doors Down
Adara Kay (in red shirt), Spotify artist
Bailey Rae, (in black dress), contestant on the Voice season 19, singer & songwriter



First Place: Noah Choi, pianist



Second Place: Cal Keene, poet



Third Place: Lilly Cordell, singer

### Southern Oklahoma Development Authority (SODA) Legislative Breakfast



President Faltyn welcomed and provided a college update to legislators and SODA members during their 2024 Legislative Breakfast.

#### **Softball Begins Season with Run-Rule Victories**

The Murray State College Softball
Team opened the season with a
pair of run-rule victories over
Western Texas College on
Tuesday.

The following day, the Lady Aggies dominated Garden City Community College, 10-1 and 24-0.

On the final day of Murray State's three-game homestand, the Lady Aggies cruised past Dodge City CC, 16-0 and 13-0.



#### **Aggies Sweep Eastern Oklahoma State**

The Murray State College Men's and Women's Basketball Teams picked up Region 2 victories on Thursday inside Beames Fieldhouse.

The men's basketball team defeated the Mountaineers, 67-62. With the win, the Aggies improve to 4-2 in Region play.





The women's basketball team bested the visitors from Wilburton, 76-72.

With the win, the Lady Aggies move to 3-3 in Region play.

The Murray State College men's and women's basketball teams return to the court Saturday for another Region 2 game.

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