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### FHSU OPEN HOUSE HOSTS 20<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL JOHN HEINRICHS SCHOLARSHIP AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY DAYS APRIL 21-25 4/8/25

Fort Hays State University is hosting an open house on Thursday, April 24. We invite you to walk around our campus and visit our buildings. As part of the Open House, you can also witness the annual John Heinrichs Scholarly and Creative Activity Days (SACAD).



### KWEC DIRECTOR CURTIS WOLF RECEIVES KACEE ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION AWARD

4/9/25

The Kansas Association for Conservation and Environmental Education (KACEE) recently announced the recipients of the 2025 Excellence in Conservation and Environmental Education Awards.



## HENDRATTA ALI ELECTED AS AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE FELLOW 3/27/25

Dr. Hendratta Ali, associate professor of geosciences, was elected together with 470 other Fellows across 24 science, engineering and innovation disciplines. Dr. Ali was elected in the Section on Atmospheric & Hydrospheric Sciences. Dr Ali is currently on rotation at the National Science Foundation and will return to FHSU's campus in Fall 2025.



#### **GRACE MCCORD SELECTED AS A FINALIST IN TRUMAN SCHOLAR COMPETITION**

4/10/25

Fort Hays State University is proud to recognize Political Science major Grace McCord, Hays, for being selected as one of just 200 finalists in the national competition for the Truman Scholarship, selected from 800 highly accomplished applicants nominated by their universities.



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#### KANSAS WETLANDS EDUCATION CENTER TO HOST FLYWAYS, **BIRD MIGRATION TOURS**

4/7/25

Cheyenne Bottoms is located on the Central Flyway, a bird migration route that connects Canada to South America, 70 percent of all the different shorebird species in North America have been recorded at Cheyenne Bottoms; late April is prime time to view the birds using our wetlands for rest and fuel.



#### **FHSU CAREER SERVICES SEEKING DONATIONS FOR TAILORED FOR TIGERS**

4/7/25

Career Services at Fort Hays State University (FHSU) is hosting a donation drive for Tailored for Tigers, a professional clothing closet that offers business attire free of charge to students. The closet contains items for interviews, career fairs, presentations, conferences, or other activities.



#### **HCI RETURNS TO FORT HAYS STATE**

4/10/25

Fort Hays State University's Hispanic College Institute is set to return to campus early this summer, June 4-7. HCI is a free, fourday, three-night residential program to provide high school students with the necessary knowledge and tools to enter and persist in college.



#### **MEYERHOFF ANNUAL LECTURE BRINGS GUEST SCHOLARS TO FHSU TO DISCUSS TWO HISTORIC TERRITORIAL EXPANSION EFFORTS**

4/4/25

The Departments of History and Political Science and the Forsyth Library at Fort Hays State University hosted the 2025 Joseph and Rebecca Meyerhoff Annual Lecture in Malloy 115 of Palmer Hall on Thursday, April 3.



### POST PODCAST: UPDATE ON FHSU STRATEGIC AFFILIATION WITH TECHNICAL COLLEGES IN HAYS, BELOIT AND GOODLAND

4/3/25

Steering Committee Chairs Provide Strategic Affiliation update on KAYS Radio. FHSU Vice President for Student Affairs and Dr. Joey Linn and Fort Hays Tech | North Central Vice President of Student & Instructional Services shared updates on the Strategic Affiliation during a recent KAYS Radio interview. Click here to listen to a podcast of the interview.



#### FHSU RAISES \$180,000 ON 5<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL GIVING DAY

4/11/25

Fort Hays State University's 5<sup>th</sup> annual Giving Day is a wrap, and once again, the Tiger family showed up in a big way. Preliminary results show that nearly 1,000 gifts were made, totaling \$180,000. This incredible show of support highlights the deep commitment of FHSU alumni and Tiger fans far and wide.



#### **President Tisa Mason**



### FHSU INTRODUCES BUSINESS RETENTION AND EXPANSION PROGRAM

4/10/25

I am excited to share that Fort Hays State University (FHSU) is set to launch its Business Retention and Expansion (BRE) credential program, a new program created by our Professional and Continuing Education (PCE) unit. This initiative will kick off with a pilot program this May and June, thanks to FHSU's strategic affiliation with Fort Hays Tech | North Central and Fort Hays Tech | Northwest, all aimed at advancing economic prosperity in rural Kansas.

Know of a good story for Heart of a Tiger? Email Tisa Mason, <a href="mailto:tamason@fhsu.edu">tamason@fhsu.edu</a>

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