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By JASON ASHLEY WRIGHT World Scene Writer | 0 comments

Be part of the live audience for this one-of-a-kind event, in which five community leaders compete against KIPP Tulsa College Preparatory students in an "Are You Smarter Than a 5th Grader?"-style show. Also, this year's KIPPster awardee will be Sigma Pi Phi fraternity, Epsilon Iota Boule. Other highlights include a special performance by the KIPP Showtime Drumline, silent auction, raffle, cash bar and heavy hors d'oeuvres. Julie Chin will emcee.

Proceeds benefit KIPP Tulsa, which prepares students from educationally underserved neighborhoods for success in college and the competitive world beyond.

Event details: 6-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 29, Doubletree Hotel Downtown, 616 W. Seventh St.

Attire: Casual



Five community leaders will compete against KIPP Tulsa College Preparatory students in "Are You Smarter Than a KIPPster? Courtesy



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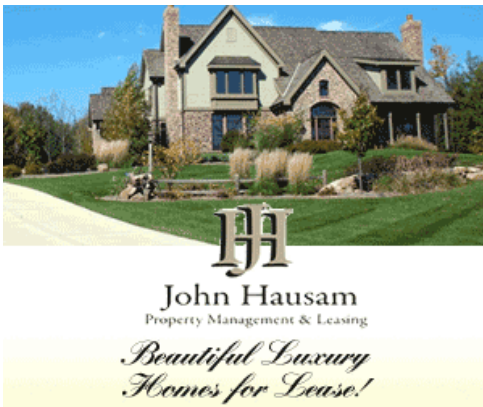
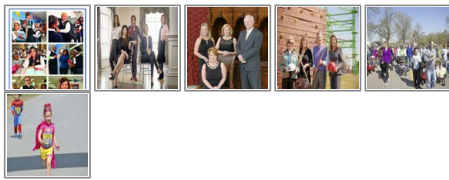
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Contestants: Phil Lakin Jr., Tulsa Community Foundation CEO; Sharon King Davis, KingsPointe Village owner; Shagah Zakerion, TYPros executive director; Dr. Ray Owens, Metropolitan Baptist Church senior pastor; Bailey J. Siegfried, NORDAM vice president of global marketing

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Tickets: \$50, sponsorships \$500- \$15,000 (Yolantrice Collins, 918-794- 8652, ext. 114)

For more: kipptulsa.org

Dance of the Two Moons

Waltz back into the glitz and glamour of vintage Hollywood via this gala, which will include an extraordinary dinner and live entertainment by the Rebecca Ungerman Combo. In addition to a silent auction, attendees can bid on various items in a live auction, including a stunning original painting by the late Bill Rabbit, a case of Switzer Family Wine signed by Barry Switzer, jewelry, private wine tasting, suite at ONEOK Field, dinner for 10 at Juniper and more.

Proceeds benefit Indian Health Care Resource Center of Tulsa, including a multifaceted summer wellness camp that provides extraordinary experiences for more than 300 elementary and middle school students each year.

Event details: Saturday, April 26, Hard Rock Hotel & Casino, 777 W. Cherokee St., Catoosa

Attire: Vintage Hollywood/cocktail

Honorary chairs: Jim and Sharon Ruley

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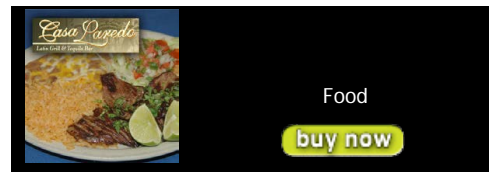
Tickets: \$125 individual, \$225 couple, sponsorships \$2,000-\$20,000 (Emily Bolusky, 918-382-1206, twomoons@ihcrc.org)

For more: ihcrc.org

Assistance League Fashion Show

"Fashion Fantasy" is this year's theme, inspired by Maidenform bra's famous "I dreamed I was ..." ad campaign of the 1950s and '60s. Outfits worn by the models, which are made up of Assistance League of Tulsa members and some of their husbands, will come from Bargains Resale Store, 3408 E. 11th St. Karen Larsen will narrate the event.

Proceeds benefit the Assistance League of Tulsa, a philanthropic effort of which is the annual Operation School Bell. This winter, the organization finished clothing more than 2,000



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students in need, and they have sent thousands of new uniform shirts to local schools.

Event details: 11 a.m. April 25, Indian Springs Country Club, 16006 E. 131st Street South, Broken Arrow

Attire: Business

Chair: Dayon Smith

Tickets: \$15 (call the league for an invitation, 918-832-8832)

For more: bit.ly/AsstLgTul

CANDlelight Ball

A camera-worthy red carpet leads attendees to this third-annual fete, which starts with a cocktail reception featuring a stunning piano performance. Dinner follows in the historic Mayo Hotel's famous Crystal Ballroom, where you can bid on awesome live auction items. Following dinner, an after-party in the Grand Hall will offer live music, dancing, drinks and desserts.

Proceeds benefit the Child Abuse Network.

Event details: Saturday, April 26 — 6 p.m. champagne and cocktail reception, 7 p.m. dinner and program, 9 p.m. after-party — Mayo Hotel, 115 W. Fifth St.

Attire: Black-tie

Chairs: Event — Amanda K. Forman; honorary — Liz Brolick

Sponsors: Presenting — D&L Oil Tools/Casey & Lauren Bingham, George Kaiser Family Foundation, H.A. & Mary K. Chapman Charitable Trust; Illuminate — The Barnett Family Foundation, Hillcrest HealthCare System; Radiate — Lou & Connie Miller Charitable Foundation, The John Steele Zink Foundation

Tickets: \$250 (gala, limited time), \$75 (after-party); sponsorships begin at \$1,000

For more: childabusenetwork.org

Book sale

Thousands of gently used books and multimedia can be found at this two-day event, which is free and open to the public. A special preview night will be held prior to the sale for Friends of the Helmerich Library members and membership may be purchased at the door that evening.

Proceeds benefit FOHL, which aids and promotes the activities and goals of the Helmerich Library.

Preview: 5-8 p.m. Thursday, April 17, Helmerich Library, 5131 E. 91st St.

Book sale: 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, April 18-19, Helmerich Library

Membership: \$5 individual, \$10 family

For more: 918-549-7631, tulsalibrary.org/helmerich

Celebrate Cascia 2014

New Orleans French Quarter is the theme for this annual event, which will include traditional favorites, such as the wine pull and live auction. Big Show Dueling Pianos will

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provide entertainment, all with a Cajun twist. Other highlights include the popular cigar bar, which partygoers may enjoy with their nightcap.

Proceeds benefit Cascia Hall Preparatory School.

Event details: 6 p.m. Saturday, April 26, Southern Hills Country Club, 2636 E. 61st St.

Sponsors: Tulsa Bone & Joint Associates, Julie and Kevin Dukes, Travertine Elevator Interiors, Chris and Scott Lambert, India and Jason Carter, Shelly and Alan Armstrong, The Rhoades Foundation, Nikki and Frank Rhoades

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State legislators want to change the way state Supreme Court justices are selected.

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Heroin use up in Tulsa County

The law enforcement says heroin use makes up a small percentage of narcotics cases.

Heroin use in Tulsa County has increased significantly in recent years, according to law enforcement officials. The increase is attributed to a combination of factors, including the availability of the drug and the growing number of people who are addicted to the substance.

Law enforcement officials say that heroin use is a major public health concern in Tulsa County. They say that the drug is being used by a wide range of people, from young adults to the elderly. The use of heroin is also linked to a number of other problems, including crime and the loss of productivity.

The law enforcement officials say that they are working to address the problem through a variety of means, including increased law enforcement efforts and the provision of treatment and support services for people who are addicted to the drug.

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Construction zone accidents have soared.

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Construction zone accidents have soared

More than 100 construction zone accidents were reported in Tulsa County last year, according to law enforcement officials. The accidents resulted in a number of injuries and fatalities, and caused significant property damage.

The increase in accidents is attributed to a number of factors, including the growing number of construction projects in the area and the complexity of the work. Many of the accidents occurred in work zones where workers were grading the road.

Law enforcement officials say that they are working to reduce the number of accidents through a variety of means, including increased law enforcement efforts and the provision of training and safety equipment for workers.

Ag. Dept. special agents on the trail of Oklahoma cattle rustlers

They are patrolling days, many miles, to catch the thieves who prey on local working farmers.



Special agents from the Oklahoma Department of Agriculture, Food, and Forestry are patrolling the state's rural areas in search of cattle rustlers. The agents are working to protect the livelihoods of local farmers and ranchers, who rely on their livestock for their income.

The rustling of cattle is a serious problem in Oklahoma, and the state's agriculture industry is being hit hard by the loss of livestock. The agents are working to identify the rustlers and bring them to justice, and they are also providing support and assistance to the farmers and ranchers who have been affected by the crime.

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