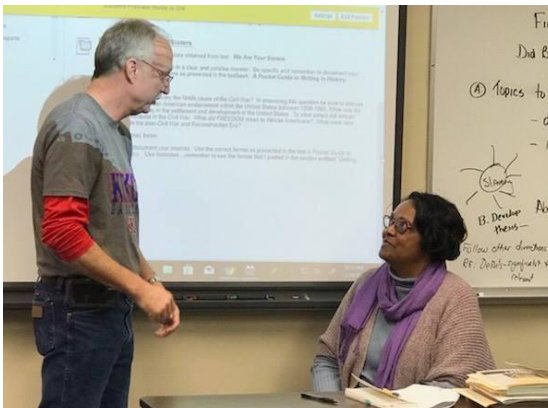




## **KCKCC's Presidential Swap**

KCKCC had its first-ever Presidential Swap earlier this week! On Nov. 28, KCKCC had a new president for one day - Student Senate President Aliyah Shaw. She served as president of the college doing many of the same tasks as Dr. Mosier.

And while Aliyah was busy, Dr. Greg Mosier served as Student Senate President and attended class as a KCKCC student. That included running the monthly Student Senate meeting! The swap was so successful that KCKCC plans to do it again next year!



**KCKCC Volunteers Needed for Wreaths Across America**

The Department of Military and Veteran Student Services (KCKCC Veterans Center) is looking for volunteers to support Wreaths Across America next month.

Wreaths Across America starts with at 11 a.m. Dec. 15 with a ceremony at the Leavenworth National Cemetery, 150 Muncie Road in Leavenworth. KCKCC will assist in laying wreaths shortly after. Volunteers will meet at 10:45 a.m. at the cemetery. The retirement of the wreaths will take place Jan. 19.

Wreaths Across America is a national non-profit organization that was founded in 2007. Every December on National Wreaths Across America Day, the mission to Remember, Honor and Teach is carried out by coordinating wreath-laying ceremonies. The theme this year is "Be Their Witness."

This event brings together community service groups and organizations from the local area to provide assistance and pay respect to the veterans that are laid to rest.

If you are interested in volunteering for this event, contact Amy Sigmon at the Veterans Center at [military@kckcc.edu](mailto:military@kckcc.edu) or call 913-288-7593 by Dec. 7. When calling, please let the Veterans Center know if you can participate in the event on Dec 15, Jan. 19 or both. Please provide your T-shirt size as all volunteers will be given a T-shirt for supporting the event. T-shirts can be picked up at the Veterans Center on Dec. 14 or the day of the event.

For additional information about this program, please visit [wreathsassamerica.org](http://wreathsassamerica.org).



## Six Blue Devils Earn Post-Season Soccer Honors



Six KCKCC Blue Devils have been earned All-Jayhawk East Conference soccer honors for 2018 - five of them freshmen.

Four Blue Devils were named to the first team headed by the lone sophomore, forward Reed Axthelm, of Riverton, Wy. He was joined on the first unit by midfielder Alejandro Maillet, of Alleroed, Denmark

and defenders Stylianos Papadimitriou, of Nicosia, Cyprus and Ignacio Sarasol, of Valencia, Spain.

Named to the second team were goalkeeper Fabian Keiblinger, of Sitzenberg-Reidling, Austria and defender Justin Hynes, of Villingen, Germany.

Cowley College, which won the Jayhawk East with a 10-0 record, dominated the All-East

team with 11 first team selections and swept the individual awards. Freshmen Santiago Gimenez and Elluan Martins were named Co-Offensive Players of the Year, sophomore Jesus Garcia Defender of the Year and Ruy Vaz Coach of the Year.

## Lady Blue Devils Cruise 97-53 for 10th Win of Season

With win No. 10 safely in the books via a 97-53 win over William Penn JV Thursday, KCKCC's Lady Blue Devils take to the road for their next three games.

At Washburn University JV Monday at 5:30 p.m., the Blue Devils (10-1) will compete next Friday and Saturday in the Southeast Nebraska Classic in Beatrice. They'll open play Friday against Central Nebraska at 2 p.m. and then meet host Southeast Saturday at 6 p.m. before returning home for a big re-match with Metropolitan Community College Tuesday, Dec. 11.

The inside-outside presence of sophomores Nija Collier and Camryn Swanson laid the ground work for the 97-53 win over William Penn. Collier scored a game high 25 points on 10-of-12 field goal attempts, grabbed eight rebounds and came away with a season high six steals while Swanson had a season high 19 points that included 5-of-9 three-pointers.

Kisi Young had her second double-double in three days, scoring 14 points and grabbing 11 rebounds while Lillie Moore had a near double-double with 13 points and eight rebounds. Caroline Hoppock added nine points, Brodi Byrd seven and Lenaejha Evans six while Caitlyn Stewart led in assists with five.

Tied 4-4 after more than three minutes into the game, the Blue Devils ran off 16 straight points for a 20-4 lead and led 23-11 after one quarter on 58.8 percent shooting. They would finish the game with 35-of-65 shots for 53.8 percent while limiting the Statesmen to 31.3 percent shooting. KCKCC also forced 33 turnovers but committed 21 and had only a 41-38 edge in rebounding.



## KCKCC Program Spotlight



KCKCC Building Engineering and Maintenance Technology students have been working hard over the last few weeks on a deck project. Great seeing our students hard at work learning the skills needed in their future careers!



The KCKCC Student Senate had the opportunity to attend the ASACC Conference earlier this month in Tampa, Fla. During the conference, students had the opportunity to meet other student

senators from across the country as well as attend breakout sessions on a variety of topics.

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## Still Time to Donate to KCKCC Foundation

Did you miss your chance to donate to the KCKCC Foundation on Giving Tuesday? Well, don't worry! The foundation accepts donations throughout the year that are used to award scholarships to students so that they can continue their education. Visit the KCKCC Foundation Facebook [page](#) or the [website](#) for more information on how to make your donation!



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## Blue Devils Can't Make Early Lead Hold Up

Iowa Western broke open a tight defensive battle late in the first half on the way to a 77-54 win over KCKCC Tuesday night in Council Bluffs.

The win was the ninth in a row for the Reivers (9-1), a perennial NJCAA Division I powerhouse while KCKCC fell to 2-7 heading into a home game with Ottawa University JV Saturday at 4 p.m.



The Blue Devils held a 9-8 lead with 10:30 left in the first half only to have Iowa Western score the next 10 points and finish the half on 30-7 run and lead 35-16 at the break. Rebound domination was a big factor as the Reivers gave up only one offensive rebound in controlling the boards 25-12. Iowa Western also was 14-of-33 from the field for 42.4 percent while limiting KCKCC to six field goals in 24 attempts for 25 percent.

The Blue Devils battled back in the second half. Outscored just 42-38, the Blue Devils forced 11 turnovers and shot 37.5 percent. The 77 points equaled the fewest scored by Iowa Western this season. Shooting 50 percent from the field, the Reivers came into the game averaging 93 points per game.

Calvin Slaughter led KCKCC with 14 points and five rebounds. Kelyn Bolton added 10 points, Daiyon Taylor seven points and three assists; Cody Dortch six points on a pair of 3-pointers and Andre Boykins five points.

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## Chiefs Tickets Still Available in KCKCC Fundraiser



You still have the opportunity to see the Chiefs at Arrowhead Stadium and help the KCKCC Foundation at the same time!

Tickets are \$33.50 and \$10 of each ticket will be donated to the foundation to be used toward student scholarships.

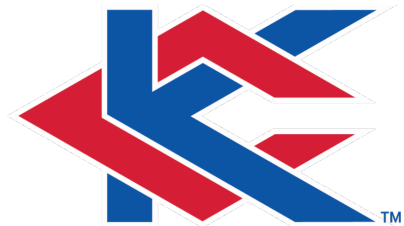
Games that remain are:

- Dec. 9 - Ravens vs. Chiefs, noon
- Dec. 30 - Raiders vs. Chiefs, noon

Click [here](#) to purchase Kansas City Chiefs tickets go to the Ticket Fundraiser website. Be sure to enter code KCKCEF!

## Make Submissions Now for the KCKCC E-Journal

All faculty and staff at Kansas City Kansas Community College as well as community members are invited to submit papers for publication in the Spring 2019 edition of the KCKCC E-Journal. The journal will be published in March.



Contributors are free to choose their own themes or topics, depending on discipline or area of interest.

Essays can be submitted from any of the following disciplines - Allied Health and Nursing, Business, Humanities and Fine Arts, Engineering, Mathematics & Sciences, Social and Behavioral Sciences and on contemporary national or global issues.

Submitted manuscripts should include the following information - title, abstract and a brief bio of the author. The abstract should be between 100 and 150 words. The deadline for the March edition is Jan. 30.

The KCKCC E-Journal is a web-based, bi-annual, interdisciplinary publication of Kansas City Kansas Community College. The journal publishes high quality, peer-reviewed articles and works-in-progress, as well as creative works in any genre. According to the editorial board bylaws, contributors include currently employed faculty, staff, retired faculty, and the public are eligible to submit entries for consideration and possible publication. The journal's central theme is "exploring a scholarly community."

Essays/manuscripts can be submitted through email attachment and should be in a Microsoft Word document. Papers should be formatted in Arial, with a font size of 12 and fully justified. All images should be attached as separate documents and not to be included in the body of the essay.

For more information, contact Dr. Ewa Unoke, editor of the KCKCC E-Journal and professor of political science, by email at [eunoke@kckcc.edu](mailto:eunoke@kckcc.edu) or by calling 913-288-7119.

## *Save the Date*

*Kansas City Kansas Community College  
Candle Lighting Ceremony*

*Wednesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>*

*11:00 am – 12:15 pm*

*Performing Arts Center*



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