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Guest Book

Burns & Polly headed to Hall of Fame

Burns Hargis and Polly Nichols are among seven Oklahomans who have been selected for induction into the 82nd class of the Oklahoma Hall of Fame. These accomplished Oklahomans will join the cast of 628 individuals who have been inducted into the Oklahoma Hall of Fame since 1928.

In addition to Hargis and Nichols, the 2009 nominees are: C. Kendrick Ferguson, Altus; Marlin G. "Ike" Glass, Jr., Newkirk; Lee Roy Selmon, Eufaula; Steven W. Taylor, McAlester; and Wayman Lawrence Tisdale, Tulsa, who will be inducted posthumously.

Burns Hargis has been a passionate and creative Oklahoma leader for nearly 40 years. Today he serves as the 18th president of Oklahoma State University. He is only the second OSU graduate to serve as president and holds degrees in accounting from OSU and in law from the University of Oklahoma.

Hargis has brought incredible enthusiasm and energy to OSU. Shortly after becoming president, Hargis led a record-setting fund-raising initiative. He has a bold vision of creating a modern land-grant university that combines disciplines to better prepare students for a new world.

Polly Nichols, community volunteer and philanthropist, has served Oklahoma nonprofits most of her life. Born in McAlester, she has been involved with more than 20 organizations since moving to Oklahoma City in 1971.

A survivor of the Oklahoma City bombing, she co-chaired the \$29.1 million dollar fund-raising drive to build the Oklahoma City National Memorial & Museum and continues to serve on the Memorial board. She has served as chair of the Memorial, Oklahoma City Junior League, Science Museum Oklahoma and the Oklahoma Center for Nonprofits, where she has worked to build a coalition of nonprofits in Oklahoma.

The 82nd Oklahoma Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony & Banquet will be held Thursday, Nov. 12 at the Renaissance Tulsa Hotel & Convention Center. Tickets and table sponsorships for the event will go on sale in September. For more information about the Oklahoma Hall of Fame or making a nomination to the Oklahoma Hall of Fame, call Millie Craddick, executive administrator of the Oklahoma Hall of Fame, at 5233203 or e-mail her at mc@oklahomaheritage.com.

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 - Crossings to host 15th annual Celebration of Freedom concert

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- The Greens presents the Serve for the Cure tennis tournament at The Greens

Quail Creek

- Friends bid farewell to the Boatmans

Editorials

- Our 'umbrella' volunteers: Chamber, United Way, Allied Arts

J. Leland Gourley

- June is a big wedding month.

Joy Richardson

- Levys celebrate 50th anniversary

Erin Embree

- Laney and Eddie's shower.

High School Sports

- McGuinness' Ikard named top scholar-athlete
- 7 Fridayland athletes earn All-City honors in golf, track
- All-City Tennis: Ritchie, Haworth named state's top players
- Irish, Chargers sweep girls 1st team; PCN places 3 boys
- Summer Baseball: Casady, HHall split twin bill

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