

Progress updated on Peru State's Project ROAR

**(KLZA)-- Construction crews have been working for several months on the first two buildings for Project ROAR at Peru State College.**

**The Recreation Dome north of the Oak Bowl, and the Diamond Building next to the baseball/softball fields at the Centennial Complex.**

**The Recreation Dome is the air-supported structure that will house the 70-yard practice field, two basketball / volleyball/ badminton/ pickleball/tennis courts, and a weight room. This building will dramatically expand opportunities for students on campus to get up and get moving, year-round.**

**Everything from enhanced practice options for the football team to informal pick-up games of tennis or basketball will become possible.**

**The Diamond Building is the hard-sided facility that will include locker rooms for the baseball and softball teams, coaches' offices, a small meeting/classroom, restrooms and concessions for baseball and softball spectators, and more.**

**These facilities will benefit Peru State students, faculty, and staff, and they also will provide much-needed indoor space for community organizations and schools in the surrounding towns.**

**Project ROAR is the largest such project in Peru State history and the first major new construction in more than 40 years.**

**To this point, nearly \$2 million has been contributed toward the project. Funds for the remaining three buildings are still being raised.**

**Peru State anticipates opening the Rec Dome and the Diamond Building in about 12 months—the Spring 2025 semester.**

**To make a contribution to Project ROAR, you can do so online at [www.peru.edu/foundation/projectroar](http://www.peru.edu/foundation/projectroar) and click on the Give Now button. Or, you can send a check to the PSC Foundation, PO Box 10, Peru, NE 68421-0010.**