

Victorian Christmas Customs Presentation Scheduled on December 2

Victorian Christmas customs will be presented by Kim Smith from the Presque Isle History Society on Wednesday, December 2, at 12:00 noon in the Edmunds Conference Center at NMCC. Smith will cover a number of topics in her presentation that involve the Christmas tree, including the origin of artificial trees, the concept of a village or train under the tree, Christmas tree lights and the tree stand. She will also discuss Victorian traditions and their evolution as it relates to Christmas cards, wrapping paper, Christmas carols and window displays. In addition to the discussion led by Smith, attendees will also learn how to make a Victorian ornament by making one themselves. Materials will be provided.

Volunteers Needed for Holiday Float

NMCC will once again have a float in this year's Presque Isle Holiday Light Parade on Saturday, December 5. The parade begins at 7:00 p.m., traveling down Main Street from North Street to UMPI.

Volunteers are still needed to help decorate the float, which is taking place this Thursday and Friday. Contact the development office for details on times.

We are also looking for employees students and their families to ride on the float and to walk alongside it handing out books to children. Kids are welcome to ride on the float, just make sure that they are dressed appropriately for the weather (hats, mittens, snow pants, etc.). Volunteers should come to the North Street Plaza between 6:00-6:30 p.m.

The welding and metal fabrication students have built an awesome tree for the float, and Aroostook Idol winner Pam Cyr will be riding on it singing "Rock'n Around the Christmas Tree." It will be a great time, so please join us!!

Monday, November 30:

Admissions Testing, 12:50 - 3:00 pm, MRT 210
Dutch Soccer Academy, 3:00 - 9:00 pm, Gym
IAABO, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

Tuesday, December 1:

Nursing Well Elder Tea, 12:00 - 2:00 pm, Edmunds
Student Senate Meeting, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, CHR 201
Nursing Webinar, 1:00 - 3:00 pm, CED Classroom
SAD #1 Basketball Practice, 3:00 - 4:30 pm, Gym
AYBL Basketball, 6:00 - 7:30 pm, Gym
Truth Project, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, MRT 212

Wednesday, December 2:

Victorian Christmas Presentation, 12:00 am - 1:30 pm, Edmunds Conference Center
Admissions Testing, 12:30 - 3:30 pm, MRT 105
SAD #1 Basketball Practice, 3:00 - 4:30 pm, Gym

Thursday, December 3:

SAD #1 Basketball Practice, 3:00 - 4:30 pm, Gym
AARA, 6:30 - 8:30 pm, CHR 204

Friday, December 4:

Wii for All, 11:00 am - 2:00 pm, Edmunds Conf.
Medical Assisting Meeting, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, CHR 201
SAD #1 Basketball Practice, 3:00 - 4:30 pm, Gym
Prehospital Trauma Course, 4:00 - 10:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

Saturday, December 5:

Prehospital Trauma Course, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, Edmunds
PI Holiday Light Parade, 7:00 pm, Downtown PI

What's Happening on Campus...

LUNCHTIME IN THE REED COMMONS

Monday

Soup: Double Ckn. Noodle
Beef Vegetable
Broccoli Cheddar
Deli: BLT Sandwich
Grill: B&T Grilled Cheese
Mediterranean Kitchen
Sausage Pizza
Gemelli al Pomodoro
Home & Away Station
Soy Sesame Chicken
Jasmine Rice
Orange Spiced Carrots
Fresh Green Beans
Dessert Bar
Choc. Chip Oat Raisin Cookies
Brownies

Tuesday

Soup: Double Ckn. Noodle
Vegetable
Chicken & Okra
Deli: Corned Beef
Grill: Gr. Tandoori Wrap
Mediterranean Kitchen
Cheeseburger Pizza
Yukon Smashed Potatoes
Home & Away Station
Grilled Ham Steaks
Sweet Potato Fries
Seasoned Corn
Veggie Medley
Dessert Bar
Choc. Chip Cookies
Raspberry Almond Bars

Wednesday

Soup: Double Ckn. Noodle
Corn Chowder
French Onion Soup
Deli: Supreme Turkey Wrap
Grill: Chicken Fajitas
Mediterranean Kitchen
Mediterranean Pizza
Stir Fry
Home & Away Station
Ckn. & Sausage Jambalaya
BBQ Pinto Beans
Sliced Beets
Veggie Medley
Dessert Bar
Choc. Chip Sugar Cookies
Mocha Brownies

Thursday

Soup: Double Ckn. Noodle
Tomato Rice
Beef & Barley
Deli: BBQ Chicken Panini
Grill: Ball Park Dogs
Mediterranean Kitchen
Cheeseburger Pizza
Tuscan Chicken Pizza
Home & Away Station
Beef Tacos
Chipotle Rice
Southwest Grilled Veggies
Mexican Corn
Dessert Bar
Dbl. Chocolate Chip Cookies
Rasp. White Choc. Cheesecake

Friday

Soup: Double Ckn. Noodle
NE Clam Chowder
California Bean
Deli: Cranberry Turkey Rustica
Grill: Fishwich
Mediterranean Kitchen
Greek Pizza
Mediterranean Pasta
Home & Away Station
Hot Ham & Cheese Grinder
Herbed Chips
Fresh Spinach
Glazed Parsnips
Dessert Bar
Krispie Cookie
Black & White Blondies

A salad bar and items from the grill are also available daily.

Weekly
Menu

Craft Fair to be Held

Students and employees are encouraged to come check out the skills of some of the members of the campus community, and pick up some great Christmas gifts, during a "mini" craft fair on Wednesday, December 9, from 12:00-1:00 p.m. in the library. Approximately 10 folks from the campus community will be displaying their various wares.

Three Man Basketball Tournament

The NMCC Student Senate is sponsoring a 3-man basketball tournament on December 12 at 9:00 a.m. in the NMCC gymnasium. The entrance fee is \$50, with proceeds going to the Northern Maine Chapter of the Red Cross. Donations will also be collected the day of the event.

There will be winners and losers brackets, concessions, t-shirts for all teams that enter, and many more events at the tournament. The deadline for entering is December 8. Those who do not want to play are encouraged to come and watch!

For more information, contact Aaron Conroy at 745-1254.

Wishing Well Raffle

Residential construction students are raffling off a hand-made wishing well to raise money for their "Send Them Off with Tools" fund. The wishing well is currently on display in the Christie lobby. Tickets are \$1 each or seven for \$5. They are available at the information window in the Christie lobby, or from Guy Jackson or any residential construction senior. The drawing will be held on December 10.

For more details, stop by the residential construction lab to speak with instructor Guy Jackson or one of his students.



Mass Communications: Media & Culture Class to Present an NMCC Family Feud

A popular TV game show comes to NMCC's Edmunds Center, as students from the Mass Communications: Media and Culture class presents its version of Family Feud.

The one-hour presentation, which begins at 12 noon on Monday, December 7, features two "families" comprised of students and NMCC faculty members Dave Raymond and Lori Googins. Family one consists of Justin Nadeau, Ashley Merrill, Lacey Delano, and Dave Raymond. Family two is Elizabeth Cook, Sarah Hansen, Elizan McLean, and Lori Googins.

The show serves as the final project for the class, and provides a way for students to share their new media knowledge and awareness to the college community. All students in the class are helping to organize the show, which will be emceed by Robert Sines. Erin Farley and Mary Woollard have compiled questions and are in charge of the scoreboard. Advertising and promotion is being handled by Katie Nichols and Dawn Story. The remainder of the class have been involved in surveying the general public to get their responses to questions, and providing technical support and set up and take down for the event.

Refreshments will be served and members of the campus community are invited to come see the fun as faculty and students join forces in the Family Feud.

Skating

NMCC students can skate for free at the Forum, simply bring your student ID with you. Call the Forum for general skate times at 764-0491.

Courtesy of Student Senate

Swimming at the Indoor Pool...

NMCC students can swim for free at the Presque Isle indoor pool, located next to the Forum. Simply bring your student ID with you and be sure to sign in at the desk. To find out times when the pool is open to the public, you can call 764-2564.

Courtesy of Student Senate



Welding and metal fabrication instructor Dennis Albert (left) works with some of his students to create a large metal tree that will be the cornerstone of this year's NMCC float in the annual Holiday Light Parade.