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Soccer Season Begins During Homecoming

As the College celebrates its first Homecoming in more than two decades this weekend, the NMCC Falcons soccer team will play a key role in the activities.

The Falcons will first face a team of NMCC (NMTC/NMVTI) alumni on Saturday, September 11, at 1:00 p.m. in the NMCC soccer field. Students and employees who are not playing are encouraged to come and cheer for the teams.

The Falcons then go on to play their first regular game of the season on Sunday, September 12, against Eastern Maine Community College. The game will take place on the turf at Presque Isle Middle School at 1:00 p.m. The NMCC campus community is urged to come cheer for their team!

Alumni Dinner to Take Place Friday Night

As part of Homecoming activities, the NMCC Alumni & Friends Organization is hosting a dinner on Friday evening. Nearly 100 alumni and friends are expected to attend the event, which includes a reception in the library followed by dinner and awards in the Edmunds Conference Center. Four alumni are being honored during the evening as "Shining Stars"—the first of 50 who will be unveiled in the coming year as part of the College's 50th anniversary events beginning in 2011.

Look for more details on these four honorees and the 50 Stars Project coming soon!

Join us for our

Open House



Northern Maine Community College

Friday, September 10

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Featuring:



TOURS THROUGHOUT THE DAY

Check out the College's various facilities that help us serve our students, area businesses and the local community. See our trade students at work in their labs and much more. **Sign up for door prizes, including two chances to win tuition for a 3-credit NMCC class. Free gifts for all visitors!**

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENING

10:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. by NMCC Medical Assisting Students
2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. by NMCC Nursing Students



FREE DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY DEMO

11:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. courtesy of our Continuing Education Division
Come learn more about how to use your digital camera.

Pep Rally & BBQ

11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.



Lawn across from Andrews Hall (rain location in Reed Commons)

Come enjoy a great BBQ lunch for only \$5 and listen to a performance by the Presque Isle Middle School Jazz Band. Meet our soccer team members and help cheer them on for their two games this weekend (a game against alumni on Saturday at NMCC and their first official game of the season against Eastern Maine Community College on the PIMS turf; both games are at 1:00 p.m.)



'A GUIDE TO ACADEMIC SUCCESS'

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. in the Academic Success Center

Stop by to pick up handouts on various tips regarding student success and talk to our student tutors.

'THROUGH THE LENS OF A FARMER'

2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. in the Library

Come see the photography exhibit by Laurence Park featuring photos of the greater Presque Isle area, some dating back as far as the late 1800s. Refreshments will be served.



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Don't miss
your opportunity
Join us on September 10.

Need to know more? Call us at 768-2809

Lunch Menu

Monday

Holiday - College Closed

Tuesday

Vegetable Chowder
Chunky Potato Chowder
Oriental Beef Noodle Soup
Chicken Pot Pie
Baked Macaroni & Cheese
Cauliflower Au Gratin
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Italian Sausage Sandwich
Turkey Burger
Buffalo Fries
Spinach & Ricotta Wheat Pizza
Gr. Panini Smoked Turkey
Assorted Dessert

Wednesday

Lentil Soup
Beef Barley & Noodle Soup
Chunky Potato Chowder
Hot Turkey Sandwich
Beef Ravioli Casserole
Carrots
Reuben Melt
Turkey Burger
Buffalo Fries
Gr. Chicken & Broccoli Pizza
Ham & Cheese Wrap
Chunky Chicken Salad Sand.
Assorted Dessert

Thursday

Italian Wedding Soup
Very Veggie Vegetarian Soup
Chunky Potato Salad
Beef Taco
Primavera Casserole
Mexi-Corn
Spanish Rice
Ballpark Dogs
Turkey Burger
Buffalo Fries
Calzone
Focaccia, Turkey, Cranberry
Assorted Dessert

Friday

Come join us for a
Barbecue & Pep Rally
from 11:30 am - 1:00 pm
across from Andrews Hall
(rain location Reed Commons)

Enjoy some great food, listen to the PI Middle School Jazz Band, and cheer on your NMCC Falcons Soccer Team as they prepare for their first weekend of play for the season!

Students on a meal plan need only check in. For students, employees and others who want to take part, the cost is only \$5.

Don't miss the fun!



Bob Marley to Perform in P.I.

Comedian Bob Marley will be performing on Saturday night, September 11, at the Presque Isle Forum. The show, which begins at 8:30 p.m., is being offered as part of the Maine State Federation of Firefighters Annual Convention taking place this weekend. **Tickets for the show are only \$15 and can be purchased at information window in the Christie lobby.**

Win a Chance to Ride on Big Red

For just \$1, you can buy a ticket for your child or grandchild to have a chance to ride on Big Red, a monster fire truck, during the parade in Presque Isle on Saturday, September 11. Three lucky children will win. All proceeds will benefit Camp Sunshine, a camp on Sebago Lake for children with life threatening illnesses. **Tickets can be purchased at the information window in the Christie lobby.**



NMCC to Have Float in Parade; Help Needed Saturday Morning

As hopefully everyone is aware by now, there will be a parade in Presque Isle on Saturday morning as part of the Maine State Federation of Firefighters Convention. In a show of support, as well as to help promote the College, NMCC's Alumni & Friends Organization will have a float in the parade. The group is looking for students, employees, and alumni, as well as their children or grandchildren to help out. They would like kids to ride on the float and adults to walk alongside it to hand out NMCC pencils and watermelon. Anyone who is interested and able to help should contact the college relations office at 768-2809 or info@nmcc.edu. For those who can't help, please be sure to show your support by bringing friends and/or family to the parade. The parade begins at 9:30 a.m., beginning at UMPI and ending at the Northern Maine Fairgrounds.

Events

MONDAY

Holiday - College Closed

TUESDAY

Student Computer Help, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm, CED Conf. Rm.
Student Senate Meeting, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, CHR 201
Financing Your Future Workshop, 5:30 - 8:30 pm, Reed Commons Keegan Room

WEDNESDAY

Student Computer Help, 3:00 - 5:30 pm, CED Conf. Room

THURSDAY

Student Computer Help, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm, CED Conf. Rm.
Energy Auditor Group, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, Reed Commons Keegan Room
Alternatives to Wellness, 6:30 - 8:30 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.

Campus Hours to Note...

Below are the regular operating hours of several key areas on campus for the fall semester:

ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER

Monday - Thursday 8:00 am - 8:00 pm
Friday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

LIBRARY/MEDIA CENTER

Monday - Thursday 7:30 am - 8:00 pm
Friday 7:30 am - 4:30 pm
Saturday 12:00 - 4:00 pm

BOOKSTORE

Monday - Thursday 7:30 am - 6:00 pm
Friday 7:30 am - 4:00 pm

BUSINESS OFFICE

Monday - Friday 7:30 am - 4:30 pm

STUDENT SERVICES OFFICE

Monday - Friday 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

Computer Help Available

The IT Office has setup support sessions for students needing basic assistance with common issues: accessing the wireless network, wireless printing, server storage, antivirus installation, etc. These sessions will run until September 17 in the Continuing Education conference room (located on the second floor of the Edmunds Building...take the staircase or elevator next to the library's entrance and look for the bright signs that will help direct you there.) The hours of this week's help sessions are listed in the Events section.

When seeking help, please be sure you have enough time set aside (computers cannot be left unattended) and bring anything that you'll need: power cables, jump drives, software installation disks, etc.

FRIDAY

Open House & Tours, 9:00 am - 4:00 pm, Campuswide
Student Computer Help, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm, CED Conf. Rm.
BBQ & Pep Rally, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, across from Andrews Hall (rain location Reed Commons)
Free Digital Photography Demo, 11:30 am - 12:00 pm, CED Classroom
Photography Exhibit & Reception, 2:00 - 4:00 pm, Library
Alumni Dinner & Awards, 5:00 - 9:00 pm, Edmunds

SATURDAY

NMCC Falcons vs. Alumni Soccer Game, 1:00 pm, Soccer Field
AFL Meeting, 9:00 - 10:00 am, CHR 101

SUNDAY

NMCC Soccer Game, 1:00 pm, PIMS Soccer Field