

Toward Excellence Weekly Bulletin

Groundbreaking Planned for November 14

Members of the campus community are invited to come to a groundbreaking ceremony on Monday, November 14, at 1:30 p.m. near the main entrance of the Mailman Trades Building.

There will be a brief presentation to kick off the underground piping project that will connect the Mailman Trades Building to the Christie Complex, so that it can get heat from the new biomass boiler that will be installed in the Christie Building.

The boiler will supply heat to 170,275 square feet and is anticipated to replace more than 65% of the College's fuel oil consumption with locally and sustainably harvested wood pellets (a carbon neutral fuel). This will not only save the College considerable amounts of money, but is also the equivalent of more than 100 cars being taken off the road.

If your schedule allows, please join us as we break ground for this exciting new project.

Jason Parent and Shannon Cook Recognized for Efforts

Congratulations to Jason Parent and Shannon Cook for each receiving this year's Eagle Award during the Foundation Annual Dinner on November 3 in recognition of all they have done over the past few years for the Foundation, particularly in the area of donor relations and the new alumni organization. Presenting the award are Brian Hamel (left), outgoing chair of the Foundation board, and NMCC President Timothy Crowley.



Scavenger Hunt

The Student Senate sponsored their fall scavenger hunt last week. Teams of students made the most of campus, work and personal connections as they competed to find the most items on the list.

Congatulations to the winning teams!

1st Place: Richard Danilowicz, Yusef Ghodgeri and Gail Webb each won a \$75 gift card to Walmart.



2nd Place: Ginger Ouellette, Amanda McNeal and Adrian Saed each won a \$50 gift card to Walmart.



3rd Place: LeAnn Kimball, Sandy Whitmore, Anjelica Jordan and Roxanne Alley each won a \$25 gift card to Walmart.



4th Place: Crystal Belanger and Janelle Nickerson won \$20 gift cards to Pizza

Lunch Menu

Monday

French Dip Sandwich Classic Spanakoptia Green Beans Scallion Mashed Potatoes Tuna Melt Chicken Ceasar Station Beef Vegetable Soup Vegetable Barley Soup Chili Con Carne

Tuesday

Carnitas Taco
Pilaf, Barley, Portobella,
Squash, Butternut
Broccoli
Oven Roasted Potatoes
Chili Dog w/Cheddar Cheese
Macaroni Station
Brown Rice Turkey Soup
Vegetable & Bean Soup
Chili Con Carne

Wednesday

Zesty Turkey Tetrazzini Vegan Jambalaya Cauliflower White Rice Pollock Fishwich Stir Fry Station Chicken Noodle Soup Twice Baked Potato Soup Chili Con Carne

Thursday

Oven Roasted BBQ Chicken Eggplant & Bean Casserole Snap Peas & Carrots Garlic Breadsticks Chipotle Chicken Sandwich Pasta Pronto Station New England Clam Chowder Cream of Tomato Soup Chili Con Carne

Friday

London Broiled BBQ Turkey Thai Curry Noodles w/Tofu Peas Egg Noodles Italian Burger Mucho Nachos Minestrone Soup Potato Leek Soup Chili Con Carne

AVAILABLE DAILY

Salad, Pizza Hamburgers, Garden Burgers, Hot Dogs, Chicken Sandwiches, Grilled Cheese, French Fries, Assorted Desserts

Thank You...

Early childhood education instructor Heidi Broad-Smith and her students would like to thank everyone for their support of the ECE Halloween snack/back sale last week. Also, special thanks to Dennis Albert and Shelly Ouelette for all of their help at the Children's Harvest Party.

Basketball Season Underway

The NMCC Falcons play their first game of the season tonight (November 7) in an away game in Bangor against UM-Augusta. Their first several games are away, so we won't get a chance to see them play on their home court this semester, but best of luck to the team as they travel downstate for play!

Playing for the Falcons this season are: Joe Buckley, Spencer Conrad, Nathan Farley, Sam Joy, Frank LaFave, Jacob Lassonde, Alex Myers, Jonathan Post, Colton Rennie, Doug Sharpe, and Matthew Till.

Skating at the Forum...

Students who present their NMCC student ID card at the door can skate for free at the indoor rink at the Forum. Call the Forum for times at 764-0491.

Courtesy of Student Senate

Donations Sought

With the economy the way it is, the Sister Mary O'Donnell Homeless Shelter is serving more people than ever and is in great need of supplies. Personal toiletry items are particularly needed, but a list of all needed items is available in the library. Donations can be dropped off in the library.

Reminder...

The College will be closed on Friday, November 11, in honor of Veterans Day. Enjoy the long weekend!

Mark Your Calendars...

Gail Gagnon will be giving a presentation in the library on Wednesday, November 16, from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. in honor of Native American Heritage Month. She will be talking about native medicinal plants. Look for more details in next week's bulletin, but meanwhile, mark your calendar for noon on November 16.

Employee Meeting

There will be an employee meeting at noon on Wednesday, November 9, in the library. Lunch will be provided. All employees are encouraged to attend. Students, please note that while the library will remain open over the lunch hour, it will not be a quite study location during that time. We apologize for any inconvenience.

Craft Fair Planned

The library is planning their annual Craft Fair for Thursday, December 1, from 12:00-1:00 p.m. in the Edmunds Conference Center. Any student or employee who would like to take part in the fair should contact Gail Roy in the library.

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 sign in at the desk. To find out when the pool is open to the public, call 764-2564.

Courtesy of Student Senate

Newsletter Items...

Do you have items that you would like printed in the Weekly Bulletin? If so, submit your information to the development office by calling 768-2809, e-mailing info@nmcc.edu or stopping by the office, just off of the lobby of the Christie Building. **The deadline is Friday by 10 a.m.**

Events.

MONDAY

Admissions Testing, 2:00 - 4:00 pm, MRT 105 Retirement Planning Workshop, 5:30 - 8:00 pm, Keegan Rm.

TUESDAY

Little Feathers, 10:00 - 11:00 am, Gym
VALIC, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm, Library Study Room 1
Student Senate Meeting, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, CHR 201
TRIO Workshop - Bystander Intervention, 12:00 - 1:00 pm,
Reed Commons Keegan Room
AYBL, 5:30 - 7:30 pm, Gym

WEDNESDAY

Minerva Meeting, 9:30 am - 1:00 pm, Library Study Rm 2
Employee Meeting, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, Library
Student Senate Officers Meeting, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, Reed
Commons Keegan Room

Credit Yourself Class, 2:00 - 4:30 pm, Reed Commons Keegan Room

Fall Symposium, 8:00 am - 6:00 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.

THURSDAY

Fall MALTI Meeting, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr

Trade Tech Department Meeting, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, Reed Commons Keegan Room

Admissions Testing, 12:45 - 3:00 pm, MRT 210 **ASE Exams,** 5:30 - 10:00 pm, CHR 207

AYBL, 5:30 - 10:00 pm, CHR 201

Basketball Officials Mtg., 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

FRIDAY

Holiday, College Closed