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Student Activities Card

Current NMCC students are able to enjoy free admittance to the indoor pool in Presque Isle, as well as to the Forum during skating season courtesy of the Student Senate. They also benefit from discounted rates at Big Rock ski area in Mars Hill.

To take advantage of these savings, NMCC students should stop by the information window in the Christie lobby to pick up a student activity card. Students must present their NMCC student ID when they come.

This student activity card and the student's NMCC ID card must be presented at the time the student wants to use the free or discounted service (i.e. go swimming, skating or skiing).

Questions can be directed to Dennis Albert, Student Senate advisor.

Wold Polio Day Event Planned

UMPI and the P.I. Rotary Club are joining forces to celebrate World Polio Day on Wednesday, Oct. 24, in a big way – presenting a day's worth of activities meant to raise awareness of Rotary International's efforts to eradicate polio worldwide and to raise money – \$1 at a time – to go toward that global effort. NMCC is joining in the cause.

The day will include a Purple Pinkie Project event at UMPI, NMCC, the Aroostook Centre Mall and The Aroostook Medical Center. Volunteers will paint your pinkie purple for \$1 to help raise money for polio eradication. Funds raised will go toward Rotary International's End Polio Now efforts.

In the evening, TAMC presents its 30th Storer Boone Memorial Presentation also honoring Dr. Arthur Pendleton of Fort Fairfield – titled End Polio Now – at 7 p.m. in the Campus Center.



Purple Pinkie Project

In 1985, Rotary International began raising funds in an effort to eliminate Polio worldwide. By partnering with the World Health Organization and others, Rotary International has achieved a 99 percent reduction of Polio worldwide. The Purple Pinkie Project will raise funds to help out with that remaining 1 percent.

The estimated cost to immunize one child from polio is \$1, and when each child gets immunized, Rotarians mark their pinkies with a topical purple dye called Gentian Violet to prevent double dosages.

NMCC employees and students are encouraged to stop by the Christie lobby or the area across from the bookstore from 8:30-10:30 a.m. on October 24 to help support this great cause.

Halloween Happenings



MUMMIES IN MAINE?? Curiosities, Commodities & Cultural Connections

Come join us for this special presentation by Su Wolfe, one of the world's leading mummy experts.

Friday, October 26
at **6:00 p.m.**
in the **NMCC Library**

This illustrated talk will give an overview of the history of Egyptian mummies as artifacts in nineteenth-century America, and provide some factual evidence for the Maine mummy papermaking business which is, as will be demonstrated, a lot more than just an urban legend.

Su Wolfe is the author of *Mummies in Nineteenth Century America, Ancient Egyptians as Artifacts.*

Presented by the Haystack Historical Society

Annual Harvest Party

Friday, October 26

6:30 - 8:30 pm, Edmunds C.C.

Students and employees with children under the age of 12 are invited to bring their kids to the annual Harvest Party. There will be lots of fun, games, crafts and goodies. Please sign up in the IT Office by Wednesday, October 24, so that they will have enough for everyone!

Sponsored by the Student Senate

Costume Contest

Friday, October 26

Noon, Christie Lobby

Students who want to get into the Halloween spirit...come to the Christie lobby at noon for costume judging. Winners will each receive a Walmart gift card.

Sponsored by the Student Senate

Halloween Guessing Contest

October 22 - 26 - Christie Lobby

Students...stop by the Christie lobby to put in your guess for a chance to win! The two winners will be announced Friday at noon, and each will receive a \$50 Walmart gift card.

Sponsored by the Student Senate

Halloween Breakfast

Tuesday, October 30

10:00 pm, Reed Commons

Stop by the dining commons for a "spooky" Halloween-themed nighttime breakfast. Enjoy the food and have a chance to win some of the give-aways. This event is free for resident students; commuters, employees and the public are invited as well for a cost of \$4.

Sponsored by Aramark

Lunch Menu

Monday

Gr. Italian Sausage w/Peppers
Chicago-style Hot Dog
Pizza Poppers
Italian Pasta Salad
Beef Vegetable Soup
Chicken Noodle Soup
Rotini Marinara
Broccoli
Vegetable Enchilada
Cheddar Cauliflower Soup
Italian Wrap

Tuesday

Rotisserie-Style Chicken
Bistro Chicken Sandwich
Broccoli & Red Pepper Pizza
Crab Salad
Two-Bean Chili w/Brown Rice
Chicken Noodle Soup
Garlic Mashed Potatoes
Steamed Green Peas
Farfalle w/Broccoli & Ricotta
Spicy Veggie Barley Bean Soup
Falafel on Pita

Wednesday

BBQ Beef Brisket Sandwich
Black Bean Stuffed Peppers
Turkey Burger
Chicken & Bacon Pizza
Old-Fashioned Cole Slaw
Beef Mushroom Barley Soup
Chicken Noodle Soup
Sweet Potato Hash w/Bacon
Fresh Collared Greens
Garlic Broccoli Orzo
Roasted Corn & Potato Soup
Italian Sub

Thursday

Salisbury Steak
Bacon Blue Burger
Mediterranean Pizza
Red-Skin Potato Salad
Turkey Soup w/Brown Rice
Chicken Noodle Soup
Homestyle Mashed Potatoes
California Blend Vegetables
Spinach Parmesan Quiche
Cheddar Beer Soup
Three Cheese Sub

Friday

Creole Fried Pollock
Tomato & Bacon Gr. Cheese
Ham & Cheese Calzone
Homestyle Macaroni Salad
New England Clam Chowder
Chicken Noodle Soup
Grilled Red Potatoes
Seasoned Corn
Eggplant & Cavatappi Marinara
Six Onion Soup
Gr. Apple & Bacon Bruschetta

AVAILABLE DAILY

Salad, hamburgers, hot dogs, gardenburgers, cheese & pepperoni pizzas, chicken sandwiches, grilled cheese, french fries and assorted desserts

NMCC BLOOD DRIVE

Wednesday, October 24 • 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. in the gym

Sponsored by Phi Theta Kappa & the Student Nurses Association

Student Scavenger Hunt to Begin

The Student Senate will be sponsoring their annual Scavenger Hunt during the week of October 29. Teams of four students must register in the IT office from October 22-25.

Student teams will receive a list of items that they will have from 9:00 a.m. on Monday, October 29, until 11:00 a.m. on Friday, November 2, to try to find. Collected items from each team will be displayed and judged at noon on November 2.

The winning teams will receive WalMart gift cards as follows: first place, \$75 each; second place, \$50 each; third place, \$30 each; and fourth place, \$20 each.

You must register next week in order to take part, so be sure to stop by the IT office to sign up your team!

Craft Fair Planned

The library is planning their annual Craft Fair for Wednesday, December 5, 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, Nikki McNally or Laura McPherson.

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

HALLOWEEN GUESSING CONTEST, Christie Lobby
US Immigration, Library Conference Room 2
Facilities Committee Meeting, 12:00 - 2:00 pm, Edmunds CC
Basketball Practice, 5:30 - 7:00 pm, Gym
Trade Tech Advisory Committees Meeting, 6:00 - 7:00 pm, Reed Dining Commons
CTEP Training, 6:00 - 9:00 pm, CED Classroom
Open Gym, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Gym

TUESDAY

HALLOWEEN GUESSING CONTEST, Christie Lobby
US Immigration, Library Conference Room 2
Little Feathers, 10:00 - 11:00 am, Gym
Investing in Innovation Mtg., 12:00 - 2:00 pm, Keegan Room
CTEP Training, 6:00 - 9:00 pm, CED Classroom
Open Gym, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Gym

WEDNESDAY

HALLOWEEN GUESSING CONTEST, Christie Lobby
Blood Drive, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm, Gym
Purple Pinkie Project, 8:30 - 10:30 am, Christie Lobby

Breast Cancer Walk

NMCC's Health Center is holding a breast cancer awareness walk on Monday, October 22. Students and employees are all invited to take part. The group will meet in the Christie courtyard at 12:00 noon and walk for an hour. The event is intended to help "Give Cancer the Boot", the theme for this year's breast cancer awareness efforts nationwide. Those who would like are encouraged to make a donation through the NMCC Health Center for the Aroostook Cancer CARE program, to benefit a local person in the fight against cancer. Questions on the walk or about making a donation can be directed to Linda Mastro in the Health Center at 768-2803 or lmastro@nmcc.edu.

Zumba, Zumba, Zumba

Do you hear that beat?

Since October 1st through November 19th, many NMCC employees (male and female) are taking advantage of free Zumba lessons. It is being offered to all NMCC employees free of charge. The sessions are Monday and Wednesdays, 4:30 to 5:30 pm, in the gym. Mandy Putnam is the instructor.

It is a high energy, exciting, exhilarating and exhausting activity sure to make you wonder what you were thinking when you signed up! BUT will you ever feel great! Everything is at your own pace, you set your own level of difficulty. Don't worry about anyone looking at you...everyone is too busy looking at our high energy instructor. Who says exercise isn't fun? Interested? Please feel free to stop by and see what all that loud music is about.

Foundation Finance Committee, 4:00 - 5:30 pm, Martin 3rd Floor Conference Room

Basketball Practice, 5:30 - 7:00 pm, Gym

CTEP Training, 6:00 - 9:00 pm, CED Classroom

Open Gym, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Gym

THURSDAY

HALLOWEEN GUESSING CONTEST, Christie Lobby

Nursing Student Potluck, 11:00 am - 1:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

Student Senate Meeting, 12:15 - 12:45 pm, CHR 201

Admissions Testing, 1:00 - 4:00 pm, MRT 105

Open Gym, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Gym

FRIDAY

HALLOWEEN GUESSING CONTEST, Christie Lobby

Aroostook County Tax Seminar, 7:30 am - 4:30 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

Mummies in Maine Presentation, 6:00 pm, Library

Student Senate Harvest Party, 6:30 - 8:30 pm, Edmunds CC

Open Gym, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Gym