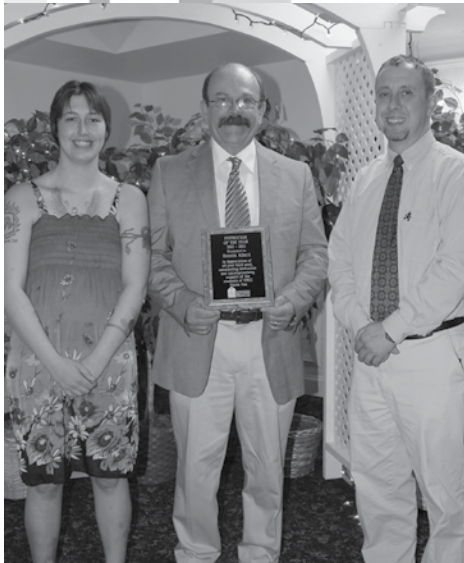




Students Receive Honors for Academic Achievement & Campus Involvement



Based on a vote by students across campus, faculty member Dennis Albert (center) was selected as NMCC Instructor of the Year. Albert was presented the award by LeAnna Kimball, vice president of the Student Senate, and Herb DeMerchant, Senate president. Albert is the lead instructor for the welding and metal fabrication program and is very active in student activities throughout the year.

More than 50 students had an opportunity to shine as they were recognized in front of family members and faculty and administrators during the annual Student Honors and Achievement Awards Ceremony on April 27. Students were honored for academic excellence and campus involvement.

Faculty from each of the College's academic programs typically selects one senior to recognize with the Academic Achievement Award for their respective programs. The award is based on numerous criteria, including overall academic performance, degree of improvement, participation and behavior in the classroom, and more. For this year's academic achievement award recipients, see the photos below.

Francis LaFave and Gail Webb also each received the Award of Excellence, a cash award established by a donor to recognize two seniors who have demonstrated a high standard

of excellence, good judgment, ability to use critical thinking skills when implementing new ideas and the highest standards of honesty and integrity while being an inspiration to others.

The Falcon Spirit Award was presented to Coleen Rand for going above and beyond the call of duty to help make the NMCC campus a better place for both students and employees. Seven students were honored with the NMCC Community Service Award for their service to the college by volunteering and contributing their time, energy, and knowledge to help with a variety of activities (see photo).

Also recognized during the event were the students who were named to Who's Who Among Students in America's Colleges and Universities, the two NMCC members of the Maine All-Academic Team, the Student of the Year, and those individuals who serve the campus as officers in the various student organizations at NMCC.



Students from Northern Maine Community College receiving achievement awards for their respective programs were (seated from left) Amy Corriveau, early childhood education; Crystal Brayall, liberal studies; Valerie White, accounting information systems; Kelley Coyle, business administration; and Pamela Easler, medical office administration. Standing from left: Valerie Perry, nursing; Katelin Collins, medical assisting; and Corey Felix, paramedicine. Absent from photo: Brittany Clark, medical coding; and Lucian Stahl, emergency medical services.



Students earning achievement awards from the trade tech department were (seated from left) Christopher St. Peter, automotive technology; Kaine Kingsbury, diesel hydraulics; and Tyler Eager, electrical construction & maintenance. Standing from left: Matthew Till, plumbing & heating; Gail Webb, residential construction; and Paul Beaulieu, welding & metal fabrication. Absent from photo: Daniel Hitchcock, auto collision repair; Alexander Page, computer-aided drafting; Corey Shaffer, computer electronics; Francis LaFave, precision metals; and John McNamee, heating certificate.



Being recognized for their involvement on campus were, seated from left: Coleen Rand, Falcon Spirit Award; and Community Service Award recipients Austin Hole, Lisa Jenkins, and Hank King. Standing from left: Valerie Perry, James Rochelle, and David Shemkovitz. Absent from photo: Lorrie King.

Lunch Menu

Monday

Bacon Swiss Burger
Grilled Jerk Chicken
Vegetable Lasagna
Veggie Stir Fry w/Noodles
Tuna Sub
Hungarian Goulash Soup
Broccoli Cheddar Soup
Yellow Rice
Roasted Root Vegetables
Moroccan Vegetable Stew
Tomato Rice Soup

Tuesday

Grilled Ham & Cheese Sand.
Sloppy Joe
Penne Marinara
Veggie Stir Fry w/Noodles
Turkey Pepper Jack Panini
Chicken & Rice Soup Florentine
Broccoli Cheddar Soup
Lyonnais Potatoes
Peas & Carrots
Baked Tofu Taco Salad
Cream of Mushroom Soup

Wednesday

Buffalo Chicken Sandwich
Pork Chop Suey, Chow Mein
SW Penne & Black Beans
Veggie Stir Fry w/Noodles
Corned Beef Wrap
Mulligatawny Soup
Broccoli Cheddar Soup
Mashed Red Skin Potatoes
Stir Fried Vegetables
Polenta w/Broccoli Rabe
Hungarian Cauliflower Soup

Thursday

Bacon Blue Burger
Chili-Rubbed Spare Ribs
Chicken Penne Marinara
Veggie Stir Fry w/Noodles
PB&J Apple Sandwich
Chipotle Chicken Tortilla Soup
Broccoli Cheddar Soup
Baked Beans
Glazed Carrots
Overstuffed Potatoes
Split Pea Soup

Friday

Tomato & Bacon Gr. Cheese
Oven-Fried Chicken
Linguine/Roasted Red Peppers
Veggie Stir Fry w/Noodles
Italian Panini
Hot & Sour Soup
Broccoli Cheddar Soup
Glazed Sweet Potatoes
Fresh Collared Greens
Kung Pao Tofu
Vegetable Soup

AVAILABLE DAILY

Salad, hamburgers, turkey burgers, gardenburgers, hot dogs (regular & turkey), pizza, grilled chicken sandwiches, grilled cheese sandwiches, french fries and assorted desserts

Film Series Concludes

The Islamic film series concludes this Wednesday evening, **May 1**, at **7:00 p.m.** in the Edmunds Conference Center with the showing of *Prince Among Slaves*. This is the remarkable true story of an African prince who endured the humiliation of slavery in America without ever losing his dignity or his hope for freedom.

The film series, made possible through a Bridging Cultures bookshelf grant, is being facilitated by NMCC English instructor Eric Pelkey.

PTK Holds Spring Fever Raffle

Members of Phi Theta Kappa are holding their annual Spring Fever Raffle. Raffle tickets are \$10 each, and a winner will be drawn every day from April 29 through May 10. Cash will be awarded each day, and ticket holders have multiple chances to win. The drawings will be as follows:

\$25 each day: April 29 & 30, May 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9

\$75: May 4

\$125: May 5

\$425: May 10

To buy tickets, see any PTK member or e-mail PTK President Jessica Bartlett at jbart40@gs.nmcc.edu.

Student Health 101

Check out this month's edition of *Student Health 101* at <http://readsh101.com/nmcc.html>. **Answer questions from a brief survey and be entered for the chance to win \$2,500!**

Student Health 101 is an online magazine with up-to-date information students can use to improve their health, relationships and study habits. It offers articles on a variety of topics of interest.

Events

MONDAY

Faculty Luncheon, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.
Film - Betting the Farm, 6:00 - 10:00 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.

TUESDAY

Regional ESEA Meeting, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm, CHR 201
Morrison Environmental - Visible Emission Training, 8:00 - 11:00 am, Keegan Room
Sinawik Luncheon, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.

WEDNESDAY

LEAD Breakfast, 7:30 - 9:00 am, Edmunds Conference Ctr.

Commencement Announcements & Tickets

Seniors who are planning to attend graduation may pick up their commencement tickets and announcements in the student services area anytime between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Tuition Raffle Underway

Four students who will be enrolled at NMCC during the upcoming academic year (2013-2014) will be the recipients of free tuition for both semesters thanks to a fundraiser being undertaken by the NMCC Alumni & Friends Organization.

Tickets are available for a contribution of \$10 per ticket. These tickets will be mailed out this week to current and incoming NMCC students and their families for the opportunity to take part in the raffle. Tickets will also be available from the NMCC alumni office on campus and from members of the NMCC Alumni & Friends Organization.

Four winning tickets (one for each academic department) will be drawn on August 19, 2013. The lucky four students who win will receive free tuition for up to 12 credit hours for the fall 2013 semester and another 12 credit hours for the spring 2014 semester. A maximum amount of 24 credit hours will be awarded for the year.

For more information on this fundraiser or to obtain tickets, contact the NMCC alumni office at 760-1188.

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.**

Weight Watchers Program, 12:00 - 1:00 pm, Keegan Room
Admissions Testing, 1:00 - 4:00 pm, MRT 105, 210
Islamic Film Series, 7:00 - 9:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Ctr.

THURSDAY

Student Senate Meeting, 12:15 - 12:45 pm, CHR 201
Chorale Practice, 4:00 - 6:00 pm, Hunt MMC
Ham Radio Club Meeting, 6:00 - 9:00 pm, CHR 204

FRIDAY

Admissions Testing, 1:00 - 4:00 pm, MRT 107