

### Campus Grieves

The campus community is mourning the loss of one of our own this past weekend. Alyssa Cyr, from Madawaska, was a resident student enrolled in the medical office administration program. We ask that the campus community keep Alyssa's family, as well as her dorm and class mates in your thoughts and prayers as they cope with this tragedy.

The days ahead will be difficult for us all. NMCC counseling staff are available to all students and employees who need them. Employees and students are urged to look out for each other, keeping an eye out for anyone who may be having a particularly difficult time, and notifying the counseling office so assistance can be offered.

The counseling office may be reached by calling:  
768-2839 (general office number - Cindy Albert's desk)  
768-2747 (Tammy Nelson - Director of Counseling)  
768-2793 (Shelli Cronkhite - Counselor)  
768-2829 (Johna Lovely - Counselor)



Katharine Eneguess, president of White Mountains Community College in New Hampshire, chaired a group of seven team members who visited campus last week for an reaccreditation review of the College. During an exit interview with Eneguess and her teammates, she shared some very positive comments on their overall impressions of the College and cited several specific areas in which the College excels. Their full report will be completed later this spring.

### Monday, March 10:

**Dutch Soccer Academy**, 3 - 9 pm, Gym  
**Maine State Nursing Association Meeting**, 5:30 - 8:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

### Tuesday, March 11:

**Foundation Executive Committee Meeting**, 7:30 - 9:00 am, Martin Third Floor Conference Room  
**NEWTA Collection Systems**, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm, Reed Commons Keegan Room  
**Aroostook Youth Basketball League**, 6 - 8 pm, Gym  
**Indoor Soccer**, 9 - 11 pm, Gym

### Wednesday, March 12

**Admissions Testing**, 8:30 am - 12:00 pm, CHR 208  
**TRiO Resume Writing Workshop**, 12 - 1 pm, Christie Lecture Hall  
**Relay for Life Kick-Off Meeting**, 6:30 - 8:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Center  
**Movie Night**, 9:00 - 11:00 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

### Thursday, March 13:

**Connect North America**, 8 am - 4 pm, Edmunds Conference Center  
**Job Fair**, 9 am - 1 pm, Gymnasium  
**Student Senate Meeting**, 12:15-12:45 pm, Christie Lecture Hall  
**Open Gym**, 7:00 - 9:00 pm

### Friday, March 14:

**Connect North America**, 8 am - 4 pm, Edmunds Conference Center  
**CRMA Recertification Course**, 8 am - 5 pm, MRT 212

### Saturday, March 15:

**P.I. Rec Soccer Tournament**, 8:30 am - 4:30 pm, Gymnasium  
**Jewelry Creation & Design Class**, 9 am - 12 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

Campus Happenings...



Don't miss the **St. Patrick's Day Buffet**  
**Monday, March 17 ~ 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM**

### LUNCHTIME IN THE REED COMMONS

#### Monday

##### SPECIALS

**Soup:** Italian Wedding  
**Deli:** BLT  
**Grill:** Honey Dijon Ckn.  
**LINE ENTREES**  
Pork Chops  
Beef Stew  
Roasted Red Potatoes  
French Fries  
Hot Vegetable  
Assorted Desserts

#### Tuesday

##### SPECIALS

**Soup:** Bean Sausage  
**Deli:** Greek Wrap  
**Grill:** Milano  
**LINE ENTREES**  
Chicken Broccoli Cal.  
Beefater Wrap  
Rice  
Baked Potatoes  
French Fries  
Hot Vegetable  
Assorted Desserts

#### Wednesday

##### SPECIALS

**Soup:** Gumbo  
**Deli:** Chicken Salad  
**Grill:** Pastrami  
**LINE ENTREES**  
Chicken Fingers  
Monte Cristo  
Veggie Rice  
Chicago Dog  
French Fries  
Hot Vegetable  
Assorted Desserts

#### Thursday

##### SPECIALS

**Soup:** Tomato  
**Deli:** Roasted Portebello  
**Grill:** Grilled Cheese  
**LINE ENTREES**  
Beef & Chicken Fajitas  
Pizza Burger  
Rice  
Spicy Rice  
French Fries  
Hot Vegetable  
Assorted Desserts

#### Friday

##### SPECIALS

**Soup:** Corn Chowder  
**Deli:** Salami Italian  
**Grill:** Philly Steak  
**LINE ENTREES**  
Muffuletta Sandwich  
Chicken a la King  
Egg Noodles  
BBQ Chicken  
French Fries  
Hot Vegetable/Coleslaw  
Assorted Desserts

Please note that the above menu is subject to change.

Weekly Menu

## Resume Writing Workshop Rescheduled

Students should note that the Resume Writing workshop, which was originally scheduled last week and then cancelled due to the inclement weather, will now take place this Wednesday, March 12, from 12:00-1:00 p.m. in the Christie Lecture Hall.

This is a great opportunity to get some last minute help on preparing/polishing your resume for the Job Fair the next day! More than 50 businesses will be on hand, and the number one request that they usually have is that students come with a resume in hand and ready to fill out an application.

## Parking Concerns

Due to the large volume of snow accumulating, entrances to all parking areas have been narrowed. Please do not aggravate the situation by parking near any parking lot or campus roadway entrance. In the event that your vehicle is restricting traffic flow into or out of any campus facility, your vehicle may be towed at your own expense.

Thank you for your attention to this and other safety concerns.

## Thank You...

Some students have requested a public thank you for Lori Googins, athletic director and ergonomics instructor, for getting the treadmill replaced in the fitness room. The room had been without one for several months when the last one broke down. The students are thrilled to have a treadmill to get some walking done indoors during this snowy season!

## Introduction to Self-Employment Workshops

Women, Work and Community is offering a free Introduction to Self-Employment workshop in a variety of County locations. During the session, participants will consider the risks and rewards of starting their own business, learn about business planning and resources, and find out the steps to get started in self-employment.

The self-employment workshop will be offered in following locations:

### April 1

**Ashland Town Hall, 10:00 am - 11:30 am**

### April 10

**Madawaska High School, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm**

### April 16

**Preque Isle (NMCC), 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm**

### April 24

**Houlton Higher Ed Center, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm**

Pre-registration is required. Call Women, Work & Community at 764-0050 or e-mail [erica.quineaster@maine.edu](mailto:erica.quineaster@maine.edu)

## Student Meetings/Gatherings...

- The **STUDENT SENATE** meets every Thursday from 12:15-1:00 pm in the Christie lecture hall. All students are invited.
- **MOVIE NIGHT** is held on Wednesdays at 7 pm in the Edmunds Conference Center. Refreshments are provided; *free for all students!*
- Students are invited to take part in **INDOOR SOCCER** on Tuesdays at 9 pm in the gym.
- Get active...come to **OPEN GYM** on Thursdays from 7-9 pm in the gym.

## Resident Assistants Needed

Selection for the 2008-2009 residential life staff will be taking place over the next several weeks. Any full time students interested in applying for an RA position should pick up an application packet in the residential life office in Andrews Hall or from Nikki in the IT office in the Christie Building.

Applications need to be completed and returned to the residential life office by April 3. Both commuting and on-campus students are encouraged to apply for this important and responsible position.

Questions regarding the position or the selection process should contact a current member of the residential life staff.

## Move & Improve

This 12-week program is designed to encourage participants to increase the amount of physical activity that is engaged in on a daily/weekly basis. The program is free, and participants will have access to an online activity chart to track activity, as well as have the opportunity to sign up for the weekly newsletters with tips, quotes and helpful articles. To sign up or get more information, go to [www.moveandimprove.org](http://www.moveandimprove.org). When you sign up, make sure you select NMCC as your registration site. Registration ends March 28.

## Aroostook County's Largest JOB FAIR

**Looking for work? Don't miss this opportunity!**

*The following businesses and organizations will be represented at the Job Fair at Northern Maine Community College:*

Acadia Hospital  
ACAP  
Army National Guard  
Avon Products  
Burrelle's Luce  
Career Center  
Cary Medical Center  
Central Aroostook Mentoring Program  
CIANBRO Corporation  
Citadel Broadcasting Corp.  
Connect North America  
Crown Ambulance  
Daigle Oil Company  
Department of Homeland Security  
DFAS

F. Pytlak Construction, Inc.  
Home Interiors & Gifts  
Houlton Regional Hospital  
Huber Engineered Woods LLC  
Irving Woodlands LLC  
Katahdin Papers  
Lane Construction  
Loring Job Corps Center  
Maine Dept. of Transportation  
Maine Detailers  
Maine Public Service  
Maine State Police  
Maine Veterans Home  
Mark & Emily Turner Memorial Library  
Mary Kay Cosmetics  
Maurice's  
McCain Foods USA Inc.  
MMG Insurance Co.  
New England Tech Air

Northern Maine Medical Center  
Oxford Networks  
Pike Industry  
Pines Health Services  
Primerica  
Sears  
SITEL Corporation  
Tempo Employment Services  
The Aroostook Medical Center  
U.S. Air Force  
U.S. Army  
U.S. Border Patrol, Houlton Sector  
U.S. Customs & Border Protection  
U.S. Marine Corps.  
Visiting Nurses of Aroostook  
WAGM-TV  
Wal-Mart  
Waste Management



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**Thursday, March 13**

**9 AM to 1 PM • NMCC Christie Gym**