

### Blood Drive to Be Held

Phi Theta Kappa and the Student Nurses Association are sponsoring an American Red Cross Blood Drive on Tuesday, October 21, from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. This year you can log on to [www.givelife.org](http://www.givelife.org) or call 1-800-GIVE-LIFE to make an appointment or for more information. Appointments are not necessary but are encouraged.

In addition to donors, they are looking for volunteers to help with the blood drive, doing things such as greeting and signing in donors, escorting donors to the canteen, working in the canteen, and helping to set up and tear down. Students and employees who have any time available on Tuesday and would like to help should contact Paula Flora, SNA advisor (768-2752 or [pflora@nmcc.edu](mailto:pflora@nmcc.edu)) or Lori Googins, PTK advisor (768-2782 or [lgoogins@nmcc.edu](mailto:lgoogins@nmcc.edu)). Your help would be appreciated, even if it is only for 30 minutes or an hour.

### Harvest Festival

Children through age 12 and their families are invited to the annual Harvest Festival sponsored by the Student Senate. This year's event will take place on Friday, October 24, from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. in the Edmunds Conference Center.

Come experience the Haunted Harvest Hallway, where some spooky (and funny) pumpkins will be waiting to greet you. Then enter the party doors for the pizza and fun filled games! At the end of the evening, the coloring and costume contests will be judged, and all kids will get a special prize.

Sign up to attend the party in the IT office, located just off the Christie lobby.



#### Monday, October 20:

**Student Nurses Bake Sale**, 8am - 12pm, Christie Lobby  
**Nursing Advisory Committee**, 10:00 am - 1:30 pm, Edmunds Conference Center  
**TRiO Workshop - Can You Comma?**, 12 pm, ASC  
**Aroostook Democrats**, 4:30 - 6:00 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.  
**TRiO Workshop - Stress Management**, 5 pm, ASC  
**Indoor Soccer**, 7 pm, Gym

#### Tuesday, October 21:

**Blood Drive**, 9 am - 3 pm, Gym  
**APA/MLA Workshop**, 11 am - 12 pm, MRT 105  
**Student Senate Meeting**, 12:15 - 1:00 pm, Lecture Hall  
**PrISM**, 1-2 pm, MRT 211  
**NEC Update Course**, 5 - 10 pm, Edmunds Conference Ctr.  
**AYBL Basketball**, 6-8 pm  
**Open Gym (Basketball)**, 9-11 pm

#### Wednesday, October 22:

**Employee Safety Training**, 8 - 11 am, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.  
**TRiO Workshop - Fraction Frenzy**, 12 pm, ASC  
**Movie Night**, 9-11 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

#### Thursday, October 23:

**State of Maine Planning Meeting**, 8am - 4pm, Keegan Rm  
**Water Boiler Exams**, 8 am - 3 pm, Edmunds Conf. Ctr.  
**PrISM**, 1-2 pm, MRT 211 & 6-8 pm, CHR 108I  
**AYBL Basketball**, 6-8 pm  
**Open Gym (Dodgeball)**, 9-11 pm

#### Friday, October 24:

**Medical Assisting Advisory Committee**, 6:30 - 8 am, Edmunds Conference Center  
**Medical Assisting Displays**, 8 - 10 am, Christie Lobby  
**CRMA Recertification**, 8:00 am - 4:30 pm, MRT 212  
**CDL Graduation**, 11:30 am - 1:30 pm, Keegan Room  
**Admissions Testing**, 1 - 4 pm, MRT 105  
**Student Senate Harvest Party**, 5:30 - 7:30 pm, Edmunds Conference Center

What's Happening on Campus...

## Weekly Menu

### LUNCHTIME IN THE REED COMMONS

#### Monday

**SPECIALS**  
*Soup:* Broccoli & Cheese  
*Deli:* Turkey Club  
*Grill:* Buffalo Melt Down  
**LINE ENTREES**  
 Fried Chicken  
 Antipasto  
 Mashed Potatoes  
 French Fries  
 Hot Vegetable  
 Butterfinger Bars

#### Tuesday

**SPECIALS**  
*Soup:* Beef Barley  
*Deli:* Chicken Salad  
*Grill:* Reuben  
**LINE ENTREES**  
 Macaroni & Cheese  
 Herbed Ham  
 Hot Dogs  
 Rice  
 French Fries  
 Hot Vegetable  
 Pineapple Upsidedown Cake

#### Wednesday

**SPECIALS**  
*Soup:* Chicken Noodle  
*Deli:* Buffalo Wrap  
*Grill:* Ragin' Cajun  
**LINE ENTREES**  
 Chicken Burger  
 Manicotti  
 Chicken Ceasar Wraps  
 French Fries  
 Hot Vegetable  
 Pudding Parfait

#### Thursday

**SPECIALS**  
*Soup:* Minestrone  
*Deli:* BLT  
*Grill:* Turkey/Bacon Melt  
**LINE ENTREES**  
 Chop Suey  
 Italian Grinders  
 Rice Pilaf  
 Onion Rings  
 French Fries  
 Hot Vegetable  
 Chocolate Chip Cookies

#### Friday

**SPECIALS**  
*Soup:* Clam Chowder  
*Deli:* Beef/Cheddar Sub  
*Grill:* Cheeseburger  
**LINE ENTREES**  
 Sloppy Joes  
 Chicken Nuggets  
 Au Gratin Potatoes  
 Chips  
 French Fries  
 Hot Vegetable  
 Brownies

Menu is subject to change. Don't see what you like here? Check out our daily salad bar and pizza offerings.

## Student Workshops

◆ The TRiO office and Academic Success Center are offering a series of workshops throughout the semester to help students. This week's workshops are:

### **Can You Comma?** - Monday, October 20

12:00 noon in the Academic Success Center

*The third in a series of workshops to help you learn the whens, whys and wheres of using commas. Please feel free to bring your lunch with you.*

### **Stress Management** - Monday, October 20

5:00 p.m. in the Academic Success Center

*Learn how to hold it all together when it feels like it is falling apart. This workshop meets the TRiO/SSS scholarship criteria.*

### **Fraction Frenzy** - Wednesday, October 22

12:00 noon in the Academic Success Center

*Learn the ups, downs, ins and outs of adding, subtracting, multiplying and dividing fractions. Please feel free to bring your lunch with you.*

◆ The staff in the Academic Success Center is offering:

### **MLA Workshop** - Tuesday, October 21

11:00 a.m. in the Academic Success Center

### **APA Workshop** - Thursday, October 30

11:00 a.m. in the Academic Success Center

English instructor Jennifer Graham will be leading these sessions. Stop by the Academic Success Center to learn more or to sign up.

## Students Invited to Senate Meetings

The Student Senate will meet each Tuesday, from 12:15-12:45 pm, in the Christie lecture hall. All students are invited to attend and have their opinion heard.

## Movie Night

Students are invited to come to the Edmunds Conference Center every Wednesday night at 9:00 p.m. to watch a newly released movie. This week's movie is *The Incredible Hulk*. Refreshments are provided, and the DVD will be raffled off after the movie, . **Free for all students!**

## Newsletter Items...

*Do you have items that you would like printed in the Weekly Bulletin?* If so, please 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 weekly deadline is Thursday by 10 a.m.**

## Soccer News



Congratulations to the NMCC Falcons! They defeated Vermont Technical College on October 14 in the first round of the Yankee Small College Conference Championship. Scoring in the game were Justin Lyshon, Luke Ireland, and Craig Hamman assisted by Luke Ireland; goalie Sam Petrie had six saves.

The team now plays in the finals against #1 seeded New Hampshire Technical Institute on Saturday, October 18, at NHTI at 1:30 p.m. Congratulations to the team for an outstanding season, and good luck in the championship game!

## Hockey Season to Begin

NMCC ice hockey practice starts on Sunday, October 19, at 11:30 a.m. at the Forum. Those who are interested should contact Coach Doug Carlisle at douglascarlisle@yahoo.com for more information, or show up with your skates on Sunday. The team is in particular need of a goalie!

## 50/50 Raffle

Seniors in the diesel hydraulics program are holding a 50/50 raffle. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. See any DH senior or instructor Bob Rice to purchase your tickets and get a chance to win half the proceeds! The winning name will be drawn on Thursday, October 23, at 1:00 p.m.

## Exercise Class

An exercise class is now underway on Thursdays at 11:00 a.m. in the racketball court, located just off the gym. Come for some stretching, strength training and cardio. All students are welcome!

## Skating

The skating season is getting started at the Forum in Presque Isle. NMCC students can skate for free, simply bring your student ID with you. Call the Forum for general skate times at 764-0491.

## NMCC Foundation Scholarship Application Available Online

The spring 2009 scholarship application is now available on the portal. In order to be eligible for a scholarship all students need to complete a new online application.

Students who submitted recommendation forms last spring for fall 2008 will not need new recommendations but will need a new application. To apply, log into the portal and choose Scholarship Application under My Info.

Please print two copies of the College's standard Recommendation Form and deliver them to each of your references. Ask them to complete the form and submit it to the Financial Aid office. It is YOUR responsibility to make sure these recommendations are submitted by December 19th.

You may check with the financial aid office to see if you have recommendation forms already on file.