

[We are sorry to report that John Marshall, long time chemical engineering lab associate, passed away on Friday, June 22, after a very rapid bout with cancer. According to Dr. Don Weinkauf, "He taught a very popular course for students in mechanical and chemical engineering and was highly regarded by all. He was an unheralded but tremendous asset to the Tech community." More information will be posted as it becomes available.]

## June 25 - July 6, 2007

### Monday, June 25

**Mini-courses:** One-week courses for high school students who want an introduction to college.

**Humanities Seminar:** 4 p.m., Tripp Room, Skeen Library. Dr. Valica Boudry, Bemidji, State University, candidate for Asst. Prof. of Humanities, will speak on "Ethnojournalism and a Public Model of Communication: Two alternative models for achieving diversity and public discourse." Refreshments following..

### Thursday, June 28

**Mini-courses:** One-week courses for high school students who want an introduction to college.

**Swing Dance:** 8 to 10 p.m., SAC. Sponsored by New Mexico Tech Ballroom Dance Club. Not limited to swing dancing. If you want a special song or style please bring a CD for us to play. Open to everyone; includes short lesson, if requested.

### Friday, June 29

**New Student Registration:** Fidel Center. Students starting in the Fall semester 2007 may register. Orientation is on Aug. 18. For schedule, see: <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/admission/registration.html>

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**Master's Thesis Defense:** 1:30 p.m., MSEC 105. Ariel Dickens, graduate student in the Earth and Environmental Science Department, defends her master's thesis on "Obsidian Hydration and its Effects on Ar-Ar Geochronology."

## Wednesday, July 4

**Academic and Staff Holiday:** Offices closed; classes not in session.

**Fourth of July Celebration:** all day, south of Macey Center. Free outdoor concert featuring New Mexico bands, water slide, barbecue, fireworks display. For schedule and details, see <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/pas/fourth.html>

## Thursday, July 5

**Swing Dance:** 8 to 10 p.m., SAC. Sponsored by New Mexico Tech Ballroom Dance Club. Not limited to swing dancing. If you want a special song or style please bring a CD for us to play. Open to everyone; includes short lesson, if requested.

## Friday, July 6

**MST Seminar:** 11 a.m., Cramer 123. Ann Shea, graduate student in Master of Science for Teachers, presents her Independent Study "Abiquiu, NM Field Geology for 6th Graders." Public invited.

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## SCOPE Notices

### NEWS:

--Students To Track Asteroids from New Mexico Tech,  
<http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/news/2007/19june01.html>

--Mini-Courses at New Mexico Tech To Focus on Forensics,  
<http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/news/2007/20june01.html>

--Another Photo Shoot, <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/news/2007/22june01.html>

### WRITERS WANTED!

Write reviews, columns, and editorials! Get paid! Contact [paydirt@nmt.edu](mailto:paydirt@nmt.edu) for more information. Paydirt is the student newspaper of New Mexico Tech.  
Schedule:

- Content due: Aug. 14; paper should appear Aug. 21.
- Content due: Aug. 28; paper should appear Sept. 4
- Content due: Sept. 11; paper should appear Sept. 18
- Content due: Oct. 2; paper should appear Oct. 16. Pre-49ers issue
- Content due: Oct. 16; paper should appear Oct. 23. Post-49ers, special color issue
- Content due: Nov. 1; paper should appear Nov. 6
- Content due: Nov. 19; paper should appear Nov. 26
- Content due: Nov. 26; paper should appear on Dec. 7. Finals issue

## **PRINTER AND INK CARTRIDGES**

--The Rotary Club of Socorro is collecting inkjet cartridges, laser, fax, and copier toner cartridges, cell phones, and rechargeable batteries to benefit local, national, and international charitable causes. Campus collection boxes are located in Fidel Center; Human Resources; Departments of Biology, Chemistry, Civil and Environmental Engineering, Materials Engineering, and Math; NRAO; EMRTC; and the Bureau of Geology. Rotary thanks you!

## **GRAPHICS POLICY:**

--The Public Information Office has a new policy on use of the graphic artist's resources. Please see <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/policies/graphics.pdf> for details.

## **REGISTRAR'S OFFICE (FIDEL SECOND FLOOR:)**

### **Important Academic Dates:**

Friday, June 29: **New Student Registration:** Fidel Center. Students starting in the Fall semester of 2007 may register. Orientation is on Aug. 18.

Wednesday, July 4: **Academic and Staff Holiday**

Friday, July 13: **New Student Registration,** Fidel Center. Students starting in the Fall semester 2007 may register. Orientation is on Aug. 18.

Friday, July 13: **Grade Option Deadline:** 5 p.m., Registrar's Office, Fidel Second Floor. Last day to choose audit or S/U or to withdraw with a W.

Monday, July 30: **New Student Registration:** Fidel Center. Students starting in the Fall semester 2007 may register. Orientation is on Aug. 18.

Friday, August 3: **End of classes and summer session**

Friday, August 17: **New Student Registration:** Fidel Center. Students starting in the Fall semester 2007 may register. Orientation is on Aug. 18.

Saturday, August 18: **Orientation:** Fidel Center. For new students starting in the Fall semester 2007.

Monday, August 20: **Welcome Back Day:** Registration and Validation, second floor of Fidel

**New Student Convocation:** 5 p.m., Macey Center.

Tuesday, Aug. 21: **Classes begin**

Friday, Aug. 31: **Online Registration Closes**

--Questions concerning academic policies, degrees, grades, etc. are welcome at our office. Come by and see us.

## **JOB OPENINGS AT TECH:**

Full descriptions of job openings are available at Job Openings, <http://externalweb.nmt.edu/hr/>. New Mexico Tech is an Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Institution.

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***SCOPE is a twice-weekly newsletter for the New Mexico Tech community, provided as a service by the Office for Advancement.*** SCOPE is generally emailed on Mondays and Thursdays during academic semesters. There is no specific deadline. Events are entered on a rolling basis as they come in.