

## Thursday, August 27, 2009

**Skeen Library Orientation Tour:** Noon, Main Desk, Skeen Library. Learn about Library resources and services. 30 minute tour. Receive a photocopying card with 20 free copies. No pre-registration is required.

**Open Men's Volleyball Practice:** 3-5 p.m., West Gym. NMT Volleyball Club.

**Open Women's Volley Practice:** 4-6 p.m., West Gym. NMT Volleyball Club.

**EES/ Bureau Seminar:** 4 pm, MSEC 101. Rick Aster and EES staff present "Welcome to the Department." Student pictures taken afterwards.

**Rugby Open Practice:** 4:30 p.m., Tech Athletic Field. Students interested in playing rugby are invited to show up, prepared to play. No experience necessary. Meets Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

**Magic Night:** 8 p.m., Macey Center. Illusionist Dan Sperry. Sponsored by Student Activities Board.

**Swing Dance:** 8 - 10:30 p.m., SAC. 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. Sponsored by the New Mexico Tech Ballroom Dance Club.

## Friday, August 28, 2009

**Skeen Library Orientation Tour:** 1 p.m., Main Desk, Skeen Library. Learn about Library resources and services. 30 minute tour. Receive a photocopying card with 20 free copies. No pre-registration is required.

**Ice Cream Social:** 7-10 p.m., Gym Patio. DJ and Ice cream social for NMT students. Sponsored by Student Activities Board.

## Saturday, August 29, 2009

**Pancake and Waffle Breakfast:** 9-11 a.m., SAC. Pancake/Waffle Breakfast for NMT students. Sponsored by Student Activities Board.

**SWE Carwash:** 10 a.m. - 1 p.m., behind SAC. Society of Women Engineers (SWE) holds a fundraising carwash. \$5 Car, \$7 SUV or truck.

**SWE Water Fight:** 1 p.m.. Tech Athletic Field. Society of Women Engineers (SWE) Water Fight.

## **Monday, August 31, 2009**

**GSA Meeting:** 12:15 p.m., Tripp Room, Skeen Library. The Graduate Student Association addresses graduate student issues on campus. All interested graduate students are welcome.

**Hydrology Seminar POSTPONED:** Previously announced seminar has been moved to Sept. 21.

**Biology Seminar:** 3 p.m., Jones Annex 101. Biology department and the Center for Innovative Teaching and Learning present Dr. Rebecca Reiss, NMT Biology "Transforming Biology Education: Lessons from a CITL grant." Followed by a Welcome Back Reception for Biology Students, Jones Annex 3rd floor lobby.

**Air Band Competition:** 4 to 6 p.m., Band Pavilion. Sign up your band. Come rock out, win some prizes. Followed by barbecue. Sponsored by Kappa Sigma, Chi Omega interest group and the SAB.

**DEADLINE FOR INTRAMURAL ROSTERS:** 5 p.m., Tech Gym. Rosters may be picked up in advance at the gym. Intramural competitions are offered in soccer, indoor volleyball, and softball. Games will begin Tuesday Sept. 8. Anyone interested in being a referee for soccer and/or softball, please fill out an application in the gym office.

**Society for Women in Engineering (SWE) Meeting:** 7 p.m., (changed from previously announced time) MSEC 103. These meetings are open to men and women and it is not required to be an engineering major to join the club.

## **Tuesday, Sept. 1, 2009**

**Nostalgic Games:** 2 to 8 p.m., Fidel Atrium. Bring back some fun memories! Play games like Operation, Nintendo, Connect-4 and more! Sponsored by Kappa Sigma, Chi Omega interest group and the SAB.

**Rugby Open Practice:** 4:30 p.m., Tech Athletic Field. Students interested in playing rugby are invited to show up, prepared to play. No experience necessary. Meets Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

## **Wednesday, Sept. 2, 2009**

**Water Day:** 4 to 6 p.m., Band Pavilion area, north of Gym. Get ready to get wet! Slip-n-slide, squirt guns, etc. Sponsored by Kappa Sigma, Chi Omega interest group and the SAB.

**Rugby Open Practice:** 4:30 p.m., Tech Athletic Field. Students interested in playing rugby are invited to show up, prepared to play. No experience necessary. Meets Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

## **Thursday, Sept. 3, 2009**

**Community Day:** 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Fidel Atrium. Socorro community businesses and services will be available in Fidel Atrium to inform students of what they offer. Students are invited to visit and get acquainted with what the Socorro community offers.

**EES/Bureau Seminar:** 4 pm, MSEC 101. Stephen Arrowsmith, Los Alamos National Laboratory, speaks on "Low frequency sound from earthquakes: What we can uniquely learn from seismo-acoustics."

**Rugby Open Practice:** 4:30 p.m., Tech Athletic Field. Students interested in playing rugby are invited to show up, prepared to play. No experience necessary. Meets Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

**Mystery Date Night:** 6 to 8 p.m., Fidel Atrium. Meet new people! Compete for prizes. Sponsored by Kappa Sigma, Chi Omega interest group and the SAB.

**Legends of Wrestling:** 6 p.m., in front of Fidel Center. Chartwells presents "Legends of Wrestling." Dinner buffet for students. Bring your family and friends!

**Swing Dance:** 8 - 10:30 p.m., SAC. 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. Sponsored by the New Mexico Tech Ballroom Dance Club.

## **Friday, Sept. 4, 2009**

**FE Exam DEADLINE:** Engineering majors are REQUIRED to take the Fundamentals of Engineering exam in order to graduate! If you are a senior in engineering, please note:

- Exam registration deadline: Friday, September 4, 2009
- Exam date: Saturday, October 24, 2009
- Sign up at: <http://www.els-examreg.org/>
- Exam location: NMT East Gym
- FE Exam Fee: \$120

If you have questions about the exam, contact the testing agency, ELSSES or the New Mexico State Licensing Board.

**Sports Club Fair:** 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., Fidel Atrium. Students and sports clubs, this is your chance to connect with each other! Information booths on sports clubs will be available. Contact club sport coordinator Dave Wheelock for details.

**Black Light Party:** 9 p.m. to 1 a.m., SAC. Masquerade, black light dance. Sponsored by Kappa Sigma, Chi Omega interest group and the SAB.

### **Saturday, Sept. 5, 2009**

**Greek Olympics:** noon to 6 p.m., Tech Athletic Field. Register your team, compete in a variety of events, and win prizes! Sponsored by Redbull, Kappa Sigma, Chi Omega interest group and the SAB.

### **Sunday, Sept. 6, 2009**

**Rugby Tournament:** 9 a.m. . 6 p.m., Municipal Recreation Complex., Santa Fe. NMT Pygmies participate in the Santa Fe Tens Tournament, as defending champions.

### **Monday, Sept. 7, 2009**

**Academic and Staff Holiday** Classes not in session; Tech offices closed.

**Beach Day:** 2 to 7 p.m., Tech Athletic Field. Put on your bathing suits for a fun day at the beach! Field games, volleyball, beach balls, etc. Followed by a Hawaiian BBQ. Sponsored by Kappa Sigma, Chi Omega interest group and the SAB.

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## **SCOPE Notices**

## **NEWS:**

--49ers Parade, "NMT Superstar" now Open for Entries

<http://www.nmt.edu/news/3507-49ers-parade-nmt-superstar-in-planning-stages>

--Community College Classes on Sale! <http://www.nmt.edu/news/3506-community-college-classes-on-sale>

--Performing Arts Series Offers New Season, Membership Sales,  
<http://www.nmt.edu/news/3505-performing-arts-series-2009-10-season>

--Tech Reminds Campus Community to Conserve Energy,  
<http://www.nmt.edu/news/3504-tech-reminds-campus-community-to-conserve-energy>

--Chemistry Teams Spend Summer On Anti-Cancer Research  
<http://www.nmt.edu/news/3487-chemistry-teams-spend-summer-on-anti-cancer-research>

## **SPORTS CLUBS:**

--Sport Club registration packets for 2009-2010 can be picked up during business hours (8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) in the gymnasium. Those wishing to form a new sports club or renew an existing club must submit a completed packet to the Gym by 5 p.m. Friday, September 11. Be advised the budget sheet will require some time to complete. For more information contact Dave Wheelock, club sport coordinator.

## **WOMEN'S SOCCER COACH WANTED:**

--Physical Recreation has an immediate opening for a women's soccer coach. This position is part time, evening practice schedule to be determined. Sunday game travel to Albuquerque. May be on an assistant basis.

--To apply or for more information please contact the Physical Recreation Department at 835-5131 or email sport club coordinator Dave Wheelock.

## **CHARTWELLS MEAL PLAN FOR FACULTY AND STAFF:**

--Chartwells offers a meal plan, giving you an all-you-can-eat meal, covering all of entrees, salad bar, dessert bar, beverages, Dreyers ice cream, and soft serve

ice cream station. Access to special themed meals including our new Hong Kong Wok and steak nights. Meals to go. Guest privileges.

Options:

- 25 Meals = \$207
- 20 Meals + 175 Tech dollars = \$482
- 50 Meals + 50 Tech dollars = \$482
- 60 Meals = \$482

For a meal plan, please contact Residential Life at 575-835-5900, or for more details and info, contact Auxiliary Services 575-835-5050.

### **LADIES' NIGHT AT THE GOLF COURSE:**

-The NMT Golf course is holding Ladies' Nights every Weds. from Sept. 23 through Oct. 14. Cost for the series is \$60 per lady or \$100 for two ladies (\$50 each, so bring a friend!) Agenda:

- 5:15-5:30 p.m., rules, etiquette, and open Q&A
- 5:30-6 p.m., instruction;
- 6 p.m. to dusk, course play

### **CONTAINERS WANTED FOR FINE ARTS:**

--The ceramics studio of the Fine Arts Program is looking for 5 gallon buckets with nice lids. They can also use square cat litter containers. To donate a container, please drop it off at the studio Fine Arts East, or at Emma's office in Weir 225. PS-- Sign up for a fine arts class today.

### **DISCLOSURE OF DIRECTORY INFORMATION:**

--From the Registrar's Office: The following items are designated as directory information and may be released for any purpose at the discretion of New Mexico Tech:

- Student's name
- Address
- Telephone number
- Dates of attendance
- Class
- Previous institution(s) attended

- Major field of study
- Awards and honors (includes honor roll)
- Degree(s) conferred (including dates)

Under the provisions of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, you have the right to restrict the disclosure of this directory information. Forms are available at the Office of the Registrar, Fidel 285.

Please consider very carefully the consequences of any decision by you to withhold directory information. Should you decide to instruct New Mexico Tech not to release this directory information, any future requests for such information from non-institutional persons or organizations will be refused with the response, "There is no information available about that person." New Mexico Tech cannot assume responsibility to contact you upon such a request. New Mexico Tech assumes no liability for honoring your instructions that such information be withheld.

### **COMMUNITY COLLEGE TO OFFER FREE SHUTTLE:**

--Coming this fall semester, Community College will be offering free shuttle transportation from Fidel Parking Lot to the Fine Arts Parking Lot between 5-9:45 pm, Monday to Thursday. Students, staff members, faculty, and community members who attend Fine Arts classes will be able to use the shuttle at no cost.

--Please take the opportunity to take a FUN class.

--For full-time students, staff and faculty members, Community College classes are free up to three credit hours.

### **49ers NEWS:**

--A preliminary schedule has been established for alumni events at 49ers. Go to the "Alumni and Friends" page at <http://www.nmt.edu/alumni-and-friends> and scroll down to 49ers Alumni Homecoming. 49ers is on Oct. 23 - 25.

--The theme for the 49ers Parade is "NMT, Superstar." This is to acknowledge NMT's recent celebrity -- our appearances on "Man vs. Coyote," "MythBusters," and other TV shows. It's also to acknowledge our general greatness as a university. Participants may plan their floats accordingly. The parade is on Oct. 24.

### **OPENINGS AT CHILDREN'S CENTER:**

--There are full-time openings at NMT Children's Center for children between the ages of 2 and 6. The Center is open from 7:30 - 5:30 Monday through Friday and only closes when the administrative offices are closed. Enrollment is open to anyone in the Socorro community; rates are based on whether parents are students at Tech, work for Tech or are working in the community. Income-eligible families can receive assistance from the NM CYFD Child Care Assistance Program. Children do not have to be toilet trained and children with special needs can be enrolled. If you are interested in finding out more about the Center, please call Ann at 835-5240 between 8 and 5 Monday to Friday.

## **FACILITIES MANAGEMENT CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS:**

- **Domenici Science Operations Center:** landscaping rehabilitation continues.
- **Kelly Petroleum Building,** staff moving into offices and labs; electrical and plumbing upgrades to existing building continue.
- **Fidel Student Services Center:** landscaping on south, to be complete in September. Parking lot is complete and open to parking.
- **Jones Hall Reconstruction:** Two labs, as well as flooring, plumbing, electrical upgrades throughout, in progress, to be complete in September 2009.
- **Natural Gas System Improvement:** new gas line along Olive Lane adjacent to Jones and Jones Annex 100% complete, including street repair.