[Note: After SCOPE on Thursday, July 29, the next SCOPE will appear on Thursday, August 12. Happy break, everyone!]

**JULY 26 - AUGUST 8, 2004**

*SCOPE is a service of the Office for Advancement.*

**Monday, July 26**

**70 Days till NCA Visit:** Tech is preparing for re-accreditation on Oct. 4 - 6, 2004. See NCA Committee page <http://externalweb.nmt.edu/nca/> for latest details. Don't miss your chance to tell the committee what you think on the NCA Feedback webpage <http://externalweb.nmt.edu/nca/feedback/feedback1.asp>.

**Tuesday, July 27**

**Workshop on hiring students:** 8:30 to 10:30 a.m., Tripp Room, Skeen Library. Includes continental breakfast. Do you have questions about the hiring of students: how to use MonsterTRAK to post a job, what forms to have students fill out in Payroll and Financial Aid, or what procedures to follow in hiring international students? Presentations by Millie Tourville, Payroll; Annette Kaus, Financial Aid; Karen Schlue, International/Exchange Programs; and Melonia Torres, Career Services. Questions answered! Awesome door prizes!

Please respond to SASStudent@admin.nmt.edu if you will be attending. Limited seating. Any questions, call 835-5060.

**Wednesday, July 28**

**Club Macey presents Hump Day Happy Hour:** 5:30 to 7 p.m. PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF LOCATION: enter from south side of Macey Center. Followed at 7:30 by "Comedy Cubed: Fonseca and Friends." Comedians Chris Fonseca, Russ Rivas, and Ron Ferguson. Admission $10. Over 21 only.

**Thursday, July 29**

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**Swing Dance:** 8 - 11 p.m., SAC. The New Mexico Tech Ballroom Dance Club
sponsors a weekly swing dance. Open to everyone; includes short lesson, if requested.

**Friday, July 30**

**Last day of classes**

**Friday, August 6**

**NM Folk Dance Camp:** through Aug. 8. Workshops take place in Tech Gym. Dances of Romania and Israeli couple dances will be taught. For information, see SWIFDI <http://www.unm.edu/~mwnyman/SWIFDI.html> website. SWIFDI is not affiliated with New Mexico Tech; they are just holding their workshop here.

*For events further in the future, see the New Mexico Tech Calendar, <http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/calendar/mastercal.html>*

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**SCOPE Notices**

**NEW ON THE WEB:**

-- Performing Arts Series, 2004-05 <http://pas.nmt.edu/>


**DR. CURTISS BAREFOOT**

--We are sorry to report that Dr. Curtis Barefoot, professor of mathematics, passed away on July 23, 2004 at 1:45 a.m. He died after a long and courageous fight against lymphoma. He is survived by his wife, Olga, and his stepson, Ivan Begley. His family included a sister, many aunts and uncles and countless cousins.

**STUDENT INSURANCE:**

--As always, all students are required either to prove they have medical insurance or to purchase medical insurance in order to register for the new semester. However, instead of New Mexico Tech acting as the middleman for student insurance, now students are requested to purchase insurance directly from Student Resources Inc. <http://infohost.nmt.edu/~stuaffs/Insurance/index.htm> For full information,
please see the Letter from the Director of Counseling and Student Health <http://www.nmt.edu/mainpage/expenses/insurance.html>. (8/27)

**WORLD WAR II POSTERS AT SKEEN LIBRARY**

Skeen Library has acquired 17 newly released World War II posters from the National Geospatial - Intelligence Agency (NGA), formerly National Imagery and Mapping Agency (NIMA), in commemoration of the recent dedication of the WW II Memorial in Washington, D.C. The posters depict photographs and maps -- many from secret and top secret files -- from the various theaters of World War II.

The posters are currently displayed on the main floor of Skeen Library, just north of the Reference and Circulation areas.

**USED MATRESSES WANTED:**

--The Tech Climbing Club is constructing a bouldering (climbing) wall in the basement of the gym. They would like to cover the floor with used matresses and carpet. If you have any used materials to donate, please contact Sal Maestas sal@nmt.edu or call 835-6782.

**HOUSE FOR SALE:**

--A 3-bedroom house is available for sale on Tech Hill, at 1201 Apache Drive. For details, please contact Leva Kempton between the hours of 10 a.m. and 10 p.m. at 835-1522. (7/30)

**CAREER SERVICES (WELLS 111):**

--Students, coming this fall:

- Sept. 8: "The Ultimate Road Trip: Campus 2 Career." 7 p.m., Macey Auditorium
- Sept. 15: Workshop on How to Use MonsterTrak and InterviewTrak. 1 p.m., Tripp Room, Skeen Library.
- Sept. 22: Resume workshop. 2 p.m., Tripp Room, Skeen Library.
- Sept. 29: Career Fair: 9 a.m. - 2 p.m., West Gym. Don't miss this!

**REGISTRAR’S OFFICE (BROWN 100:)**

<http://www.nmt.edu/registrar/index.htm>

2004-05 Catalog of Courses <http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/catalog/>
Important Academic Dates
<http://infohost.nmt.edu/mainpage/calendar/acadcal.html>:

Friday, July 30: Last day of classes

August 20 - 23: Orientation

Monday, August 23: Registration & Validation

Tuesday, August 24: Classes begin

Monday, Sept. 6: Labor Day: Academic and Staff Holiday

Friday, Sept. 10: Registration Closes: Last day to add classes. Last day to drop classes without being charged full tuition for the class.

Wednesday, Oct. 13: Midsemester

Friday, Oct. 22 and Saturday, Oct. 23: 49ers Celebration and Alumni Homecoming

Tuesday, Nov. 2: Last day to Change Grading Option: Last day to choose Audit, S/U, or letter grade. Registrar’s Office, Brown 100.

Thurs., Nov. 25 and Fri., Nov. 26: Thanksgiving holiday: Tech offices closed; classes not in session.

Friday, Dec. 10: Last day of classes

Saturday, Dec. 11: Finals begin

Thursday, Dec. 16: Last day of finals

--Questions concerning academic policies, degrees, grades, etc. are welcome at our office. Come by and see us at Brown Hall, room 100.

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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- e-mail scope@nmt.edu <mailto:scope@nmt.edu>
- send your type-written notice in campus mail to SCOPE
- fax (505) 835-5825

To receive SCOPE by e-mail or to unsubscribe, go to <http://scope.nmt.edu/cgi-bin/lyris.pl>, click on "Campus News" and then on "SCOPE," and sign in.

SCOPE Archive <http://www.nmt.edu/~scope/archive/homepage.html>

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