[Note: The next SCOPE will appear on Aug. 12. Happy break, everyone!]

**JULY 29 - AUGUST 15, 2004**

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

**Thursday, July 29**

**67 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>.

**Swing Dance:** 8 - 11 p.m., SAC. Last weekly swing dance of the summer semester. 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.

**Saturday, August 14**

**Regents Retreat:** 8 a.m., The Lodge, Chama, N.M. Board of Regents meets for in-depth session. Consideration of personnel and legal matters will take place during executive session.

**Sunday, August 15**

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

NEW ON THE WEB:

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

-- New Mexico Tech and Cambridge Sign Memo of Understanding

DR. CURTIS BAREFOOT

--See preliminary obituary

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://infohost.nmt.edu/~stuaffs/Insurance/index.htm>. (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 mattresses 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)

--SCOPE advertises ONLY houses on Tech Hill for sale. The reason for this is that New Mexico Tech owns the LAND under the houses on Tech Hill, and state law requires us to offer these houses for sale to the Tech community (and NRAO) before they are made available to the general public.

--SCOPE does not advertise any other houses for sale or rent. There are businesses that sell houses and classified advertising, and SCOPE cannot go into competition with private businesses.

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>:
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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- fax (505) 835-5825
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SCOPE Archive <http://www.nmt.edu/~scope/archive/homepage.html>

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