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## J-TERM 2012: REGISTER NOW!



Your student can enjoy all that Henniker has to offer this winter while earning credits for his/her degree program. Choose from traditional face-to-face courses, week-end intensives,

online, and hybrid course selections. To register\*, students should visit [MYNEC](#) or contact the Registrar's Office at 603-428-2203.

### COST

Cost is \$369 per credit, plus any applicable fees, due by January 2, 2012. Payment may be made online through MYNEC with a credit card or bank account, or by phone at 603-428-2226. Payment will also be accepted by mail or wire transfer.

### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Alternative Student Loans may be available to assist students with J-Term costs. More information can be found at [www.nec.edu/student-financial-services](#) or by calling 603-428-2226.

### HOUSING

Housing is available for January Term at no cost to students currently in NEC housing. Dining services are not available during J-Term. Please contact the Residential Life Office at 603-428-2242 for details.

\*The closing date for registration is January 2, 2012. Students may not take more than six credits during January Term. Non-NEC students interested in registering for J-Term classes should contact the Registrar's Office at 603-428-2203. Complete course listings can be found on the [Academic Schedules web page](#).

## NEC WINTER CARNIVAL 2012: SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Snow Sculpture Contest  
Thursday and Friday (*judging 2:30 p.m. Friday*)  
Simon Center Lawn

Women's Ice Hockey vs. Plymouth State University  
4:00 to 6:00 p.m., Lee Clement Arena

Women's Basketball vs. Maine Maritime  
5:30 to 6:30 p.m., Bridges Gym

Men's Basketball vs. Maine Maritime  
7:30 to 9:00 p.m., Bridges Gym

Bonfire and Beer Garden\*  
9:00 p.m., Currier Alumni Center  
\*21+ with valid ID



### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Ski Day at Mount Sunapee  
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Registration is required. Click [here](#) to register today!

Women's Basketball vs. Husson University  
1:00 to 3:00 p.m., Bridges Gym

Women's Ice Hockey vs. University of Southern Maine  
1:00 to 3:00 p.m., Lee Clement Arena

Men's Basketball vs. Husson University  
3:00 to 5:00 p.m., Bridges Gym

Men's Ice Hockey vs. St. Anselm College  
4:30 to 6:30 p.m., Lee Clement Arena

Snowball (*Formal Dance*)  
8:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m., Simon Center Great Room

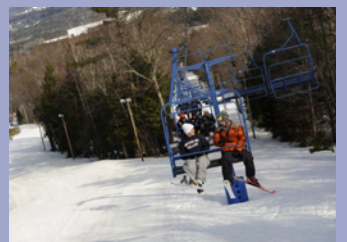


### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

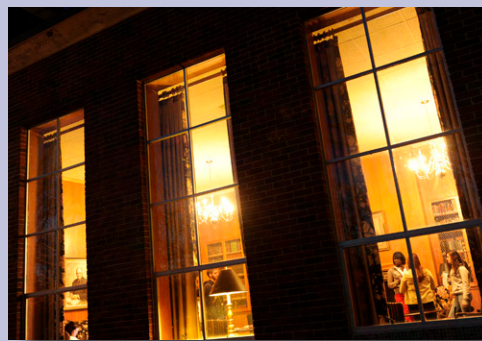
FREE Ski Day at Pats Peak  
8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
Registration is required. Click [here](#) to register today!

Iron Chef Competition  
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., Gilmore Dining Hall

Cardboard Sled Race  
2:00 p.m., Laurie Cox Memorial Fields



*Click to view the full Winter Carnival 2012 schedule.*



## VALENTINE'S DAY CARE PACKAGES

Bring a smile to your student's face this Valentine's Day! Order a care package to be delivered via campus mail on Tuesday, February 14<sup>th</sup> for just \$25.00. Care packages include snacks, beverages, candy, balloons, and a personalized note from you! To place your order online, click [here](#).



## COLLEGE CONVENTION 2012



The Center for Civic Engagement at New England College announces the dates for College Convention 2012. The three-day program runs January 3 through 6 and will be held at the Grappone Center in Concord, New Hampshire. Scheduled immediately before New Hampshire's First In The Nation Primary, College

Convention provides a venue for students around the country to interact with presidential candidates, surrogates, issue advocates, and the media, in a convention-like setting. Programming for College Convention 2012 includes presentations by presidential candidates, issue forums, workshops, and panel discussions with those most closely involved in New Hampshire's presidential primary.

Visit [www.nec.edu/college-convention](http://www.nec.edu/college-convention) or contact Dr. Wayne F. Lesperance, Jr., Professor of Political Science, at 603-428-2295 for details.

The NEC community is encouraged to attend College Convention 2012. Registration is FREE for NEC faculty, staff, students, and alumni. Families of NEC faculty and staff are also eligible for free registration. Interested participants should email [collegeconvention@nec.edu](mailto:collegeconvention@nec.edu).

## WORLD AIDS WEEK AT NEC



*NEC community members form a human world AIDS ribbon*

New England College honored World AIDS Week November 28 through December 1. This collaborative effort was made possible through the work and organization of the NEC "Science of Plagues" and "Immunology" classes, Sexual Orientations United with Pride (SOUP), Global Awareness Club, Business Club, Health Science Club, Office of Student Involvement, Student Senate, basketball teams, Wellness Center, and Aspiring Minds.

Throughout the week, educational films were shown, the NEC community wore red each day to raise awareness, and info bags were handed out containing silicone bracelets, condoms, and red ribbons. Raffles were held to raise money for Joseph's House in Washington D.C. During the men's and women's basketball games, team members wore red shoelaces to support AIDS awareness. SOUP sponsored a "Rave in Red" event on World AIDS Day (December 1) with games, tie-dyeing, and more.

The week was very successful with many participants - there is already talk about making it even bigger for next year!



## DATES TO REMEMBER

**J-Term 2012**  
January 2 through 20

**Residence Halls Open**  
January 22 at 8:00 a.m.

**Spring 2012 Classes Begin**  
January 23

**Founders Day**  
January 24

**Winter Carnival 2012**  
February 10 through 12

## SHUTTLE SERVICES FOR NEC STUDENTS

New England College offers shuttle services free of charge to students. Students must sign-up in advance to take advantage of this service.



Shuttles run to/  
from the **Concord  
Bus Station** and  
**Manchester-  
Boston Regional  
Airport**. Space  
is limited. Please

encourage your student to reserve his/her spot early by calling 603-428-2248 or emailing [osi@nec.edu](mailto:osi@nec.edu).

The shuttle leaves from the Simon Center at the following times for the upcoming break:

### Winter Break:

Sunday, January 22, 2012  
1:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m., and 9:00 p.m.

### Spring Break:

Friday, March 9, 2012 and Sunday, March 18  
9:00 a.m., 1:00 p.m., and 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 18, 2012  
1:00 p.m., 5:00 p.m., and 9:00 p.m.

## 2011 MOVEMBER NEC

Movember has once again come to an end. This year's Movember was more successful than ever. Worldwide, Movember had over 800,000 participants and fundraised over \$100,000,000. Not too bad for a few Mos.

Movember NEC would like to thank all who that participated, supported, and encouraged Movember NEC 2011. In particular, we would like to thank Megan Hotaling, Residence Life & Housing: the Quad & House staff, and the Student Entertainment Committee.

We would also like to recognize the members of the community who participated in this year's Movember and to thank them for growing their lip rugs, handlebars, wispy mos, Marios, and all other Mos.

This year's Movember was hugely successful! It created awareness for men's health and we at NEC fundraised over \$600.00 for men's health and cancer research.

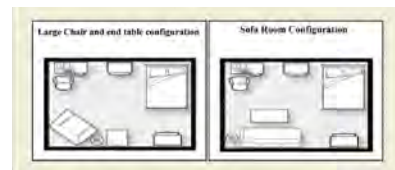
We hope everyone enjoyed this year's Movember and hope you'll join us again next year when we are once again "changing the face of men's health."

May the Mo be with you,  
The 2011 NEC Movember Team

## SUITE LIVING AT NEW ENGLAND COLLEGE

Live on campus in a newly renovated SINGLE!

- SINGLE room, DOUBLE-sized
- NEW furniture
- RENOVATED kitchen and lounge
- CHOICE of couch, coffee table OR cuddler and end table



Lock in at \$4,000 Spring 2012 rate for the ENTIRE 2012-13 academic year! As an added bonus, NO meal plan is required!\*

*\*Transfer or current off-campus students for Spring 2012 only. Meal plan requirement will be in effect for the 2012-13 academic year.*

Contact NEC Residence Life and Housing at 603-428-2242 for more details.

The Parent ConNEction newsletter is published by the Office of Advancement at New England College. For details, contact Bethany Craig at [bcraig@nec.edu](mailto:bcraig@nec.edu).



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