

CAMPUS VOICE

NORTHWESTERN CONNECTICUT COMMUNITY COLLEGE

SEPTEMBER 26-OCTOBER 2, 2016



**September 16
through
October 2**

Discount Adult tickets are on sale for use any day between September 16 through October 2.

Tickets are \$12 each.

Stop by the Student Activities office in GW 110 between 9:00am—4:30pm for tickets or to pick up a brochure!

“ Make checks payable to **NCCC Student Activities.**
“ Exact cash is helpful.
“ **No Credit Cards Accepted.**
“ Sales are first come, first serve.
Limit 4 tickets per purchase.



**STUDENT
SENATE
ELECTIONS**

**Monday-Friday
September 26-30**

Ballot locations are in Founders Hall either at the table in the ramp entrance or at the Information Center.

The elections include Student Senate seats and College Professional Committees.

LGBTQIA+ Club Community Event

Friday, September 30

3:00-6:00pm

ASB Atrium and Room 209

On Friday, September 30, NCCC's LGBTQIA+ Club will sponsor a Community Event beginning at 3:00pm in ASB 209.

3:00-3:30pm—True Colors will provide an audience ice breaker

3:30-4:30pm—The Stonewall Speakers will share their personal journeys, which will inspire, educate, and increase compassion and respect for LGBT community members

4:30-5:30pm—True Colors will provide three break-out sessions:

- **“Leading Your GSA”** workshop explores the many obstacles a GSA might face during the year
- **“LGBT 101”** identity workshop led by True Colors Youth Team
- **“Intersectional Allyship”** workshop introduces Kimberle Crenshaw's concept of intersectionality

Food and beverages will be served in the ASB Atrium from 5:30-6:00pm



Where Do You Stand Connecticut?

Wednesday, September 28

1:00-3:00pm, Draper 102

(lower level of Learning Resource Center/Library)

NCCC will be hosting this event in conjunction with the Susan B. Anthony Project, the CT Alliance to End Sexual Violence, and the national organization Men Can Stop Rape. This is the fourth time this event has been hosted at NCCC and will include national speakers on this topic aimed at educating men in the community on issues of sexual violence. This event provides an opportunity for men to discuss healthy masculinity and acquire tools for preventing sexual violence in their communities and is open to all male students.

Our featured guest, Patrick McGann, Ph.D., is the Deputy Director of Men Can Stop Rape, an organization that mobilizes men to use their voice and influence to create cultures free from violence. Register for this event at: <http://conta.cc/2bRMQmX>

STUDENT INFORMATION

September—October Transfer Representative Visits

Representatives from the following colleges and universities will be on campus to answer your transfer questions. All visits are scheduled from 10am-1pm in the ASB Atrium unless otherwise noted.

September 27	Bay Path University
September 28	University of Saint Joseph
October 11	University of Bridgeport Northeastern University Western CT State University
October 12	Central CT State University University of New Haven Albertus Magnus, <u>11am-1pm</u>
October 18	Albertus Magnus Continuing Education, <u>11am-1pm</u>
October 26	Johnson State College
October 31	Southern CT State University <u>1:30-3:30pm</u>

NCCC Career Fair will be held on **Tuesday, October 18** from 11:30am-1:00pm in the Green Woods Hall Multipurpose Room.

The NCCC Career Fair is a great opportunity for students to meet local employers who are very interested in hiring NCCC students!

Two Résumé Workshops are scheduled on Thursday, October 6 from 12:00-1:00 pm in FX 011 and FX 010 and Thursday, October 13 from 12:00 -1:00 pm in FH 101 and FH 107, to help prepare students for the Career Fair.

Job seekers attending the Career Fair are encouraged to "Dress to Impress," and all attendees will be entered into a drawing to win a KINDLE FIRE!

Disney College Program ~ Students interested in applying for the Spring 2017 Disney College Program at Walt Disney World in Florida should schedule an appointment to meet with Professor Valerie Royals as soon as possible. Please call 860-738-6304 or send an email to vroyals@nwcc.edu.

At the NCCC Library ~



Did you know that **MLA citation** was revised this summer? The Library has all the updated materials. Please click [here](#) to view the MLA citation guide and tutorials.

Research Questions?

To receive **one-on-one research consultations** with an expert librarian, please call the Library at 860-738-6480 or stop by.



REMINDER NOTICE

Holabird Avenue Bridge Closure

The Holabird Avenue bridge (near the Art and Science Building, ASB) will be shut down for construction long-term (this includes cars AND pedestrians).

The CT DOT will have signs up with all detour notifications, and detour maps are available on the NCCC website homepage or click [here](#).

The footbridge at the Art and Science Building over the river will remain open for easy pedestrian access between ASB, Greenwood Hall, and the rest of the campus. Parking will continue to be available at the Art and Science Building.

Whiting Street (the road behind Founders Hall leading to ASB) will be one way only going north once construction starts, and access to ASB via Whiting Street from Route 44 will be available.

Signs marking detours to get back to Route 44 or to access Route 8 have been posted by the CT Department of Transportation.

Lost and Found services at NCCC are maintained in the following locations:

- Founders Hall (Information Center in FH 104)
- Arts and Sciences Building (Faculty Offices Hallway - Room 204)
- Greenwood Hall (Student Activities - Room 110)

If you have lost an item while on campus, please check with Darlene at the Information Center (FH 104) or by phone at 860-738-6300, Susan in ASB 204, 860-738-6423, or the Office of Student Activities at 860-738-6343 (Susan) or 860-738-6344 (Kathy) as soon as possible. **Positive ID is required when collecting your lost item. Any items not claimed soon will be donated to Goodwill.**

STUDENT CLUB MEETING & EVENT INFORMATION

CAVT—Vet Tech Club - for more information, contact club advisor Katherine Smith, ksmith1@nwcc.edu

Criminal Justice Association— meets **Tuesdays, 4:15-5pm, FH 205**; contact club advisor Michael Emanuel, memanuel@nwcc.edu

Dungeons and Dragons Club—meets **Tuesdays, 1:00-4:30pm, Library lower level**; contact club advisor Doug Mooney, dmooney@nwcc.edu

Early Childhood Education Association— meeting **Monday, September 26, 4:15-4:45pm, FH 207**; contact club advisor Michele Better, mbetter@nwcc.edu

Health Professionals—for more information, contact club advisor Jane O'Grady, jogrady@nwcc.edu

History Association—meets **Wednesdays, 2pm, FH 306**; contact club advisor Todd Bryda, tbryda@nwcc.edu

The **Journalism and Writer's Club**—for more information, contact club advisor Seth Kershner skershner@nwcc.edu

LGBTQIA+ Club (formerly the REAL Club) —meets **Thursdays, 12-1pm, ASB 205**; for more information contact club advisor Karen Hunter, khunter@nwcc.edu

METS (Math, Engineering, Tech, and Science) Club (NEW!) —for more information contact club advisors Doug Hoffman, dhoffman@nwcc.edu or Tara Jo Holmberg, tholmberg@nwcc.edu

Men in Nursing Club—for more information, contact club advisors Pam Rose, drose@nwcc.edu or Jaclyn Vincent, jvincent@nwcc.edu

NCCC Student Nurses Association—meeting **Tuesday, September 27, 3pm, GW 110**; contact club advisors Jayne Mednick, jmednick@nwcc.edu or Michelle Roberson, mroberson@nwcc.edu

Northwest Deaf Club— meets **Tuesdays, 4:15-5:00pm, GW 101**; for more information contact club advisor Maureen Chalmers, mchalmers@nwcc.edu

The Outlet (Christian Association)—for more information contact club advisor Paul Atkinson, patkinson@nwcc.edu

Phi Theta Kappa – by invitation only; next general membership meeting **Thursday, October 13, 12pm and 6:30pm, FH 306**; for information contact club advisors Todd Bryda, tbryda@nwcc.edu or Crystal Wiggins, cwiggins@nwcc.edu

Spanish Club— for more information, contact club advisor Jessica Treat, jtreat@nwcc.edu

The **NCCC Student Senate** meets on **Tuesdays, 11:45am-1:00pm** in GW 110, and meetings are open to all registered students. Contact club advisor Kathy Chapman, kchapman@nwcc.edu

Veteran's Club (NEW!) —for more information, contact club advisor Louis Bristol, lbristol@nwcc.edu

Special Scholarship Meeting for all NCCC Students Professors Todd Bryda and Crystal Wiggins, co-advisors of Phi Theta Kappa at NCCC will hold two special meetings concerning scholarships for PTK members and all NCCC students on **Tuesday, September 27, FX 108**, at noon and 6:30pm. They will also discuss the "C4 Completion Agreement" and how students may access additional scholarship resources to help pay for educational expenses.

Presidential and Vice Presidential Debates

On Monday, September 26, Tuesday, October 4, and Wednesday, October 19, NCCC with the support of the Student Senate, Phi Theta Kappa (PTK) and the History Association will hold a public viewing of the Presidential and Vice Presidential debates. The debates will begin at 9pm and will be followed by a question and answer period led by Professor Todd Bryda. The events are all open to the general public.

The events will be hosted by NCCC staff members Maureen Chalmers, Jim Patterson, Kathy Chapman, Mami Kajiyama-Bequillard and Todd Bryda. All are welcome; please contact Todd Bryda at tbryda@nwcc.edu or Maureen Chalmers at mchalmers@nwcc.edu for further information.

The **Susan B. Anthony Project** has announced that weekly counseling services for victims of sexual assault and domestic abuse will be available for NCCC students at the Women's Center, Greenwoods Hall Rm 313, Tuesdays from 1pm-4pm.

To schedule an appointment, please call Bethaney at (860) 489-3798 ext. 322.



- ❖ Individual counseling for sexual abuse and domestic violence
- ❖ Crisis intervention
- ❖ Implementation of safety planning and support
- ❖ Information and educational components on the dynamics and effects of abuse
- ❖ Sorting out feelings of confusion and helplessness
- ❖ Resources and referrals

Available for appointments or walk-ins on campus at the NCCC ❖ Women's Center ❖ Room 313
Tuesday 1 PM - 4 PM



CAMPUS EVENTS



Ballroom Dance Classes

This popular dance series returns!! If you haven't tried it, come join us and have some fun! Singles and couples are welcome.

Classes will be held on the following Fridays from **7:00pm-9:00pm in Green Woods Hall Rm. 128: September 30, October 14, November 18 and December 16, 2016.**

FREE for registered NCCC credit students.

Non-students: \$10 per person payable at the door on the night of class. *Sponsored by your Student Senate*

Boston Bus Trip—Saturday, October 22

Tickets on sale in Student Activities; \$15 for Students, and \$20 for Staff and nonstudent Guests. Must be 18 and over. Parents of children 10 and over please contact Kathy Chapman at 860-738-6344 or kchapman@nwcc.edu.

19th Annual Student vs. Faculty/Staff

Volleyball Tournament—Tuesday, October 25 (rain date Thursday, October 27)

- ⇒ Students & Staff will battle for the 2016 title
 - ⇒ Free music and Kurt's Hotdogs!
 - ⇒ The winning team will receive "CHAMP" T-shirts.
 - ⇒ Come play or come watch!!
 - ⇒ ⇒ **Current Record: Students 7 – Faculty/Staff 11**
- Sponsored by your Student Senate*

The American Cancer Society's *Making Strides Against Breast Cancer* walk is a

powerful event to raise awareness and funds to end breast cancer.

Please consider joining the NCCC



Making Strides team at this year's event to be held on **Sunday, October 16th** at White Memorial Conservation Center, 80 Whitehall Road, Litchfield. The event is a noncompetitive 5k (3.1 mile) walk through beautiful White Memorial. Donate or register to walk with us here: <http://tinyurl.com/grm2ua8> [#NCCCMakingStrides](#) [#ACS](#) [#beatcancer](#) [#cancerresearch](#) [#walkwithNCCC](#) For more information, see Joanne Nardi in the Admissions Office, in GW 219!

IMPROV Workshops at NCCC Return!! You are invited to share time in "Mind Bending Coziness." In these **FREE** weekly workshops on Tuesday evenings **beginning at 6:30pm in Green Woods Hall, Room 101**, participants will exercise their left brain and get their body moving in the right direction. These game-playing improvisational exercises will challenge players to enjoy being a kid again and have fun. During each workshop there will be reinforcement of

individual challenges, group exercises, and team development skills. All of the activities aim to increase confidence, gain comfort in social settings, refine brainstorming, improve listening and observation, and enhance creative thinking. These workshops are open to all ages and all abilities and no registration or fee is required.

While each week's exercise seeks to build upon previous activities, each workshop can be independently attended, so drop-ins during the semester are encouraged. For more information contact Jack Bouque at jib06098@yahoo.com.

***SAVE THE DATE!!* Book Circle Author Steve Rushin to Talk at NCCC**

Are you a fan of Steve Rushin? Well, you should be excited! This local author is coming to Northwestern Connecticut Community College in Winsted. Steve Rushin will be talking about his book *The Pint Man*, at NCCC, on Tuesday, October 25, at 6:30 pm in Founders Hall Auditorium. At the conclusion of his talk there will be a reception and book signing. This is quite an opportunity and we encourage everyone to come.



Mr. Rushin has written for *Sports Illustrated*, *Time*, and *The New York Times*; he is also a four-time finalist for the National Magazine Award and has had his writing published in *The Best American Sports Writing*, *The Best American Travel Writing*, and *The Best American Magazine Writing* collections. He continues to write a weekly column for *SI.com*.

Steve Rushin has often been celebrated for his fiction and non-fiction. His first book, *The Caddie Was a Reindeer* was published by Grove Atlantic in 2005 and named a semifinalist for the Thurber Prize for American Humor. His novel *The Pint Man* was published by Doubleday in 2010 and was noted as "Engaging, clever and often wipe-your-eyes-funny," by the *Los Angeles Times*. His book *Road Swing* was named by *Publishers Weekly* as one of the "Best Books of the Year" and one of the "Top 100 Sports Books of All Time" by *Sports Illustrated*. Then, in 2013, his nonfiction book *The Baseball Grenade* was published by Little, Brown. He currently resides with his wife Rebecca Lobo and their four children in Granby, Connecticut.

The Pint Man, is an incoming student read at NCCC this semester. Books will be available for purchase, or you can bring your own to have it signed. This event is free and open to the public, thanks to the sponsorship of the Cultural Planning Committee, the Humanities Department, and the Northwestern Community College Foundation (NCCF).



Registration is open for all non-credit Allied Health and Business & Industry courses for the fall 2016 semester.

Download a copy of the complete [schedule](#) of non-credit Allied Health and Business & Industry courses today. [Registration forms](#) are also available on our website or from the NCCC homepage at <http://www.nwcc.edu/> and go to *Academics/Continuing Education-Center for Workforce Development*.

Non-credit Workforce Development certificate programs offered through the Center for Workforce Development include:

Personal Strategic Plan (NEW!) - October 21, 9:00am-4:00pm, \$90

Bookkeeping Certificate and QuickBooks—November 8—December 22, Tuesdays/Thursdays, 4:30-7:30pm, \$950

Security Officer Training, Friday, December 2, 8:30am-5:00pm, \$145

Complete course descriptions and information for the above programs are available [here](#) or on the NCCC website.

For more information about these courses or to register for non-credit courses and/or programs, please call **860-738-6444 or 860-738-6484** or **stop by the CWD offices at the Goulet Bldg., 56 Park Place.**

CAMPUS EVENTS CALENDAR

September 26-30	Student Senate Elections
September 26	Presidential Debate 9-10:30pm, FH Auditorium
September 30	LGBTQIA+ Club Community Event, 3-6pm, ASB 209 and Atrium
October 4	Ballroom Dance Class, 7-9pm, GW 128
October 13	Vice Presidential Debate, 9-10:30pm, FH Auditorium
October 14	Discussion on Civil Discourse, Politics and Voting, 11:30am-1pm, ASB 205
October 18	Ballroom Dance Class, 7-9pm, GW 128
October 19	Career Fair , 11:30am-1pm, GW 128
October 19	Presidential Debate, 9-10:30pm, FH Auditorium
October 22	Boston Bus Trip
October 25	19th Annual Student vs Faculty Volleyball Tournament (rain date October 27)

For more information on these and other events, click on the Campus Calendar link at the bottom of the NCCC homepage at <http://www.nwcc.edu/>

OPEN GYM

Mondays thru Thursdays 10:00am-4:30pm

The NCCC Gym (GW 128) is open to all registered students for basketball, ping pong and, with advanced requests, volleyball and dodge ball. Equipment is provided. Stop by Student Activities (GW 110) to sign in.

If you have additional ideas or suggestions, please let us know.

CWD—Non-credit Allied Health

FIRST AID and CPR - American Heart Association Heartsaver® First Aid CPR AED is a video-based, instructor-led course that teaches students critical skills needed to respond to and manage an emergency until emergency medical services arrives. Skills covered in this course include first aid; choking relief in adults, children, and infants; and what to do for sudden cardiac arrest in adults, children, and infants. Students learn skills such as how to treat bleeding, sprains, broken bones, shock and other first aid emergencies. This course teaches skills with the AHA's research-proven practice-while-watching technique, which allows instructors to observe the students, provide feedback, and guide the students' learning of skills. This course is for anyone with limited or no medical training who needs a course completion card in first aid to meet job, regulatory or other requirements. Upon completion of this course, students receive an American Heart Association Heartsaver First Aid Course Completion Card that is valid for two years.

CRN: 3381, Friday, October 28, 8:00am-1:00pm, \$50

For more information or to register please contact Heather Cappabianca, allied health program coordinator, at hcappabianca@nwcc.edu or call 860-738-6484.

Scholarship Information

The **Soroptimist International Live Your Dream Award** (formerly the Women's Opportunity Awards) assists women in need and who provide the primary source of financial support for their families. The award gives them a financial boost to help them improve their education, skills and employment prospects. Once again this year the winner will be awarded **\$ 2,000.00!** Information and applications are available in the Financial Aid Office. **DEADLINE: November 15, 2016.**