Welcome Back!

Important Announcements, Events, & More!
Want to place an announcement or something you want to share for next month?
Email Andrew Wetmore awetmore@nwcc.edu or call 860-738-6344
Fall 2018 Orientation!

Welcome To Northwestern!
Welcome Fair!

Located on the Town Green Near Founders Hall
Sponsored by Student Senate

- Free Food & Beverages
- Meet Student Clubs & Organizations
- Meet New Students & Faculty/Staff
- Games, Activities, & Music
- Prizes & Giveaways
- & More To Be Announced!

For more information Contact Andrew Wetmore, Director of Student Activities 860-738-6344 or awetmore@nwcc.edu

11:30am – 1:30pm
(Rain Date 9/25/18)
What is Happening This Month...

JOIN US!

Sunday, September 23, 2018
White Memorial Conservation Park, Litchfield, CT
thogan@alz.org  860-828-2828  alz.org/walk

Join Team: NCCC

Ready to become a student leader?

Join the Student Senate!

⇒ Meets every Tuesday at 12 noon in GW110
⇒ Helps organize campus-wide events
⇒ Sponsors clubs and activities
⇒ Determines use of the Student Activity Fund
⇒ Voice of the Student Body

Interested? Contact Andrew Wetmore, Director of Student Activities at 860-738-6344 or awetmore@nwcc.edu
Northwestern Connecticut Community College Gallery Opens the School Year...with the Art of Peter Brown

Show Runs August 27– September 24
The opening is September 6, 2018
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm, and is open to the public

The exhibition, entitled rust | forms, deals with Decay. Waste. Detritus... Recycle. Reprocess. Regenerate... “The sculptural wall hangings and floor pieces incorporate and repurpose found, discarded, household, industrial materials/objects as much as possible. The materials interact and speak to each other, while shape, texture and size dictate the final outcome. With a few exceptions, the assemblage of each piece progresses in my process without knowing the obstacles or conclusions.”

Peter Brown currently resides in Pine Meadow, CT and received a Bachelor’s of Fine Arts (BFA) in 2-dimensional and 3-dimensional design from the Hartford Art School. After graduating, he took his sculptural skills towards jobs in construction, then changed course and applied his love of photography towards the commercial advertising photography field. After apprenticing with two Hartford area photographers for 5 years, he ventured out on his own and partnered with John Woodruff to form Woodruff/Brown Photography in 1985.

Are you looking for books for your research?

NCCC Library holds thousands of books. Overwhelmed? No worries! Please check out our guide to “How to Find a Book on Your Topic.” It is available online: http://nwcc.libguides.com/books now.


Or stop by at the library and grab the hand-outs. If you have any questions, please ask our friendly library staff.
What is Happening This Month...

**THE BIG E 2018 SPECIAL AND STATE DAYS**

- Friday, Sept. 14 – Be A Kid For A Day, Military Appreciation Day
- Saturday, Sept. 15 – Maine Day & 4-H/FFA Day
- Sunday, Sept. 16 – Storrowton Day & Chalice of Salvation Sunday
- Monday, Sept. 17 – Salute to West Springfield
- Tuesday, Sept. 18 – Rhode Island Day & Salute to Holyoke
- Wednesday, Sept. 19 – Connecticut Day
- Thursday, Sept. 20 – Massachusetts Day
- Friday, Sept. 21 – New Hampshire Day
- Saturday, Sept. 22 – Vermont Day
- Sunday, Sept. 23 – Grange Day
- Monday, Sept. 24 – Salute to Springfield
- Tuesday, Sept. 25 – Salute to Chicopee
- Wednesday, Sept. 26 – Salute to Agawam
- Thursday, Sept. 27 – Salute to Westfield
- Friday, Sept. 28 – Harvest New England Day
- Saturday, Sept. 29 – TBD
- Sunday, Sept. 30 – Salute to Special Olympics

**Tickets are available for purchase in the Student Activities Office (GW110)**

**$12.00**

**Cash or Checks Only**
What is Happening This Month...

Fall 2018- Open Pantry Hours
(No Appointment Necessary)

Monday  
10:00am – 2:00pm  
4:00pm – 6:00pm

Tuesday  
8:00am – 10:00am  
3:00pm – 4:30pm

Wednesday  
1:00pm – 6:00 pm

Thursday  
3:00pm – 4:30pm

Friday  
12:15pm – 3:15 pm

In addition, students may also request individual appointments by sending an email to NW-FoodForThought@ctregents.onmicrosoft.com

Student ID or current class schedule with photo ID are required
Location: Founder’s Annex (FX) rooms 317 (pantry) & 319 (office)
NEW BUSINESS MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATE AT NCCC

WINSTED, CT – August 27, 2018 - The Business and Management Administration Program at Northwestern Connecticut Community College has added a new Business Management Certificate Program to their Fall 2018 program.

This certificate focuses on fundamental business knowledge and skills. It was developed to serve the needs of current students and the business community at large by facilitating the short-term acquisition of formal business skills in order to prepare students for several business career options. These options include entry-level positions in business organizations, first-time entrepreneurship goals, or advancing an existing small business to the next level, and will also be particularly beneficial to those interested in job advancement or a career change.

The 24-credit certificate includes courses in Accounting, Business Communication, Finance, Management, Human Resource Management, and Marketing. Students may also select a business elective. All courses are applicable to an A.S. degree in Business and Management Administration.

Professor Valerie Royals, Department Chair, created this certificate because of the need for an expedient path for those who want to obtain formal business skills.

“There is a demand for office workers with strong business knowledge and excellent communication skills and the certificate will provide a necessary vehicle to address the employment needs on a regional and statewide level,” Royals says. “It also provides a path for new entrepreneurs and owners of established small business.”

For more information about the new NCCC Business Management Certificate Program or other related business courses, contact Professor Valerie Royals at 860-738-6304 or vroyals@nwcc.edu.

Lost & Found...

Lost & Found services are maintained at the information center (FH104 and Student Activities GW110).

If you have lost an item while on campus, please check with Darlene at the information center 860-738-6300 or Andrew in Student Activities 860-738-6344.
What is Happening This Month...

**Narcan Training**

Mark Your Calendars....The Student Nurses' Association in collaboration with the Big Y Pharmacy in Torrington are holding **Narcan Training on Monday, September 24th from 12 - 1pm in the Draper Conference Room.**

After the one hour presentation from Mike Muldoon, Pharmacist, Narcan kits will be available onsite to attendees with proper identification and proof of insurance. This training will be open to NCCC students, staff, faculty and the community. Space will be limited and RSVP is required. Look for flyers with more information in your emails, on social media, and around campus.

**Student Nurses' Association Toy Drive!**

Connecticut Children’s Medical Center from August 31st - September 18th. Collection totes are located in the ASB Atrium, Library, and by the Information Center in Founders Hall. New, not gift wrapped, appropriate toys for hospitalized infants, children, adolescents, or teenagers (ie. toy guns and other weapons are not appropriate) and toys that do not pose a safety hazard (ie. those with sharp edges, removable/breakable parts) are accepted. Per CCMC’s website, suggested donations include but not limited to anything LEGO brand, infant mobiles, rattles, light-up or sound toys, Fisher Price brand, action figures, teen DVDs (new releases), board games, card games).

**Good to know....**

The New York Times

The NCOC has purchased a site license to the digital version of **The New York Times**, which can be customized to meet your unique interests and needs.

Follow the steps below to activate your Pass for your free access:

2. Click "Create Account".
3. Use your [01234567@nwc.edu](mailto:01234567@nwc.edu) as email address to register and create a password.
4. Once activated, your Pass will provide access to NYTimes.com from any location for 52 weeks on up to five (5) devices.

🌟 To make it easier to include Times content in your course you may register for access to [NYTimesinEducation.com](https://www.nytimesineducation.com/).
🌟 You will need to register on a yearly basis.
Good to Know...

Basic Life Support (BLS) for Health Care Providers is being offered on Saturday September 8th, 8:00am-1:00pm.

Cost: $76. Renewal: $46

To register: Contact Heather Cappabianca 860-738-6484, hcappabianca@nwcc.edu
## Good To Know...

### ACADEMIC SUCCESS CENTER

#### TUTORING SCHEDULE

**Fall 2018**

**Founders Hall Room 307**

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**Free Tutoring! No appointment necessary!**

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**Have an idea for events you want to see on campus?**

**Contact the Student Activities Office at 860-738-6344 or awetmore@nwcc.edu**
Good to Know….

Important Parking Notification

Vehicles Parked in the No Parking Areas

Noted Below Will Be Towed.

Founders Hall Portico Area

Learning Resource Center (library) Parking Lot
Good to Know….

If you get SNAP (food stamp) benefits, you can get extra help paying for tuition, books and other school supplies. The following programs are eligible for the extra help:

**Credit Bearing Programs:**
- Computer Network Support Specialist Computer Systems Technology (A.S.)
- Medical Records and Health Information Technician Health Information and Reimbursement Specialist (Certificate)
- Web Developer Computer Science Studies (A.S.)
- Veterinary Technologists and Technician Veterinary Technology (A.S.)
- Preschool Teacher Early Childhood Education (A.S.)
- Psychiatric Technician Human Services (A.S. & Cert.)
- Medical Assistant Medical Assisting (A.S.)
- Nurse Nursing (A.S.)

**Workforce Development Courses:**
- Certified Nurse Aide CNA
- Office Support Professional
- Central Sterile Processing Technician
- Manufacturing Solderer
- Emergency Medical Technician EMT
- Pharmacy Technician

For info contact: Erin Kennedy, SNAP Coordinator
(860) 738-6419 or e-mail: ekennelly@nwcc.edu

Not sure if you qualify for SNAP? Here are the income guidelines:

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**New Student?** - Come and check out our beautiful library for studying, relaxing or between classes. Aside from the regular library services, we offer the following.

- Student ID cards issued
- Research and reference assistance
- Computer lab
- Group study rooms including Think Tanks
- Phone charging station
- Self-service scanning, printing, copying

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**Library Hours**
Monday - Wednesday: 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM
Thursday & Friday: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

**Get your Student ID at the library today!**
Bring your photo ID such as Driver License or Passport.
Student ID & Library Card All-in-one!
Good to know….

Free Career Training for SNAP recipients at Northwestern CT Community College

The following classes are open to everyone, regardless of income. Persons receiving SNAP or “food stamps” assistance may receive training for the following careers at no cost:

**Workforce Development Courses:**
- Certified Nurse Aide CNA
- Office Support Professional
- Central Sterile Processing Technician *NEW*
- Manufacturing Solderer
- Emergency Medical Technician EMT
- Pharmacy Technician
- Direct Support Professional
- Elder Care Assistant

**Credit Bearing Programs:**
- **Computer Network Support Specialist** Computer Systems Technology (A.S.)
- **Medical Records and Health Information Technician** Health Information and Reimbursement Specialist (Certificate)
- **Web Developer** Computer Science Studies (A.S.)
- **Veterinary Technologists and Technician** Veterinary Technology (A.S.)
- **Preschool Teacher** Early Childhood Education (A.S.)
- **Psychiatric Technician** Human Services (A.S. & Cert.)
- **Medical Assistant** Medical Assisting (A.S.)
- **Nurse** Nursing (A.S.)

For info contact: Erin Kennedy, SNAP Coordinator (860) 738-6419 or e-mail: ekenney@nwcc.edu
AAUW of NCCC
American Association of University Women (AAUW) – To Promote equity for women and girls through advocacy, education, philanthropy, and research. To Further the goal of breaking through educational and economic barriers so that all women and girls have a fair chance. To Empower all women and girls to reach their highest potential.
Advisors: Susan Dichter, 860.738.6335, Deb Zavakay, 860.738.6309, Ruth Gonzalez, 860.738.6315

Christian Students Association
“The Outlet” promotes efforts to meet the needs of the community, including college students, to further individual spiritual growth by offering opportunities for fellowship through Bible studies and various events.
Advisor: Paul Atkinson, 860.738.6388, patkinson@nwcc.edu

Creative Collective
This group promotes the appreciation and practice of all forms of art within our own membership and the surrounding communities.
Advisor: Janet Nesteruk, 860.738.6384, jnesteruk@nwcc.edu

Criminal Justice Association
This group promotes the Criminal Justice Program at NCCC through speakers, programs and scholarship.
Advisor: Michael Emanuel, 860.738.6389 memanuel@nwcc.edu

Connecticut Association of Veterinary Technicians (CAVT)
CAVT promotes educational and social activities for Veterinary Technology students, furthering their knowledge and involvement with animals within our community and beyond.
Advisor: Katherine Smith, 860.738.6490, ksmith1@nwcc.edu

Dungeons and Dragons Club
This group promotes the wellbeing of our members and uses role-playing as a healthy emotional outlet and to help further members’ understanding of themselves and others.
Advisor: Doug Mooney, 860.738.6401, dmooney@nwcc.edu

Early Childhood Education Association
This group promotes the well-being of children and families. Through activities, meetings and fund-raising efforts, connections are built between NCCC students, children, families and the surrounding community.
Advisor: Michele Better, 860.738.6305, mbetter@nwcc.edu

History Association
This group promotes an appreciation of the historical past through shared discovery. It furthers historical knowledge and advances critical thought.
Advisor: Todd Bryda, 860.738.6302, tbryda@nwcc.edu

Health Professions Club
This group offers meetings and social gatherings to bring together those people interested in health and health-related careers.
Advisor: Jane O’Grady, 860.738.6393, jogrady@nwcc.edu
NCCC’s Clubs and Organizations

Hula Hoop Club
For more information contact Advisor: Karen Hunter, 860.738.6402.

Journalism Club
This group strives to promote free thinking, writing and campus unity by providing information throughout campus and to encouraging campus participation and writing. Advisor: Seth Kershner, 860.738.6481, skershner@nwcc.edu

Men in Nursing
The mission of this student organization is to foster nursing education, facilitate unity among our future colleagues, classmates and leaders in nursing. Advisor: Pam Rose, 860.738.6377, drose@nwcc.edu

Northwest Deaf Club
This group brings together deaf and hard-of-hearing students, as well as students of American Sign Language for cultural, social and recreational activities. Advisor: Maureen Chalmers, 860.738.6396, mchalmers@nwcc.edu

NCCC Student Nurses Association
This group promotes accountable, compassionate and skilled graduates that can continually advance the art and science of the nursing profession. Advisors: Jayne Mednick, 860.738.6421, jmednick@nwcc.edu and Erica Mumm, 860.738.6337, emumm@nwcc.edu

Phi Theta Kappa/Alpha Nu Epsilon Chapter
This group provides opportunities for the development of leadership and service, for an intellectual climate for the exchange of ideas and ideals, for lively fellowship for scholars and for stimulation of interest in continuing academic excellence. Membership is extended by invitation to all students who are enrolled in an Associate Degree Program, have accumulated 12 credits, have a 3.45 grade point average and who are of good moral character and possess recognized qualities of citizenship. Advisors: Crystal Wiggins, 860.738.6310, cwiggins@nwcc.edu and Todd Bryda, 860.738.6302, tbryda@nwcc.edu

LGBTQIA+ Club
This group strives to strengthen and sustain a welcoming and inclusive community for all NCCC students and provide resources on LGBTQIA. For more information contact Advisor: Karen Hunter at khunter@nwcc.edu, 860.738.6402.

Spanish Club
The purpose of this club is to educate NCCC and its community about Latin culture, to participate in cultural activities and to promote community service. Advisor: Jessica Treat, 860.738.6340, jttreat@nwcc.edu

Student Government
The Student Senate serves as the governing body representing NCCC students for the purpose of promoting the general welfare of the student body, to stimulate interest in activities contributing to our improvement and to provide every student with experience in democratic government. Advisor: Andrew Wetmore, 860.738.6344, awetmore@nwcc.edu

The Writers Club
This group’s mission is to promote the boundless horizons of creativity, while encouraging personal and collective creative growth. Advisor: Jessica Treat, 860.738.6430, jttreat@nwcc.edu
ATTENTION ALL BUSINESS STUDENTS

It is not too early to think about doing an internship during the Spring 2019 Semester!

The Disney College Program is a paid internship comprised of living, learning, and earning components that is offered at the Walt Disney World Resort. This program is truly one-of-a-kind!

More than 20 different positions are offered across theme parks, resorts, water parks, and Disney Springs. Participants work the equivalent of a full-time schedule including days, nights, weekends, and holidays. Housing complexes are located near the resort. Disney’s education program provides a unique and comprehensive experiential learning opportunity. Training classes, professional and personal development activities, and networking opportunities are available.

This is a very competitive program. Students must meet all College requirements and be approved to register for the Business Internship course. Disney requires that applicants must have completed at least one full semester of college, be 18 years of age upon arrival, and be currently taking classes at an accredited institution or graduated within the past six months.

Applications for the Spring 2019 season are now live! They are now accepting applications for the following 2019 programs:

Walt Disney World Resort near Orlando, Florida

- **2019 Spring** – Approximately mid/late January to early June
- **2019 Spring Advantage** – Approximately mid/late January to early August.

For more information, please contact Prof. Valerie Royals at vroyals@nwcc.edu.

- Visit disneycollegeprogram.com to learn more about this exciting opportunity.
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