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# Maine Perspective

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**MAINE**

# SUMMER

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## SPECIAL OLYMPICS TAKES THE FIELD

A parade through campus will kick off the opening ceremonies of the 31st Special Olympics, June 10-13.

The parade begins at 6 p.m., Friday, June 11, beginning at the Maine Center for the Arts parking lot and ending on Morse Field, the site of the opening ceremony at 7 p.m. Taking part in the parade will be many of the 2,000 athletes and their coaches. They will be joined by 20-40 of the 800 members of law enforcement agencies in the state who took part in 13 fund-raising torch runs benefiting Special Olympics that began a week earlier.

While some Special Olympics events begin Thursday and Friday, most take place Saturday on Morse Field. A closing ceremony will be held Sunday. ▲

## 4-Hers EXPLORE THE POSSIBILITIES

"4-H: Explore the Possibilities" is the theme of this year's Maine 4-H Teen Conference, June 25-27.

The annual conference for ages 12-17 is planned and implemented by the Maine 4-H Teen Council. Members of the Council include one teen representative from each county, and Maine's delegates to National 4-H Conference.

Activities during the UMaine conference focus on leadership and service. ▲

## PULP AND PAPER FOUNDATION OFFERS EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

The 40th annual UMaine Pulp & Paper Summer Institute is June 7-11.

Through the years, the Institute has helped more than 5,000 people from more than 400 companies in virtually every state and from many countries develop their careers. This year, more than 100 participants are expected.

The Summer Institute focuses on the breadth of the industry's processes in such areas as economics, papermaking, pulping and machinery developments.

Also this summer, Pulp and Paper's High School Juniors Program, July 18-21 and July 25-28, will bring 60 prospective students to campus. ▲

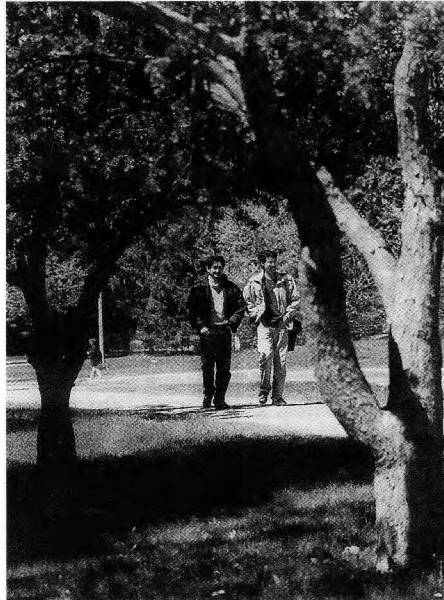


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## NATIONAL YOUTH SPORTS PROGRAM BEGINS 7TH SEASON AT UMAINE

National Youth Sports Program (NYSP) will open its seventh season June 28, offering six weeks of fun, teamwork and skill development for area boys and girls.

The day camp, 8 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Monday-Friday, is for youth ages 10-16 whose families or guardians meet Department of Health and Human Services income guidelines.

The goal is to help participants learn to believe in themselves, to get along with others and to experience personal skill development.

UMaine's nationally acclaimed NYSP program is directed by Stephen Butterfield, professor of education and special education, and a dedicated staff led by alumna and award-winning teacher Lynne Haynes of Lincoln. New to this year's staff will be a graduate of NYSP, now a high school honors student, athlete and leader who never missed a day of the program during the five summers she attended.

The National Collegiate Athletic Association funds NYSP. UMaine's program, one of 175 nationally, is the only NYSP in northern New England. ▲

## AFRICAN EDUCATORS ON CAMPUS FOR FIVE WEEKS

Sixteen African secondary and higher education teachers and administrators will be on campus June 5-July 10 for an institute for English language educators.

This is the third year that the Intensive English Institute (IEI) has won a USIA Fulbright grant to host a six-week EFL training institute. The institute is designed to meet the needs of teacher trainers and supervisors/inspectors from Francophone and Lusophone (French- and Portuguese-speaking) Sub-Saharan Africa, as well as offer insights into U.S. culture. While focusing on approaches to teaching English, the institute also promotes long-term information sharing crossing language and geographical barriers.

Participants spend five weeks in Maine and one week in Washington, D.C. They are introduced to educational and cultural experiences in the community, including visits to local schools, and discussions with UMaine and area administrators, faculty and students. The African educators will spend the July 2 weekend with host families.

Also in cooperation with IEI, UMaine's Continuing Education Division is offering a re-certification workshop for social studies teachers that will link them with the African educators. The workshop will focus on how to plan and implement schoolwide interdisciplinary projects introducing students to new cultures. ▲

## YOUNG ATHLETES TAKING THE ICE, COURT, FIELD AND TRACK

Young athletes ranging from age 7 to recent high school graduates will be attending Sam Sezak Summer Sports Camps, June 20-Aug. 8.

Camps are offered in 12 sports, as well as in strength and conditioning. All-Sports Day Camp and Teen Adventure Camp also are available.

The UMaine Summer Sports Camps have been offered for more than a quarter-century. The program brings more than 2,000 young athletes to campus each year. ▲

## Reminders

**University Bookstore** summer hours are 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.

**Farmers' Market** is open 8 a.m.-1 p.m., every Saturday in the Steam Plant Parking Lot.

**Southside Market**, Stodder Commons, is open 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., through Aug. 6.

**The Farm Store** is serving homemade ice cream 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday.

**Summer Art Camp** for ages 6-11 will be every morning, June 21-25, in Carnegie Hall, sponsored by the Museum of Art and Department of Art. To register, call 581-3245.

**The Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)** reminds investigators/instructors that no research, teaching or testing activities using live vertebrate animals shall be initiated until the IACUC has approved a protocol for such use. IACUC meeting dates (with protocols submitted at least two weeks before meeting date): June 21, July 19, Aug. 23. Contact Gayle Anderson, 581-1498.

**The Career Center** will provide full services through June 30. July 1-Aug. 20, telephone, fax and correspondence services will be available; job listings, informational handouts and other career resources will be in the Career Center lobby. A counselor will be available on a limited basis for student appointments. Call 581-1359 to meet with a counselor or to use the Career Lab. Full services resume Aug. 23.

**1999 Maryann Hartman Award** nominations are being accepted by the Women in the Curriculum and Women's Studies Program. Deadline is June 18. For more information or a nomination form, call 581-1228, or stop by the WIC office, 101 Fernald Hall.

**The Employee Assistance Program** is closed June 14-Aug. 6. Summer coverage will be provided by the UMaine Counseling Center. Call 581-1392, identify yourself as an employee or family member, and ask for an EAP appointment. EAP sessions are strictly confidential.

**Employee Assistance Program Emergency Loan Fund** is suspended until Aug. 10.

Due to increasing enrollment and requests for on-campus housing, **Campus Living** will not offer Guest Housing after Aug. 13. Space in Hancock Hall formally used for individuals with short-term University business has been assigned to full-time academic-year students. During Summer Session, short-term housing is available for students and others participating in UMaine activities. For more information, contact Andy Matthews, 581-4502.



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## Gallery Glimpses

**Worldviews: Maya Ceramics from the Palmer Collection and Down East Maine: A World Apart**, Hudson Museum exhibits, through Aug. 29, Maine Center for the Arts.

**John Buck: Language of the Times and Peter Milton: The Jolly Corner**, Museum of Art exhibits, through Sept. 1, Carnegie Hall.

### SUMMER HOURS OF UMAINE MUSEUMS

#### Hudson Museum -

Tuesday-Friday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.;  
Saturday-Sunday, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. 581-1901.

**Museum of Art -** Monday-Saturday,  
9 a.m.-4 p.m. 581-3255.

**Page Farm and Home Museum -**  
daily, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. 518-4100.

### MEMORIAL UNION BUILDING HOURS SUMMER SESSION

**Building:** Monday-Sunday: 7 a.m.-9 p.m.

**Bookstore:** Monday-Friday: 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.;  
Saturday-Sunday, June 19-20,  
10 a.m.-4 p.m.

**Computer Cluster:** Monday-Friday, 1 p.m.-  
9 p.m.; Saturday-Sunday, 10 a.m.-  
5 p.m.

**Bear's Den:** Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-7 p.m.;  
Saturday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.;  
Sunday, 11 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Damn Yankee:** Monday-Friday, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Maine Bound & Recreation Center:**  
Monday/Tuesday/Thursday, 9 a.m.-  
4:30 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

**MaineCard Office:**  
Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

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**All closed July 3-5**

## Calendar

**School of Social Work Symposium and Reception**, celebrating the 20th anniversary of the undergraduate program's accreditation and the 10th anniversary of the MSW program, 4-5:30 p.m., with awards presentation and keynote: "Social Work for the Next Millennium" by King Davis, Visiting Libra Professor in the College of Business, Public Policy and Health, followed by social hour and dinner, June 2, Black Bear Inn.

**Third Annual Cream Puff Social**, offered by the Classified Employee Scholarship Committee, 11 a.m.-3 p.m., June 3, Fogler steps. Cost: \$2.50.

**Open House Honoring John Dearborn**, 3-5 p.m., June 4, Bodwell Area, Maine Center for the Arts. x2540.

**"Ecotat: Gardens and Arboretum in Hermon, Maine,"** by Ecotat trustee Gaynor Reynolds, part of the Page Farm and Home Museum Brown Bag Lunch Series, noon-1 p.m., June 15, Page Museum. x4100.

**BearWorks Discussion**, 3:30 p.m., June 24, Woolley Room, DTAV. Open to all members of the University community.

### American Handbell Ringers Concert

For the third time in 15 years, the American Handbell Ringers National Conference will be held on campus, June 24-27. More than 1,000 musicians are expected to participate in the conference, which concludes with a public concert at 3:30 p.m., June 27, Alford Arena.

### 1999 SUMMER ORIENTATION

#### Friday, June 18

Academic and Career Exploration  
College of Business Public Policy and Health  
College of Engineering

#### Saturday, June 19

College of Business, Public Policy and Health  
College of Engineering  
College of Natural Sciences, Forestry, and Ag

#### Sunday, June 20

College of Education and Human Development  
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

#### Monday, June 21

Academic and Career Exploration  
College of Natural Sciences, Forestry, and Ag

#### Tuesday, June 22

College of Education and Human Development  
College of Liberal Arts and Sciences

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