

Dear Pemi Hall Residents,

I hope you are all enjoying your summer break and are also starting to look forward to returning to Plymouth State and Pemi Hall in the fall. Pemi Hall is known for its exciting activities, friendly staff and great community. I am excited to meet all of you in the fall, those who are moving into the building for the first time and those who will be returning for another year.

My name is Karissa Patefield and I am the Residence Director for Pemi Hall. I am originally from Wisconsin and graduated with a BA in Social Sciences from the University of Wisconsin - Platteville and also received by Masters of Science degree in College Student Affairs from Eastern Illinois University. I loved living in the Residence Halls as a student and hope that you enjoy your experiences in Pemi just as much! There will be a lot of activities offered in the building as well as lots of people to meet. I hope you all take advantage of the exciting opportunities we have to offer. I am looking forward to getting to know all of you while I start my fourth year in New England.

Now I'd like to introduce the student staff who will be working in Pemi Hall this year. These staff members include the following:

Danny Lieb - Community Advisor
Liz Chartrand - Community Advisor
Brandon Perkins - Community Advisor
Aly Dethlefs - Community Advisor
Alexa Fusilier - Community Advisor
Katrina Levesque - Community Advisor
Nik Harris - Community Advisor

Pemi Hall is a co-educational, four story residence hall that sits on top of the hill on the south side of campus. Pemi Hall is home to many skiing, snowboarding and bicycling enthusiasts. We have a ski and snowboard tuning room, some bicycle storage and an Art Room. We also have two laundry facilities for your convenience, a study lounge and computer cluster, one kitchen and a common area space on the first floor with soda and vending machines, a pool table, and a ping-pong table. When you move into Pemi Hall, the first week the CA's will hold floor meetings for all of you. During this meeting you will have a chance to meet other residents in the building and your own wing, ask questions and learn more about the policies and regulations in the building and found in the Student Handbook.

Here are a few things you should know prior to your arrival:

- ✘ Smoking is not permitted in any Residential Hall. You need to be 20 feet away from any building on campus to smoke.
- ✘ Unfortunately we do not have extra storage space for your skis or other equipment, so if you cannot find space in your room, please take your extra items home.
- ✘ Nothing may be placed on top of or hang from any pipes in your room or in the building or be placed near sprinkler heads or lights.
- ✘ All furniture in your room must stay in your room, no exceptions. Please plan accordingly.
- ✘ Refrigerators up to 5 cu ft and microwaves allowed in the Residence Halls. Anything larger than this will need to stay home.
- ✘ The closets in Pemi Hall have the following dimensions: Height: 75 inches, Width: 47.25 inches, Depth: 25 inches. These are the dimensions you will need if you want to cover your closets with fabric or a shower curtain. The closets do have doors to cover them.
- ✘ Please call your future roommates to get to know them and decide who will be bringing what for the room. It is important for you to talk with them person to person and not to rely on information you get from other sources.
- ✘ There will be an all-hall meeting on the evening of August 31st for you to learn about the rules of the building, meet your neighbors and meet all of the staff members in the building. This meeting is mandatory.
- ✘ You will get a lot of information this summer, please be sure to read it all. Also, the student handbook is online for your convenience, please read it before you get to campus this fall.

Well, that seems like a lot of information, but I hope that you are even more excited to be living in Pemi in the fall and that you have had some of your questions answered. Please feel free to contact the Office of Residence Life at (603) 535-2260 or check out our website www.plymouth.edu if you have additional questions. Also, you can find my contact information on our website as well.

See you in September!

Karissa Patefield
Pemi Hall Residence Director
Plymouth State University

~Early arrivals are not acceptable. Please remember that we are not prepared to house you in the building until check-in. If you have questions, please let us know.