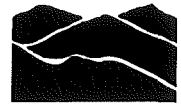


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Quick Quote

"The worst tragedy
for a poet is to be
admired through
being misunder-
stood."

Jean Cocteau

Security task group to meet

The existing security guard contract with Burns International Security Services has expired. To ensure that the security tender package being prepared reflects the

current needs of the college, a task group with representation from administration, faculty, staff and students will be reviewing overall security services at VCC. The task group's first meeting is scheduled for January 30, 1995.

Your input into this process is needed. Please submit any comments or concerns you may have about security services to the task group care of Steve Traviss, Safety, Security and Parking Coordinator, local 8603.

Many thanks

...to the individuals and departments that contributed their times, energies and talents to the Learning Centre Exhibit at City Centre, January 17 and 18. Special thanks to Aphrodite, Norma and Michael of the KEC Learning Centre and Library, Raymonde Jabaji and the ESL Vocational



Department, Carol Tulpar of ESL-CPE and Chris Stechishin of ESL-Electronics.

Software and reference materials will continue to be available until the end of the month. Contact Cheryl

Howrigan (8459) or Barry Kendrick (8513).

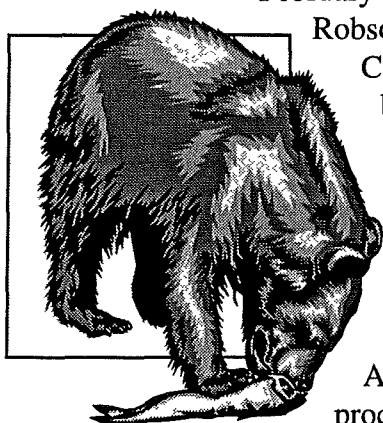
On behalf of the Board of Directors, the staff of the VCC Educational Foundation want to express our appreciation to the many individuals whose hard work and generosity raised close to \$2,000 for the George Clark Care and Share Fund. You really make a difference.

Thank you.
Lilli Milder
President, VCC Educational Foundation

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The next meeting of the VCC Board will take place on Thursday, January 26 at 5:30 p.m. in room 5025 (the Boardroom) at KEC.

A celebration of BC's protected areas, presented by the Province of BC and The River League will be held at 7:00 pm, Wednesday, February 8 at Judge McGill Hall,



Robson Square Multi-Media Centre. Guest speakers will be featured, along with a slide show presentation by premier wildland photographer, Graham Osborne. For tickets (\$11) and other information, phone the Vancouver Aquarium at 631-2511. All proceeds will be donated to conservation efforts.

So many courses, so little time... here are a few upcoming workshops and courses, HRD and others, which sound interesting.

- *E-mail demonstration* - 1:00 pm to 3:30 pm, Thursday, February 16, Room 5025, KEC (HRD)
- *Women's Support Group* - for women who are in relationships where they don't feel loved and accepted, and spend their time and energy trying to change "him"; 12:30 pm to 2:30 pm, Wednesdays, February 8, 15, 22 and March 1, Room 3002, KEC Counselling (Contact Lorraine in Counselling or Donna Barreca at 871-7207.)

- *Troubled Relationships* - for people in relationships centred on power and control, involving intimidation and abuse; 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm, Wednesday, February 1, Room 2103 (CCA Dept.), KEC
- *KEC Bookstore Open House* - a two hour session developed for practising ESL Instructors and TESL students wishing to learn more about current ESL resources and publications; 6:30 pm to 8:30 pm, Wednesday, March 8 (To register, call Continuing Education at 7070.)
- *A Leadership Workshop in Welcoming Diversity* - a participatory and experiential workshop dealing with issues of prejudice, presented by the National Coalition Building Institute and the Justice Institute of BC; Thursday to Saturday, February 23-25, location TBA; cost is \$400 (Contact Jeannette Matson at 374-2860.)

VCC Alumni Association's Sixth Annual Career Fair

will take place on Thursday, March 9, from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm in the Main Hall at City Centre. Representatives from technical industries, hospitality and tourism, health care and other businesses will be attending. *Instructors:* Prepare your students for potential job opportunities. Inform them of the fair and encourage them to look their best and have resumes ready. For more information call Veronika Metchie at 871-7173.

Financial Aid Information:

Spring Bursary applications will be available from February 1 to February 28. You can pick up an application from the Financial Aid Office, Room 4029 or Counselling Dept., Room 3002. Summer Term ABESAP applications will be available starting March 1 for classes starting April or May 95. Pick up your application from the Financial Aid Office, Room 4029 or Counselling Dept. Room 3002. All spring work study positions are now filled and we will not be accepting any more applications.

New at CC Library

Videos

- Bon voyage, but ...
- Communicating effectively
- Effective listening
- Effective telephone selling techniques made easy
- Mexico
- Precentorship: a model based on trust
- Setting goals
- Thinking creatively
- World of gestures: culture and nonverbal communication

Materials

- Additive Alert!
- Authoritative Canadian Guide to Understanding Retirement Options
- Business English for the '90s
- Complete Guide to ACCPAC Plus 6.0/6.1
- Death and Dignity
- Fundamentals of Computer Numerical Control
- Historical Survey of Vocational Education in Canada
- How to Open Your Own Restaurant
- How to Communicate Technical Information

- How to Test Almost Everything Electronic
- In the Rapids: Navigating the Future of First Nations
- Living with Dying—Dying at Home
- Medical Matters: a Handbook for Medical Secretaries
- Multinationals in North America
- New Communications Technologies
- Office Equipment Advisor

Recent Appointment

I am pleased to announce the appointment of Dana Merrit as VCC's new Director of Financial Services, effective January 30, 1995. Dana has over six years' experience in public accounting and previously worked for Deloitte & Touche as the Manager of their Audit Group. Her educational background includes a certification as a Chartered Accountant from the Institute of Chartered Accountants of British Columbia as well as a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of British Columbia. Dana's office will be located in the 5th Floor Accounting Department at King Edward Campus and she can be reached at local 7164. If you are in the vicinity of the Accounting Department, please drop by and introduce yourself and welcome her to the VCC team.

Mary Hoekstra
Vice President, Finance and Administration

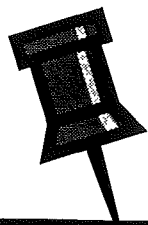
Parking at Langara College?

Please be advised that visitor/guest permit parking is located in the Student Parking Lot, off Ontario Street. These parking stalls require a permit on your dashboard. You can obtain one at the Reception Desk in the General Office (located on the 2nd Floor, Room 247).

Please do not park in any parking stall marked "Reserved", as you will be towed.



classifieds



Don't Forget

The deadline for submissions to Connections is Friday at 3:00 pm. Please supply your article on a disk in a word-processed format. Thanks.

FOR SALE

High Quality picture frames, with glass, \$20.00 each:

- 20 x 24" silver matte finish (2)
- 20 x 29" silver matte finish
- 19 x 29" black matte finish
- 26 x 34" black matte finish
- 14 x 35" Teak framed mirror

Call Lauch at 7315.

Boy's CCM Powerline hockey pants, size medium \$15; CCM Hockey skates, size 5, excellent condition \$30; Bauer in-line skates, size 7, good condition \$20; Don Cherry's Rock'em Sock'em Hockey III video, \$8; The Turtles video, \$8; IKEA yellow plas-tic storage box on wheels, \$9; IKEA red plastic folding chair,

\$8; IKEA wood wine rack, holds 30 bottles, \$15 Tel. 7361

Piano: Lesage (Canadian) brand; medium apartment-sized upright; 15 years old. In great condition; beautiful, warm tone; rich wood finish; includes bench. Asking \$2,100 OBO. Call Dale at 7152 or 251-4677

1987 Pontiac Sunbird Convertible. Excellent condition, very well maintained. \$7,500. Phone 929-5230 for details.

ETC.

It's that time of the year again! If you have any spare inter-office envelopes, please return them to the campus mailroom.

ACCOMMODATION

HOUSE FOR RENT

Roommate wanted for February 01, 1995 in an easy-going, tasteful and comfortable home. Responsible female roommate wanted to share a newer, 1,300 sq. ft furnished home. All utilities and cable included in rent. Some features are: Security system, washer/dryer, dishwasher, microwave, heated tiles in kitchen and bathroom. Living room with sliding door to patio and backyard/garden, with no back alley, dual fire place You will have a large bathroom and a large furnished bedroom (or bring your own furnishings) with 2 big closets and a sliding door to the balcony facing the garden. You'll also have a storage closet. The house is located on Euclid and Rupert, 3 blocks from the Joyce Sky Train Station (8 minutes to downtown). Available February 01, 1995. No children please. Rent is \$500.00 per month. Please call Ingrid at 430-9093 (answering machine).

OR

2 responsible female friends wanted to share large bedroom in the above-mentioned house - same conditions. Rent is \$300.00 each per month. Please call Ingrid at 430-9093.

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