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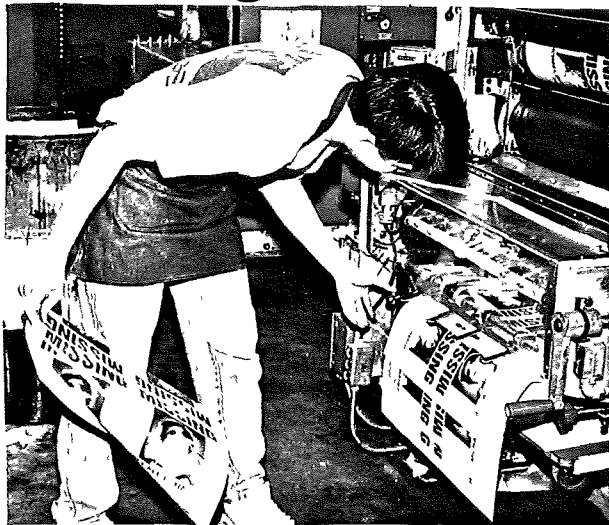


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Printing Production Helps Find Michael



Student George Mah pulls a poster off the press.

What began on Wednesday, May 1, 1991 with a simple phone call to Doug Gordon has culminated in five short working days with the production of over 1.5 million posters of Michael Dunahee. Four and a half year old Michael disappeared six weeks ago from a Victoria playground. Doug Gordon and his team of instructors, staff, students and generous suppliers have managed to achieve the amazing! As of Wednesday, May 8, the department had 1.5 million posters ready to go, lacking only the boxes to pack them in. (See page 2)

That phone call came from Sharon LeClair who along with June Eplet, has been operating the Michael Dunahee Search Centre out of her home. "We brought it to the production control department, and the decision to go with it was immediate," says Doug. "It is a student project and we are a community college. It is our job to help the community."

Doug went to the industry for paper stock, plates, film and ink. Paper was donated by Island Paper

Mills, Mitchell Press, Hemlock Printers and Benwell-Atkins. Reger & Company and Canadian Fine Colour contributed ink, and Running Graphics pitched in with film and printing plates. The actual production of the poster is being done by the Printing Production students.

For them, this job is more than just great training. "It's been a student project from the word 'go'", says Doug. "They've been coming in early and finishing up late. They're getting tired, but they've been just great!" This past weekend, one of Doug's Printing Production students also organized a group of Vancouver high school students to distribute the poster at the Douglas and Peace Arch border crossings.

The 8.5" by 11" poster, in two versions, shows a picture of Michael, his description and information on his last sighting. LeClair hopes the poster leads to a breakthrough. "People may say 'I've seen it before'," she says, "but maybe the person next to you hasn't. It just takes one person. It (the search effort) just keeps getting bigger. There's a very clear message...being made here by Canadians, by British Columbians. We are tired of this, and we're going to stop it. We're through with having our children abducted and taken away. We won't stand for it any more! This is not going to stop until Michael is safe at home with his parents."

The marvellous effort of Doug Gordon, the instructors, staff and students of the Printing Production Department have done their very best to help make Michael's safe return a reality.

David Wiebe

MISSING



MICHAEL DUNAHEE

Last seen March 24th, 1991
at Blanshard School Playground
Victoria, British Columbia, Canada

Michael has blonde hair, blue eyes, is four and a half years old, three feet tall, and weighs 35 pounds. He was last seen wearing a blue hooded jacket with red lining and red cuffs, T-shirt with four Mutant Ninja Turtles on the front, multi-coloured rugby pants and Mutant Ninja Turtle underpants.

Anyone with information please contact:

Victoria Police Department

(604) 384-4111

or

Crimestoppers

(604) 386-8477

people news

Blessed Event for City Centre Staff!!

April 28, 1991

David Miller of the Counselling Department, became Dad to Tara Christina Barreca Miller, a healthy 8 lbs. 3 oz. girl. Congratulations, David!



Enterprising Developments!

May 2, 1991

Brian Pinkerton of the Printing Production was blessed with 30lbs of new baby llama. Brian's Mt. Lehman Llama Farm was increased by one with the successful delivery of Llamethyst, a female baby llama. The first grand offspring of one of Brian's original babies both baby and mother are doing well. A soft white with a few brown spots, Llamethyst is out of mama Ginger and father Ricardo! Congratulations, Brian!



Age & Treachery Will Overcome

Youth & Skill - Happy Birthday!

Happy Birthday to the following City Centre employees celebrating a birthday in the next couple of weeks! Wishes for many, many more!

Mira Dragutinovich	Cafeteria	May 14
Mark Fearn	Cafeteria	May 14
Ruth Mak	Cafeteria	May 14
Angelo Iapalucci	Bldg. Sr.	May 17

Naked Runners To Wash Cars For Uniforms

VCC's Labatt's 24-hr Relay Team needs your support! The College has kindly paid our entrance fee to the Relay but they have no uniforms. To raise funds

they will be slogging over dirty cars on Monday, May 13 in the Receiving/Loading Dock area. Cost? By donation! So bring in those dirty cars and support the team! The "Strip and Run Naked Club" already exists.

Ah, Retirement!



Don't forget that Ann Dahl's retirement swan song dinner will be held Thursday, May 16, 1991 at 5:00 p.m. in the Banquet Dining Room (next to the Bake Shop). Chinese Buffet \$15.00 per person includes dinner & gift. R.S.V.P. Roseanne, today may be too late but call any way, local 232.

Fond Farewells

Wednesday, May 15, 1991 marks the change over from Metropol Security to Burns security for the campus. None of the security personnel from Metropol will be staying on. Wednesday is their last day, in particular Mike Foort who has served VCC-City Centre for the last 15 years. Mike has done more than just provide security! He has been the champion canvasser for every worthwhile project the campus has been involved in from the Poppy Fund to the United Way. He will be sorely missed. Please join us in thanking him at a coffee party, at 3:00 p.m. Room 220 on Wednesday, May 15. Bye Mike, it won't be the same without you!



"I Need a Vacation " Department

Lucky people going:

Wynn Keenan Camping in Calif May 13-May 31

Coming Back From:

Syd Hartley	Sri Lanka	May 15
Linda Martin	Palm Springs	May 13





campus round-up

Administration

Administration Revolving Offices

You can't tell the players without a score card and it makes it doubly difficult if they keep switching offices on you! Recent changes in the Administrative offices are as follows in alpha order (pay attention there will be a quiz):

Lawrence Fast:For the interim will be trying to maintain a Tues/Thurs schedule at City Centre Campus and Mon/Wed at KEC with Fridays open. His office is Marvin Lamoureux's old office and you can reach him at local 240.

Patricia Groves:As of May 21 will be in Jackie Sandy's old office and when on campus can be reached at local 242. She is planning to be on campus two days a week but the actual schedule has yet to be announced.

David Kolot:Has moved into John Vandenakker's old office and can now be reached at local 238.

Suzanne Paterson:Is now located outside of John Vandenakker's office at local 237.

Brian Robson:Is now located outside of David's office and can be reached at local 239.

Jackie Sandy:After May 21 will be in Stephanie Forsyth's old office and can local 243.

Margaret Sutherland: Will move into the desk in front of Steph's old office. You can reach her at local 244 after May 21.

John Vandenakker:Is now in what was David's office or for those of you who have been here long enough, Hans Rerup's old office and can be reached at local 236.

Clear as mud? Confused? Try answering the phone!

Awards Ceremony

Correction and reminder! Oops! The date for the City Centre Awards Ceremony was erroneously printed as May 19. Wrong! Wrong! Wrong! The awards ceremony will be on **MAY 17, FRIDAY** at 1:00 p.m. in Room 240. Sam Di Giando would like to invite all faculty and staff to attend.



Recycling (Or Our Bins OverFlow!)

We have not given up on paper recycling. A number of obstacles have prevented up from resuming our paper recycling as soon as we had hoped. We began with our new contractor at Langara and discovered a number of problems regarding the kind of containers needed and the mix of paper collected. Most of these problems have been resolved and we are ordering containers to be used at City Centre and King Edward Campus. These may not be available for about six weeks. As soon as we are ready to begin the recycling we will let you know. Thank you for your patience.

Lawrence Fast

Signage

Yes, the City Centre signs are coming! The contract was signed on May 1, 1991 and the first signs will be up before May 31, 1991.

Lawrence Fast

Parched Throat Blues

Final, final notice! All you Canadian Springs Water Guzzlers who belong to the water program on the second floor better pay up pronto or its going to be drier than the Osoyoos Flats at sundown! Final call for payment on your water bill, you know who you are! Rosanne Ashworth has been politely dunning you but no money has been forthcoming. If it is not on her desk by Wednesday, May 15, the water supply will cease to exist! Move it or lose it!

Holes in Your Soles?

It been just long enough for all the wonderful repair work provided by the now defunct Shoe Repair department to wear out! Looking for a replacement that is just efficient and conveniently located? Try Leslie's Shoe Repair Clinic located at 420 Abbott Street between Pender and Hastings toward Woodward's. Pat Smith informs us that the owner is a VCC alumni and comes highly recommended by Paul Andrews! His business card boasts expert workmanship and fast service. "Speedy While U Wait"

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Printing Production

This is an urgent request from Nancy Rose, Technical Assistant in the Printing Production Department for as many boxes as you can get your hands on. If you have boxes of any kind (the copy paper boxes are great!) would you let Nancy know by calling local 360 and she will have someone pick them up right away.

Library

New summer hours for the library:

From May 21 to September 3, 1991 inclusive, the library will be open for the following hours:

Monday & Wednesday: 7:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Tuesday & Thursday: 7:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.

Friday: 7:30 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.



New Journals:

Bottom Line
Business Quarterly
Details
Educational Leadership
Equinox Canada
Fine Homebuilding
Harrowsmith
Mainstream
Probe Post
Scientific American

Videotapes:

Humor, Risk and Change
A House Divided:
Focus on Adult Learners
Universal Precautions
Customer Care: Classic Moments

Films:

Can We Please Have That the Right Way Around?
Telephone Behaviour, the Power and the Perils

Audio Cassettes:

Living Through Grief: Normal Reactions to Losses in Life

The Job Interview
Help Yourself: a Treatment for Migraine Headaches

New Books:

5 Weeks to Winning Bridge
35 Plus Good Health Guide for Women
109 Walks in British Columbia's Lower Mainland
20/20 Is Not Enough
Amnesty International: 1990 Report
Animal Rights Controversy
Animator's Workbook
Art of Living Single
Asleep in the Fast Lane: The Impact of Sleep on Work
Bed & Breakfast Homes Directory
Beyond the Golden Mountain: Chinese Cultural Traditions in Canada
Big Picture: What Canadians Think About Almost Everything
Bloodsong & Other Stories of South Africa
British Columbia Adventures: The Driver's Guide

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The VCC Alumni Association Needs You!

The VCC Alumni Association is searching for College faculty and staff to lend their experience and knowledge as members of our Board of Directors for the 1991-92 year.

The Board oversees the activities of the Association, taking an active role in decision making through monthly meetings. They receive support from the Association's two staff members. If you have been a student within the College or Continuing Education Division, consider giving a few hours each month to this worthy cause. For further details please call Barbara Alldritt, Executive Director, at 875-1131.

Educational Foundation

CORPORATIONS AND OUR COMMUNITY

Do you believe that corporations have an obligation to the community in which they conduct their business? Many Canadians do feel this way, and also try to be aware of which companies make contributions. A recent Decima Study highlighted some interesting trends concerning the public's view of the role of Canadian corporations in the community. The Decima Study found that 80% of Canadians believe corporations have a responsibility to provide financial support to charitable organizations.

Many Canadians (50%) have increased their discretionary shopping habits. In fact, 58% say they distinguish between companies they consider to be better corporate citizens and other less responsible companies, and that this impression influences their buying decisions.

What significance does the information provided by the 1989 Decima Research Study have for non-profit organizations like the VCC Educational Foundation? A consumer-sensitive corporation will heed the information gathered by studies indicative of Canadian attitudes (such as the Decima Study), and ensure that they are good citizens.



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The VCC Educational Foundation has noted an important increase in corporate support, both financial and non-financial, with several recent fundraising opportunities being initiated and organized by members of the business community. The staff and volunteers of the Foundation believe this support for VCC will continue to develop as corporations see the importance of becoming more active in the community.

Grinding your Gears?

Is there a nasty sound when you put your foot on the brake or shift gears? Rather than ignore the early warning signs of costly auto repair, the more-you-delay, the more-you-pay school of thought, call Robert at the King Edward Automotive Technician Department. The Automotive Technician Department is now taking requests for repair work on, clutches, transmission and brakes. You can contact him at 875-8202 for requests for repairs.

Student Success at VCC

Interested in supporting student success courses at VCC? You're invited (by Joyce Jarrett, Department Head, Science) to attend a meeting on Wednesday, May 22, 1991 at 3:30 p.m. in Room 2145 at the King Edward Campus. For more info call Joyce at Local 574.

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Career Opportunities

The following positions are open for applications, please contact the Employee Relations Department for more information:

City Centre

Audiovisual Technician III
Instructional Media Services
Closing Date: May 21, 1991

King Edward

Department Head (Science,)
Adult Basic Education
Closing Date: May 10, 1991

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Department Head (Music)
Closing Date: May 10, 1991

Audiovisual Technician III
Instructional Media Services
Temporary to July 31, 1991
Closing Date: May 21, 1991

Langara
Admissions Advisor
Student Services
Closing Date: May 16, 1991
Financial Aid Clerk
Financial Aid Department

Community College Exchange Program

Rapidly approaching "burn-out"? Same old routine getting you down? You know what they say, "A change is as good as a rest"! The Community College Exchange Program offers you the challenge of a new environment with the security of your current position. Now available at colleges, universities, education associations and federal agencies throughout the Canada, the United States and its territories.

The Community College Exchange Program (CCEP) provides staff, faculty and administrators with the opportunity of working at one of over 300 colleges in Canada and the United States while remaining on the payroll of their home institution.

Interested? Don't delay! Pick up a Preliminary Interest Form from the office of the editor the editor (Stephanie Jewell). Complete and return by May 15 to Dale D. Jones, Coordinator - Employee Relations, the CCEP Coordinator, who will in turn forward it to the CCEP Central Office.

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Deadline: May 21

Issue: May 27

INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

The following opportunities are open for applications, please contact International Education at 875-1131, local 356 for more information regarding these overseas assignments:

Marine Science Education Project in Indonesia
Twenty positions are available in Indonesia through the Marine Science Education Project (a World Bank funded development project).
International Education