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CENTRICITY IS BACK ON THE ROAD!

Let me introduce you to our new edition of CentriCity, produced with the assistance of our support staff on the second floor.



We are trying to make CentriCity an informal means of communication for the Campus which will be available twice a month. Therefore, we will be waiting for your news, articles, recipes, etc.

We would like to take this opportunity to express our gratitude to Steph Jewell for all the time and effort she put into producing our newsletter in the past.

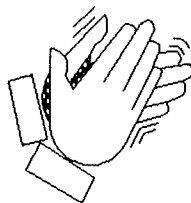
Deadline for next issue: October 23rd.

Thank you.

Karen Kelly

NEW FACE!

Please extend a warm welcome to **Jackie Ehlert**, Director of Food Services Support. Jackie comes from St. Paul's Hospital and previously



she worked for Mt. Sinai Hospital in Toronto. She said she was drawn to BC because of an enthusiasm for skiing and a passion for sailing. Welcome aboard, Jackie!

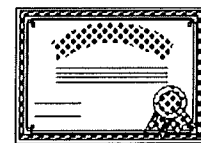
A NEW BABY

Congratulations to Justina Wong from the Drafting Department on the arrival of her new baby girl. Deanna was born Sunday, October 4, 1992 and weighed 6 lbs. 12 oz.



CANADA SAVINGS BONDS

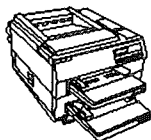
If you wish to purchase Canada Savings Bonds, the final day for submission is **Thursday, October 15**. Applications are available at the Switchboard. Please submit completed applications as soon as possible directly to Tosh Ikesaka, Payroll. ***Late submissions will not be accepted.***



Karen Kelly

FAX NUMBER CHANGE

The fax number of the machine located at the Switchboard, 2nd Floor Administration Office, is being changed from 682-3342 to **443-8588**. The Student Services fax machine number has already been changed but it is **443-8444**.



There is a change in the operation of these machines as these numbers are a part of our College locals. The instructions are as follows:

- to call outside the College you **MUST DIAL 9**.
- to call within the College system you need dial only the local i.e. 8588 or 8444.

There will be a period of about three months where both the old and new numbers will work, but if you are having business cards made up or anything of that nature, please ensure that you use the new fax numbers.

Karen Kelly

WORD PROCESSING CENTRE

First come, first served. Two units of Wang 8" diskette storage cases are available to be given away. Please contact Nga-Moi or Pam (local 8325 or 8326).



UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN

Preparations are on the way for the kickoff of our 1993 United Way Campaign. Envelopes for donations have already been distributed around the campus. Condry has contributed once more to treat all of us to a gourmet luncheon to be held **Thursday, October 15th from 11:00am-1:30pm**. Tickets are only \$4.00. You can buy them in advance from the cafeteria, student records, continuing education and the bookstore.



David Kolot is in charge of the Early Bird Draw and the Pancake Breakfast which will be held **Thursday, October 22 from 7:00am to 10:00am**. The cost of the breakfast is only \$2. Everyone is encouraged to attend and participate!

TAPED BOOKS

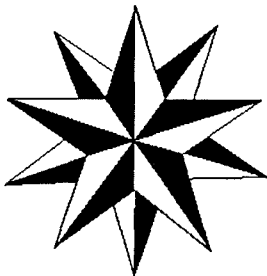
Several organizations produce taped books for students with disabilities, including *'Recording for the Blind'* in the USA and the *'Crane Library'* at UBC. Requests are filtered through an organization called the "College and Institute Library Services Clearing House" which has an office at the Langara Campus of VCC. In order to be eligible for taped books, a student must either be visually impaired or have a learning disability. Students with a learning disability are required to provide proof that an assessment has been done and a specific learning



disability diagnosed. The procedure for accessing taped books at City Centre follows:

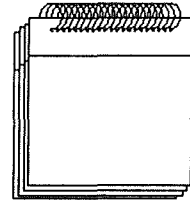
1. Students need to contact Services for Students with Disabilities in the Counselling Department as far in advance of their start date as possible. Copyright permission is not always readily available and can take up to 6 months to obtain. Production of tapes cannot proceed without written permission from the publisher.
2. The student will be given an application for service to complete. Verification of disability must be included.
3. Services for Students with Disabilities will then liaise with the Department Head to determine what texts will be required. An order will then be initiated with Langara.
4. If the relevant text is already on tape, it will take approximately 3-4 weeks to process. If the text is not available, the wait can be significant.

For further information, please contact Dolores Callaghan at local 8440.



A.S.E. CONFERENCE

For those of you particularly interested in support services and programs for students with disabilities in community college settings, the Adult Special Education (ASE) Network of B.C. will be hosting its annual conference on **February 27 and 28, 1993**. The venue will again be the Four Seasons Hotel in Vancouver.



This year's conference is titled ***FOCUS ON CHANGE*** and will reflect the rapid, often overwhelming change that surrounds us on a day to day basis. The conference sessions will again be divided between formal workshop presentations where one might learn a specific skill and interactive sessions that are designed to be issue oriented brainstorming sessions.

The conference will also feature the AGM for the ASE network of B.C.

As in years past, the Conference Organizing Committee is already hard at work. If you have any ideas for workshops, speakers, etc. and you want to get involved, don't hesitate to call or fax me. The conference schedule of workshops and speakers should be finalized by the end of **October, 1992**.
Phone 443-8449. Fax 443-8444.

**Wayne Avery
Conference Chair**

DENTAL HYGIENE DEPARTMENT

The second year dental hygiene students will be displaying their 'table clinics' once again this Fall. The date, time and place is as follows:



**Thursday, November 12, 1992
12:00 - 3:00 p.m.
2nd Floor, Main Mall Foyer**

These 'table clinics' are open to the students and public for viewing and information. Thank you for your assistance and cooperation with this event.

Lorna Brown

NEW JOURNALS FROM THE LIBRARY

ABCs of the Human Body
Best Jobs in America for Parents
Biography of the Unborn [motion picture]
Business Protocol
Canadian Human Resource Management
College Reading & Study Strategy Programs
Communication Feedback [motion picture]
Complete Book of Essential Oils & Aromatherapy
Coping with Difficult People
DC/AC Fundamentals (2nd ed/1992)
Diets that Work
Disney's Art of Animation
Feng Shui for Business
Heart: Attack [motion picture]
Introduction to Lotus 1-2-3 [videorecording]
Juggling
Just Resumes
Killing Us Softly. Advertising's Image of Women [motion picture]
Magazine Article. How to ..
Measuring, Managing and Maximizing Performance
Not a Love Story [motion picture]
Power of Self-Esteem [audiocassettes]
Relaxation Exercises [audiocassettes]
Right to Die [motion picture]
Ron Fry's How to Study Program: Write Papers
Style is Not a Size
Virtual Reality
Your Best is Good Enough

Andrew

MEAT SALE!

Holidays are coming, hurry, order now and stock up! Take advantage of our excellent quality and affordable meat prices:

Beef: Sides \$1.59 lb. - Hinds \$1.89 lb.
Pork: Sides \$1.39 lb.
Lamb: Whole \$2.29 lb.

*Cut, wrapped & frozen!
To order call 443-8351.*

COUCHES FOR STUDENT LOUNGE

Greetings everyone!

The Student Association Lounge is in desperate need of some couches for students to sit on. Is there anyone looking to get rid of an old couch and does not know who to give it to? We sure would appreciate it if you could spread the word that we are looking for donated couches. Please call me if you have a couch, or know of someone who has one. Thank you in advance for your time.

Abby Rose, Student Association

RECIPE OF THE DAY

For those who enjoyed the peanut butter oatmeal cookies at the dental department coffee party, here it is by popular demand!!



1½ cups	(350 ml)	peanut butter (crunchy or smooth)
½ cup	(125 ml)	butter or margarine, softened
¾ cup	(175 ml)	sugar
⅔ cup	(150 ml)	packed brown sugar
2	(2)	eggs
1½ tsp	(7 ml)	vanilla
1 cup	(225 ml)	rolled oats
1 cup	(250 ml)	all purpose flour
½ tsp	(2 ml)	baking soda
1 cup	(250 ml)	raisins (optional)

- In mixing bowl, cream peanut butter and butter. Gradually beat in sugars. Blend in eggs and vanilla.
- Combine oats, flour and baking soda. Lightly blend into creamed mixture (add raisins, if desired).
- Drop by tablespoonful onto greased cookie sheet. Bake at 350 F (180 C) for 10 to 12 minutes. Cool on baking sheet 5 minutes, transfer to rack and cool.
- Makes about 4 dozen cookies.

Eat and enjoy!!!
Sandi

**STUDIO 58**

Studio 58 is extremely proud to begin its 27th season with the **Canadian Premiere of MAD FOREST**, by world-renowned British playwright Caryl Churchill, on stage from October 1 to October 18.

MAD FOREST will prove to be one of the most provocative and memorable shows of the season.

Shows continuing until October 18.

Performances: Tues - Sat at 8:00pm
Sundays at 3pm & 8pm

Admission: \$7.00 Tue-Wed-Thurs
\$6.50 students & seniors
\$9.00 Friday & Saturday

2 for 1: \$4.50 per person-Sundays

Group Rates: For a party of 10 or more
Contact Studio 58

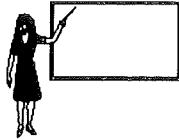
Studio 58 is located in the basement of the Main Building on the Langara Campus of Vancouver Community College, 100 West 49th Avenue.

Helen Nestor, Studio 58



INSTRUCTIONAL SKILLS WORKSHOP

All people trained as facilitators or people interested in being facilitators are invited to attend an organizational meeting:



**November 10, 1992
3:30pm
KEC - Room 4056**

**For more information, please contact
Joan McArthur-Blair in Program
Development at local 8418.**

- Buy compost for your garden at the Vancouver Park Board's annual Compost Sale, Saturday, October 24th 10-3, VanDusen Gardens at 37th & Oak.
- Attend the "Uncommon Tree Sale and Fest" Sunday, October 25th, 10-3, VanDusen Gardens at 37th & Oak.
- Take note of the trees in your neighbourhood and on your street. Remind yourself of the ways they contribute to the well-being of our City.

**For more information call the Vancouver
Park Board at 681-1141.**

ARBOR WEEK - OCTOBER 19-25 THINK TREES!

Our urban forest - trees in parks and on streets and private property - plays an important role in making our city a livable environment.



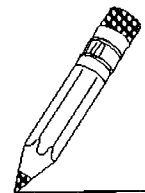
Trees condition our air by absorbing carbon dioxide and pollutants in the air, supply oxygen for us to breathe, act as noise buffers, control erosion, cool the air in summer, provide privacy and generally "take the edge off" the urban landscape.

**Here are some ways you can celebrate
Arbor Week:**

- "Go Green" by carpooling, using transit or walking to work during Arbor Week. Wear a green ribbon to show your participation.

NEADS

The fourth conference of the National Educational Association of Disabled Students (NEADS), entitled "Education: A Key to Independence," will be held in Vancouver from **November 6-9, 1992.**



This conference promises to explore new and exciting themes. Students with disabilities from across Canada will share in a forum which will examine our issues and concerns relating to access to post-secondary education. Other delegates will include employers, disabled student services personnel, educators, academics and government representatives.

We encourage students to register today. The cost is \$75.00 per student and \$125.00 for other conference applicants.

This fee covers access to all conference proceedings as well as participation in the opening reception on Friday, November 6th and the closing banquet on Sunday, November 8th. All workshops and conference events will take place at the Four Seasons Hotel in Vancouver.

Registration forms are available through the NEADS office, 513 Unicentre, Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario, K1S 5B6, tel (613) 233-5963 (voice and TDD).

THAT'S ALL FOR NOW!