KIRGEDHARD TIMES

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1) KING EDWARD TIMES

I will be on leave until October 24th. In the meantime, Dave Greenall will occupy my chair, and I would suggest that you see him if you have problems with which I would normally deal.

J.D.B.

2) Thorne Husband will be acting Department Head for Dave Greenall in the Counselling Department during Mr. Brown's absence.

M.G.

3) CONGRATS!

Barbara Bowen is the proud new mother of a brand-new baby girl. Little Anna was born September 30th.

M.G.

4) INTER-CAMPUS CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION SEMINAR

A printing problem resulted in our not getting brochures for the above Seminar until the afternoon of Tuesday, September 30th. This date was given on the brochure as the deadline for registration.

If you have not registered and are still interested please feel free to attend the Friday session, if you are not scheduled to teach at that time. With four of our faculty directly involved in the Saturday panel presentations it would appear that the Saturday sessions will be of greater concern to us. (Sorry Allen for leaving your name out of last weeks pre-amble.)

R.F.C.

5) NO SMOKING IN CLASSROOMS

Ever since our present campus came into being "to smoke or not to smoke in classrooms" has been an "issue". Thus in spite of the fact that, from time to time, notices from the Principal have been promulgated stating that smoking is a "No-No". In other words smoking in classrooms has never been sanctioned.



King Edward Campus

5) cont'd.

The complaints that we get are more bitter than numerous. Some students and instructors are allergic to smoke and they are most uncomfortable when they have to enter a class where someone is now smoking or has been smoking. Others just hate the smell, taste and feel of smoke. Because of scheduling the students and instructors have no alternative places to go: the smokers have.

Don't be frightened to let your students know that those who smoke are offending and that which they practice is offensive to many, even though you may think that smoking is the greatest pleasure on earth!

If your students feel that they must smoke, give them permission to leave the classroom, even though they may lose the benefits from material which may never again be repeated.

R.F.C.

6) HEAD TEACHER: COMMUNITY EDUCATION SERVICES

Your attention is brought to a posting for a temporary position for part-time head-teacher, Community Education Services.

The position is for a person to arrange and schedule classes offered to supplement our regular English Language Classes in areas of reading, spelling, writing, pronunciation, etc.

This position would be of particular interest to one of your colleagues who was laid off or who was put on a reduced load because of budget constraints. If you know someone interested in such a position ask him/her to contact Mr. A. Glenesk at the Regional Office immediately.

Instructors interested in teaching in these areas are also required.

R.F.C.

7) PLANNING FOR THE NEW CAMPUS

Many instructors think that we have cried "Wolf!" so often that to plan for a new campus would be a meaningless exercise.

May I assure you that this is not the case. Ron Howard the architect is already "Clocking" out areas in the plans for the new campus, but unfortunately he has had to do this without help from faculty or students. Mr. Monasch received only one response in writing to his last plea for help.

Do you really wish to have your new campus designed without faculty input?

7) cont'd.

What have been your main complaints about our present temporary quarters. What do you think is (a) essential

(b) desirable in our new plant.

Don't just complain to your colleagues, bring your constructive criticisms to our principal.

Your areas of concern could be in the areas of:

- (a) class sizes, flooring, lighting, furnishing
- (b) food services
- (c) washroom facilities
- (d) assembly room, multi-purpose room, gymnasium facilities, showers
- (e) Resource Center
- (f) Faculty lounge(s) and furnishing
- (g) Student recreation areas
- (h) Rooms for ???
- (i) etc., etc.

Discuss these problems with your students. (Marvellous topic for E.L.T. students.)

Now sharpen your pencils and give Mr. Monasch your deliberations.

In anticipation the administration thanks you for your co-operation.

R.F.C.

8) Please be advised that, as of this date, all instructor or staff requests for layout or paste-up services - indeed, any request for service which implies additional costs beyond those assessed by Audiovisual Services - must be monitored by the Office Manager, the Assistant Office Manager or the Dean of Administration and Student Services before work is undertaken.

This procedure is being instituted in an attempt to permit the K.E.C. administration to more effectively control printing, duplicating and other such costs.

Your co-operation will be appreciated.

J.D.B.

9) LIMERICK OF THE WEEK

Rosemary Meyer

A remarkable person is Rosemary Meyer.

A department head whom we truly admire.

Through budget cuts and other straits dire

She fights for her teachers with blood and fire.

To be so supportive might we all aspire?

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