KIRG CABARA THACS

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1) EDUCATIONAL GRANTS FOR CANADIAN COLLEGES: A SURVEY OF SOURCES

Norm Barton, Langara Campus Division Chairman of Mathematics and Sciences, has prepared the survey noted above. I have asked him to provide copies for KEC instructors (if available) and this he has agreed to do. In the meantime, a copy has been placed in our library.

H.E.P.

2) I.D. 104: STUDENT EVALUATION

Plans are underway to offer course I.D. 104 on-site at Vancouver Vocational Institute

on six consecutive Saturdays

starting May 13 ending June 17

Fee \$73

Pre-requisite I.D. 102 or its equivalent.
Applications for registration are available in my office.

I.D. 101: ORIENTATION TO COLLEGE INSTRUCTION

I will be instructing this course again in the Fall at Vancouver Vocational Institute on Saturday mornings commencing September 9 or 16. More information will be available nearer to the date of the first class.

R.F.C.



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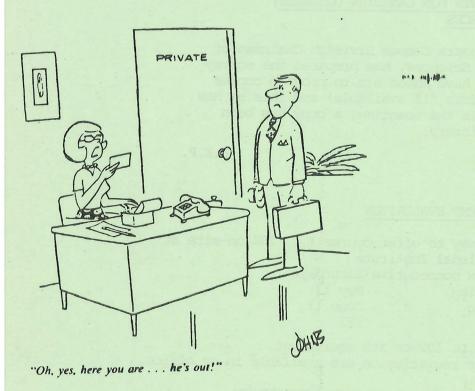
3) SECRETARIES' WEEK

I would like to pay tribute to the long-suffering secretaries and secretarial staff at King Edward Campus, especially my own, Mary Griffith.

Not only this week, but week after week, month after month and year after year they carry out services way beyond those carved in stone in job descriptions, to enable us to serve our constituents in the best ways possible.

Again, "Thank you, ladies, thank you."

R.F.C.



4) K.E.T. CONTEST WINNER

Honors go to Colin Casey - and here are the winning words: "There's A Parking Space!"

What could be more appropriate?????

Honorable mention goes to Ruth Moxey for: "Everybody Wants to Learn English!"

It was a hard decision to make as there were several clever entries. Colin, you may pick up your "prize" at the editor's desk.

5) LOWER MAINLAND PROGRAM RATIONALIZATION COMMITTEE

U.B.C. Professor Brahm Wiesman is chairing phase 2 of the Ministry's "program rationalization for the Lower Mainland." He zeroed in on the task by appointing several program/discipline oriented sub-committees. We (KEC) provided input to two of these sub-committees: adult basic education and music. Copies of these submissions have been placed in our library for the information of those interested.

Prof. Wiesman's report on phase 2 should be ready by late May.

H.E.P.

6) DISTANCE EDUCATION

A copy of the "Report of the Distance Education Planning Groups...(for)... British Columbia" is available in K.E.C.'s library.

H.E.P.

7) POSTAL CODES

A letter recently received from Canada Post states that mail received from this Campus was rejected from the automated processing system because it did not contain the Postal Code.

Please take the time to look up the proper code and include it on all letters and packages. Without it the mail is slowed and takes many more days for delivery.

D.M.

8) REQUESTS FOR LEAVE FROM DUTY

The majority of faculty who leave the City of Vancouver on College-related business - in order to attend workshops, seminars, conferences, articulation meetings and the like - do so after having submitted the Request for Leave from Duty form prior to the time of their absence from duty. A few members of faculty, however, submit their requests after, rather than before the fact. "After the fact" approvals are really not valid. "Before the fact" approvals (preferably 10 days before the anticipated absence) will be much appreciated. Many thanks.

9) VACATIONS

The beginning of May is usually the start of the summer exodus.

For those of you going on holiday soon, "Thank you" for your efforts on behalf of your students and of the college.

I would like to wish each one of you individual bon voyage and a safe return whenever you leave. We will miss you, happy in the thought that you will be returning to us.

If, however, your choice is for other ventures, we wish you well.

King Edward Campus is not a building - it is the sum total of all our efforts. We are all the richer for the privilege of working with you.

R.F.C.

10) FACULTY/STAFF MEETING: ADVANCE NOTICE

I have asked College Principal A.S. Manera to address faculty and staff on current College developments at a meeting scheduled for Thursday, May 11th at 2:30 p.m. and continuing for about an hour. A reminder will appear in next week's Times.

H.E.P.

11) GRADUATION CEREMONIES

The graduation ceremonies for V.C.C. Diploma Program students is scheduled for Thursday evening, May 25th at 8:00 p.m. in the gymnasium at Langara Campus.

The majority of the diploma recipients were enrolled in programs offered at Langara; but a small number - the Music students - are attached to K.E.C. (although their classes were all scheduled at Langara this year).

Please note the date and attend if you can.

H.E.P.

NEW PHONE BOOKS

Our new phone books have been distributed. If anyone with a telephone has not received a new book, please contact Steve Baker, Receiver at local 54.

12) POSITION OPENINGS

Vancouver Community College invites applications for the following positions:

AT LANGARA:

- 1. A Counsellor
- 2. An Instructor in Business Administration and Journalism
- 3. An Instructor for the Realty Appraisal Program
- 4. An Instructor to teach Commercial and Criminal Law
- 5. An Instructor for the Data Processing Program.

For further details and application deadlines, please see faculty bulletin board.

H.E.P.

Malaspina College at Nanaimo has a vacancy for a Marketing Instructor.

Details posted on faculty bulletin board.

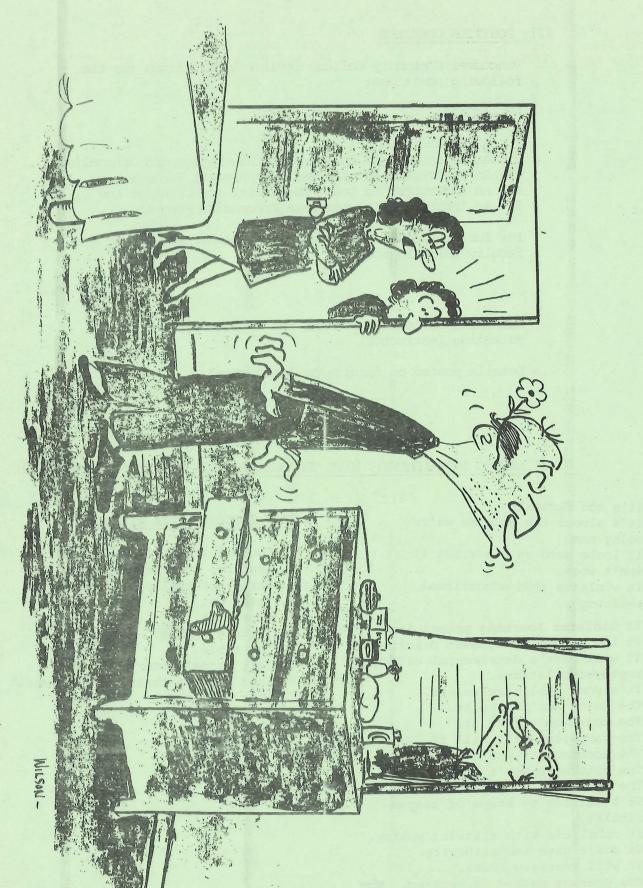
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13) SECOND INSTALLMENT: HAVE TROUBLE KNOCKING DOWN NEW IDEAS???????

- 20. It's too radical.
- 21. It's almost the same as we're doing now.
- 22. It looks good on paper, but it won't work.
- 23. It violates good educational philosophy.
- 24. It violates learning principles.
- 25. It isn't good management practice.
- 26. It will have a detrimental effect on employee relations.
- 27. It's poor public relations.
- 28. The union won't like it.
- 29. The boss won't like it.
- 30. The taxpayers will kill it.
- 31. The accountants won't approve.
- 32. The attorneys won't agree.
- 33. The school board will never buy it.
- 34. It's outside my scope of responsibility.
- 35. It conflicts with district policy.
- 36. We don't have the authority.
- 37. It will increase costs.
- 38. The present method is working. Why rock the boat?
- 39. It's a good idea, but . . .
- 40. There are pros and cons.

BODY LANGUAGE IDEA KILLERS:

- 1. Conceal brow with left hand.
- 2. Continue oblivious marking.
- 3. Throw eye ceilingwards.
- 4. Throw up.
- 5. Deep sigh.
- 6. Twiddle thumbs.
- 7. Tap table.
- 8. Talk to neighbour.
- 9. Lean back on chair, eyes closed.
- 10. Look at clock.
- 11. Squirm.
- 12. Yawn.
- 13. Snore.



IRVING SAYS HE'S PRACTICING TO BE A POLITICIAN !"