

KING EDWARD TIMES

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May 11, 1979

1) V.I.A. GENERAL MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, May 16th
TIME: 1:15 p.m.
PLACE: Holiday Inn, 711 West Broadway

Faculty members who wish to attend, but who have scheduled classes at that time, are asked to make appropriate arrangements for their students.

Please alert your department head of your intention to attend the meeting.

H.E.P.

2) COLLEGE BOARD MEETING

Vancouver Community College Board met in regular session on Wednesday, May 9th.

The public session was relatively brief, although there was considerable supporting documentation, a copy of which - including the minutes of the previous meeting as well as the Principal's Report at Wednesday's meeting - has been placed in the Library for the perusal of those interested.

Of significance to K.E.C. was the name adopted by the Board for our new facility on West 8th Avenue:

Vancouver Community College
King Edward Campus
Mount Pleasant Centre

The name was suggested by a member of faculty here, supported by the deans and division chairmen, discussed with and supported by representatives of the two departments to be housed there - Basic Education and Music - and recommended to the Board by College Principal A.S. Manera.

H.E.P.

3) YOU'LL GO BANANAS OVER THIS ONE!

Over the top of a fence is placed a rope, the same amount on both sides. The rope weighs $\frac{1}{3}$ lb. per foot. On one end of the rope hangs a monkey holding a banana, and on the other end is a weight equal in weight to the weight of the monkey. The banana weighs 2 oz. per inch. The length of the rope (in feet) is equal to the age of the monkey, and the weight of the monkey (in ounces) is as much as the age of the monkey's mother. The combined ages of the monkey and its mother are 30 years. The weight of the banana plus one half of the weight of the monkey is $\frac{1}{4}$ as much as the sum of the weights of the weight and the rope, where all weights are in the same units. The monkey's mother is $\frac{1}{2}$ as old as the monkey will be when it is 3 times as old as its mother was when she was $\frac{1}{2}$ as old as the monkey will be when it is twice as old as it is now. How long is the banana?

"The monkey who ate the banana!"

4) HOLIDAYS

Barbara Richards will be on holiday until the end of May. Please refer any questions to Elaini Gardiner Winspear or David Brown.

B.R.

Dr. Van Rijn, Student Health Services, will be on holiday from May 7th to May 23rd, inclusive. Medical services will be provided by the nursing staff at King Edward Campus. Dr. Hogg at Langara Campus will be available for students and for telephone consultation.

T.R.

5) PRIORITIES

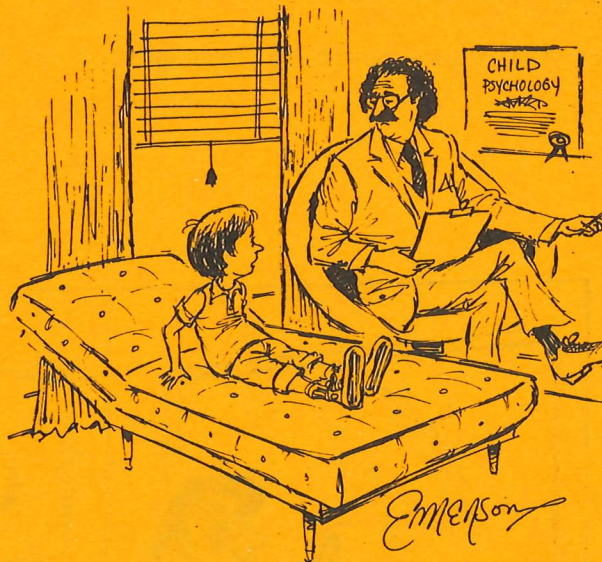
Aren't our priorities in the wrong order when we find it:

1. Much easier..... to criticise one behind his/her back;
2. Harder..... to criticise one to his/her face;
3. Easier..... to praise one behind his/her back;
4. Much harder..... to praise one to his/her face.

Want to stand taller in the eyes of others?

Practice #'s 2 and 4 and omit #'s 1 and 3.

"NOT from Reader's Digest"



"I brush my teeth, pick up my room and make my bed, all without being told. Am I normal?"

6) POSITION OPENINGS

1. V.C.C. King Edward Campus - College Foundations Division:

Division Chairman - Acting Position - one year.

Ron Fussell, the Division Chairman, has applied to enter a graduate program in Educational Administration at the University of Victoria. It may be necessary to fill his position from July 1, 1979 to August 15, 1980 on an acting basis.

2. Betty Cameron is resigning her position as Department Head, Basic Education, prior to taking a year's personal leave.

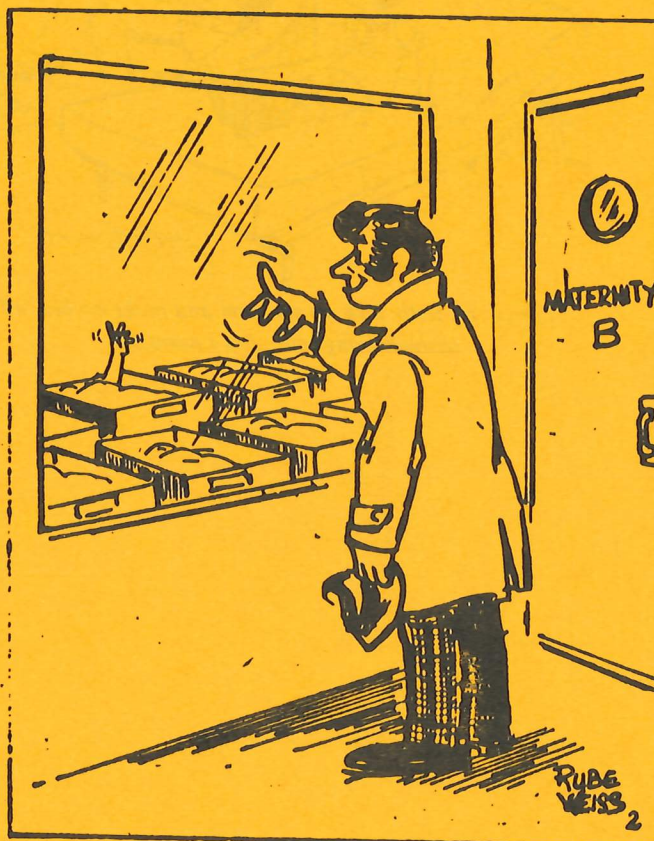
The new Department Head will commence duties on September 1.

3. V.C.C. Langara - requires instructors in the Welfare Aide Program - August 1, 1979.

Closing date for applications is May 17, 1979.

Details of the above positions are posted on faculty bulletin boards.

R.F.C.



7) MOUNT PLEASANT CENTRE

Greta Nelson has offered her services to the Basic Education Department and the Music Department at 225 West 8th (Mt. Pleasant Centre) on Tuesday mornings from 9:30 to 12:30.

Adjustments have been made for coverage at K.E.C. Greta's service will possibly extend to one evening a week in September.

T.H.

8) NOTE TO SUPERVISORS OF "HOURLY TIMEHSEET" EMPLOYEES

We have been informed that some hourly employees are withholding their timesheets and submitting several at once.

For Accounting purposes it is imperative that one time sheet be submitted by noon on the last day of each week worked.

Your cooperation in this matter will be much appreciated.

L.D.M.



Avoiding A CONFRONTATION



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Vocational Instructors' Association
Vancouver Community College

NOTICE of GENERAL MEETING

to be held at

The Holiday Inn
711 W. BROADWAY

* Please note the change of location from
this year's past meetings.

Time 1:15 p.m. to 4:00 p.m

AGENDA TO
FOLLOW.

Wednesday, May 16th.

Please remember to advise your department head of your intention to attend the meeting (if your duty time coincides with our meeting time). The VIA expects all members to attend the business meetings for which the College allows us the time. THIS MEETING HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE CENTRE PRINCIPALS.

Please leave adequate assignments for your classes to carry out during your absence.

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE DUTY TIME AT THE TIME OF THE MEETING WE STILL LOOK FOR YOUR SUPPORT. PLEASE ATTEND..... THANK YOU!