

KING EDWARD TIMES

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1) THE CAMPUS THAT NEVER SLEEPS

Traditionally, Labour Day marks the start of another year - a time to welcome new instructors and to greet returning instructors after well-earned vacations.

However, whether you returned from vacation this week, several months ago, or still have not been away, I would like to welcome, greet or in any other way express my appreciation for past labours and dedication and for the future inspiration and help that you give to those who come to us for skills, learning, hope, the development of self-confidence and growth associated with King Edward Campus.

I would that I could hold out a hand to each one of you at this time - but there are nearly four hundred of you.

One thing is certain - for most of the day the core campus will be bulging at the seams. Our satellites will grow as we help more and more of the "Boat People".

Again, thank you for your past, and, in anticipation, future endeavours.

R.F.C.



"Good afternoon, sir. Care to make a pledge to my welfare fund? Five dollars buys needed clothing. Ten buys a dental checkup. Twenty-five buys several night's lodging. One hundred provides an adult education course."

2) OUR FONDEST FAREWELLS

Today we say "adieu" to two of our very dear instructors, Mary Anderson and Gwen Low, as they begin long well-earned retirements.

This week Rita Katzel, one of our long-standing nurses, left for a new role at the Oakridge School.

To Betty Cameron and Elaini Gardiner Winspear, it is just "au revoir" as each commences a year of person leave in order to explore other areas of endeavour.

Each of you ladies will be missed - thank you for all that you have done for us.

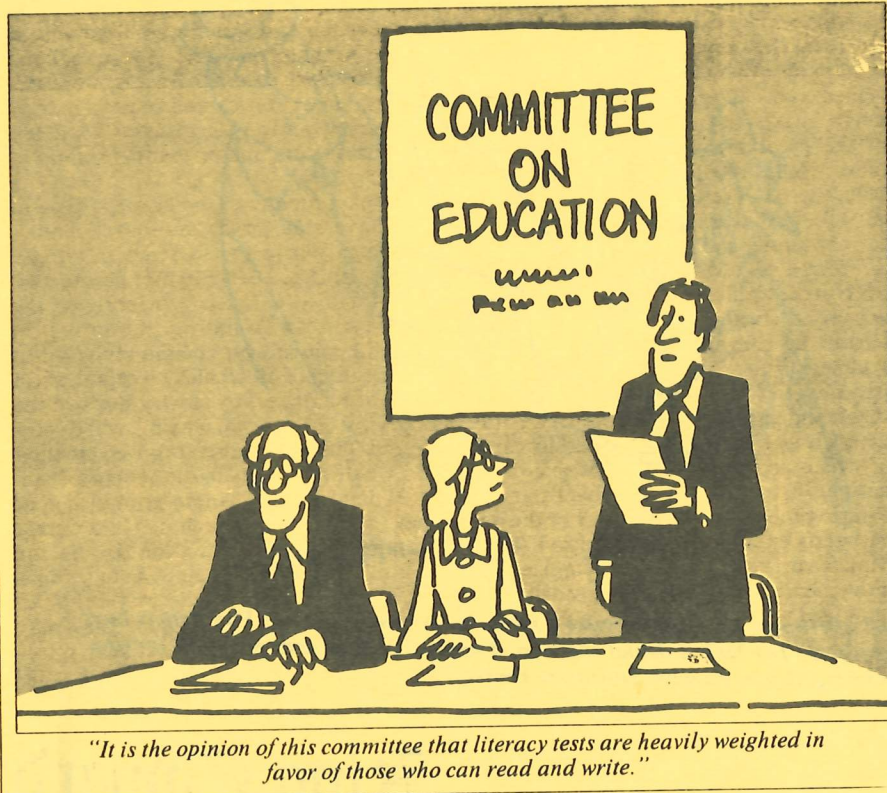
R.F.C.

3) A FIRST FOR K.E.C.!!

We are happy to announce that the first university credit course to be held on campus will begin in September.

U.B.C. is offering a 3-unit senior credit course in Teaching Reading to Adults. Dr. Marion Dank of the Reading Education Department will be giving the course starting September 11th. The course will run until December 18th in Room 186, Tuesday afternoons, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. This course has been specially designed to meet the needs of instructors working in community colleges and can be used towards a graduate degree. Please contact Barbara Bowers, Room 135 or local 78, for the course outline and details of registration.

R.F.C.



4) G.E.D. TESTS

Due to non-arrival of the new G.E.D. tests from Washington, the testing scheduled for September 14-15 has been postponed to September 28-29.

This test period has already been oversubscribed. The next test dates are:

October 12-13
October 26-27
November 16-17

Please tell potential candidates that they must get their completed application forms, available from the Information Centre, at least two weeks before the scheduled test date.

The "Official GED Practice Tests", price \$1.70, and the Teacher's Manual, for use with the official GED practice tests, price \$7.20 are available from the Cashiers' office.

R.F.C.

5) A NEW NURSE FOR K.E.C.

Jennifer Nagel, our new community health nurse, started on Monday, August 27th and worked with Rita Katzel for three days this week. Jennifer will begin work full time starting September 4th.

Please drop by and introduce yourself and welcome Jenny to "our fold".

M.G.

6) NEW MATERIAL IN THE INFORMATION CENTRE

The Information Centre has received audio-slide presentations from VVI on their Machinist and Electrician programs.

Also, VVI has a NEW one-month Security Officer program.

Remember, we have a tape and guidebook on the Assessments.

N.C.

7) CARPENTERS CLASSES

For the second year, the Carpenters Union and KEC Basic Education Dept. are sponsoring classes for carpenters who want to improve their skills in:

- reading blue prints
- writing trade tests
- filling out forms
- giving and receiving work instructions
- trade mathematics
- other trade-related language skills

The classes are held in the Carpenters Centre - 2806 Kingsway - starting September 11th.

If you are interested, know someone who is interested, or wish copies of the brochure, please contact:

Bill Darnell, Basic Education Department, KEC

**CLASSES ARE HELD:
TUESDAY AND THURSDAY
EVENINGS - 7 P.M. TO 9:30 P.M.**

**THE CARPENTERS'
LEARNING CENTRE
2806 KINGSWAY**

**CONTACT:
The Business Agent or Dispatcher
437-0491**



8) DONATIONS ANYONE?????

Lee Powell is looking for a couch (new or used!), plants, a rug, curtain material, etc. All offers welcome!

If anyone has any "left-overs" or "unwanted" please put a note in Lee's mailbox and, when he returns from vacation, he will partake of your generosity.

M.G.

9) A WELL-STAFFED CAMPUS?????

THE PRINCIPAL leaps tall buildings in a single bound, is more powerful than a locomotive, is faster than a speeding bullet, walks on water and gives policy to God.

THE DEANS leap short buildings in a single bound, are more powerful than a switch engine, are just as fast as a speeding bullet, walk on water if the sea is calm, and talk to God.

THE DIVISION CHAIRMEN leap short buildings with a running start and favorable wind, are almost as powerful as a switch engine, are faster than a speeding BB, walk on water on indoor pools and talk with God if request is approved.

THE DEPARTMENT HEADS barely clear Quonset huts, lose tug-of-war with locomotives, can fire a speeding bullet, swim well and are sometimes addressed by God.

THE INSTRUCTORS make heel marks on the wall trying to leap buildings, are run over by locomotives, can sometimes handle a gun without inflicting self-injury, dog paddle and talk to animals.

THE MANAGER runs into buildings, recognizes locomotives two times out of three, is not issued ammunition, can stay afloat with a life preserver and talks to walls.

THE TRAINEE falls over doorsteps to buildings, says "Choo Choo!" when he sees a locomotive, wets himself with water pistols, plays in mud puddles and mumbles to himself.

THE SECRETARY ... lifts buildings and walks under them, kicks locomotives off the tracks, catches speeding bullets in her teeth and eats them, freezes water with a single glance. She is God!

T.V.

10) NEW CONFERENCE ROOM (309B)

Room 309B (next to the new faculty workroom) is available for small meetings and can be booked in the "Blue Book" on Mary Griffith's desk. The room will hold a limited number of people, but then small, intimate meetings are more fruitful anyway!

M.G.

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