

KING EDWARD TIMES

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1) V.I.A. GENERAL MEETING

DATE: Tuesday, September 25, 1979

TIME: 1:15 p.m.

PLACE: Plaza 500 Hotel
12th and Cambie

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 FOUNDATIONS FACULTY DAY

Day and evening classes will be cancelled in the College Foundations Division on Friday, October 12th for College Foundations Faculty Day. Festivities begin at 9:00 a.m. at 225 West 8th Avenue (Mount Pleasant Centre). More details on the day's program will follow.

R.F.C.

3) PARKING TICKET PIRATES

I think you are all aware that the car-towing business has increased rather dramatically over the past two weeks. Please take the precaution of locking your cars to ensure that tickets are not stolen. Also, please advise students most emphatically to do the same. I am quite confident that cars with parking tickets are not being towed away. It follows, therefore, that ticket pirates are busily at work.

Perhaps it's a good opportunity also to remind you again of thievery in general. We continue to have regular thefts of a wide variety of items: bicycles, purses, wallets, etc., etc. Nothing seems to be immune. So please do not leave personal property unattended and be alert to the fact that thieves are on the prowl constantly.

J.D.B.

4) NEW FACES

Welcome to King Edward Campus! The following new people have joined our forces and we wish them every success in their new jobs:

Ann Rose - Student Records Clerk/Typist;

Bonnie Barron - Steno for the Dean of Instruction
and the Curriculum Co-ordinator;

Sherry Arnold - Admissions Clerk in Student Records;

Wendy Jones - Steno for the Music Department at our
Mount Pleasant Centre.

M.G.

5) FROM THE BUSINESS ED. DEPARTMENT

Please inform your students that, because of the large enrolment in the Business Education courses, the typing room will be available only to students currently registered in these classes.

E.L.

6) CANCELLATION OF BOARD MEETING

The meeting of the College Board scheduled for next Wednesday, September 26th has been cancelled.

H.E.P.

7) EVENING ADMINISTRATIVE COVERAGE

Starting October 1, the duty schedule for administering the Campus is as follows:

Monday:	Robert Cunningham
Tuesday:	Colin Casey
Wednesday:	Rosemary Meyer
Thursday:	Miriam Bennett

Please report emergencies after 16:30 to the respective person on duty.

R.F.C.

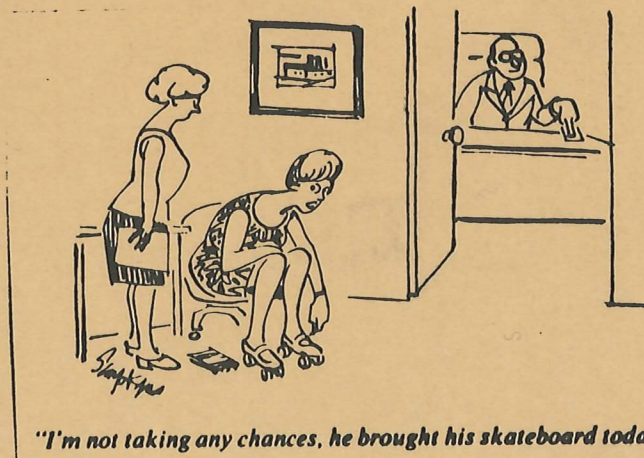
8) FOREIGN POSTINGS

I've received job vacancy announcements for positions available in Addis Ababa, Mauritius, Mogadiscio, Trinidad, Monrovia, Cairo, Seychelles, Angola, Nicosia and Baghdad. The majority are for one-year appointments. Enquiries regarding these vacancies should be directed to:

Director, ILO
178 Queen Street
Ottawa, Ontario
K1P 5E1

The postings may be reviewed in Mary Griffith's office.

H.E.P.



9) LIBRARY UPDATE

Recent visitors to the library will have noticed a number of changes being made, and a slightly more spacious look in some areas. Rearrangement of some shelving and furniture should be completed shortly, and it is hoped that, all in all, a better library facility will then be available to users.

The Audio Lab has been out of use pending installation of new furniture and for repair and renovation to audio equipment - for this we apologise, but hopefully, service will have been resumed by the time this appears in print. By the end of October, if all goes well, we shall have increased the number of listening stations from 15 to 26, and also will have a teachers' control or monitoring position.

A number of new faces have also appeared since 1st September. John Lambert returns to UBC to complete a second year of full-time studies, and, in his place, Warren Cocking will be at the Reference desk.

Winifred Ho now heads a team of "Off Campus" librarians, to give library support to K.E.C. activities at Vancouver Public Library locations (Britannia, South Hill and Mount Pleasant), and the same team will also be responsible for the library to serve Music and Basic Education at K.E.C. Mount Pleasant. We are still getting reports of confusion about "Mount Pleasant" - for those who are still not quite sure, we have library support at the Learning Centre situated in Mount Pleasant.

Public Library at Broadway and Kingsway. We now also have the new K.E.C. Mount Pleasant Centre at 225, West 8th, with library service from 8:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Monday to Thursday and from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday).

Full-time staff members comprising the Outreach team are Winifred Ho, as supervisor and Sunita Gujral, Esperenza Aquino and Giselle Lavigne as assistants.

D.P.C.

10) CANADIAN ETHNIC STUDIES CONFERENCE

The Canadian Ethnic Studies Association is holding its biennial conference in Vancouver at the Hotel Georgia and Robson Square Media Centre, from October 11 to October 13. The theme of the conference is "Ethnicity, Power and Politics in Canada", and session topics include such things as Native People, Power and Politics, Canadian Ideology and Public Policy: Its Impact on Vancouver Sikh "Ethnic" and "Religious" Adaptation, the Jewish Community and Immigration Policy, The Myth of Multiculturalism and other Political Fables, etc.

The fee for this conference is \$25.00 with banquet tickets an additional \$10. Registration deadline is October 3, but since the enrollment is limited to 300 persons altogether, I would suggest that you register as soon as possible.

If you would like more information, I have a copy of the brochure and I have also circulated copies to R.F. Cunningham, M. Bennett and E.C. Casey.

R.M.

11) FREE TEACHERS WORKSHOPS

The Museum of Anthropology is offering free workshops for teachers starting September 19. Each workshop offers background information on a particular topic to assist teachers in planning class visits to the Museum.

For further information and workshop registration, please call 228-5087, or contact me directly for a listing of workshops offered (16) and materials for guided tours etc. The Museum has just finished a video-tape with accompanying listening tape intended for classroom use as an introduction to the Museum.

On Thursdays (starting in October) I will be at the Museum as a resource/contact person for interested College Foundations and E.L.T. instructors.

Jana Gaitanakis

Telephone: 228-9455

12) PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

Mary Selman is now in the Ministry Offices in Richmond at

7451 Elmbridge Way
Richmond, B.C.
V6X 1B8

Telephone: 278-3433 Local 223

M.S.

13) PACIFIC NORTHWEST CONFERENCE ON HIGHER EDUCATION

See notice on bulletin boards re the annual meeting of the
PNCHE at the Sheraton Landmark, October 10-12.

H.E.P.

14) EXERCISE PRESCRIPTION (???)

MONDAY - Walked to the milk store and jogged back.

TUESDAY - Ran to and from mailbox; distance - 50 yards.

WEDNESDAY- Took day off. Training break.

THURSDAY - Ran from checkout counter at supermarket to car
and back. Distance - 50 yards.

FRIDAY - Did a lot of walking and climbing and was prepared
to run from police.

SATURDAY - No running, a little walking.

SUNDAY - Developed a pimple. Must retire for season.

R.W.

15) SPECIAL NOTICE FOR FACULTY AND STUDENTS:

Pay rates for student aides have been raised as of September 1, 1979;

18 years and over: \$3.20 inclusive of holiday pay;

17 years and under: \$2.80 inclusive of holiday pay.

D.M.

Vancouver Community College, Regional Offices, 675 West Hastings,
Vancouver, B.C. V6B 1N2
Telephone (604) 688-1111



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16) TO ALL VANCOUVER COMMUNITY
COLLEGE EMPLOYEES:

RE: EXTENDED HEALTH BENEFITS - CONSOLIDATION
OF CARRIER AND INCREASE IN OPTICAL CARE
MAXIMUM

Provisions of the respective Collective Agreements provide for an increase in the maximum benefit for optical care from \$50 to \$150 effective September 1979.

In addition, to minimize the impact of this new benefit the entire Extended Health Benefit package was marketed and a decision reached to consolidate the coverage under the Medical Services Association of British Columbia. Implementation date of the consolidated package is October 1979 and your October pay-cheque will reflect the new premium. For members of the Vocational Instructors' Association of British Columbia whose coverage is presently with the Medical Services Association of British Columbia, no changes in claims procedure is required. For members of the clerical support staff, Langara Faculty Association and administrators currently covered by C.U. & C. when seeking medical coverage under the Extended Health Benefit plan subsequent to October 1, 1979, please quote the following group number:

#88418

As soon as possible the Medical Services Association of British Columbia will issue identity cards with all the necessary information for all employees and these shall be distributed upon receipt.

In due course, amendments to the Employee Handbook reflecting these and other benefit changes will be circulated in order that all employees may be apprised, in detail, of their health and welfare benefits.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'D. D. Jones', is positioned above the typed name and title.

D. D. Jones
Director of Personnel
and Labour Relations

VANCOUVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE
KING EDWARD CAMPUS
ENGLISH LANGUAGE TRAINING DEPARTMENT

Invites applications for the following positions:

Department Head, Neighbourhood English Department
Department Head, Vocational Department
Department Head, English 099 Department

Duties:

To assist the Division Chairman in the performance of her duties and responsibilities, including the coordination, supervision, and direction of instruction within the Department. The Department Head is responsible for liaison between the faculty of the Department and the Division Chairman and hence, to the Dean of Instruction and the Principal of the Campus.

The Department Head is expected to exercise discretion and initiative as need arises.

Normally, department heads are required to teach part time and to provide leadership and, with other instructors of the department, to assume responsibility for the evaluation and revision of the curriculum and instructional program of the department. The Department Head is also responsible, together with the Division Chairman, for preparation and supervision of the departmental capital budget, operating budget, and class schedule.

Desirable Qualifications:

- 1) Personal ability to provide leadership in his/her Department and to accept responsibility.
- 2) Experience: (a) instructional experience at the College level;
and
(b) supervisory experience.
- 3) Academic: such academic training and qualifications as are appropriate to the Department concerned.

Commencement Date: November 1, 1979

Salary:

Salary and annual allowance are in accordance with the current Collective Agreement.

APPLICATIONS BY OCTOBER 5, 1979

Apply in writing, giving full details of qualifications. Further information from and applications to:

Director of Personnel and Labour Relations
Vancouver Community College
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Vancouver, B.C.
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