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TO HONOR TERRY FOX

Thousands of signatures are needed to help promote a commemorative stamp honoring Terry Fox, our valiant runner.

Please sign the petition on the bulletin board by the Learning Centre and remember to give to the cancer fund as a tribute to Terry.

For more information about the commemorative stamp, please contact Kathy Lillie in the E.O.W. program, local 66.

M.G.



King Edward Campus

ADVANCE NOTICE V.I.A. GENERAL MEETING

DATE:

Thursday, September 25th

TIME:

1:15 p.m.

PLACE:

Sheraton Plaza 500

H.E.P.

HOUSEPARENTS REQUIRED BY MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCES

In providing services for children, the Ministry of Human Resources has the responsibility of seeking alternate family settings for those who are unable to live at home or with relatives. The Ministry of Human Resources is currently in need of houseparents who are able to care for teenagers.

Applicants must have a home in the Greater Vancouver area and should be prepared to commit themselves for a minimum period of one year. They are seeking experienced people who have dealt with adolescents or who have raised their own children through adolescence and understand some of the problems which may arise through growing up.

For additional information, call Mrs. Mona Parker, Resource Worker, Region #1 at 251-1701.

D.G.

PAPER PUBLISHED!

Malcolm Cant and Grant Kelly have been notified that their paper - Individualized Educational Program for Iearning Disabled Adults - which was presented at the ACCC/CVA Conference at Wolfville in June, 1980, has been accepted for publication by the ERIC (Educational Resources Information Center) system in the U.S.A.

M.G.

VANCOUVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE BOARD MEETING

The College Board met in regular session on Wednesday evening, September 10th. Because the Board had not met since July 16th, the Board had to deal with a fairly lengthy agenda, several items of which will be touched on here.

The College Principal's report - a copy of which has been placed in the library - covered a large number of items, a number of which covered activities/events related to K.E.C. An information item in the report dealt with a comparison of V.C.C.'s productivity (in student contact hours) and operating budget as compared with comparable figures for the total college/institute system of B.C. as well as comparable figures for two fairly large post-secondary institutions in the lower mainland.

The architects for the construction project at the V.V.I. presented their revised plans and V.V.I. Principal J.L. McInnis has provided us with a copy of the current plans which have been placed in the library for the perusal of those interested.

A proposal to increase tuition fees - to cover the shortfall in government funding and the increased costs resulting from the rate of inflation was debated at length; the following motion was approved by the Board:

That V.C.C. Board By-Law Number 19 be amended as of 1981 January 01 by increasing fees for Academic/Technical programs from \$125.00 per term to \$150.00 per term and for Vocational programs from \$30.00 per month for full-time students to \$36.00 per month. Part-time students will pay fees on the same basis as at the moment (pro-rata or annually set Continuing Education fees as appropriate).

The Board approved a motion authorizing additional borrowing by the College for pre-construction at the K.E.C. East Broadway facility for \$827,000.

The Board approved a request for submission to the Ministry for special funds for three additional learning centres at V.P.L. branches in the amount of \$63,750 (gross).

The Board approved a suggestion from the V.V.I. Student Society to study the pros and cons for a College "emblem and motto".

Documentation related to the above items and other items not covered in this report plus the minutes of the meeting of the previous Board meeting (of July 16th) have been placed in the library.

IEPA ROLLS AGAIN

Malcolm has returned from his fishing vacation with the timetattered tale of the big one that got away and is ready to take new referrals and returnees into the IEPA program.

The first intake meeting will be scheduled for Thursday, 18th September, 1980 (for the non-metric converts). Would instructors please forward the names of those students whom they feel fit under the umbrella of the IEPA (i.e., learning disabled) to either Greta Nelson or their department representative, as soon as possible?

It would also be appreciated if instructors could send the returnees to Malcolm so that he can schedule them into regular slots for this semester.

M.C.

HOLIDAYS

Barbara Little will be on holiday September 12 to October 2. In her absence, please see Peter Littleboy or Starr Owen.

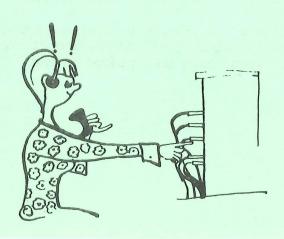
B.L.

OFFICE CHANGES

Please ignore the exchange of locals of Ron Fussell and myself referred to in last week's Times. B.C. Tel came through very quickly and so we have our original local phone numbers back: Ron's is 26 again and mine 21.

However, should you call me, don't be surprised to hear a soft feminine voice answer - it will probably be that of my secretary, Gillian Akin.

R.F.C.



FROM STUDENT HEALTH SERVICES

Because one of the major aims of the Student Health Service is the prevention of illness, we are planning a series of Health Weeks to occur once a month throughout the year. Our first health week will be September 15-19 and, for it, we've chosen the topic of Cancer in Women. We are anxious to visit as many classes as possible, on invitation, to inform students of simple preventive measures against the more common forms of cancer. Depending on your time constraints, we can offer you either a 10 or 20 minute talk.

Please give us a call at local 34 if you would like us to visit your class so that we might schedule a convenient time for you. We look forward to speaking to your students.

J.N.

HOLIDAY/CONFERENCE

Dave Greenall will be attending a conference September 15-19 and will be on vacation September 22-26. In his absence, Frank Fornelli will be Acting Department Head.

D.G.

K.E.C. FACULTY/STAFF ACTIVITIES

Baker, S.	Ass'n. Business - VMREU Shop Stewards' Training Course; Capilano College, North Van.	Sept. 26
Evans, S.	Conference - S.P.A.C.E. Career Education	Nov. 21
Nelson, G.	Conference - B.C. Federation of Council for Exceptional Children; Vancouver	Nov. 6-9
Murdock, L.	Ass'n. Business - VMREU Shop Stewards' Training Course; Capilano College, North Van.	Sept. 26

MONEY TALKS!

B.T.S.D. level 4 students and those taking at least three courses at the grade 11 or 12 level in College Foundations may be eligible to apply for B.C. Student Assistance (student loans). Students in both these programs must be at least 18 years old. E.L.T. students are not eligible, although those in the full-time 059, 098-099 programs are. Music students are eligible.

Any students interested in applying should obtain an application from the Counselling Resource Centre, complete it (there is a completed sample in the centre) and return the form to me. This should be done immediately, as the Financial Aid Office will be closed from September 29 to October 24, while the Financial Aid Officer (Rita Shelley) is on holiday.

R.S.

HEALTH BURSARIES

Students in the Homemaker and I.H.I.A. programs who are not sponsored by C.E.I.C. may be eligible for health bursaries. Interested students should check with Rita Shelley immediately.

R.S.

KING EDWARD STUDENT FUND BURSARIES

Any needy student is eligible to apply for a \$50 bursary. Application forms are avaible in the Counselling Resource Centre. Completed forms should be submitted to the main office at Student Records. It is not necessary to see Rita Shelley. Students should explain their financial circumstances in as much detail as possible on the form, and give the name of the person who suggested that the student apply. Deadline for applications is Friday, September 19 at 4:00 p.m.

R.S.

B.C. ATHLETIC AWARD BURSARIES

15 B.C. Athletic Award bursaries valued at \$750 each are awarded annually to B.C. students who are extensively involved in sports and have a minimum C+ average. Any student who feels qualified should contact Rita Shelley.

R.S.



"OPEN HOUSE AND ORIENTATION FOR NEW STUDENTS"

On the following dates, K.E.C. will be hosting an "Open House And Orientation" for all new students on campus.

 (Morning)
 Mon.
 Sept.
 15th
 10:00
 AM

 (Afternoon)
 Tue.
 Sept.
 16th
 2:00
 PM

 (Evening)
 Tue.
 Sept.
 16th
 7:00
 PM

 (Evening)
 Wed.
 Sept.
 17th
 7:00
 PM

Students are invited to attend any (1) of the above.

All (4) sessions will be held in the auditorium (Rm 110) with Coffee and Doughnuts compliments of the Student Society.

Please inform all your students of the above times and encourage them to come and meet representatives from:

Library
Counselling
Student Records
Learning Centre
Health Services
Financial Aid
Student Society
Counselling Resource Centre

The Orientation will take no longer than 3/4 of an hour, so you are welcome to bring your entire class.

THANK YOU FOR HELPING US WELCOME OUR NEW STUDENTS.

Counselling Resource Centre

LIBRARY LUNCH TIME FILM SHOW

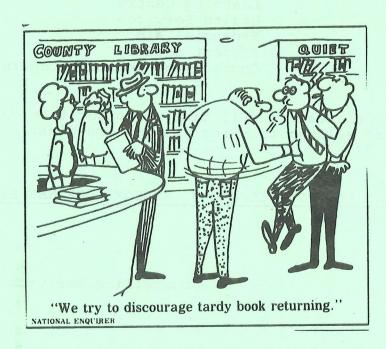
The next program will take place on Tuesday, September 16, 1980 at 12:30 p.m.

FILMS:

- 1) TOPPING THE C.N. TOWER: an interesting presentation about the final stages of the "highest" in Canada's Toronto.
- 2) HARRISON'S YUKON: Ted Harrison is one of the Yukon's best known painters. Recognised internationally, this film shows how Harrison portrays the people and landscape of the Yukon.

Please remind your students to bring food and the library will provide coffee. Why not come yourself, as well?

P.C.



POSITION OPENINGS

V.C.C. King Edward Campus has an opening for a part-time Chemistry/Biology Program Assistant in the Science Department.

Applications should be submitted to Gordon Pawelchak as soon as possible.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Secretary I in the Program Development Department. Closing date for applications is September 15.

V.C.C. Langara Campus requires a Secretary I for Division Chairmen, General Office. Applications by September 16.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires an Instructor in Practical Nursing. Please forward applications by September 19.

B.C. Ferry Corporation requires an Electrician - Ship's Crew in Prince Rupert. Closing date for applications is September 19.

For further details on the above positions, please see bulletin boards.

H.E.P.

JOBS FOR STUDENTS

5 students with minimum 35-40 WPM typing are required to operate Computer Remote Terminal for Telecheque, #202-1810 Alberni Street.

The pay is \$3.40 per hour for approximately 20 hours. Telecheque authorized cheques for 1400 merchants in B.C. Experience on the CRT is not necessary. Training is provided on the job. Hours of work are flexible as the office is open from 7:00 a.m. to midnight and weekend hours can be arranged.

Interested students should phone 687-3432 and speak to Colleen.

R.S.

Instructor's Diploma Program

The fall schedule for all courses, which will be offered at the Vancouver Vocational Institute, is as follows:

- ID 102 The Elements of Instruction.
 Tuesdays and Thursdays
 16:00 18:30 Room 211B
 September 16 December 6
 Instructor: D.Little
 Fee \$95.
- ID 103 The Technology of Instruction Fridays and Saturdays 16:00 - 22:00 - Room 211A September 19 - October 25 Instructor: K. Elfstrom Fee \$119
- ID 104 The Evaluation of Student Progress
 Saturdays
 09:00 16:00
 September 20 October 25
 Instructor: A. Blunt
 Fee \$117

If you wish to enrol in any of the above courses, please telephone 228-2181 and speak to Ann Hunter (local 220) or Nigel Macklin (local 277) as soon as possible.

If you are not enrolled in the Instructor's Diploma Program, please obtain an application form from Gillian Akin.