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V.C.C. BOARD MEETING NOTES

The College Board met Tuesday evening in regular session; highlights of the meeting are covered in this report.

The College President's report to the Board touched on the following:

- Totem Conference
- Fine arts display
- Student exchange with College de St. Foy, Quebec City
- Contract with I.C.B.C. to administer Test of Oral Competence
- Zimbabwe contract
- U.B.C. Faculty of Dentistry working with Dental Assisting program
- Ottawa colloquium on post-secondary education
- Additional courses and special contracts 9 in number.

The Vancouver School Board advised the College Board that its nominees to the V.C.C. Board - C. Allevato, M. O'Neill and H. Wai - are appointed to the College Board for one year rather than for two, as previously announced.

M. Scott was named Acting Chairman of the Board for the period April 4 to April 12, 1982.

A request for special funding for Native Adult Basic Education amounting to \$103,450 was approved.

The College Board approved the following motion:

"The V.C.C. Board confirms the rights of the disabled as contained in appropriate legislation in assuring that every reasonable effort will be made to provide equal opportunities of access to the facilities and programs of Vancouver Community College, within available resources."

The Board passed a motion agreeing to act as agent for the Langara Student Society and, secondly, agreed to a ground lease so that the society can construct a student union building at Langara Campus.

The current College Board had expressed a wish to set up a committee structure and the administration had drawn up tentative guidelines. These were discussed by Board members "in committee" and, after considerable debate, were referred back to the administration for modification.

At the request of the Board, the administration had prepared a report on "differential tuition fees" based on the actual cost of mounting the various instructional programs of the College. After lengthy discussion, the report was received by the Board.

The Board discussed its priorities on which the 1983/84 operating budget would be established. By majority vote, the Board instructed that levels 1 and 2 were to be achieved through a combination of "horizontal" and "vertical" cuts.

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The Board was advised that, at the 11-month point (February 28th), the College was underspent by just under 1/3 of 1%.

In private session after the public portion of the Board meeting, a recommendation to purchase trees and shrubs as part of the landscaping of the new King Edward Campus on East Broadway was approved.

Documentation related to the majority of the above, as well as other items on the agenda, the minutes of the Board meeting of March 10th, and a copy of the President's report have been placed in our library for the perusal of those interested.

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"Theano . . . the next time you hang some abstract art in the office, advise the financial comptroller first . . ."

H.E.P.

THE TERRY FOX HUMANITARIAN AWARD PROGRAM

PROGRAM OBJECTIVE:

In keeping with the spirit of his achievements, the Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program is intended to encourage Canadian youth to seek the high ideals represented by Terry Fox by the granting of commemorative scholarships for the pursuit of higher education.

PROGRAM ADMINISTRATION

The Government of Canada has provided an initial \$5 million endowment fund for this purpose. The fund will be held in trust and administered by a corporation headed by a Board of Directors. This Board shall consist of outstanding and qualified Canadians from various segments of society, invited to serve by the Minister responsible for Fitness and Amateur Sport.

While private and corporate gifts, bequests and donations are also encouraged, all scholarships and administrative costs are to be met from the interest resulting from investment of this initial \$5 million endowment.

SCHOLARSHIP VALUE

The Terry Fox Scholarship is a renewable award, subject to satisfactory progress, and is tenable at any Canadian university or college. The value of each award is \$3000 annually, for a maximum of four years, or until a first degree is obtained. For candidates attending an educational institution in provinces where no tuition fee is applicable, the award value is \$2000.

ELIGIBILITY

The awards will be of particular interest to graduating secondary level students and those currently enrolled in a Canadian university or college. Scholarship candidates must be Canadian citizens or have applied for citizenship at the time of award consideration.

As many as 200 renewable scholarships will be granted each year, with proportional and appropriate representation from all regions of Canada. Candidates must qualify in the province or territory in which they are ordinarily resident. The field of study is open and at the discretion of the successful candidate.

SELECTION

Selection criteria for recipients will be based on demonstration of the highest ideals and qualities of citizenship and humanitarian service while in pursuit of excellence in their academic, amateur sport, fitness, health or community related endeavours.

A Selection Committee will nominate deserving candidates to the Corporation's Board of Directors. The Board is solely responsible for the final determination of successful candidates.

Applications will be considered either directly or through academic institutions. Recommendations for scholarship assistance made by the institution or a national health, fitness or sport governing body will be an important factor in the final selection process.

For application forms, please contact the Counselling Resource Centre. Deadline for submission of applications is June 15, 1982.

R.S.

COMPUTER INTEREST GROUP

Teledon Workshop - TUESDAY - APRIL 6 - ROOM 140 - 4:30 p.m.

Our guest will be Rosemary Wright of B.C. Telephone. Her responsibilities include the marketing of the B.C. Tel Teledon system.

F.F.



NOSTALGIA BOOKS.....

"Legends of Our Times" (our nostalgia book) is still available through Mary Griffith in the administration office. Cost.... only 50¢.

A complimentary copy awaits all donors to the book.

M.G.

TIME SHEETS..... EARLY CUT-OFF DATE!

Time sheets must be turned in to Fanny Yip (Payroll Clerk) by noon on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>April 6</u>, in order that they may be processed before the long Easter weekend.

M.G.

CONFIRMATION NOTICE

This notice confirms that Jenny Ho, from the BBC (British Broadcasting Corporation), will give a short talk and show some examples of BBC television and radio output on their ESL project.

Please meet with her on Tuesday, April 6th from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. in Room 110.

R.W.

HOLIDAZE

I will be on vacation April 5-8. During this period, Mrs. Bowers and my secretary, Fay Wong, will take care of my desk.

R.F.C.

Starr Owen will be Peter Littleboy from April 5th to April 23rd!

P.L.

Bob Gauthier will be on holiday from April 8th to April 23rd.

B.G.

UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

SUMMER LANGUAGE TEACHING INSTITUTE 1982

<u>Sponsored by:</u> Language Education Department, Faculty of Education; Language Institute, Extra-Sessional Studies, Centre for Continuing Education.

The following credit and non-credit courses will be offered on campus during Summer 1982.

CREDIT COURSES - July 5 - August 14

Education 478 (3) Introduction to Teaching English as a Second Language
Education 489 (3) Applied Linguistics for Teachers
Education 508 (3) Research in Teaching French and Some Other Modern Languages
Education 543 (3) Research and Theory in Teaching English as a Second Language

THREE WEEK COURSES - July 5 - July 23

Education 337 (1-1/2) Remedial Instruction in the Language Arts. This section is for instructors working with ESL ADULT STUDENTS whose level of LITERACY is low.

Education 338 (1-1/2) Teaching Written Composition to Adults.

Education 379 (1-1/2) The Education of Immigrant Students

Education 394 (3) Teaching French in French Immersion Schools

Education 490 (1-1/2) Teaching Reading to Adults

THREE WEEK COURSES - July 26 - August 14

Education 393 (3) Teaching French in Elementary Schools

TWO WEEK COURSES - July 5 - July 14

Education 472 (1-1/2) Reading in the Secondary School Classroom: Practical Implications

TWO WEEK COURSES - July 15 - July 23

Education 474 (1-1/2) Reading in the Secondary School Classroom: Theoretical Principles

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION WRITE OR PHONE:

EXTRA-SESSIONAL STUDIES 6323 CECIL GREEN PARK ROAD VANCOUVER, B.C. PHONE: 228-2657

NON-CREDIT ONE OR TWO WEEK COURSES

<u>July 5 - July 9</u>
Teaching Reading to ESL Students in Public Schools
Teaching Heritage Languages

July 5 - July 16

Workshop for Secondary Teachers of French as a Second Language: Passport Francais.

July 12 - July 16

Pre-School Children and ESL

Issues and Interpersonal Skills in the Cultural Adjustment of Immigrants Practical Workshop for Teachers of Spanish

July 19 - July 23

Teaching Special Education Students from ESL Backgrounds Evaluating Second Language Teaching Materials

FOR INFORMATION REGARDING REGISTRATION WRITE OR PHONE:

CENTRE FOR CONTINUING EDUCATION UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA PHONE: 228-2181

K.E.C. FACULTY/STAFF ACTIVITIES

T. Kirby	Conference - Individualized Learning and Technology in Teaching	May 12-14
R.F. Cunningham	Third Annual Conference on Lifelong Learning and Continuing Education	Apr. 28-May 1
J. Macnab	Conference - Individualized Learning and Technology in Teaching	May 12-14
M. Rothman	TEAL Conference	Apr. 1-2
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POSITION OPENINGS

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Computer Programmer Instructor (temporary). Closing date for applications is April 5, 1982.

V.C.C. requires a Telephone Operator/Receptionist at the Regional Offices. Closing date for applications is April 13, 1982.

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

H.E.P.

THIEVES AGAIN!

Once more.... money was stolen from a student's purse, which was left unattended in a classroom.

Please remind your students (and yourself) to NOT leave articles of any kind, anywhere, at any time.

Remember -- wear it, carry it, but don't leave it!



M.G.