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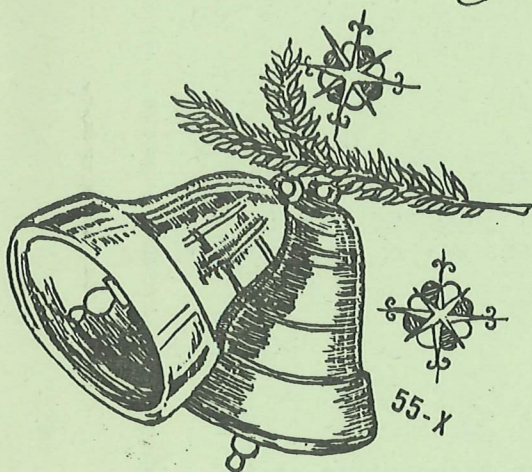
Merry Christmas

'Tis the Season

All members of the administration join in wishing
all of you the joys of the festive season.

Best wishes for a wonderful holiday and may all
your hopes and expectations become reality in 1983

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CALL FOR PRESENTATIONS: THE POLITICS OF LITERACY

The Adult Basic Education Association of British Columbia announces its fifth annual conference. The Conference will be held at the Schou Educational Centre, Burnaby, March 9-11.

The planning committee is eager to hear from possible presenters.

The theme of the 1983 Conference is "The Politics of Literacy." However, presentations on any topic in ABE are welcome.

If you are interested in making a presentation, please contact Richard Darville (local 83) for a proposal form.

R.D.

PERCY WILLIAMS

IN MEMORIAM

Percy Williams died last Wednesday at the age of 74. So who was he? Just another King Edward High School student? Well, hardly. After graduating from King Edward, this one competed in the 1928 Olympics in Amsterdam and won the gold medal for the 100 and 200 metre sprints - the only Canadian who has ever won both events.

In 1930 he set a world record for the 100 metres of 10.3 seconds and, running with an injury, equalled the world record of 9.6 seconds for the 100 yard sprint. Not content with these victories, he managed to set a new record for the 60 yard indoor sprint.

In spite of his shyness, he was honoured in his own time. On his return from Amsterdam in 1928, he was met by thousands of fans and was awarded a \$14,500 trust fund and a sports car. Fifty years later, in 1980, he was presented with the Order of Canada.

Just another King Edward student?

Well, hardly.

J.L.

FEELING LITERARY?

Groundwork magazine, the publication of the ABEABC, will publish articles, reports or opinions on any topic of interest to ABE instructors. Next deadline is January 15, 1983. Submissions may be made to Barbara Ash or Margaret Nelson (BTSD).

M.N.

TO ALL INSTRUCTORS

Are you a member of the Adult Basic Education Association of B.C.? If not, please join now. Membership application available soon near letter boxes.

M.N.

Issues in Post-Secondary Education

A UBC Graduate Course: Education 559 (1½ units)

Starts Saturday, January 29
and meets every second Saturday for 5 sessions.
9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Instructors: Drs. Andrews, Brown, Dennison, Sork, Rubenson
and Wallin, all of whom are faculty members
in Higher Education at UBC

PLUS

about 15 outside experts from colleges,
universities and government.

Register now if you are a Master's student. If not, phone John Andrews
(course coordinator), 228-6239 or 228-6349 (messages).

R.F.C.

COLLEGE FOUNDATIONS INSTRUCTORS

I. Please remind your students that their transcripts will be available
for in-person pickup *December 28 - 30, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. in the
main office. Valid I.D. will be required (Student card). Unclaimed
transcripts will be mailed in the second week of January.

*Note: The original notice of November 5th was in error. On
December 27, 1982 VCC will be closed.

II. Please announce to your students, that as of January 4th there will be
an additional \$2.00 registration fee to cover handout duplicating costs.
The charge is \$2.00 per student registration regardless of course
selection or load.

G.P.

VACATION

Mr. R. N. Gauthier will be away on holidays Dec. 20 to 23 inclusive and
Dec. 28 to 31 inclusive. Also on Dec. 10th when Mr. Cunningham will be
on duty.

R.N.G.

Vancouver Community College

UNITED WAY 1982

Final Results

	<u>'81 Actual</u>	<u>'82 Target (15.7% incr)</u>	<u>'82 Actual</u>	<u>% '81</u>	<u>Target % '82</u>
Langara	4,534	5,246	5,363	118.3%	102.2%
KEC	6,261	7,244	8,191	130.8%	113.1%
VVI	2,203	2,549	3,325	150.9%	130.4%
Central Admin. (incl. CE)	2,414	2,794	3,555	147.3%	127.2%
	<u>\$15,412</u>	<u>\$17,833</u>	<u>\$20,434</u>	<u>132.5%</u>	<u>114.6%</u>

Per Capita Donations

	<u>EES</u>	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>
Langara	380	\$11.93	\$14.11
KEC	297	21.08	27.58
VVI	298	7.39	11.16
Central Admin. (incl. CE)	74	32.62	48.04
	<u>1,049</u>	<u>\$14.69</u>	<u>\$19.48</u>

H.E.P.

NOVEMBER IS THE CRUELEST MONTH

The following information is the result of a three week survey conducted by the Learning Centre staff to determine how many student contacts tutors worked with during a three week period. The results are part of an ongoing survey, which will also include the department and grade level students are registered in.

It is hoped by the Learning Centre staff that such a survey will enable tutors and fifth hour instructors to better provide appropriate tutoring and assistance to students from all over the campus, according to, and based on student need and demand.

Total number of students tutored in both centres, Basic Education, West 8th and K.E.C.

week one	=	590	student contacts
week two	=	588	" "
week three	=	608	" "

Individual Centres

Basic Education	=	194
K.E.C. Math/Science	=	1,091
K.E.C. English/Humanities	=	501

Total number students tutored during 3 week period = 1,786

W.D.

CHRISTMAS-MESSAGES-WE-CAN-DO-WITHOUT DEPARTMENT

I've just been advised that my U.I.C. deductions, effective January 1, 1983, will be increased significantly - nearly double what they've been until now - for two reasons: the rates have been increased and the basis (i.e., the maximum salary on which an employee pays for unemployment insurance) has also been increased. Pat Mulvihill (V.C.C. Payrolls) told me that I wasn't the only one; all of us will be affected.

H.E.P.

FROM THE SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The X'mas Party Committee is actively trying to make this year's Christmas party more enjoyable for everyone. We have arranged to have door prizes and have some already, but we would appreciate more support in this matter as well.

If anyone has anything to donate as a door prize, please let Steve Baker or Kathleen Lillie know as soon as possible. Thank you.

The Social Committee

Pages Abandoned in the Xerox Copier

At least once a day an instructor or staff member leaves the last page of original material in the Xerox Copier in the Main Office.

The next user doesn't know what to do with that page and often it gets lost.

From now on, there will be a file folder on top of Mrs. Wong's filing cabinet in which:

- 1) I would like you to place any "stray" material you find in the copier; and,
- 2) you can "claim" any material left in the copier.

Originals will be destroyed one week after "filing".

R.F.C.

Year-End Schedule, 1982 December 23

Because of the College's contractual agreement, those departments with CEIC sponsored students have made arrangements for instruction to take place.

For instructors, staff and administrators, the following activities are scheduled:

- 08:00 Counsellors' breakfast in the faculty/staff lounge
- 10:00 Principal's faculty/staff meeting in the faculty/staff lounge
- 13:00 Vocational Instructors' Association's Christmas Party at the Vancouver Vocational Institute

R.F.C.

HOLIDAY HOURS

December 20-23 - regular hours of operation

December 24 - Campus closed

December 27 - Campus closed

December 28,29,30,31 - 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Day shift personnel - 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.;

Late shift personnel- 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

January 3, 1983- Campus closed.

D.M.

STUDENTS' COUNCIL BY-ELECTIONS

Students' Council is off to a slow start this year. Not all positions were filled in the October election and even a subsequent By-election later that month added only 2 people by acclamation.

Now, 5 council members have resigned and a skeleton council is barely functioning. King Ed's Students' Council could be an extremely worthwhile organization and, with the student fees collected, it is responsible for allocating and using a substantial sum of money.

But there are so few students involved that it is difficult for these few to interest and motivate more students to take an active role in the Council - to be more a part of the school.

That is why I am asking instructors to take time to inform their students of the up-coming By-elections and encourage them to become aware of the activities of their Students' Council.

There are notices posted around the school re open positions, nomination procedure, and election times. Also, there was a "General Meeting" for students on December 3rd to discuss K.E.C.'s constitution and, therefore, the structure and function of Students' Council.

Thank you for your time and support.

Jan Swan,
Chief Returning Officer

THE GOOD OLD DAYS REVISITED

1. Each day teachers will fill lamps, clean chimneys, and trim wicks.
2. Each teacher will bring a bucket of water and a scuttle of coal for the day session.
3. Make pens carefully. You may whittle nibs to the individual taste of the pupil.
4. Men teachers may take one night each week for courting purposes, or two evenings a week if they go to church regularly.
5. After school the teacher must spend the time until supper reading the Bible and other good books.
6. Women teachers who marry or engage in unseemly conduct will be discharged.
7. Every teacher should lay aside from each month's pay a goodly sum for his benefit during his declining years so that he will not become a burden on society.
8. Any teacher who smokes, uses liquor in any form, frequents pool halls or public halls, or gets shaved in a barber shop, shall give good reason to suspect his worth, integrity and honesty.
9. The teacher who performs his duties regularly and faithfully and without fault for five years, will be given an increase of 25 cents a week in his pay, providing the Board of Education approves.

--from Update, Oct.

B.P.

VCC VANCOUVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE KING EDWARD CAMPUS
LIBRARY

ACCESS

and films

BIG BUSINESS

Universally regarded as one of the greatest of all comedy shorts, this film presents Laurel and Hardy as door to door Christmas salesmen who, in an orgy of unbridled fury and foolishness, wage a battle royal with a spunky homeowner.

EVERY CHILD

Produced at the invitation of the United Nations to celebrate UNICEF's Declaration of Children's Rights, this is the Canadian contribution to the hour long feature film consisting of ten six-minute segments to mark the International Year of the Child.

BAMBOO, LIONS AND DRAGONS

In this film two families, the Changs and the Lims, tell the story of the Chinese community in Vancouver from widely different perspectives.

DECEMBER 14, 1982

Tuesday at 11:45 a.m.
Bring a Friend,
Bring Your Lunch to the Library

FROM THE RUNNING CORNER

The Khatsahlano Road Race:

The Club had a good turn out for the 15 km. Khatsahlano Road Race from Horseshoe Bay to the Park Royal Shopping Centre in West Vancouver. Unfortunately, however, the City fathers in their infinite wisdom changed the course from the pleasantly undulating route along Marine Drive to a hill climb! You spent the first part of the Race going up and the second part coming down. What with the steepness of the grade and the heavy frost covering the course, the runners needed chains just to navigate safely, let alone Race.

Congratulations must go to Peter Ballin, Keith Lockhart, Al Bradshaw, Stephanie Greenall, Orla Cousineau, Susan Tourigny and Dave Greenall for running a great race. In spite of the new route, most of the Club members improved their running times from last year!

The Seattle Marathon:

As predicted by your Race correspondent in the last newsletter, the Club "did well" in the Seattle Marathon. Rita Shelley and Shannon Girvan without proper training and having only planned to run half the Marathon, completed the whole course - the last hour in a heavy rain storm! Not only did they complete their first Marathon but after having run for over five hours they went dancing that same evening, while the more experienced and mature male runners on the team were forced to remain in a more stationary and horizontal position!

Dave Greenall and Al Bradshaw easily did their worst Marathon of the year, both barely breaking four hours. It is rumoured that as David slowly walked across the finish line he had to convince the Race officials that he was a runner or he would have been ordered off the track.

Susan Tourigny and Orla Cousineau won the awards for the Team. They finished 9th and 10th in the twenty to twenty-nine year old women's age category.

Future Events:

The Club's next Marathon will be in Seaside Oregon near the end of February. If you are interested in running with the Club, contact one of the Club executive - more important, begin your training NOW!

Watch this paper for more information on the Club's next social run. Gordon Pawelchak is the contact person and will be scheduling the run sometime during the weekend of December 17th.

D.G.

POSITION OPENINGS

Correction: The closing date for the position of Department Head, K.E.C. Library published in the last edition of the Times was in error. November 23 is the correct date - NOT March 9, 1983.

V.C.C. King Edward Campus requires a Telephone Operator/Receptionist. Closing date for applications is December 9.

V.C.C. King Edward Campus requires a Department Head in the English Language Training Half-Time Department. Closing date for applications is December 15.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires instructors in Computer Electronics, Electricity (3 positions) and Electronics. Closing date for applications is December 10.

V.C.C. Langara Campus requires a Laboratory Demonstrator I in the Biology Department. Closing date for this position is Dec. 10.

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

H.E.P.

TERRY FOX HUMANITARIAN AWARD PROGRAM

Please advise students that applications are now available for the Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program in the Counselling Resource Centre. Completed applications should be submitted to the Admissions Counter.

The Scholarship is valued at \$3,000 annually. Selections are made on the demonstration of citizenship & humanitarian service while in pursuit of excellence in academic, amateur sport, fitness, health, community service & related endeavours.

Last year 2 of our students were short-listed. Perhaps this year we'll have some winners.

R.S.

TIMESHEET DEADLINE

Time sheets must be turned in to the payroll clerk by 12:00 Noon on December 15 (for the week ending December 17).

For the week ending December 24, timesheets must be in by 12:00 Noon on December 22.

M.G.

K.E.C. CHRISTMAS PARTY

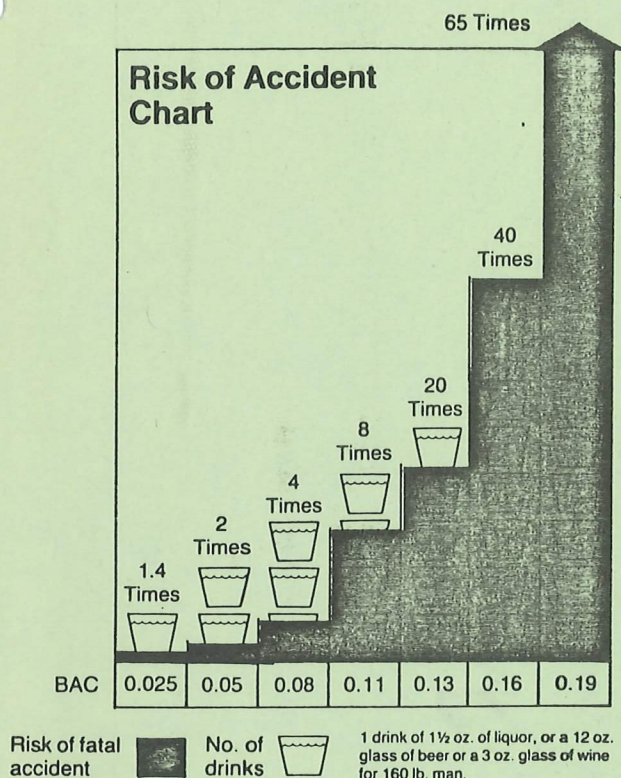
Drinking is a pleasant social custom that has been around for a long time, and at this time of the year there is plenty of opportunity to indulge in a little "good cheer".

What we want to avoid though is the drinking and driving that is a special hazard around Christmas-time. Also keeping in mind that this year the legal B.A.C. limit has been reduced to 0.05.

We want everyone to enjoy the Christmas party. But we want to avoid the possibility of tragic accidents or suspended driver's licenses after the party. There will be a no-alcohol punch available for those who don't drink.

Also, we are asking those who will not be drinking, or are planning to have only one or two drinks, to volunteer their services as drivers to drive home anyone who could perhaps be unsafe on the road. Lapel buttons will be available from the Student Health Service for anyone to wear to the party who is willing to act as a driver.

P.R.



Drinks*	1	2	3	4	5
100 lbs.	.043	.069	.095	.121	.147
125 lbs.	.034	.069	.104	.139	.174
150 lbs.	.029	.058	.087	.116	.145
175 lbs.	.025	.050	.075	.100	.125
200 lbs.	.022	.043	.065	.087	.109
225 lbs.	.019	.039	.058	.077	.096
250 lbs.	.017	.035	.052	.070	.087
STOP NOW make this your limit			UNSAFE for driving		
*WARNING: Some drugs and medicines (e.g. cough syrups) can increase impairment levels by as much as five times. In this table, 1 drink = 12 oz. beer, or 1½ oz. liquor, or 3 oz. wine. Deduct .015 for each hour after the first drink to compensate for the body's elimination of alcohol.					



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