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COLLEGE BOARD MEETING

The last meeting of the 1983-84 Board met last week Thursday and the inaugural meeting of ther 1984-85 Board is tentatively set for 1984 February 15.

President A.S. Manera's report to the Board covered the following subjects:

- United Way, 1983
- Distance Education
- Ministry review of the College's Five-Year Plan
- John Lauder's resignation
- Visiting foreign experts
- Southeast Asia mission
- 1983 Grey Cup fesitival
- Formula funding
- Milestones: Passing of former employees
- Appointment of Gerry Sylvester
- Langara Campus registration
- Continuing nursing education
- Temporary funded courses

The Board heard a report from Board member John Pearkes on the VCC Educational Foundation which has been established to raise funds on behalf of the College for a variety of "one-time only" projects. Mr. Pearkes is the chairman of the Foundation; members for that Board are being appointed and there is an expectation that soliciting of funds will get underway very shortly.

Two RFC's (temporary funded courses) were approved, the first for Auto Body Repair and the second, for English Language Training.

Since the Totem Conference Lottery was not able to raise sufficient moneys to fund VCC Totem Conference athletic teams, the College Board agreed that the expenditure of up to \$25,000 (in addition to the funds raised by the lottery) would be allowed.

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As its final act, the Board moved unanimously a vote of thanks to instructors, staff and administrators for their dedicated work in the 1983-84 year.

In private session, the Board, after rescinding the motion of November 23rd, approved a motion that employees who had withdrawn their services on Thursday, November 10th, would not suffer loss of pay for the statutory holiday falling on November 11th.

Minutes of the public meeting of November 23rd, agenda and documentation of Thursday's meeting, and the President's Report has been placed in the library.

H.E.P.

ENGLISH PLACEMENT TEST

This year's English Placement Test will be given on campus in the auditorium Tuesday, 1984 March 27
10:30 a.m.
8:00 p.m.

Pre-registration will be enforced. Applicants must submit their completed registration forms, together with their \$15.00 fee, directly to ERIBC (Educational Research Institute of British Columbia) prior to Friday, March 2nd. Forms are not yet on hand - you will be informed as to when they are available.

Late registrants (or those unable to attend the test and who advise ERIBC of the fact prior to test time) will be referred to the July 10th (Langara) sitting. Students who plan to be away in March should ensure that they do not miss the July EPT, as this will be the last opportunity to write prior to the fall intake in post-secondary institutions.

Please tell your students that completion of the EPT is mandatory for all students entering post-secondary programs (which have English Components) in British Columbia. The EPT score has no effect upon admission itself.

R.F.C.

VACATION

I will be on holiday between February 1 and February 14. In my absence, please direct College Foundations matters to Robert Cunningham, Dean of Instruction.

FOR E.L.T. INSTRUCTORS:

An Income Tax Workshop for Upper Intermediate and Advanced students on how to fill out income tax return and understanding related legal issues.

Teachers:

Accountants from Thorne Riddell Inc.

Dates &

Times:

February 15 12:00 noon - 2:30 p.m.

or February 16

7:00 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Location:

Counselling Department

Room 3002

Instructors who are interested in bringing or sending students must contact GINGER CHANG or LORRAINE HERLICK, Local 208



KEC FACULTY/STAFF ACTIVITIES

J. Godfrey	Preparation and giving workshop at TESL Canada with B. Bowers	Jan. 30 - Feb. 10
B. Bowers	To give workshop at TESL Canada	Feb. 9 - Feb. 11
V. Sinclair	P.D. to continue thesis work to analyze and revise listening tests for the Intermediate level.	Jan. 24 - Feb. 13
Marian Yip	To construct a set of tests	Jan. 31 - Feb. 13
Allen Andrews	Attend B.C. Caucus Canadian Studies Information Meeting. (Camosun College, Victoria)	January 27
Lesley Thomson	Upgrade teaching materials, create exercises, select suitable reading material	Jan. 16 - Jan. 27
R.F. Cunningham	G.E.D. Examiners' Meeting	January 27
Peter Ballin	Industrial First Aid Training (Burnaby)	Jan. 30 - Feb. 10

R.F.C.

PRINTING

At the moment the Print Room is absolutely plugged with work. Although both DOM operators are doing a great job, we are still plugged with a large backlog.

If you could hold onto all but absolutely essential jobs for a few days, it would be a great help.

D.M.

INSTRUCTION AND OTHER DUTY SCHEDULES

There was some confusion in the interpreting of my request in this space last week.

Please provide your department head with the locations of your thirty hours of assigned duty per week for full-time instructors or pro-rata for part-time instructors. (See Article 66 of the current Collective Agreement.)

R.F.C.

J.D.B. TESTIMONIAL FUN NIGHT

The Doug Brown fun night happens on Friday, February 24. The K.E.C. staff/faculty dining room and lounge will be the venue for the event.



The proceedings begin at 6:30 with a no-host bar. The banquet starts at 7:30 and at 8:00 a series of skits and testimonials will get underway.

The music department will provide the band for your dancing pleasure until midnight.

Admission price for the evening is \$8.00. Tickets are available from the following:

- * Sharon McClure Central Administration (after Jan. 30)
- * Michael Bekenn Langara
- * John Vandenakker- V.V.I.
- * Fanny Yip K.E.C.
- * Bob Gauthier K.E.C.

If you wish to donate towards the gift, please ask to sign the card.

R.N.G.

DOUG BROWN BANQUET

ASSORTED COLD CUTS:

Including Ham, Roast Beef, Salami, Bavarian Meat Loaf, and Turkey.

ASSORTED SALADS:

Mixed Bean Salad, Tossed Salad, Macaroni Salad, Sunshine Salad and Coleslaw.

BAR-B-QUE PORK LOIN

CHICKEN CACCIATORE

RICE PILAF

ASSORTED FRUIT PIES (choice of three)

FRUIT SALAD

ROLLS & BUTTER

COFFEE OR TEA

PRICE: \$8.00 per person

DOUG BROWN TESTIMONIAL FUN NIGHT

February 24, 1984

6:30-7:30 No Host Bar

7:30 Dinner

8:00 Testimonials

10:00 Dancing to the sounds of the KEC Music Dept.

ADMIT ONE

\$8.00

EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

Floor wardens/deputy floor wardens have indicated comprehensive understanding of their responsibilities in the event of a campus emergency. Should there be new appointees to these tasks, the Fire Safety Director, R.N. Gauthier, must be advised so that a copy of the fire plan and protective head gear can be provided. Fire drills will be sounded in the coming weeks. Be prepared!

R.N.G.

FROM THE BOOKSTORE

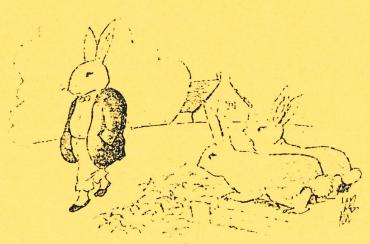
Another hectic registration time has passed and operations are returning to normal. A few problems were encountered with regards to the availability of certain books. Some were late in arriving while others were in short supply. Various factors contributed to these problems. There is not one area to place the blame. There were mistakes by the publishers, myself, as well as the ordering departments. Overall, things went well, and most problems have been remedied to the satisfaction of all parties concerned.

However, I would like to stress when submitting orders to the Bookstore, that the most complete and accurate information be included. Since orders usually take a month to arrive, it is to our advantage to order correctly on our original order. Obviously, the earlier an order is placed, the better chance there is of receiving it complete, before the required date.

Of course, I have learned from my mistakes and the added knowledge gained will assist in providing better service in the future.

Department Heads should be aware that orders for books to be included in this year's budget should be submitted as soon as possible. Last year, goods had to be received before March 31st to be included in that budget. I feel it is advisable to give publishers as much time as possible to process our orders.

Valentine's cards are now available in the Bookstore. The selection ranges from childrens to grandparents and of course includes a large number for Sweethearts. Let your favorite person know how you feel by sending them a card this Valentines.



"Kids these days! - I blame Beatrix Potter."

G.K.

TO TRAINING & DEVELOPMENT DIVISION PERSONNEL

The Principal has approved March 9th as the date for the Training & Development Divisional Day. Please inform your students there will be no classes for them on that day. All personnel including all program assistants and instructional assistants working in this division, are expected to attend the activities of this day, beginning at 0830 hours in room 2145. Further information and programs of the days events will be issued by ad hoc committee members, Roger Gibbard, Ted Kirby and Jim McNab, in due course.

E.C.L.

FROM BUSINESS EDUCATION

Bette Lowe would like to thank all her friends at K.E.C. for the flowers, cards, etc. sent to her while she has been away. She is recovering well from her surgery and hopes to be back soon.

A reminder that all Business Education matters should be referred to me in Bette's absence and I will pass them on, if necessary.

Jean Rees Room 3216 (Local 560)

POSITION OPENINGS

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Stores Clerk for the Electronics Department. Closing date for applications is January 20th.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Department Head for the Counselling Department. Applications for this position must be in by February 10th.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Part-Time Library Assistant I. Closing date for applications is January 23rd.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires an Assistant Department Head - Nursing. Closing date for applications is February 6th.

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

H.E.P.

MUSSOLINI

AS A HISTORICAL FIGURE LECTURE

by Oxford Historian

PROF. DENIS MACK SMITH

PLACE: AUDITORIUM OF

VANCOUVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE

KING EDWARD CAMPUS

1155 East Broadway Street, Vancouver, B.C.

DATE & TIME: TUESDAY, JANUARY 24 at 8:00 p.m.

Prof. Mack Smith lecture is presented by the
Italian Cultural Institute in cooperation with

- The Vancouver Community College - King Edward Campus

- The Italian Cultural Centre Society

- The Dante Alighieri Society

V.C.C. PRESENTS: THE HI-LO'S AND SOUNDWAVE '84

Make sure you have Friday, January 27th marked on your calendar. The Music Department presents their now famous Jazz Choir, Soundwave '84 in a joint concert with the internationally acclaimed HI-LO's.

This concert promises to be one of the finest, if not the best performance the Music Department has ever been involved in. We are all really looking forward to this show.

A special deal for all the faculty, staff, and students of K.E.C. Any ticket purchased through the Music Department will be \$2.00 off the regular price purchased through VTC/CBO. A top price ticket will be only \$12.00, with the others at \$10.00 or \$8.00. Give Elena or Maureen a call at 873-2461 to reserve yours today.

Whatever you do, don't be disappointed when you hear on January 30 what a great concert you missed. Join us for a special evening, Friday, January 27, at 8:00 p.m. in the Queen Elizabeth Theatre.

T.S.

