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IN MEMORY

Dean H. Goard, founding principal of Vancouver Vocational Institute, British Columbia's first post-secondary vocational school, died last weekend after a period of illness and failing health.

It was largely at the behest of Dean Goard - and other men of vision like him - that vocational training came into its own in this province in the 1950s and '60s. Mr. Goard was a practical visionary and, as such, he was held in high regard by those who worked with him at the VVI, within the College and within the provincial post-secondary educational system. Indeed, for many, he was the dean of vocational training for our province. He retired about ten years ago from BCIT, where he had served as the Institute's second president. Following his retirement, Mr. Goard again became involved with VCC until a few years ago in that he provided expert advice to employees who were considering and planning for their retirement.

Memorial services for Dean Goard were held yesterday afternoon; many of his friends and colleagues were present.

Condolences have been expressed to Mrs. Goard and the family.

H.E.P.

UNCLAIMED RECEIPT

We've received a receipt for \$83.15 from the Vancouver Food Bank and, so far, we've not been able to identify the genesis of the donation that was made. The receipt is made out to KEC-VCC.

If the receipt should have gone to you - or your department - you may pick it up from my secretary, Mrs. Akin.

H.E.P.



King Edward Campus

STUDENT INFORMATION AND EVALUATION

Welcome back. We have an interesting and challenging year ahead.

As you meet your new class(es) your students are very curious, and often very concerned, as to the criteria by which you decide how grades, if applicable, are awarded; or how you decide as to whether or not they are to progress to the next level at the end of the course. (Students earn the grades that you award!)

You must give them this information, preferably in writing, when first you meet each class, and repeat it from time to time. (It is still not too late for this term.)

At the same time, you must advise your students as to the general objectives of the course/program--what it is that they will have to do to be successful. It may be that on learning the general objectives, they will wish to transfer to courses which more appropriately meet their needs.

As an instructor, you have the responsibility of ensuring that the objectives of each course/program in which you are involved are consistent with the objectives of the College and of the program. If you have any doubts about these objectives, please discuss them with your department head.

Although many students receive assessments before registering, the assessment process is not foolproof. If you find that some of your students have been inappropriately placed, please advise your coordinator or department head as early as is possible so that transfers may be made.

At all times, the student must be made aware of progress being made so that the final grade will not come as a surprise. That most instructors do this is apparent, as there was only one grade appeal made for the September-December period. Please inform your students of the grade appeal procedure.

Also ensure that aspects of your instruction provide sufficient challenge to each individual you teach.

Keep your students aware of the support services available to supplement class-room activities, particularly the: Learning Centre, Counselling Career Centre, Counselling Services, Health Services and the Cafeteria.

If you become aware of any student having serious learning difficulties, please inform your division's IEPA (Individualized Education Program for Adults) representative.

Enrolment is down in some classes this term and you may find that there has to be consolidation and changes in scheduling. Your efforts in handling such a situation are much appreciated by both students and administrators.

The responsibility for maintaining a high quality of learning opportunities is yours—it is the least of your students' expectations. I have every confidence that you, as an individual, will meet or even surpass all expectations.

Have a challenging, interesting and rewarding year!

EXPO RECRUITING UPDATE

Julian S. Diamond,
Coordinator for the
1986 World Exposition
will be conducting a
one hour Seminar
explaining Expo job
opportunity for
KEC students.

Please allow attendance of interested students.

G.A.R.S.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES PRESENTATION

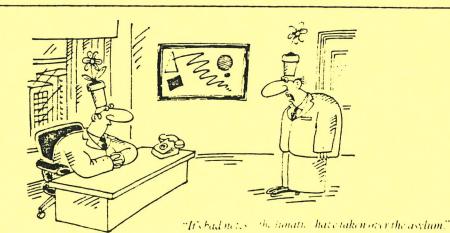
AUDITORIUM
TUESDAY
1:30PM-2:30PM

Date: 1986 JANUARY 14 Location: K.E.C.

BASIC TRAINING FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT - ACTING DEPARTMENT HEAD

As a consequence of P. Littleboy being appointed Acting Chairman, Adult Basic Education, his replacement is required as the BTSD Department Head for the remainder of 1986. The appointment has been posted, effective 1986, February Ol. The deadline date for applications is Friday, 1986 January 17. Apply, in writing, to the Director of Human Resources.

R.F.C.



NATIONAL SOCIETY FOR PERFORMANCE AND INSTRUCTION

This organization is trying to set-up a Vancouver Chapter. The major thrust is toward Computer Aided Instruction and Computer Managed Instruction.

The Organizational Mission: To enable individuals or organizations to apply systematic approaches to achieving excellence in human performance.

The next meeting of this group will be held at V.V.I. Room 922 on Jan. 20, 1986 at 19:00.

Interested persons are invited to attend.

S.L.

ACTING DEPT. HEAD - BTSD

Since Peter Littleboy has moved into Gordon Pawelchak's office, Barbara Little will be taking his place as Acting Dept. Head - BTSD during January.

P.L.

INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA SERVICES

I shall be away on maternity leave from January 2 until March 2, 1986 during which time Kees Hof will be acting in my stead. He will be operating out of my office at the Langara Campus.

Parveen Jiwani, Production Services Supervisor

ANGLICAN/UNITED CHURCH CHAPLAINCY

The Anglican/United Church Chaplaincy is continuing its series on the religions of the world. This free lecture series is open to all and there will be time for discussion following each lecture.

Next Lecture - HINDUISM - Date: Thursday, January 16th

Time: 12:30 - 1:30 P.M.

Place: Room 2145 (off faculty lounge)

Speaker: Dr. Satyen Banerjee,

Secretary, Hindu Council of Canada

Audrey Lans, Chaplain, is the contact person for this series and can be reached at 875-8205 or 420-5254 for further details.

A.L.

WE ARE STILL ENHANCING

After some time and thought to your ideas and one or two trial runs, we are starting to make some permanent changes. These will, hopefully, make lunch and coffee a little more relaxed. For now we have a start with more to come. One idea that is not planned for implementation is a lesson or course on neatness/cleanliness. If anyone is willing to plan such a course, please feel free to go ahead. It's obvious that some still need a lesson.

You may have noticed some lights out in the lounge - this is intentional. The set up of the furniture is intended to stay that way - please do not shuffle it around. If you do need a special set up, contact Jim Humble to get assistance and/or permission.

Smoking is restricted to the couches and tables on the west side of the lounge. The couches on the east side are for non-smokers (likewise with the balance of tables).

Other plans in the works

Plants are on the way - Planters are waiting for quotes (along with some minor renovations). Picnic tables and benches are being looked at right now, but until the price comes in, we won't know what we can get.

Some long term plans
Replace the carpet when it wears out, with appropriate tile.

Painting/Pictures for walls. Round tables in place of some of the square ones.

Other ideas - We are still open to ideas - good or bad. Please jot your idea down and pass it on to Roger Ofield or Steve Baker.

S.B.

CAR TROUBLE??

The Auto Mechanics Department of KEC is currently looking for all types of mechanical repairs, particularly jobs pertaining to drive line, i.e., automatic transmission, standard transmission and clutch.

Please call DAVE at 875-8202 or PAGER 680-6919 and leave message.

D.C.

B.T.S.D. (Co-ordinator II, Mathematics and Science)

It is with pleasure that I announce that S. Owen has been re-appointed to the above position for a further three-year period. This is Starr's second reappointment to the position. Congratulations Starr!

FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

The Vancouver Community College Department of Music announces an evening of superb vocal jazz with B.C.'s finest Vocal Jazz Choir -

SOUNDWAVE '86

Peter Taylor, director

and special guests: THE MELLOYDS

GETTING OFF EASY

THE OLIVER GANNON TRIO featuring Patti Hervey

DATE:

SATURDAY, JANUARY 18TH

TIME:

8:00 P.M.

LOCATION:

John Oliver Secondary Auditorium

530 East 41st Avenue

ADMISSION:

Adults

\$7.50

Students/Seniors \$5.00

For more information, please call the Music Department at 875-8220.

J.D.

POSITION OPENINGS

V.C.C./Langara Campus requires a Building Services Manager. Closing date for applications is January 13th.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Clerk Typist I-II (Training Development-Canadian Job Strategies) temporary until approximately March 31/86. Closing date for applications is January 10th.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Part-time Program Assistant I for the Food Trades Department. Closing date for applications is January 14th.

V.C.C./V.V.I. is pleased to announce two instructor training initiatives: the <u>Train the Trainer Program</u> and the <u>Instructor Training Program</u>. Both will be offered at the Vancouver Vocational <u>Institute campus</u>. You may register for the above classes through the VVI Registration Department (250 West Pender St. Vancouver) For further information please call Mr. Brian Dwyer, VCC/VVI Program Development Department Head, 681-8111, local 243, or the VCC/VVI Counselling Department.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires Business Education Part-Time and Substitute Instructors for evening, Saturday and regular day classes. Applications and resumes should be sent to Personnel Department, V.C.C.

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

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT SCHEDULE

Effective TUESDAY, JANUARY 14th, the Academic Assessment schedule will be as follows:

	WRITING	READING	MATHEMATICS
TUESDAY	6:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	10:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.	12:00 noon

The THURSDAY Academic Assessment Sessions are CANCELLED until further notice.

M.F.

G.E.D. TESTING

The G.E.D. Test will be held in the AUDITORIUM this weekend as follows:

FRIDAY 5:00 P.M. SATURDAY 9:00 A.M.

R.F.C.

1975 MUSTANG LOTTERY

The "kick-off" ceremony for our fund-raising drive for financial aid funds for our students is scheduled for tomorrow, Friday, January 10th at 12 o'clock noon in the plaza on level two. The plaza is large enough to accommodate many - and I hope that many will attend.

Howard Carter of Carter Pontiak Buick Ltd. donated the Mustang; our instructors and students in the automotive trades training programs restored the car to "like new" condition - and it's been restored beautifully - and Langara instructor Keith Murray and some of his students in the Marketing and Sales program have assumed responsibility for promotion, publicity and ticket sales, etc. The joint involvement of many is recognized and really appreciated.

While ticket sales on campus are already underway - at the Security Office and Bookstore on level two and the Information Centre on level four - we are hoping that all of you will be purchasing tickets and/or selling tickets to your friends, associates, students, etc.

(Next week you'll be receiving a letter and a book of eleven tickets; tickets are \$2 each or \$20 for the book of ll. Please encourage your students, friends and associates to buy their tickets from you. The cause is worthy and your support is needed and appreciated.)

H.E.P.

K.E.C. FACULTY/STAFF ACTIVITIES

S. Scholefield	Familiarization with computer labs and software.	Jan. 02-09
Barbara Wood	Examine course curricula; observe and assist in the classroom of College Preparation at the 059 and 098 levels.	Jan. 02-10
Ken Whitney	Critique Paint Course - shop liaison.	Jan. 02-14
Linda Rogers	Complete course requirements of "Introduction To The Computer Lab" and "Word Processing"; prepare material for the computer lab suitable for Beginners' levels; study Spanish using appropriate books and tapes.	
Greg Pedersen	The design and development of instructional materials correlating with the new manpower curriculum.	Jan. 02-23
Jean Benetti	Upgrade computer typing; learn word processing.	Jan. 02-16
B.A. Bowers	Outline text for publication in ESL.	Jan. 03
Joan Aspinall	Work on visual aids, taped stories and conversations at the Intermediate level in ELT.	Jan. 06-24
Peter Clark	Attend computer lab course.	Jan. 06-17
Aileen Yip	Read grammar book and prepare series of script drills.	Jan. 06-24
Alice Nielsen	Take computer studies course (M/W/F 2 hrs. each).	Jan. 06- April 22
Balinder Johal	Take Typing 072. (various times)	Jan. 06- April 18
M.J. Tewinkel	Classes - St. John Ambulance - toward Industrial First Aid Ticket.	Jan. 13-27
Kelvin Mar	To learn word processing on the Zenith 158 computer (one hour per day).	Jan. 13- April 22
Don Richardson	Keyboarding class.	Jan. 14- April 10
Petra Kleiser	Course: Evaluation of Learning.	Jan. 15-16
Michael Quinn	Complete ADED 515 at UBC, leading to a M.Ed in Adult Education. (various days)	JanMarch
Ron Fussell	Locate, study, evaluate and where possible, adapt for use in 041/051 level English classes existing available computer software. (various times)	JanApril