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## THANK YOU, GORDON PAWELCHAK:

For the past seven years Gordon Pawelchak has served the campus faithfully and well as Chairman of the ABE Division. In that position he has managed the daily affairs of the Division, helped with moves and reorganization and encouraged excellence in instruction.

In addition, he has in his quiet way contributed to the development of special projects on campus. Within the past year, for example, he has negotiated for us a Curriculum Development Project funded by the Ministry in the amount of \$53,000. He has also coordinated the installation of the Instructional Computer Resource Centre.

Because of a good opportunity to work on a project in his own field of Chemistry, Gordon has requested and had approved a half-time leave of absence for one year beginning February 1, 1988. This meant, of course, that he had to resign his position as Division Chairman. I accepted his resignation with regret but I also recognize his new opportunities.

Gordon, I thank you on behalf of the campus for your many contributions and we all wish you well.

Lawrence Fast

## CHANGING OF THE GUARD:

Our original secretary, Paula Rogers, is off this Friday on a year's leave of absence. We wish her and her soon-to-be-expanded family well! We will be looking forward to Paula's return in February 1989.

Meanwhile . . .

We welcome Eleanor Joughin who will be working in Paula's stead. Eleanor has extensive experience in the educational field and is quite familiar with VCC, particularly KEC. The continuance of congeniality and quiet efficiency at the secretary's desk is assured with Eleanor on board.

Best wishes to both Paula and Eleanor.

Gerry Sylvester



King Edward Campus

## XEROX COPIES THAT ARE SUBMITTED TO BE TYPED:

When submitting xerox copies to be typed, please make sure that the copy is clear and legible, not a copy of a copy, of a copy, of a copy!!!!

Thank you.

Dorothy Moutter

## STUDENT WORKSHOP: LEARNING TO MANAGE STRESS AND ANXIETY:

A workshop presented by the K.E.C. Counselling Department.

- Learn what stress is and how it relates to anxiety

- Become aware of your own stress levels

- Learn methods of handling your stress and anxiety

There will be four sessions:

Tuesday, February 16, 23, March 1, 8 10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Students should attend all sessions.

Please register with the staff in the Counselling Career Centre.

Mel Felker Counselling Dept.

### SPRING CLEANING!!:

Yes, Mount Pleasant Neighbourhood House, 535 East Broadway, urges you to do your spring cleaning early this year.

On Saturday, February 13th, the Neighbourhood House will be holding its second annual "LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE DAY" to raise funds to replace the kitchen refrigerators. The feature of the day will be a GIANT garage sale so, .....clean out the corners, redecorate, dust off the cobwebs, and we will gladly take your good, used items for our sale. For more information, call 879-8208.

Howard Turpin

#### THANK YOU

I would like to express my deep appreciation to everyone involved in planning and participating in the baby shower held for me on Wednesday, January 27th, everything was so beautifully decorated and I'm overwhelmed by the generosity of everyone. Contrary to popular belief I really will miss this place. Jim, I and ? thank you very much.

Paula Rogers

LOVE

YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE DAY

SAT., FEBRUARY 13TH 9am to 4pm

Mt. Pleasant Neighbourhood House 535 E Broadway

Garage Sale with bargains, fun, good food

### DAYS EVENTS

9am - 11am

Enjoy a Pancake Breakfast for only \$1.99

10am - All day

Sales Begin

-Clothes, Toys, and baby accessories

-White Elephant

-Baked Goods

-Handicrafts

-Chinese Auction

-Fortune Telling

-Spot Raffles

-Valentine Walk

-Children's Activity

Concession available all Day

## FVFRYONE WELCOME!!!

For more information call 879-8208.

## V.C.C. WOMEN'S NETWORK UPDATE:

Thirty-eight employees attended the first V.C.C. Women's Network gathering at V.V.I. on December 9, 1987. In general there was agreement that the group's activities should help all women in the College to realize their potential. In smaller groups each woman discussed her expectations of the Network, the direction the Network should take; and specific ideas for Network activities.

Responses varied from wanting to accomplish specific objectives such as promoting day care and establishing a sexual harassment policy, to concern for female employee's movement within the organization, to supporting women students.

There was unanimous agreement that we should continue in a flexible way, encouraging people to attend when possible and when interested in a particular program or issue. We will vary the programs, the organizing group, the campus and the day of the gathering. Generally we will work towards open informal meetings which have an optional social component and an element of information sharing. Watch for the next Network program in this newsletter. If you have program ideas please contact your campus representative.

VVI - Patricia Morris, Local 434 KEC - Ingrid Kolsterin, Local 468 Langara - Cynthia Flood, Local 470

Margaret Nelson

## UPDATING OF THE CURRENT KEC TELEPHONE DIRECTORY:

If your department has any changes in personnel, telephone locals or room numbers, please forward these changes to Pam Owens, KEC Administration, 4th floor.

Pam Owens

## WELCOME - LINDA RIDER, I.A. I, B.E.S.T. PROGRAM

Please welcome Linda Rider who is the new Instructional Assistant I for the B.E.S.T. (Basic Employment Skills Training) Program.

Linda has done substitute work with the Vancouver School Board as well as tutoring for the B.C. Teachers Federation.

Welcome once again, Linda!

Doug Buck



## NOTICE

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# "V.C.C. WINTER TUNE-UP"



has been rescheduled from February 15 - 26

to

FEBRUARY 29 - MARCH 11

Get ready for evenings of skiing, bowling, curling, skating, swimming.

Participate in lunchtime seminars such as:
"How to Make Losing Weight an Enjoyable Experience"
"Tips on How to Get Out of the Fast Food Syndrome"
"I Hate to Exercise"

CHALLENGE YOURSELF and CHALLENGE OTHER DEPARTMENTS

See how many points you can accumulate over the two weeks. "Points" can be scored for a variety of good lifestyle habits including nutrition, not smoking, losing weight as well as participating in sports and other physical exercises.

#### COURIER SERVICE

Courier Service should be called by the Department or Department Secretary. Please give the Courier Service office your name and telephone local as this saves time when the messenger arrives should your package or envelope not be ready or available at the designated area. A waybill should be prepared and your account number included at the bottom of the bill, this is for accounts payable only. You may pick up the waybill at the Switchboard area. Envelopes and packages should be sealed and left at the Switchboard area for pick up. Please remember that the waybills differ for in town and out of town.

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Kathy Wotton



## CROSS COUNTRY SKIING - MANNING PARK

In conjunction with Benno's, I am booking a Cross Country ski day for Saturday, February 13th. The package includes 2 hours of ski lessons, rental equipment, transportation and an afternoon ski tour with an instructor. Ideal terrain, weather and snow conditions make Manning a perfect area to learn cross country skiing or go touring on miles and miles of well marked trails.

Package price for only \$38.00 - Child \$30.00 (Trail fee of \$4.00 not included)

For those not wanting ski lessons or equipment the price breakdown is as follows:

	Adults	Child 6-12
Transportation Skis, boots and poles rental 2 hours of ski lessons	\$19.00 9.00 14.00	17.00 7.00 10.00

For information contact: Gillian Akin (King Edward Campus), 875-6111, local 738.

## FROM HEALTH SERVICES:

Margaret Kendricks, Psychologist is back at KEC after having been away on Maternity Leave. Welcome Back, Margaret!.

Pauline Reaburn

## KEC PHOTO CONTEST ( UPDATE AND CORRECTIONS)

A reception was held on Friday, January 22 for participants in the KEC photo contest. Awards were presented to the following students:

Honourable Mention: Dale Gamble (Music Dept.)

Best photo submitted by an ESL Student: Claude Trottier and Susanne Pohlkotter, (CPE Dept.)

Honourable Mention, ESL: Bing Wu

Patrick Chauvet Alfred Leung

Prizes in the general category were funded by the Campus and the ESL prize was funded by the ESL divisional committee.

The four judges, Patricia Groves, Nic Morelli, Lauchlin MacKenzie and Jana Gaitanakis, had difficult decisions!

The photo exhibit will be on display until February 22 among the red columns in the North end of the East Wing, Third floor.

ESL Beautification Committee



"It may not be the answer you expected, but try to have an open mind."

#### COMPUTERESE:

Here is an addendum to last week's notice about the magazines with the oh so quaint titles. Science may not be removed from the library, but we will route you a copy of the table of contents. Phone Nancy at 515 to have your name put on the routing list. Oh yes, one of the new magazines is called Incider because it is for Apple users. Just figured it out.

John Lambert

#### WHITE CANE WEEK:

White Cane Week, an annual event sponsored by the Canadian National Institute For The Blind, is a special time when public awareness of blindness and eye safety are promoted.

The program For Visually-Impaired Adults would therefore like to extend an invitation to faculty and staff to visit our program to learn about our adapative equipment, braille, and general information about the CNIB and its services etc. You may bring your students if you let us know in advance, or feel free to drop in when you have a moment.

There will also be some audio-visual material available which you may borrow from the Program. Videos available will include information on how to interact effectively with blind persons, an introduction to the eye and how it works, and a video on the training and work of dog guides.

The dates for this year's White Cane Week are February 7 to the 13th.

Also, some student volunteers would be willing to visit your classes if you would prefer to have a guest speaker. If you choose to do it this way, please make arrangements in advance.

If you would like any further information, please contact me or one of my other staff members.

Betty Nobel

# RICHARD R. SCHMEELK CANADA FELLOWSHIP:

This fellowship is available "To improve understanding between French-speaking and English-speaking Canadians and to improve working relationships between the business community and government." The fellowships, worth \$15,000 per annum, may be used at Laval University or the University of Western Ontario. Deadline for applications is 1988 March 01.

More detailed information is available from Gillian Akin.

Lawrence Fast

#### POSITION OPENINGS:

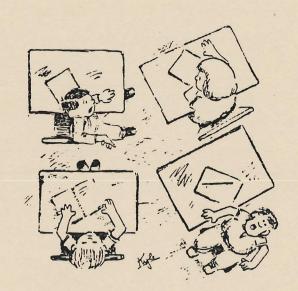
V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Clerk II - Admissions. Closing date for applications is January 28, 1988.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Clerk Keypunch/Data Entry Operator I (Student Records/Cashier Department). This is a temporary position until approximately April 8, 1988. Closing date for applications is January 29, 1988.

V.C.C./King Edward Campus requirs a Clerk - Cashier (Bookstore). This is a temporary position until approximately March 31, 1988. Closing date for applications is February 1, 1988.

A.C.C. requires a Director, International Bureau. Closing date for applications is February 15, 1988.

Lawrence Fast



"I wonder where Mr. Farnsworth is? Yesterday he said he felt like climbing the walls."