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### KING EDWARD CAMPUS WINS FITNESS TROPHY:

In the recent VCC Fitness Challenge King Edward Campus came out on top as the winner for the highest rate of participation. A fine trophy was presented to the campus on Friday evening by the Coordinator of Human Resources, Jean Blake.

Many individuals received certificates and t-shirts for fitness efforts during the two week period.

Thanks and congratulations to all who participated.



Lawrence Fast

## THANK YOU TO FACULTY AND STAFF:

My thanks goes to all faculty and staff who helped administer the Student Census during the week beginning March 7. I know it was an imposition and I greatly appreciate your help.

Throughout the College 21,000 students were surveyed. The information from this survey will be available about mid-May.

If you have any forms that are filled in, please get them in immediately.

Lawrence Fast

## G.E.D.:

The General Educational Development (G.E.D.) tests will be administered, on behalf of the Ministry of Education by the Assessment Centre, this Friday evening and Saturday at K.E.C., East Wing, 3rd level. All candidates (118 for this sitting) are required to preregister through the G.E.D. Testing Program office, Victoria — no applications can be taken at K.E.C. Candidates who successfully complete the G.E.D. will receive a British Columbia Secondary School Equivalency Certificate.

Six regularly scheduled G.E.D. testing sessions are held throughout B.C. during the calendar year. G.E.D. applications forms and G.E.D. information booklets can be obtained from the K.E.C. Counselling Department.

Lawrence Fast



King Edward Campus

## C.A./C.E./K.E.C. JOINT HEALTH & SAFETY COMMITTEE

In the spring of 1983 the individual Health & Safety Committees of Central Administration, Continuing Education and King Edward Campus combined to provide a single Joint Committee representing all employee groups and administration on this site. This Committee meets monthly to deal with matters of industrial health and safety. Minutes of these meetings are kept and provided to the various Unions to which our employee groups belong and, as well, are circulated and posted throughout the campus. Both at and between meetings, your Committee carries out such duties as:

- conducting regular walk-abouts of the campus to review the safety of working conditions and procedures
- developing measures to protect or improve the health and safety of employees or students
- carrying out accident investigations; recommending and/or monitoring changes to correct unsafe working conditions and practices
- receiving, considering, investigating or resolving complaints and queries raised by colleagues with regard to industrial health and safety in the workplace
- promoting programs or events related to the health and safety of employees and students

If you have question or concerns that you would like to draw to the attention of the Committee, your representatives for 1988 are:

Peter Ballin	V.I.A.	Jane McCourt	V.M.R.E.U.
Shirley Girvan	K.E.C.	Pauline Reaburn	B.C.N.U/Hlth. Ser.
Biller of carry	Admin.	Jay Strachan .	V.M.R.E.U.
Lorraine Herlick	V.M.R.E.U.	Fred Wylie	C.E. Administration
Don Keyes	V.I.A.	Sharon McClure	Chairman/C.A.

As noted earlier, minutes of the monthly meetings are distributed regularly but in attempt to keep you up-to-date, herewith a brief synopsis of the current items of discussion:

- i) Further recommendations will be put forward by the subcommittee to enable the Health & Safety committee to prepare a set of emergency procedures to be followed in event of an earthquake. These procedures will eventually be examined by the Fire Marshall prior to inclusion in the existing Emergency Procedures Manual.
- ii) Agreement was reached to mount a June Health Fair patterned after the 1987 Fair, and the first organizational meeting for that event has been scheduled for March 22nd. Committee members will solicit input from colleagues as what might be included in this year's event.
- iii) General business included discussions of hallway cleanliness in certain campus areas, liability insurance and transportation of employees or students for medical attention, as well as the regular accident investigation and campus walk-about reports.

The next meeting of the Joint Committee will be held on April 13, 1988.

#### FROM THE BOOKSTORE:

We have been absent from the KEC Times for a few weeks, so bear with us while we make up for lost issues!

## 1. SALE - SALE - SALE

- From now to the end of March there will be bargains galore. For example:
  - 25% off all shirts and jackets
  - Selected greeting cards (specialized greetings) 2 for the price of 1
  - All binders 25% off
  - Clipboards 30% off
  - Pentel pens 3 for the price of 2
  - "Tee Hee" writing paper Reg. \$1.95 - Now 99¢
  - (Please note that there is no further discount on these bargains!)

## 2. EASTER CARDS

- We have a lovely selection of high quality Easter Cards on a spinner rack

### 3. HOURS

- Regular hours, as usual are
  8:30 5:00 Mon., Tues. & Fri.
  8:30 8:00 Wed. & Thurs.
  But we will be
- Closed for Inventory
  Tues. Mar. 29
  Wed. Mar. 30
  Please inform your students.
  Thurs. Mar. 31st we will be open 8:30 5:00 only.
- Extended Hours
  Tues. Apr. 5, Wed. Apr. 6, Thurs. Apr. 8
  Open 8:30 8:00 p.m. to accommodate new ESL students
- 4. WELCOME to Vanita Puri who has joined the Bookstore. She was previously at the Langara Library. Be sure to let Vanita know you are staff if you are purchasing items subject to staff discount.

Karen Kelly

#### SKY WATCH

## MARCH SKIES FEATURE PLANETARY PARADE

If you have noticed the bright planets, Venus and Jupiter, in the evening sky, or Mercury, Mars and Saturn in the pre-dawn hours, then you'll likely enjoy this month's new moon. Watch for it low on the western horizon on Friday, March 18, just after sunset. It will be much easier to see Saturday, while on Sunday (20th) look for it between Venus and Jupiter - a fitting configuration for the vernal equinox which signals the beginning of Spring!

Constellation lovers can still catch a good view of Orion with nearby Taurus and Pleiades. Recent clear skies have given people born under Gemini and Leo a chance to see their sunsign constellations overhead.

\*\*Send your questions to "Sky Watch", c/o K.E.C. Times\*\*

## CREATIVE ARTS IN LEARNING MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAM:

Are you interested in a challenging Master's program which investigates fresh approaches to integrating drama, music, poetry and the visual arts into all aspects of learning?

The Institute for the Arts and Human Development of Lesley College Graduate School, Cambridge, Massachusetts, and V.C.C. are in the final stages of concluding an agreement under which Lesley College faculty will come to Vancouver to teach the M. Ed. courses at K.E.C. on weekends. The first course in the 2-year program will be offered in June, 1988.

For more information plan to attend a meeting with Lesley College faculty member Mark Rittenberg on Friday, March 25, at 1:00 p.m. in Room 4056 K.E.C.

Alison Norman

## COUNSELLORS' LIAISON AT KEC:

Specific counsellors are contact persons for the KEC Departments and areas listed below. Counselling related needs, concerns, and information can be communicated through your Department Head to the liaison counsellor assigned to your area. Your liaison counsellor will then represent you at departmental meetings and at individual meetings with the Counselling Department Head. Thank you!

Loren Houldson:

Administration and management, International Education

Student Services areas (except IEPA)

Dave Greenall:

Heavy Trades, MTA, Trac, ELS Career (special projects),

Pharmacy

Heather Chan:

ELS, College Prep English

Donna Barreca:

IEPA, ESL Vocational

Angela Fredericks:

ABE Division, BTSD, College Foundations, Basic Ed.

(1/2 time)

Mel Felkner: Disabled, Visual Impaired, Deaf and Hearing Impaired,

Sign Language

Edie MacKenzie:

International Education, Institutional Aide, BEST, Music

(1/2 time Int. Ed. pos.)

Loren Houldson

## HAVE YOU MISSED FRANK FORNELLI ?:

We have, in the Business & Computer Studies Department. Frank went on leave in early January to work on a special project for the Ministry of Advanced Education and Job Training: developing a computer studies learning guide. He's on campus occasionally, and we look forward to having him back in Business & Computer Studies in January 1989.

Cathy Tolsma

Join us for a farewell to

EVA WILLIAMS and JOAN ASPINALL

March 31, 1988

2:30 p.m.

Faculty Lounge

E.S.L.-Vocational

K.S.V.P. Amy Cheung, local 545

#### KEC COMMITTEE ON SEXUAL HARASSMENT:

"Every study conducted on a campus, either in Canada or the United States, shows that sexual harassment is a problem" (E.S. Soloman. A paper presented at the Alberta Student Services Conference, 1986). For instance, a University of Calgary survey stated that 30% of undergraduates encountered sexually inappropriate behaviour. Many of these behaviours emanated from male students but 27% came from people in authority over these students.

Sexual harassment is difficult to define as "it may range from sexual innuendo made at inappropriate times, perhaps in the guise of humour, to coerced sexual relations" (B.C. Federation of Labour). Although sexual harassment typically involves a female as victim, both males and females can be harassed by members of either sex.

Most colleges in B.C. now have or are in the process of developing a policy regarding sexual harassment on their campuses. Such a policy allows the college to deal with this problem in a consistent and fair manner while safeguarding the legal and human rights of all individuals involved.

V.C.C. has no policy on sexual harassment. Over the past year, a committee at Langara has been examining the issue. It seems clear that any proposed policy should involve the participation of representatives from all campuses. The Langara committee has distributed a questionnaire to faculty to find out the extent of this problem. They are formulating a questionnaire for students.

A committee at KEC on sexual harassment is being set up. The purpose would be education of this issue and to participate in the proposal of a VCC policy. We hope to have representation from faculty, staff, students and administrators.

Next Meeting:

Date:

Wednesday, March 30, 1988

Time:

3:00 p.m.

Place:

Room 4056

Mel Felkner, Donna Barreca, Amanda Palacios, Brian Campbell, Diane Merasty, Christine Lee, Loren Houldson

#### WHO WON LAST FRIDAYS DRAW:

Luck's Fickle Finger of Fate struck twice awarding the KEC Security Guards a cool \$1,000.00 at the Friday March 11th Lottery draw.

The Security Guard's each have their priorities with their share of the winnings. Sar Mann is "looking for a Hot Date". On the other hand, Darcy Munro plans to "take a course on how to ties shoe laces". The other winners Levi Joseph and Keith Andretta were not available for comment.

The lucky number was 004.

Next draw will be held at V.V.I. in the non smoking section of the employees cafeteria at 10:15 a.m. on Friday, March 18th. Everybody is welcome. P.S. Tickets are still available. Contact the Foundation at 329

## K.E.C. WINS COLLEGE CHALLENGE!

King Edward Campus walked away with the <u>V.C.C.</u> Challenge Fitness Award with 58 participants, a 16% participation rate based on 368 employees.

Central Administration/Continuing Education had a 12% paticipation rate, Vancouver Vocational Institute 10% and Langara 4%.

Departmental Challenge Awards are as follows:

## King Edward Campus

K.E.C. Security and Administration tied with 100% participation. Security - 408 points total, average of 80 points/person. Administration - 1097 points total, average 61 points/person.

Honourable mentions go to:

Financial Aid - 75% participation, 165 points total, average of 55 points/person

Math - 73% participation, 334 points total, average of 42 points/person Counselling - 66% participation, 731 points, average of 66 points/person ABE Science - 54% participation, 300 points, average of 43 points/person

## Langara

Food Services had 100% participation; 238 points total; average 60 points/person

## <u>v.v.I.</u>

Counselling and Library tied with 100% participation.

Counselling had 487 points, total, averaging 49 points/person

The Library had 335 points total, averaging 42 points/person

Honourable mention goes to the Canada Employment and Immigration Centre at V.V.I. who had 92% participation, 586 points total, average of 53 points/person

## Continuing Education/Central Administration

Buildings and Grounds, Personnel and the Bursar's Office tied with 100% participation.

Buildings and Grounds had 298 points total, average 60 points per person Personnel had 417 points total, average 52 points per person Bursar's Office 130 points total, average 65 points per person

Honourable Mentions go to:

Continuing Education Nursing and Health - 83% participation, 235 points total, average 47 points/person.

Purchasing - 50% participation, 201 points total, average 67 points per person.

Congratulations to all of you who paticipated in the Fitness Challenge!

The following participants achieved the noted category of fitness awards.

## Fitness Achievement Award (35 points)

Ashworth, Joanna Behnke, Ruth Bennett, Miriam Bradshaw, Michele Calvert, Tracy Chan-Henry, Eddie Cullen, Pat Funk, Jim Gendron, Cathy Hill, Bill Hudson, Aldyen
Jarret, Joyce
Joughin, Eleanor
Lazar, Thomas
Ripley, Robin
Rippel, Joan
Sharon, Doreen
Stevens, Susan
Wiebe, Frieda

## Superfit Fitness Award (50 points)

Abbinante, Angela
Ballin, Peter
Baty, Bonnie
Bromley, Ruth
Burnett, Joan
Cheng, Detty
Cheung, Amy
Clarkson, Allan
Cockell, Jean
Cooke, Elaine
Dawson, Catherine
Devakos, Elizabeth
Dorratt, Maureen

Edworthy, Gerry
Fast, Lawrence
Felker, Mel
Fleming, Max
Francis, Carol
Fremont, Jean
Gagnon, France
Groves, Patricia
Hamaura, Bob
Holmwood, Mike
Hwang, Milton
Jones, Sandra
Knight, Trish

## Superfit Fitness Award (50 points)...cont'd

Lannard, Wendy Lee, Christine Lim, Anne MacLeod, Joan Margetson, Jane McClure, Sharon Miller, Greg Montigny, Vickki Nishikawa, Cathy Owens, Pam Pawelchak, Gordon
Perret, Cathy
Redman, Myrna
Rudolph, Gordon
Saviozzi, Pat
Schofer, Roger
Tickell, Joanne
Toporowski, Brenda
Waddell, Norman
Yip, Fanny

## Superjock Fitness Award (75 points)

Akin, Gillian Andretta, Keith Bienert, Vi Blake, Jean Bowen, Ed Cahill, Val Cant, Malcolm Davindor, Sam Fraser, Duncan Gibbs, Sharon Girvan, Shirley Greenall, Dave Herlick, Lorraine Hoffman, Joan Houldson, Loren Husband, Thorne Joseph, Levi Kotaska, Jan Kremer, Dalton Lewindon, Sam

Lindsay, Lizz MacIntosh, Linda Mann, Sar May, Pat McKinnon, Violet Moutter, Dorothy Munro, Darcy O'Neill, Gertrude Quarto, Sandra Rider, Linda Rivers, Sheryl Sandy, Jackie Stedman, Marion Steinke, Lesion Strachan, Jay Wai, Kittie Wilson, Mary Wotton, Kathy



"Hey, Mom! We had the best showand-tell ever!"

#### The Music Department of Vancouver Community College presents

#### TEAM TRIVIA NIGHT

(A Fund-Raising Project)

\$5.00 per person

Saturday, March 26 KEC Faculty Lounge 1155 East Broadway 7:30 - 12:00 midnight

Prizes for:

Best Team Worst Team Best Answers Worst Answers

Also:

Spot Prizes

Raffle

Service Auction

#### Team Trivia Rules:

- 1. This is not Trivial Pursuit
- Each table is to have a maximum of ten peoplesingles and doubles without a table will be placed at tables that need their knowledge
- 3. There will be ten rounds of ten questions
- 4. There will be an ongoing question that your team will have until the end of round 8 to answer
- 5. Answers are to be printed clearly on the sheets provided
- 6. Between rounds you can win spot prizes for many reasons
  - bring a pocket full of quarters

Bar service and coffee available - Late evening snack provided.

Call the Music Department at 875-8220 to reserve your tickets.

Seating is Limited

Terry Smith

## WEDNESDAY NOON HOUR RECITAL

MARCH 23, 1988 12:00 PM

PERFORMING THIS WEEK:

CLASSICAL GUITARIST: GEOFF JONES

CLASSICAL VOICE: SOPRANO - LYN OLMSTEAD PIANO - BEV WILLIAMS

CONTEMPORARY: FRENCH HORN - ALICE EXTER SOPRANO SAX - WAYNE DIGGINS

JAZZ GROUPS:

PAOLA GRESPAN & WAYNE DIGGINS PIANO AND SAXOPHONE

SHERRY DANCE AND FRIENDS

CHREVEKWAN

THE FOOD

## RECAUDITORIUM





FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

March 3, 1988 88-05

#### AIDS: QUEST FOR UNDERSTANDING

"Your next sexual partner could be that very special person. The one that gives you AIDS!"

A special series of programs - AIDS: QUEST FOR UNDERSTANDING - will begin on the Knowledge Network Wednesday, March 23rd at 8:00 PM. This seven part series will focus on the human side of AIDS. Programs developed in England, Canada and New Zealand portray more than just the medical issues revolving around this disease, examining a range of human subjects that our entire society is encountering on a regular basis.

The series begins with <u>CAN AIDS BE STOPPED?</u>, a one hour program from the Knowledge Network's science documentary series HORIZON. The virus that causes AIDS has been studied more intensively than almost any other disease—causing organism. Yet, AIDS continues to spread around the globe at epidemic rates.

Part Two, <u>AIDS AND THE ARTS</u>, documents the response of Canadian artists to AIDS. This half hour program looks at individual artists and their art and shows a powerful reflection of what AIDS is doing to all of us.

Part Three, AIDS AND THE FUTURE, is a half hour look at historical attitudes to disease and the diseased. AIDS sufferers are being barred from schools and the work place; sex education is being taught in the context of an incurable disease; and our civil rights are being threatened by the spectra of compulsory testing.

Parts Four and Five, <u>INTIMATE CONTACT</u>, is a compelling British drama. This four hour program is the first to examine the AIDS issue from a heterosexual point-of-view. <u>INTIMATE CONTACT</u> is the story of Clive and Ruth Gregory a well-off couple about to celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary. When Clive is diagnosed as having AIDS, picked up from a sexual encounter with a prostitute, the Gregorys' world begins to fall apart.

Part Six, A DEATH IN THE FAMILY, is a one hour program from New Zealand. It is a well written and acted drama about Andrew Boyd, the forth person to die of AIDS in New Zealand. His death and how his gay friends and conservative farming family deal with it is the central theme of A DEATH IN THE FAMILY.

AIDS: QUEST FOR UNDERSTANDING wraps up with a live panel discussion from the Knowledge Network's studios. The panel, selected from the Network's Aids Advisory Committee, will also be answering questions. Viewers may call in locally or via a toll-free 800 number during the program.

The dates and times for AIDS: QUEST FOR UNDERSTANDING are:

Wednesday, March 23rd, 8:00 PM CAN AIDS BE STOPPED? (repeat) Saturday, March 26th, 9:00 PM Wednesday, March 30th, 8:00 PM AIDS AND THE ARTS (repeat) Saturday, April 2nd, 9:00 PM Wednesday, March 30th, 8:30 PM AIDS AND THE FUTURE (repeat) Saturday, April 2nd, 9:00 PM Wednesday, March 30th, 9:00 PM INTIMATE CONTACT (repeat) Friday, April 1st, 9:00 PM Wednesday, April 6th, 9:00 PM INTIMATE CONTACT PT 2 (repeat) Friday, April 8th, 9:00 PM Wednesday, April 6th, 8:00 PM A DEATH IN THE FAMILY (repeat) Saturday, April 19th, 9:00 PM

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For more information contact: David A. Peressini Communications Officer Knowledge Network 668-3300 or 1-800-663-1678

#### A HAPPY, HEALTHY RETIREMENT TO EVA WILLIAMS!:

Eva Williams, our beloved colleague and specialist in the teaching of pronunciation, will be retiring at the end of this month. Eva has been with us since pre-FIRE days at Oak Street where she single-handedly developed a valuable pronunciation program for the ESL Department's Intermediate students. More recently, as a Manpower instructor, Eva completed a five level, Beginner through Intermediate, Pronunciation Manual which includes extensive teachers' notes. Our bookstore carries the tone which is reaching a final revision at the time of this writing. Eva not only is leaving us this valuable material, but she has been quietly establishing a new bursary fund for assistance to KEC's visually-impaired students. We certainly wish you a happy, healthy retirement, Eva, and thank you for these many years you've so richly contributed not only to the lives of our students, but to those of us who call you friend.

Jan Essig

#### POSITION OPENINGS:

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Clerk II - Admissions. Closing date for applications is March 21, 1988.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Student Services Assistant. Closing date for applications is March 21, 1988.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a permanent part-time Cafeteria Cashier (Bake Shop Sales). Closing date for applications is March 21, 1988.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Part-time Instructional Assistant I (Pharmacy Technical Assistant Program). This is a temporary position until August 12, 1988. Closing date for applications is March 22, 1988.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Clerk Typist II (Continuing Education - Nursing & Health). Closing date for applications is March 25, 1988.

V.C.C./Langara requires a Programmer Analyst II (Information & Computing Services). Closing date for applications is March 25, 1988.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Clerk Typist II (Continuing Education). Closing date for applications is March 25, 1988.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Remote Job Entry Operator I (International Education). This is a temporary part-time position until approximately March 31, 1988. Closing date for applications is March 25, 1988.

V.C.C./V.V.I. requires a Department Head, Office Technology and Administration Department. Closing date for applications is March 31, 1988.

The College of Teachers requires Evaluation Officers. Closing date for applications is March 31, 1988.

A.C.C. requires a Director, International Bureau. Closing date for applications is March 31, 1988.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Department Head, English as a Second Language (English Language Skills Department). Closing date for applications is April 29, 1988.

Lawrence Fast