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REMINDER TO ALL FACULTY & STAFF ON TIMESHEETS

Due to the upcoming long weekend, there will be an early payroll cutoff for the week ending August 4, 1989. All timesheets must be submitted to the Payroll Clerk on the 4th floor no later than 9:00 a.m. Wednesday, August 2, 1989. Late timesheets will not be processed until the following pay period.

Thank you.

Shirley Girvan

ABESAP WORKSHOPS FOR RETURNING STUDENTS (FALL, 1989)

The Financial Aid Office will be conducting workshops to help students complete their applications for ABESAP.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Place</u>	<u>Language Used</u>
Aug. 1 (Tues.)	11:00 a.m.	Room 3092	English, French, Cantonese and Spanish
Aug. 2 (Wed.)	11:00 a.m.	Room 3092	English, Mandarin, Punjabi and Spanish
Aug. 10 (Thurs.)	3:00 p.m.	Room 3092	English, Turkish, Hindu, Cantonese and Spanish
Aug. 14 (Mon.)	6:00 p.m.	Room 3102	English, Turkish, Mandarin and Spanish

Winnie Cheung

King Edward Campus

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Anne McElroy who has just been appointed to the position of Computer Liaison Instructor at King Edward Campus. She will commence her duties on September 01, 1989. Anne has a B.A. from Queens University in Belfast and a Teacher's Certificate from St. Mary's Training College, Belfast. She has taught in Ireland, Ontario and B.C.

We welcome Anne to this new position and look forward to working with her.

Patricia Groves

FROM THE LIBRARY

Our very own "writer in residence" has been busy at work. John Lambert has published two more graded readers in the Modern English Readers for Hong Kong Series. The titles are "Davy the Hawk", and, "The Search".

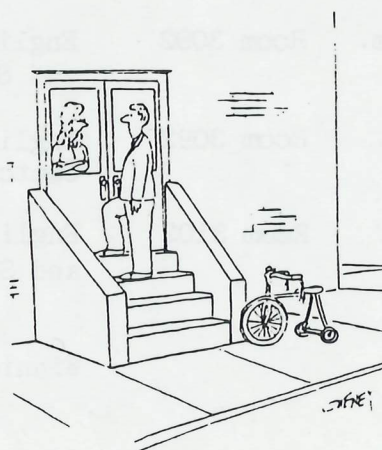
Both are available from City Educational Press in Hong Kong. The KEC Library has copies of both readers on order. They will be available soon. Keep up the good work, John.

Brenda Appleton

A BABY GIRL!!

Congratulations to Christine Lee who had a baby girl, 7 lb. 11 oz, last Thursday morning. A few of us tried to contact the hospital to see how she was only to discover that she had already been discharged on Friday! Jeff said that she and the baby were resting comfortably.

Lorraine Herlick



"I told you, Richard,
it's over ... I need
someone more mature."

B.T.S.D. STUDENT PROFILE

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Norman Bonner

These days Norman can most often be found in the Science room, surrounded by books and dictionaries. Norman has developed a passion for research, and cannot find enough additional information to satisfy him!

Things were not always like this. Norman did not have a happy childhood. Growing up with an alcoholic mother and a stepfather who beat him up (until he got old enough to defend himself) did not exactly prepare him for life. School was no better. An undiagnosed learning disability landed him in the "dummy" classes, and by the time he had to join a regular grade nine class he was completely lost, not having learned anything in the previous eight years. So Norman left school, and went to work. Unskilled jobs were all he could get, and eventually these too petered out. He ended up on Welfare, living in a single room, watching T.V. all day, avoiding all social contact and erecting invisible barriers around himself. Norman was simply vegetating, seemingly doomed to spend the rest of his life like that, until Welfare chose him to participate in "Horizons", a kind of counselling group aimed at achieving a more positive and productive life style. Norman was encouraged to go back to school. He enrolled first in Basic Education, and subsequently in BTSD at the intermediate level. He also attended I.E.P.A. sessions to conquer his learning disabilities.

When Norman first came to BTSD he was dreadfully unhappy, and anti-social, the visor of his baseball cap pulled down over his eyes. He spoke to no-one, looked at no-one and made it clear he wanted to be left strictly alone. That attitude is difficult to maintain in our open area classrooms, where you are surrounded by other students and instructors. Slowly the barriers crumbled, especially with the help of another student who challenged him and encouraged him to open up and communicate. It was a pleasure to see him slowly emerge from his shell and become more sociable, and, incidentally, doing well in his studies. Norman has finished his intermediate levels, and is now doing advanced work. The baseball cap slowly migrated towards the back of his head, the visor pointing more upward, and no longer hiding his eyes. He looks at people, smiles, talks, argues about points of information, and is obviously enjoying the process. At our last Award Ceremony, Norman was one of the recipients! To give him the last word: "BTSD was like therapy for me - I now know that I have friends, and can honestly say that I like myself now!"

POSITIONS OPENING:

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Clerk Typist II (English Language Skills Department). Closing date for applications is 1989 July 27.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Part Time 20/35 Instructional Assistant II. Closing date for applications is 1989 July 28.

V.C.C./V.V.I requires a Telecommunications Instructor (Electronics Department). Closing date for applications is 1989 July 28.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Special Needs Counsellor. Closing date for applications is 1989 July 31.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a *One-Half Time Clerk II (Counselling Department). Closing date for applications is 1989 July 31.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Laboratory Demonstrator I (ESL Vocational, Computer and Audio Labs). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 01.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Temporary Program Assistant I (International Education-ESL Division). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 03.

V.C.C./Langara requires a Temporary Clerk II (Co-operative Education Programs). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 03.

V.C.C./Langara requires a Temporary Instructional Assistant I (P.E. and Recreation Department). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 03.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Temporary Student Services Assistant (Counselling Services). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 03.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires an Instructor (BTSD Youth). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 04.

V.C.C./Langara requires a Term Library Assistant I. Closing date for applications is 1989 August 04.

*Correction from July 20th advertisement.

V.C.C./Langara requires a Library Assistant II (Public Services, Reference Office). Closing date for applications 1989 August 04.

V.C.C./K.E.C. Administration requires a Secretary III (Principal's Office). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 08.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires an Audiovisual Technician II. Closing date for applications is 1989 August 08.

V.C.C./Langara requires an Audiovisual Maintenance Technician II. Closing date for applications is 1989 August 08.

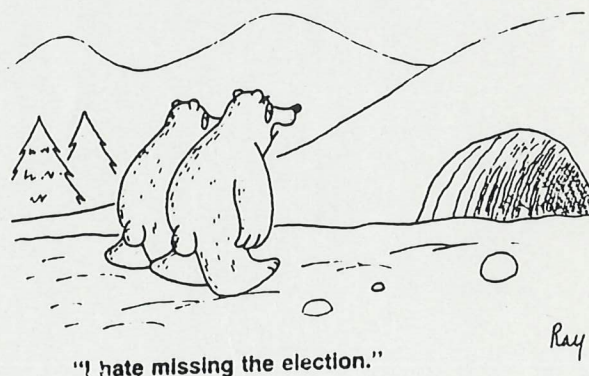
V.C.C./Langara requires a Program Assistant I (Nursing Department). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 08.

V.C.C./C.A. requires a Secretary II (Instructional Media Services). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 09.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires a Clerk II (Bookstore). Closing date for applications is 1989 August 09.

V.C.C./K.E.C. requires an English as a Second Language Counsellor. Closing date for applications is 1989 August 14.

Lawrence Fast



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