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FITWEEK MAY 24 - JUNE 2, 1991

May 24 - June 2 has been proclaimed Fitweek in Canada and fitness activities and events will be organised across the country.

According to Campbell's Survey on Well Being in Canada 1988 only one third of the population is fit enough to benefit their health. The aim of a designated Fitweek is to encourage all Canadians to incorporate regular physical activity into their everyday lives - to become Fit for Life.

To encourage those who need encouragement, eleven national projects are planned: Sneaker Day, Canadian Tire Get Cycling Challenge, Do it Daily....for Life, Catch the WAVE to Fitness, Crownlife Participation Challenge, Guiding is Active!, MOGA Madness, Run for Light, Shift Shuffle, Spacewalk 2000 and Walk On! This should provide something for everybody - each project is geared to a different target group and encourages different types of physical activity.

Fitweek will increase awareness and reinforce the benefits and opportunities of physical activity - walking, gardening, swimming, cycling are activities most of us could pursue more readily and with greater frequency in our daily lives.

Your suggestions for Campus fitness activities are encouraged. Let us hear from you.

Sarah Lucas

REMINDER - CBIE WESTERN REGIONAL CONFERENCE

A reminder for those who are planning to attend this year's Canadian Bureau for International Education Regional Conference on May 22, 23 and 24, 1991, please return your registration forms to Jindra Repa's office as soon as possible.

This year the conference will be held at The New World Harbourside Hotel, Vancouver. The conference program, quality of speakers and participants, proximity and subsidised fee of \$35 for faculty members makes this an event not to be missed. As the hosting institution for the CBIE conference, VCC looks forward to your participation.

CONGRATULATIONS

Donna Barreca (Counselling) gave birth to a baby girl on Sunday, April 28th at 10:12 a.m. Congratulations to Mom, Dad and baby Tera Christina Barreca Miller.

Also....

Congratulations and best wishes from us all to Candace (Admissions) and Ronald Leung on the birth of their son on Wednesday, May 1st at 5:15 p.m. We have not yet been advised of the baby's name.

THE VCC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION NEEDS YOU!

The VCC Alumni Association is searching for College faculty and staff to lend their experience and knowledge as members of our Board of Directors for the 1991-92 year.

The Alumni Association was established in 1985 to serve the needs and interest of past VCC students as well as to support the College in maintaining a high community profile. To this end, we have organized Career Fairs at Langara and City Centre, our special anniversary magazine will soon be coming off the press, and a variety of social events such as reunions and dinner theatre evenings. Through casino fundraising, we have donated almost \$30,000 to student scholarships and bursaries in the past three years and are currently planning our first fundraising campaign to alumni. As a member of our Board, you can help cultivate new programs such as a mentoring network between alumni and students. The Board oversees the activities of the Association, taking an active role in decision making through monthly meetings and receives support from the Association's two staff members.

If you have been a student within the College or Continuing Education Division, consider giving a few hours each month to this worthy cause.

An informal reception will be held for potential members Thursday, May 9, 1991 beginning at 6:30 p.m. For further details please call Barbara Alldritt, Executive Director, at 875-1131, local 353.

VCC Alumni Association

NEW YORK TIMES BOOK CLUB

Please note the next meeting will be on May 10 from 12:00 - 1:00 in Room 4043.

At this meeting we will share our interest in Latin American writers and take the opportunity to add more books to your reading list. If you would like to discuss Gabriel Garcia Marquez, Isabel Allende, Jorge Luis Borges, Julio Cortazar, Mario Vargas Llosa, Pablo Neruda or any other from the wealth of authors in Latin America, join us for lunch on May 3. Please confirm with Carol Mercier at local 738 by May 8.

Lawrence Fast

REMINDER

Census Canada - Student Employment

Census Canada is recruiting students at KEC to assist with census canvassing in this area. Students who qualify are asked to bring their letters of application to the KEC Auditorium on May 2. There Census Canada reps can answer questions and schedule a test time.

Census Canada also requires four bilingual (especially Spanish) or multilingual students to work at an info/help centre in the foyer on the 4th floor from May 29 to June 10 (temporary, full-time). Information about these Census Representative positions is available at Counselling Reception.

Grant Kelly

INTERNATIONAL ASSIGNMENT OPPORTUNITIES

MARINE SCIENCE EDUCATION PROJECT IN INDONESIA

Twenty positions are available in Indonesia through the Marine Science Education Project (a World Bank funded development project). For more information about overseas assignments in Indonesia please contact International Education at 875-1131, Local 356.

TEACHING OPPORTUNITY IN GREECE

An instructor is required to teach English in Larissa, Greece from Sept. 1991 to April, 1992 inclusive. For more information please contact Madeleine at 738-5976.

TEACHING OPPORTUNITIES IN BRUNEI

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates to fill the following vacancies in the Government Technical Institutions of the Department of Schools, Ministry of Education, Negara Brunei Darussalam.

Education Officer

Salary Scale: G13 B\$2,270 - B\$4,240 per month

Age: 25 - 50 years

Terms of Appointment: 2-3 year contract

Areas of Specialisation:

1. English Language (TEFL/ESP/TESL)
2. Accountancy
3. Computer Studies/Computer Science/Computer Technology
4. Mathematics / Applied Mathematics/Statistics
5. Physics/Applied Physics

6. Electrical/Electronics/Telecommunication Engineering
7. Instrumentation and Control Engineering
8. Business Studies/Administration
9. Aircraft Engineering (Airframe & Engine Avionics)
10. Engineering Science

If you are interested and would like more information, please contact Saroj Kumar at Local 742, Fourth Floor Administration.

CANADIAN VISITORS TO THAILAND

The Technical Cooperation Facility in Bangkok welcomes Canadian visitors who would like to visit Thai education institutions, beyond their original travel plans.

For further information contact International Education, Central Administration, 875-1131, Local 356.

KEC AWARDS DAY

To all Administrators, Faculty, Staff and Students:

Reminder of the Awards Day Ceremony on Thursday, May 16 in the KEC Auditorium from 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome to come and recognize the scholarship recipients! Please mark your calendar and try to attend.

Sandra North

NEW VIDEO TITLES IN THE LIBRARY....

1. DRUGS AND THE NERVOUS SYSTEM
2. WORKING WOMEN: CAN THEY HAVE IT ALL?
3. OPEN ENGLISH: FAMILY ALBUM, U.S.A. SERIES
 - a) 46 LINDEN STREET
 - b) THE BLIND DATE
 - c) GRANDPA'S TRUNK
 - d) A PIECE OF CAKE
 - e) THE RIGHT MAGIC
 - f) THANKSGIVING
 - g) MAN'S BEST FRIEND
 - h) YOU'RE GOING TO BE FINE
 - i) IT'S UP TO YOU
 - j) SMELL THE FLOWERS
 - k) A PLACE OF OUR OWN
 - l) YOU'RE TOPS
 - m) A REAL STEWART

LIBRARY SUMMER HOURS

Library
hours
from
May 06 -
August
24 will
be:



Monday - Tuesday	8:30 - 5:00 p.m.
Wednesday	8:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Thursday	10:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Friday	10:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Mark Goertz

STUDENT SUCCESS AT VCC

All those interested in supporting success courses at VCC, are invited to attend a meeting on Wednesday, May 22 at 3:30 p.m., in Room 2145 at King Edward Campus.

Joyce Jarrett

VCC 25TH ANNIVERSARY MUGS

Those employees at King Edward Campus who were unable to attend the 25th Anniversary Reception at Langara on Monday, April 29 are invited to pick up their anniversary mug from Saroj Kumar, Fourth Floor Administration.

Sarah Lucas

SILENT AUCTION

The City Centre Library is offering for sale by

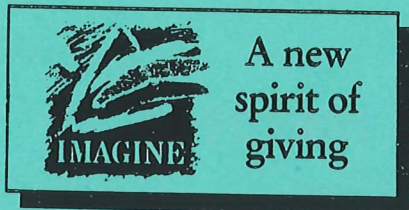
SILENT AUCTION

Encyclopedia Americana (1984)	\$100.00
World Book Encyclopedia (1982)	\$ 50.00
Thomas Register of Companies (1987)	\$ 25.00

These are multiple volume sets and the minimum bids are as indicated above. **Forward your bid to the Information Desk, City Centre Library by May 31, 1991.**

City Centre Library

VCC FOUNDATION NOTES



CORPORATIONS AND OUR COMMUNITY

Do you believe that corporations have an obligation to the community in which they conduct their business? Many Canadians do feel this way, and also try to be aware of which companies make contributions. A recent Decima Study highlighted some interesting trends concerning the public's view of the role of Canadian corporations in the community. The results are of particular importance not only to corporations, but also to those of us who like to see corporations involved in community life.

The Decima Study found that 80% of Canadians believe corporations have a responsibility to provide financial support to charitable organizations. Not only do they believe there is a financial responsibility, but they have a growing concern about the social practices of the companies in our community. Two out of three Canadians think that the business sector will face increased criticism for activities considered unethical or immoral in the years ahead.

Many Canadians (50%) have increased their discretionary shopping habits. In fact, 58% say they distinguish between companies they consider to be better corporate citizens and other less responsible companies, and that this impression influences their buying decisions.

These and the numerous other finds of the study tell the corporate sector that Canadians think businesses should help improve the quality of life for the community in which they operate. This and public concern about ethical business

practices should be a signal to Canadian corporations that consumers are becoming increasingly choosy about the companies with which they deal. And that means a business must be a solid citizen of the community.

What significance does the information provided by the 1989 Decima Research Study have for non-profit organizations like the VCC Educational Foundation?

A consumer-sensitive corporation will heed the information gathered by studies indicative of Canadian attitudes (such as the Decima Study), and ensure that they are good citizens. There are extensive opportunities for companies to become identified in the public mind as leaders in their community. To be successful citizens a business may choose to become involved with the not-for-profit sector in their area by:

- * helping with community services
- * donating money to charitable organizations
- * encouraging employees to volunteer their time for community work

As more and more businesses recognize the need to increase their level of involvement in the community, so the level of support for not-for-profit organizations will also rise. The VCC Educational Foundation has noted an important increase in corporate support, both financial and non-financial, with several recent fundraising opportunities being initiated and organized by members of the business community. The staff and volunteers of the Foundation believe this support for VCC will continue to develop as corporations see the importance of becoming more active in the community.

Educational Foundation

Do you know what it's really like to be deaf?

"Trade Places" for 30 minutes
And find out at the

Hearing Awareness Week

May 13 - 16 1991

For full details please turn in attached form

Special Education Advisory Committee

To: Helen Chan
Coordinator, Program for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing

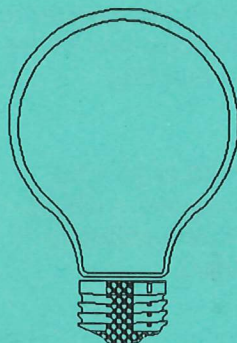
From: _____ (Name)
 _____ (Department)
 _____ (Local)

I would like to participate in "Trading Places" to find out what it's like to have hearing loss. Please provide me full details.

March, 1991



HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT



CREATIVITY PART 2

This day long workshop is a continuation of the ½ day Introductory workshop on Creativity offered in the Fall of 1990 and early Winter of 1991.

We will:

- ★ Work in small groups to apply a Creative Problem Solving Model to our everyday problems.
- ★ Learn the "Relaxation Response" which will enhance accessing our creativity under stress.

- ★ Learn about and practice "Six Hat Thinking".
- ★ Examine the paradigms we operate under.

Facilitators for the day will be: Carl Floe, Biology Department; Rhoda Brooke, Nursing Program and Marie MacDonald, Social Service Worker Program. All three of these people are instructors at Langara.

DATE/TIME: MAY 10, 1991 from 9 to 4

LOCATION: ROOM 5025 - CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION

To Register:

- 1 - Complete and send the form below to Human Resource Development. Note: Your registration will be confirmed in writing. Call 875-1131, local 337 if you require more information or assistance.
- 2 - Obtain permission from your supervisor to attend by completing a "Request for Leave from Duty" form and send it to Employee Relations.

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CREATIVITY PART 2

May 10, 1991

Name: _____ Position: _____

Department: _____ Campus: _____ Phone Local: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____

Date sent to HRD: _____

RETURN TO HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT





ICSC COMPUTING CORNER

Electronic Mail

Q: What is E-Mail and how may it be used?

A: E-Mail, electronic mail, is a means of sending messages from one computer to another. Messages are sent to a mailbox on a large computer system and wait there until read by the person to whom they are addressed.

E-Mail may be used to communicate between persons

- within the same building or institution
- in different regions of the country
- in different countries

E-mail users have an ID which is another name for an individual mailbox on a large computer system. For example, a user with an ID at the computing centre at SFU might have this mailbox: `mary_lee@cc.sfu.ca` which translates to Mary Lee at the Computing Centre SFU on the Canadian Network. All messages for Mary Lee remain at this mailbox until she turns on her computer and checks her mail. When she does so, her messages appear on her computer screen. She may then read them, print them, or save them to a disk and read them later.

An E-Mail message may be addressed to a single individual or to all the members of a pre-set mailing list. For example a person sending the minutes of a meeting to all those who had attended, would type in the minutes and then give the command to "post" them to a group address. A copy of the minutes would then appear in the electronic mailbox of each member of the group.

At the Meeting



Minutes have been mailed to one address but have reached all members of the group

Reading the minutes



Who might use E-mail?

department heads informing department members of the details of a meeting

a person tired of playing telephone tag but wishing to ensure that a colleague was contacted.

a conference coordinator in the planning stages of a conference

a student needing to contact an instructor

family members in different parts of the country or the world with access to a computer

any person wishing to contact another person about any matter at all.

Any one wishing to receive or send E-mail should first become a member of SFU X-Change. This service is free to members of Vancouver Community College. Membership forms may be obtained from the ICSC or from my office-Room 2135 or call me at Loc 776 to have a form placed in your mail box.

Next week-how to set up your computer to send and receive E-Mail

Office Hours: Mon. to Thurs. 11-4pm; Wed. 5-7pm
FINANCIAL AID OFFICE (#4029)

APRIL 1991

SUMMER 1991
K.E.C. BURSARIES

DEADLINE: THURSDAY MAY 30, 1991 4:00 p.m.

Additional financial assistance is provided to deserving KEC students by the King Edward Campus Bursary Fund established through private donations. In recent years bursaries have been provided by the following donors:

Alumni Association
Credit Union Foundation of B.C.
Doug Brown Memorial Trust Fund
Foley, Ingledow, Ross, Strathcona
Italian Cultural Centre
KEC Student Advisory Committee
KEC Student Aid Fund
Simons Foundation
Student Society Emergency Aid Fund
VCC Student Aid Fund

How much are the bursaries? What are they for?

Bursaries are awarded between \$25.00 to \$250.00. The amount depends on the availability of funds and number of applicants. These bursaries are awarded to students who show financial need and who have expenses during their educational term that are difficult to meet.

Who can apply?

Part-time and full-time KEC students who:

- are registered in courses during the Summer 1991 term at KEC; (May to August 1991)
- can show financial need after they have used up all other means of financial assistance; and
- are attending classes regularly and doing well in their course of study.

When and how can I apply?

Bursary applications are available from May 1st to May 30th, 1991 at either the Financial Aid Office or the Counselling Career Centre. (Completed applications must be returned to the Financial Aid Office). The deadline for Summer 1991 Bursary applications is Thursday, May 30, 1991 at 4:00 p.m.

Bursaries will be awarded end of June by mail.

POSITIONS OPENING

Langara

Laboratory
Demonstrator I
(Chemistry
Department). Closing
date: May 8, 1991.

KEC

Program Assistant II
(ESL Vocational
Department). Closing
date: May 7, 1991.

Department Head,
Science - College
Foundations Program
(Adult Basic
Education Division).
Closing date: May
10, 1991.

Central Admin.

Clerk II (Employee
Relations Department.
Closing date: May
13, 1991.

City Centre

Department Head
(Office Administration
Department). Closing
date: May 05, 1991.

Secretary II (Health
Sciences Division).
Closing date: May 7,
1991.

Program Assistant I -
part-time (Drafting
Department). Closing
date: May 8, 1991.

Student Services
Assistant - Adult
Special Education
Students (Counselling
Department). Closing
date: May 7, 1991.

CLASSIFIED

BUY AND SELL

PRINTER, Fujitsu DL3300, 24 pin with reversing
tractor; costs \$1100.00 new, \$300.00 (o.b.o.); NEC 12"
color monitor, CGA/EGA with Paradise EGA card;
\$150.00 (o.b.o.); call Rene, 272-0712 or local 431.