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HAS RECYCLING AT VCC GONE BUST?

Will we ever get back to recycling paper??? Yes, we will! But once again the matter has been postponed, this time because the budget crisis has held up purchase of containers. I regret that I have to suggest that you may have to let go some of the paper you have been conscientiously saving. It may be another six weeks before we have the containers. But we'll try our best!

Lawrence Fast

PSST... CAN YOU GIVE US A HAND?

The Vancouver Racing Society is the Proud Host of the 1991 Teleglobe World Cup English Bay Triathlon on Saturday, July 27, 1991.

This is the fourth race of an 11 race series around the world and it is the only world cup race being held in Canada. Competing will be all the top triathletes from around the world, as well as our own local competitors (not ones to back off from a challenge).

We really need a lot of volunteers in order to make this event a successful Vancouver and BC presentation. If you could volunteer, we would really appreciate it, if you would phone Liz

Graham at 731-7738 or fax her at 738-7583 and leave your name and phone number. You will receive a great souvenir shirt to go with the fun times.

Malcolm Cant



LIBRARY NEWS

New Videos

The following titles are now available:
Our Primary Program, Taking the Pulse, Special Delivery (replacement copy)

New Periodical

We now have MOSAIC: Research Notes on Literacy which is published three times per year. It is available at the third level Library office.

Class Assignments in the Library



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Library News (Cont'd)

Many classes are now being given library assignments where they must come to the Library (during class time) to research various topics for class debates, papers, oral presentations, etc.

It would be very helpful to reference staff, if instructors would please do the following:

1. ALWAYS notify the Library when you plan to send your entire class. WE have limited seating space, and other classes may already have been scheduled to use the Library. Also, we only have one librarian assigned at any time on the Information desk; other arrangements to assist your students may be necessary.
2. ALWAYS notify the information desk (local 513) of the topics your class is assigned to research. There is nothing more frustrating to your students (and librarians) than having an entire class looking for information on one or two topics, when in fact the first student into the Library has already depleted our selection.

If we know in advance, we can arrange materials for reserve or check ahead of time to ascertain that our collection can accommodate your topics.

3. ALWAYS arrange for your students to receive bibliographic instruction to assist them in becoming self-sufficient Library users. You need only call local 513 (the information desk) and schedule a class session where the librarian will explain clearly to your students how to find materials in the Library, the use of the computer catalogue terminals and periodical indexes.

By following these three simple measures, you

will ensure that your students have positive Library and research experiences rather than negative and frustrating ones. Also, please remember that many KEC students have not gained a familiarity with libraries (or libraries as we know them) in their pre-KEC lives.

We cannot assume that KEC students know how to use our Library and our main objective is to promote a very positive and successful library experience.

Mark Goertz

ODE TO A COMMITTEE

Oh, give me your pity, I'm on a Committee,
which means that from morning to night
We attend and amend, contend and defend,
without a conclusion in sight.

We concur and confer, demur and defer,
and reiterate all of our thoughts,
We revise the agenda with frequent addenda,
then consider a load of reports.

We compose and propose, suppose and
oppose--
the points of procedure are fun.
Though various notions are brought up as
motions,
There's terribly little gets done!

We resolve and absolve, but never dissolve,
since it's out of the question for us
To bring our Committee to end like this ditty
which stops with a period--thus.

Author Unknown

OOPS!

While Cathy Tolsma is on vacation, Judy Hughes can be contacted at local 476 **not** at local 475 for Business and Computer matters. Apologies to all for this error.

ON VACATION

Rose Marie Watson, Department Head, ESL Outreach (P.D.)
Period: July 08-25 and July 29-August 20
Contact: Gillian Akin, local 559

Sonja Alton, Department Head, Humanities
Period: July 05-August 26
Instructors on duty July/August: Walter Behnke, local 565, Don Davidson, local 562, Lorne Malo, local 564, Grace Shaw, local 571

Jean Cockell, Department Head, Math
Period: July and August
On Duty: August 19-20, 28-30
Contact: Ruth Behnke, local 572

Anne McElroy, Computer Liaison Instructor
Period: July and August
Contact: Stephen Fryer, local 556

Mary Waddington, Department Head, Basic Education
Period: July 05-August 22.
Contact: Edie Mackenzie, local 475 or Darlene Vuch

Brenda Appleton, Department Head, Library
Period: June 28 - July 26
Contact: Aphrodite Harris, local 438

Margaret Mackenzie, Development Release Instructor, Learning Centre
Period: July
Contact: Messages at local 504

Cathy Tolsma, Department Head, Business and Computer Studies

Period: July and August

Contact: Judy Hughes, local 476

Helen Spencer, Department Head, ESL-CPE

Period: July 03 - August 02

Contact: Jack Whelan, local 543

Sam Lewindon, Careers Division Chair

Period: July 12 - August 16

Contact: Joan Rippel, local 729, for routine information matters; Vice Principal for matters requiring administrative decisions.

Peter Lear, Coordinator, BTSD Math/Science (and Leave)

Period: Until September 30, 1991.

Contact: Barbara Little, local 260 or Barbara Ash, local 467

Barbara Little, Coordinator, BTSD

Period: July 12-31

Contact: Maria Wang, local 472

Do you know a volunteer grandparent?
Would you like to be an Auntie for a day?
Contact Susan, Ingrid or Jan at the
McGregor Child Care Centre at 879-3123
between 1:30 - 2:00 p.m. any day.

July 1991

"Celebrating 20 Years at VCC"

by Vi Bienert

On January 5, 1971, I commenced employment with Vancouver Community College. During the past 20 years, under the umbrella of Employee Relations, I worked as Personnel Assistant - Instructional, Personnel Officer - Classifications and Recruitment and the past two years as Manager, Human Resource Development. All of the positions were fulfilling, challenging and frustrating, at times. The side benefit was that they touched the lives of nearly all of the employees at VCC in some small way or another. However, the position as Manager, HRD was by far the cream. I have had an opportunity to interact, in a very positive way, with so many committed and talented people, both internally and externally.

Since 1985, I have been preparing myself to someday take a sabbatical leave from VCC. Even though I have been away from the College for only five months, it is very apparent that "total freedom" is for me. I have been to New Zealand, Australia, The Prague, Budapest, Vienna, Italy, Germany and numerous vacation spots in Canada and the United States.

So, even though my actual retirement date is really many, many years away, the time has come for me to move into another phase of my life. Therefore, I have decided to take an early retirement from VCC upon the expiration of my sabbatical leave at the end of February, 1992.

I will look upon my many years at the College as not temporary or broken ties but permanent ties. Any day is a good day to renew ties again. Write. Visit. Call. Chat.

In conclusion, my personal best wishes to VCC -- a quite special place.

Warmly,

Vi Bienert

Note: A Retirement Reception to honour Vi as she retires from VCC will be held sometime in late Fall.

Dale Jones

POSITIONS OPENING

Langara

Temporary Clerk Cashier (Bookstore). Closing date: July 18, 1991.

Telephone Operator/Receptionist. Closing date: July 19, 1991.

Temporary Full-Time Media Librarian (Advanced Education Media Acquisitions Centre). Closing date: July 21, 1991.

Temporary Nursing Instructors (RN Nursing Program). Closing date: August 19, 1991.

KEC

Temporary Admissions Clerk (ESL - Outreach). Closing date: July 17, 1991.

Audiovisual Technician II. Closing date: July 18, 1991.

Computer Liaison Instructor. Closing date: July 11, 1991.

Central Admin.

City Centre

Stores Clerk (Food Services). Closing date: July 16, 1991.

Cafeteria Worker (Food Trades Department). Closing date: July 17, 1991.

Audiovisual Technician II. Closing date: July 18, 1991.

Department Head (Programme Development and Staff Training Department). Closing date: August 02, 1991.

Continuing Education

CLASSIFIED

BUY AND SELL

Kawai piano, 4 years old, excellent condition, \$2500; contact Bicky, 271-2639.

1988 Ford Mustang LX Hatchback, charcoal grey with red interior, PS, PB, automatic, power door locks, power mirrors, power gas lock, overdrive, cruise control, AM/FM stereo cassette, only 39,000 kilometer, mint condition; MUST SELL! \$8,400 or best offer; call Leanne at 521-8911.

1975 Valiant Scamp; 2 dr.; PS; 225 6 cyl.; reliable; burns no oil; driven by Librarian; \$575 or best offer; call Mark at 255-8146 or local 580.

Moving! Must sell! Kenmore washer, dryer, freezer and fridge; gas barbecue and vacuum; TV and VCR; computer; Nintendo; electric heaters; small kitchen appliances; power tools; electric garden toos; telephones and radios; All at very reasonable

prices; All have instruction manuals. Phone Celia or Bob at 538-0176 from July 14-24.

