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CONGRATULATIONS TO LEANOR VLUG

Joan Horsley, Acting Principal, is pleased to announce the appointment of **Leonor Vlug** as **Coordinator II, Program for Deaf and Hard of Hearing** in the Adult Basic Education Division at King Edward Campus, effective April 01, 1992. Leonor joined the college in 1988 and became a regular full-time instructor on April 01, 1990. Please join me in extending best wishes to Leonor on this appointment.

Joan Horsley

BYE THE WAY...

There is a new voice saying hello when you call the main office of Public Relations and Development at 871-7168. His name is **Dale Rasmussen** and he has just been appointed Departmental Secretary II in Public Relations and Development. Welcome to VCC Dale!

HARASSMENT ISSUES ADVISER

Kathryn Thomson, VCC's Harassment Issues Advisor, can be reached for confidential consultation at 876-2932.

Mel Felker



FINANCIAL AID UPDATE...

ABESAP applications are now available for next term. Please advise your students to apply early to receive assistance. Also, our office is available to give mini-talks to classes between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM. If you would like to schedule a talk for your class please call the Financial Aid office at local 7048 or 7046.

OPPORTUNITIES IN THAILAND FOR ESL TEACHERS

Sripatum University in Bangkok, Thailand is seeking applications from qualified E.S.L. teachers in British Columbia to teach during the upcoming Thai academic year (June, 1992 - February, 1993). The University is also interested in recruiting either an E.S.L. teacher with some knowledge of media and business, or a Marketing/Media specialist interested in training to teach E.S.L., for their Masters program in Communication Arts. Resumes and inquiries should be forwarded no later than Monday, March 30, 1992. If you are interested please see VIA Bulletin Boards or call Sharon Harder, local 7023, 4th Floor Administration, for further information.

Vancouver Community College
King Edward Campus - Library
P.O. Box 24620 - Stn. C
1155 East Broadway
Vancouver, B.C. V5T 4N3

Sarah Lucas

ABSENCES FROM CAMPUS

Jack Whelan is away on P.D. and holidays from February 24 to May 1 inclusive.

Cecily May, International Education Coordinator, will be away on holiday March 11 to 24 inclusive. Please contact either Jindra Repa or Tom Toulson in her absence.

Barbara Ash, Coordinator of English and Social Science in the BTSD Department will be on holiday from March 12 to 27 (inclusive). Please contact Barb Little or Peter Lear about BTSD matters.

Brenda Appleton, Campus Librarian, will be on vacation from March 16 to March 20 (inclusive). Please contact Mark Goertz at local 7223.

NEW YORK TIMES BOOK CLUB

Our next meeting will be on April 24 at 12:00 NOON to 1:30 PM in Room 4043. We will discuss travel books. All travellers are welcome. After that, in late May or early June, we will discuss "Friend Of My Youth" by Alice Munro. Please bring your lunch to the meetings.



Joan Rike

NOROOZ

The 20th day of March is the beginning of spring and marks the Iranian new year called "Norooz", which means New Day. Norooz is the first day of the Iranian calendar and has been celebrated for almost 3000 years by Iranians.

Weeks before Norooz, families prepare to celebrate the new year by placing seeds in bowls of water to ensure green shoots for the first day of spring. They clean their homes thoroughly, send new year's greeting cards to relatives and friends, and on the eve of the last Wednesday of the year everyone in the family jumps over a small bonfire, to leave behind the sorrows of the old year.

Hours before the beginning of spring, the family places seven objects called "HAFT SEEN" seven S's on a table. These are objects whose names begin with S and which represent happiness, vitality and health: Sabzeh - sprouted seeds; Sonebole - hyacinth; Seeb-Apples; Samanoo - Sweet wheat pudding; Serkeh - vinegar; Sumac; and Senjid - wild olive. It is also traditional to place a coloured egg on a mirror. As the new year begins the earth is said to tremble and so does the egg.

The hours preceding the beginning of spring are spent with family members. At the exact hour they wish each other health, happiness and good fortune for the new year and greet each other with hugs and kisses.

Manijeh Golkhizi

MENTAL FITNESS CORNER

PUZZLE:

Find a pair of rhyming words that describe the following. One of the words is the proper name of the thing, person or place. For example, a tax on an American car - Chevy Levy.

- 1) Give a world leader the shove.
- 2) Bills due at a department store.
- 3) A bankrupted soda pop.
- 4) A gas station for sale.
- 5) Italian food on credit.
- 6) Have enough money for a Japanese car.
- 7) A restaurant in touch with the latest fads.
- 8) Trouble on a Vancouver street.
- 9) A former prime minister coming out of a tanning booth.
- 10) A Canuck using a blender.

TRIVIA:

What makes popcorn pop?

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S SUBMISSIONS:

PUZZLE:

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| 1) Carpenter | 6) Secretary |
| 2) Doctor | 7) Policeman |
| 3) Mechanic | 8) Journalist |
| 4) Teacher | 9) Soldier |
| 5) Shoemaker | 10) Architect |

TRIVIA:

A shield - the dexter is the left side and the sinister is the right side (from the perspective of the person wearing the shield).

If you have any comments, suggestions, puzzles or trivia, please pass them along! Thanks.

Wayne Ko

PACIFIC RIM MAGAZINE UPDATE

The majority of articles are in hand and being edited, photography students have been out on shoots and the design process is well under way. The magazine launch will again take place in the City Centre atrium, and the date is set for **Thursday, 4 June**. This year there will be a Hong Kong theme with a few novelties and surprises. Mark your calendar.

Richard Hopkins, Publisher
Pacific Rim Magazine
Langara Campus

APOLOGIES! APOLOGIES!

As the March 18 Status Of Women meeting was Cancelled. The meeting has been re-scheduled for **March 24 at 3:30 PM in Room 4056**.

Joy Hargreaves

PLEASE NOTE...

The Receiving Department will now be stocking the Laser Labels (2 3/4" X 1") and the Letter Size Hanging File Folders. Please contact **Dennis Cummings** at local 7399 to place any orders.

Dennis Cummings

The next meeting of the **ALL CAMPUS COUNCIL MEETING** will be on Wednesday, March 25, 1992. If you have any issues you would like to see raised there, please contact your departmental A.C.C. representative.

Marta Gardiner

MUSIC DEPARTMENT

The Vancouver Community College, Department of Music presents **Jazz At The Cultch**. The event will be held on Thursday, March 26 at 7:30 PM at the Vancouver East Cultural Centre, 1895 Venables Street at Victoria Drive. Tickets for general admission are \$8.00, Seniors \$5.00, or 5 Student Tickets for \$20.00. For information and tickets, please call 871-7297.

Library Information Desk to obtain forms and further information.

Pre-registering for CILS cuts down on the waiting period for texts, etc. and allows the Library time to identify a student's information needs before they become urgent. Any assistance instructors could provide by letting students know about CILS and the need to register early to access its services, would be greatly appreciated.

FIRE INSPECTION NOTICE

Cathy Perry

As a result of last weeks inspection by the City of Vancouver Fire Department, we must remove all the heckstops from the classroom and office doors leading into the corridor in accordance with By Law No. 2193, section 8.4. I regret this inconvenience but we are required by law to comply. The stops will be removed within the next two weeks prior to our next inspection. For further clarification on this matter, please contact Jay Strachan at local 7373.

Jay Strachan

CILS

Students and instructors who are print impaired are eligible to use CILS (British Columbia College and Institute Library Services Clearinghouse for the Print Impaired). CILS is a lending, searching and production service that assists students and instructors to obtain textbooks and other information in alternate formats such as cassette tape, braille and computer diskette. In addition, CILS services are available to students who are learning disabled, as long as they have certification.

To register for CILS, students (and instructors) are required to have a CNIB number or a completed Disability Statement Form. Anyone wishing to register should come to the KEC

VCC Music Department
proudly presents

Concert #4
1991-92 'In Concert' Series

SOUNDS OF BRASS

March 20, 1992
12 NOON to 1 PM
KEC Auditorium

Free Admission

BOOKSTORE UPDATE...

The KEC bookstore will be closed on Friday, March 27 for our annual inventory. We will be open normal hours the following week.

Monday/Tuesday/Friday 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM
Wednesday/Thursday 8:30 AM to 8:00 PM

Chris Donovan

VANCOUVER YOUTH THEATRE

PROUDLY PRESENTS

The Anti-Racism Show
Friday, March 20, 1992

FREE OF CHARGE

Maximum attendance 60
first come - first served

10:00 - 10:50
Boardroom 5025 - 5th Floor

11:00 - 11:50
Boardroom 5025 - 5th Floor

2:00 - 2:50
Auditorium

Teleconference

What Can E-Mail Do for You and What is Beyond E-mail?

Friday, March 27, 1992

Room 5042

9:30am



Session is limited to 10 participants. Registration on a first come first served basis. To register or for further information, contact Anne McElroy, Local 7382.

Association of Women in Post-Secondary Education

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

In response to a large number of requests from members, WPSE has arranged a series of meetings for April, May and June. These events are open to non-members and we encourage members bring guests and to publicize the meetings in their institutions.

APRIL 1, 1992	MAY 8, 1992	JUNE 19-20, 1992
Dinner Meeting	Dinner Meeting	Annual General Meeting
GUEST SPEAKER	GUEST SPEAKER	~ Workshop ~ Banquet
Wendy Waite Director, Employment Equity BC Institute of Technology	Hon. Penny Priddy Minister, Women's Equity Province of British Columbia	LOCATION: University of British Columbia ~ On-Campus accommodation ~ Program to be announced.
LOCATION: BCIT, Town Square Conference Room A & B	LOCATION: Kwantlen College Surrey Campus	
NO HOST BAR: 6:00 p.m.	NO HOST BAR: 6:00 p.m.	
DINNER: 6:30 p.m.	DINNER: 6:30 p.m.	
COST: Members \$15.00 Others \$20.00	COST: Members \$15.00 Others \$20.00	
Reservation(s) made for:	Reservation(s) made for:	
<small>(Keep for your records)</small>	<small>(Keep for your records)</small>	

REQUEST FOR RESERVATIONS

To assist in arranging the catering, it would be appreciated if you would FAX/mail/phone reservations five days before the event. Payment will be taken at the door.

FAX/Mail/Phone reservation by March 23 to:

Phyllis Johnson
WPSE
c/o BCIT
3700 Willingdon Avenue
Burnaby, V5G 3H2

FAX: 432-7848

Phone: 432-8529

Please make _____ reservations for the WPSE dinner meeting, April 1, 1992 at BCIT

Payment of \$ _____ (cheque or cash) will be made at the door.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

FAX/Mail/Phone reservation by April 27 to:

Laverne Grams
Kwantlen College
12666 - 72 Avenue
Surrey, V3T 5H8

FAX: 599-2578

Phone: 599-2529

Please make _____ reservations for the WPSE dinner meeting, May 8, 1992 at Kwantlen College

Payment of \$ _____ (cheque or cash) will be made at the door.

Name: _____

Phone: _____

YOUR ATTENTION PLEASE

ACCOUNTING CUT OFF DATES - Fiscal Year 1991/92

Please endeavour to ensure the following items are transmitted to Accounting before the due date to ensure a proper matching of expenditures with current year activities:

Item	Due Date
● Invoices without Purchase Orders and Invoices on Open Covering Purchase Orders	April 6, 1992

Please have these items coded, approved and forwarded to Accounts Payable. In cases where goods have been ordered on an open purchase order and the goods or services have been received on or before March 31, 1992, but the invoice has not been received, please send a memo to Tosh Ikesaka, stating the P.O. number, the kind of goods or services received, the date ordered, the date of receipt and the estimated costs.

● Items ordered and received but for use in next year	April 6, 1992
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If you have ordered any item of material dollar value that is for use in the 1992/93 fiscal year, please advise Tosh Ikesaka of the items and dollar amounts.

● Accounts Receivable	March 31, 1992
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Many agencies, including most government agencies have a March 31st year end and would like to receive all billings as quickly as possible. Please ensure that all billing requests are forwarded to Jean Deer, Fourth Floor Administration.

● Mileage Allowances	April 6, 1992
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Please send all approved mileage claim forms to Accounts Payable.

● Travel Advances	April 6, 1992
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ALL expense reports for travel, meetings and conferences are to be sent to Accounts Payable.

Please note items received after the due date will be charged against the 1992/93 Budget.

Thank you.

Brant Wasney

POSITIONS OPENING

City Centre

King Edward Campus

Instructional Assistant I
(ESL Vocational
Department). Closing
date: March 19, 1992.

Payroll Clerk II (Central
Administration).
Closing date:
March 30, 1992.

Langara Campus

Laboratory
Demonstrator I
(Chemistry Department).
Closing date:
March 23, 1992.

Continuing Education

Office Manager - King
Edward Campus.
Closing date:
March 31, 1992.

Miscellaneous

CMC invites
applications for the
position of Vice-
Chancellor, Higher
Colleges of Technology
- UNITED ARAB
EMIRATES. Closing
date: March 31, 1992.

Dawson College invites
applications from men
and women for the
position of Academic
Dean. Closing date:
April 3, 1992.

Please see the Faculty
Notice Board in the 4th
Floor Administration
for more information.

CLASSIFIED

BUY AND SELL

FOR SALE: 1977
DATSUN 280Z.
Pampered California
car; only 2 owners; 4
new all season tires;
very good condition; all
maintenance records
provided. \$5500
(OBO). Call Janice at
local 7247 or 942-0059.

FOR SALE: 1987
Toyota Camry; excellent
condition; 5 speed grey
new clutch; 91,500 km.
\$7950. Call Debbie at
local 7219 (Learning
Centre) or 872-3535.

FOR SALE: Custom
built, queen size water
bed. Complete: heater,
bladder, mattress cover,
1 set satin sheets/pillow
cases, bed spread,
shams, matching drapes.
All you need is water!!
Call Diane at local
7131.

MOVING SALE: 4298
Musqueam Drive (South
of West 41st Avenue
and S.W. Marine
Drive); large assortment
of household items
(large and small).
Saturday, March 21 and
Sunday, March 22 from
10:00 AM to 4:00 PM.
No earlybirds please.

FOR SALE: Nintendo
system, includes 2
controllers, zapper gun,
Super Mario and Duck
Hunt games. Excellent
condition, only 3 months
old. \$80 Nintendo
games: Super Mario 3,
Blades of Steel

\$25 each. Call Chris at
local 7361 or 438-3473.

FOR SALE: Boy's 20"
Free Spirit bike; blue &
white; good condition;
30. Call Chris at local
7361 or 438-3473.