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IN MEMORIUM...

Employees and students at Vancouver Community College were shocked and saddened to hear of the death of ESL Instructor Barbara Gray-Richards in a helicopter accident in Hawaii.

Ms. Gray-Richards joined the College in 1972 and twice served as Department Head for the College Preparatory English Department, although she never severed her ties with the classroom.

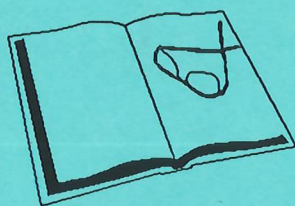
She served on numerous professional committees including the editorial boards to TESL (Teaching English as a Second Language) and TEAL (Teaching of English as an Additional Language).

Barbara was recognized for her excellence in teacher training and was responsible for developing the Teaching English for Academic Purposes course in VCC's TESL Certificate Program. She taught this course from 1987 to 1994 at both VCC and Malaspina College.

Two of her published texts: Composition - Writing Academic English for Students of English as a Second Language, and Teaching English for Academic Purposes, are widely used throughout the province.

Barbara placed great importance on Canadian studies in the education of second language learners and developed a rich Canadian Studies curriculum. This, along with her commitment to excellence, put a unique stamp on her department, which offers one of the largest academic English programs for ESL students in North America.

TO THE VCC COMMUNITY



Traditionally, the KEC Library and Media (IMS) as well as the Learning Centre and the ICSC have had to reduce or adjust hours over the summer. Unfortunately, all areas suffered major cuts last fall that resulted in a reduction of available hours and services for the fall and winter semesters.

Beginning the week of May 02, 1994, until Labour Day in September, we are as usual adjusting hours for this period. It has been a very difficult challenge to reduce hours from an already smaller base. I have consulted with administration and divisions to find the most tolerable solution so that we can serve our students over the summer.

The majority of people with whom I spoke strongly supported consistent open hours as well as the two evening openings, while cutting Friday service. We have received approval for the hours presented here from Linda Martin, Vice President of Educational Support Services.

Please note the changes on your calendars. I know we all look forward to fuller hours after Labour Day and regret any inconvenience to the users of our services.

Aphrodite Harris
Campus Librarian

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LIBRARY AND MEDIA SERVICES

SUMMER HOURS:

MAY 2-SEPTEMBER 2**

LIBRARY

Mon	9:00 - 4:30
Tues	9:00 - 9:00
Wed	9:00 - 9:00
Thur	9:00 - 4:30
Fri	CLOSED

MEDIA SERVICES

*May 24 - September 2

Mon	8:00 - 4:30
Tues	8:00 - 4:30
Wed	8:00 - 4:30
Thur	8:00 - 4:30
Fri	8:00 - 4:00

LEARNING CENTRE

**The Learning Centre will
be closed for the weeks of:
April 25 - 29 and

August 29 - September 2

Mon	9:00 - 7:00
Tues	9:00 - 7:00
Wed	9:00 - 7:00
Thur	9:00 - 7:00
Fri	10:30 - 3:30

INSTRUCTIONAL COMPUTING SUPPORT CENTRE

Mon	9:00 - 7:00
Tues	9:00 - 9:00
Wed	9:00 - 9:00
Thur	9:00 - 7:00
Fri	10:30 - 3:30

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THE END OF AN ERA

Rosemary Meyer is retiring at the end of April 1994.

Rosemary's association with the College goes back to 1971. Many instructors in the ESL Division will have fond memories of Rosemary going back to the days when she was Chair of the Communication Arts Division from January 01, 1976 to December 31, 1979.

Your friends and colleagues throughout KEC are going to miss you, Rosemary.

We wish you and John a very happy and rewarding retirement.

ESL Division

KEC AWARDS DAY

To all administrators, faculty, staff and students:
Reminder to mark your calendar for:

THURSDAY, MAY 5TH FROM 11 AM TO 12:30 PM

to attend the Awards Day Ceremony in the Auditorium. This is a very special event for students who have excelled academically. Please come to recognize the students and the scholarship donors.

Sandra North

WELCOME AND FAREWELL!

Registrar Penny Gallagher and staff would like to welcome Janeen Alliston, Elly Stornebrink, Lina Yung and Kitty Tso to the department. We send a fond farewell to Joe Langlois who has gone to Langara and Corinna Luk who is now working at City Centre. Also congratulations to Candace Leung who will be taking over as Admissions Advisor while Yvonne Chuen is on maternity leave.

Pam Ottridge

TO ALL FACULTY AND STAFF

Superannuation Booklet

Anyone who has not received a Syperannucation Plan Member Booklet should contact Monica Boettcher at local 7004.

Doreen Sharan

KEC BOOKSTORE'S

**USED BOOK
BUYBACK**

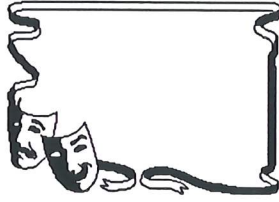
**THE BOOKSTORE
WILL BE ACCEPTING
USED BOOKS:**

**APRIL 25-29TH
9:00AM- 4:30PM**

**BOOKS ACCEPTED FOR
BUYBACK WILL BE BOUGHT
AT 50 % OF THE NEW PRICE**

**STUDENT IDENTIFICATION
WILL BE REQUIRED!**

THE INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR THE ELIMINATION OF RACISM



Facilitated by
Alchemy Theatre Lab
Funded by Multiculturalism B.C.

On March 21, 1994, the United Nations' International Day for the Elimination of Racism, students at King Edward Campus witnessed scenes of racism, and had the opportunity to try to put a stop to it. Those who attended this event watched a student-generated scene depicting situations where racism occurs at College. After viewing the scene once, members of the audience were able to interrupt the action and try their hand at effectively stopping racist oppression. Both the audience and the actors themselves were able to assess the impact of different interventions, gaining a clearer understanding of the forms racism takes and how to effectively speak out against it.

The interactive theatre workshop was the end result of 15 hours of training, during which nine KEC students worked under the guidance of Patty Fraser and Victor Porter of Alchemy Theatre. This event, and the training of the students who developed the play, took place due to a cooperative effort between the Harassment Issues Advisor at VCC, Shirin Theophilus, and Starlet Lum and Gosia Kaweckie of MOSAIC, Vancouver. The professional actors introduced the students to theatre exercises for the purpose of exploring individual experiences of discrimination and racism at the College. The short scene emerged from a collective examination of these experiences.

One of the purposes of bringing such an opportunity to the College was to begin to break the silence of racist oppression. One of the student actors, Josi Zedel, found that this experience has allowed her to become "much

more aware" of the sometimes subtle forms racism takes at school. "Now I am really digging inside, and I am more aware of body gestures - I can read people better". By openly acknowledging that racism exist, members of the College community may become better prepared to take action against it, with the faith that positive change may take place. Another of the actors involved, Mel Baconfield, clearly made the point that change is feasible: "Working in this program for only four days, I realized that even little things I did were discriminatory, but I am more aware now". This experience has also had an impact on Mel's life outside of the College, as he recently found himself speaking out against discrimination while riding the bus: "I never would have done that before, but because of the play, I realized that even one person can make a difference".

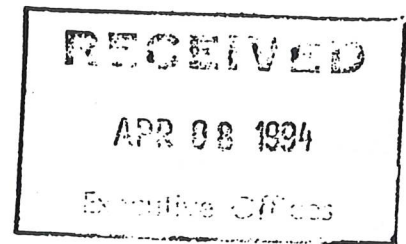
The student group is hoping to continue their work together, and to bring their piece of anti-racist forum theatre to audiences at other campuses. Enquiries may be made through Shirin Theophilus, Harassment Issues Advisor, VCC 871-7040 (voice mail).

WORKSHOP FOR FOREIGN TRAINED ACCOUNTANTS

The Foreign Credentials Committee of the Vancouver Society of Immigrant and Visible Minority Women is pleased to announce that a "Workshop for Foreign Trained Accountants" is scheduled for Wednesday, April 27, 1994 from 6:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and will be held at Heritage Hall, 3120 Main Street, Vancouver.

Please contact Doreen Sharan for more information.

MEMO



TO: All Presidents

FROM: Jim Wright
President, UCC

DATE: April 5, 1994


RE: CYCLATHON

This is a challenge for the First Annual B.C. College and Institute Bursary Cyclathon.

It is the intent for each institution to sponsor a team which would be representative of faculty, students, administration? and board? Each team would elicit pledges from within their own institutional community and the communities they serve. The purpose would be to support emergency bursary funds for that institution.

For the initial cyclathon, UCC already has a team in place which is comprised of faculty and one Board member. They are busy gathering their pledges. Other institutions would be required to transport their cycling team (a team not to exceed four riders - however you could enter more than one team) to Williams Lake for what would be a three day event; first day from Williams Lake to 100 Mile House - second day from 100 Mile House to Cache Creek - third and final leg from Cache Creek to Kamloops. The dates would be June 11/12/13.

We will need a speedy indication from you as to whether or not you will be entering a team so we can make the necessary arrangements for the event.



A. JAMES WRIGHT
President, UCC

MEMO



TO: All Presidents

FROM: Jim Wright
President, UCC

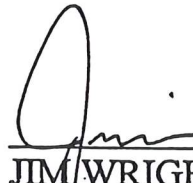
DATE: April 6, 1994

RE: DONATIONS FOR SPOT DANCES

We would like to give out prizes for spot dances during the fun activities of the AGM and Conference in June. We thought it would be a nice touch to have a prize available from each institution.

This is our request for a donation from your institution. Actually, we would require a donation of two items, i.e. two sweatshirts, two mugs, two caps (assuming no one will be dancing by themselves).

Please send your donations to Bev Wilson at UCC.



JIM WRIGHT
President, UCC



Association of
Women in Post-Secondary Education

CONFERENCE
AND
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

"TRANSFORMING
SELF AND SYSTEMS"

3 - 5 June 1994

BOWEN LODGE

BOWEN ISLAND, BRITISH COLUMBIA



THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
Continuing Studies

WHAT'S ON

TO: EVENTS EDITOR *Please announce in your Coming Events*

EVENT: LECTURE

DATES: Friday, April 29, 1994

TITLE: ARTS & PHYSICS: PARALLEL VISION IN SPACE

TOPIC: Have visionary artists foreshadowed key scientific discoveries later made by physicists? Author Leonard Shlain proposes that through the use of image and metaphor, revolutionary artists introduce a new way to see and then, using equations, physicists present a new way to think. Explore the relationship between Monet paintings and Einstein's theory of relativity with this entertaining speaker.

SPEAKER(S): Dr. Leonard Shlain, Chief of Endoscopic Surgery at the California-Pacific Medical Center & author of best selling book Art and Physics, now in its 4th printing in soft cover.

LOCATION: UBC, Woodward Building, Lecture Hall 6

TIME: 7:30 - 9:30 pm TEL. # FOR INFO/REG: 222-5203

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: \$20.00 pre-register to guarantee seat

(fees, refreshments, etc.)

Submitted by: Gwethalyn Gauvreau

Name

Humanities, Arts and Sciences

Department of Continuing Studies

222-5203

Telephone

Book early as space is limited for the conference/annual general meeting.

For further information, please contact Jean Cockell at 871-7008.

GRADUATION CERTIFICATE FRAMES!

- * A gift for your top student
- * An award for a student's efforts
- * A gesture of thanks to a student who did "something extra"
- * An attractive way to display your own certificate or diploma!

These polished brass certificate frames are complete with royal blue mats emblazoned with the VCC crest. Although they are available year round, these frames are especially valuable now as Spring graduation nears!

Drop by the VCC bookstores or Alumni office to view or purchase these frames. We think you will agree that they are a very useful and attractive value!

\$39.95
(plus PST)

Available at:

KEC and City
Centre Bookstores*
VCC Alumni
Office**



* The Bookstores can charge frames to your department's account, if desired.

** The Alumni office can package and mail frames off campus, if desired (shipping and handling charges apply).

VCC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
phone: 7147.

WPSE DINNER MEETING

Thursday, May 5, 1994
BCIT, Town Square D



Speaker: Marie MacDonald
The Management of Change

Presentation: We live in an era of rapid and unrelenting change. All change generates stress. We need to develop new skills to keep stress in check and enhance our personal wellbeing. One such skill is accessing our creativity to redefine our perspective. In this presentation we will discuss and practice the use of this skill.

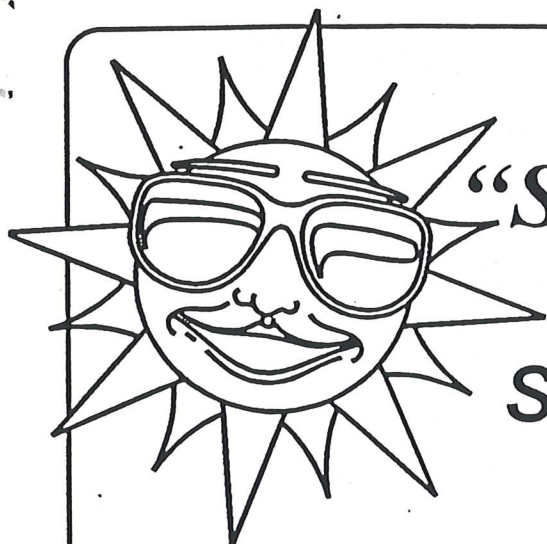
Marie MacDonald is a professional social worker who consults in the area of human resource development. She has been a part-time instructor at Langara for the past five years. Marie conducts workshops and consults in the areas of creativity, wellness and the management of change.



Social Hour 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Dinner - 7:00 p.m. Speaker: - 8:00 p.m.
Guests are welcome

Cost: \$15:00 (including wine with dinner)

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• Register by Fax or phone by Tuesday, May 3 :
• Colleen Goose: Phone: 432-8596 FAX: 434-8462
• Phyllis Johnson: Phone: 432-8529 FAX: 432-7848
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Come celebrate "Springtime In Victoria" with Int'l Education Saturday, April 30, 1994!

New and continuing International & non-International students, your friends, homestay family, relatives, staff or teachers are welcome to join this trip to celebrate spring in our beautiful capital. Victoria, the first place that spring arrives in Canada and host to the 1994 Commonwealth Games!



The day includes:



◆ A scenic & spectacular ferry ride to Vancouver Island through the jewel-like Gulf Islands!

◆ A picturesque ocean drive to visit the historical wall murals of Chemainus. Half an hour tour of murals, museum, & town via horse & carriage.



◆ A tour of one of the country's most beautiful gardens, Butchart Gardens, a riot of spring colours, flowering trees & springtime blooms!

◆ A sightseeing tour of Victoria by bus!

◆ A visit to the Royal British Columbia Museum!

◆ Free time to explore, have tea & shop in this bit of Canada that is more British than Britain!

Cost*

Adults 18yrs+	\$64.75
17 yrs. - 12 yrs.	\$59.00
11 yrs. - 5 yrs.	\$50.00
4 yrs. & Under	
Free if on your Knee	



**Cost includes, bus, ferry, carriage tour, entrance fees to Butchart Gardens & Museum!*

Bring your own lunch or snacks so that you have time to enjoy walking around Butchart Gardens!

The chartered bus leaves the KEC parking lot at 7:30 a.m. and returns at 9:00 p.m.

Please pay the cashier (4th floor, KEC) by April 25/94

Sorry no refunds after

April 25, 1994

Hurry! Book now!





I. E. Orientation

The KEC Staff Lounge will be closed :

*Thursday, April 28, 1994
from
1:00 p.m. - 2: p.m.
for*

*International Education
Students' Day
Closing Ceremony*

***Closing Ceremony Luncheon
Thursday, April 28, 1994
1:00 - 2:00 p.m.***

*International Education apologizes for any inconvenience this
closure may cause for the staff & faculty
of King Edward Campus*



I. E. Orientation

The KEC Staff Lounge will be closed :

*Friday, April 22, 1994
from
11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
for*

*International Education
Orientation for New Students
Summer Term ♦ May - Aug./94*

***"Taste of British Columbia" Luncheon
Friday, April 22, 1994
11:00 - 12:30 p.m.***



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closure may cause for the staff & faculty
of King Edward Campus*



Join US **in a celebration of VCC!**



Wednesday, May 11, 3:00 p.m.
Main Foyer, City Centre Campus

 **Live music courtesy
of the King Edward
Music Dept.**

 **Refreshments provided
by the City Centre
Food Services Dept.**

Sponsored by the KEC Social Events Planning Committee

STUDENT SERVICES - MAY - AUGUST 1994 SCHEDULE

(OPENING & CLOSING HOURS TO THE PUBLIC)

DEPARTMENT	DAYS	HOURS	LOCAL
ASSESSMENTS	MON, TUES & THURS WEDNESDAY FRIDAY	9:00 AM - 4:00 PM 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM CLOSED	7093
BOOKSTORE MAY 1 - 15 ONLY SUMMER HOURS MAY 16 - AUG 31	 MON, TUE, FRI WED & THURS MON, TUE, THURS & FRI WED	 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM 8:30 AM - 7:00 PM	7333/7332
CASHIERS	MON, TUE, THURS WEDNESDAY FRIDAY	9:00 AM - 4:30 PM 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM	7044/7045
COUNSELLING	MON, TUE, THURS & FRI WEDNESDAY	8:30 AM - 4:30 PM 8:30 AM - 7:30 PM	7191/7500
FINANCIAL AID	MON - THURS WED EVENING FRIDAY	11:00 AM - 4:00 PM 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM CLOSED	7046/7047/ 7048/7049
INST. COMPUTING SERVICES CENTRE (ICSC)	MON & THURS TUE & WED FRI	9:00 AM - 7:00 PM 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM 10:30 AM - 3:30 PM	A. Harris LOCAL 7319 LOCAL 7218
*INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA SERVICES (IMS)	MON - THURS FRIDAY	8:00 AM - 4:30 PM 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM (CLOSED FOR LUNCH 12:00-12:30PM FRIDAY)	7313/7314/ 7315
LIBRARY	MON & THURS TUE & WED FRIDAY	9:00 AM - 4:30 PM 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM CLOSED	7322 CIRC. 7323 CIRC. 7326 REF.
REGISTRARS'S OFFICE	MON, TUE, THURS WEDNESDAY FRIDAY	9:00 AM - 4:30 PM 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM	7030/7031 7032/7033 7034/7036 7037/7038 7039/7041
LEARNING CENTRE	MON - THURS FRIDAY	9:00 AM - 7:00 PM 10:30 AM - 3:30 PM	7219

*Hours may change as necessary during absences.

April 11, 1994 (Revised)

POSITION OPENINGS

Vancouver Community College:

Building Services Manager. Kind Edward Campus and KEC North and West. Closing date: April 22, 1994.

Coordinator, Occupational Health and Safety. Closing date: April 29, 1994.

Research Assistant (Institutional Research). This is a temporary project position from approximately May 09, 1994 to December 31, 1994. Closing date: April 26, 1994.

Vice President, Finance and Administration.

Dean of Applied Programs. Closing date: May 06, 1994.

Dean of Academic and Developmental Programs. Closing date: May 06, 1994.

Dean of Student Services. Closing date: May 06, 1994.

Langara College:

Confidential Secretary to the President. Closing date: April 22, 1994.

Confidential Secretary to the College Board. Closing date: April 22, 1994.

Confidential Secretary to the Bursar. Closing date: April 22, 1994.

Office Clerk (a) - Reception. First rights to this competition will be given to employees who have been displaced from this classification. Closing date: April 22, 1994.

Clerk Specialist (a) (Employee and Labour Relations). 2 positions. Closing date: April 29, 1994.

King Edward Campus:

Automotive Collision Repair and Refinishing Program Instructor. Closing date: April 26, 1994.

Miscellaneous:

President (Camosun College). No closing date listed.

Director of Development (Emily Carr College and Art and Design). Closing date: April 29, 1994.

Executive Director (The British Columbia Council on Admissions and Transfers). Selection of short-list candidates will commence approximately May 01, 1994.

Faculty Advisor, Yukon Native Teacher Education Program Ayamdigut Campus (Whitehorse). Closing date: May 02, 1994.

Simon Fraser University searching for Sessional Instructors. Closing date: April 22, 1994.

CLASSIFIED

KEC teacher and her 2 dogs seek one bedroom apartment. Prefer Commercial Drive area. Good tenant. Reference (for dogs too). Please call 253-2390 Tobi.

For Rent:

2 bedroom basement suite (newly renovated) in Killarney area. Close to school, bus, skytrain, no pets, non smoking working couple with child preferred. Rent \$650. Phone 275-6345 or 439-7100. Available May 01, 1994.

1983 Turcel, hatchback, standard, well maintained, reliable transportation. \$1000 obo. Donna 7207.

