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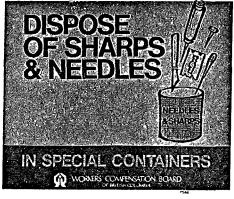
# LEARNING SUPPORT CENTRE CLOSURE

On 1984 November 15, the pilot project Learning Support Centre was closed despite the excellent efforts of the tutors Gordie Wong and Anne Chow, and the benefits received by the students who used the service. The apparent and projected needs of our students were well below the cost/benefit expectations. Many thanks to all those who assisted in this pilot project.

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SAFETY AND FIRST AID





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Anyone interested in getting safety films, please contact Linda at First Aid, Local 227.



### LIBRARY ACQUISITIONS

The following materials are now available in the Library:

The Encyclopedia of Alcoholism Practical English Handbook for Canadians Electronic Illusions: a skeptic's view of our high-tech future Computers and Life The Book of Latin American Cooking Canada's Video Revolution The New York Times 60-minute Gourmet How to Get Intimate with your Computer: a ten-step program for Relieving Computer Anxiety Assembly Language Programming for the IBM Personal Computer The Granville Island Cookbook Long-Distance Runner's Guide to Training and Racing Microprocessor Technology More Chef on the Run Rogues, Rebels and Geniuses: The Story of Canadian Medicine How to write a Cookbook and Get it Published

#### JOB OPPORTUNITIES

KEC Division Chairman, College Foundations Division commencing 1985 July Ol. Apply in writing no later than 1985 February Ol.

KWANTLEN COLLEGE Electronics Instructor, Technology Centre, Surrey. Qualifications - Master's Degree with a Ph.D preferred. Apply in writing no later than 1984 December 05, quoting Comp. No. 84-040

> Part-time Instructors to teach: Introduction to Programming Language; Fundamental Concepts of Computing; Computing Projects in the Arts and Sciences. Qualifications - Master's Degree in Computer Science and post-secondary teaching experience. Apply in writing no later than 1984 November 30, quoting Comp. No. 84-039.

Resumes should be forwarded to:

Personnel Department Kwantlen College P. O. Box 9030 Surrey, B.C. V3T 5H8

## TELEVISION SERVICES - INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA SERVICES

The availability of prerecorded videocassettes at your friendly neighbourhood video shop has provoked a number of instructors to use such materials for classroom instruction. One prevailing and significant opinion holds such action to be illegal. Please read the following advertisement which has appeared in a variety of Canadian publications of late:



"For Home Use Only" Means Just That! By law, as well as by intent, the prerecorded videocassettes and videodiscs available in stores throughout Canada are for home use only

Sales of prerecorded video cassettes and videodiscs do not confer any public performance rights upon the purchaser

S 3 of the Copyright Act R S C 1970 c 55 grants the copyright owner the exclusive right to perform the work in public Accordingly, without a separate licence from the copyright owner, *IT IS ILLEGAL* to exhibit pre-recorded video cassettes and videodiscs in a public place, *regardless* of whether or not admission is charged Ownership of a pre-recorded video cassette or video-disc does *not* constitute ownership of a copyright

Accordingly, without a separate license from the copyright owner, it is a violation of Federal law to exhibit prerecorded videocassettes and videodiscs beyond the scope of the family and its social acquaintances — regardless of whether or not admission is charged Ownership of a pre-recorded videocassette or videodisc does not constitute ownership of a copyright Companies, organizations and individuals who wish to publicly exhibit copyrighted motion pictures and audiovisual works must secure licenses to do so This requirement applies equally to profit-making organizations and nonprofit institutions such as hospitals Purchases of pre-recorded videocassettes and videodiscs do not change their legal obligations

The copyright owner's right to public'y perform his work, or to license others to do so, is exclusive.

If your legal rights were violated, you would insist upon seeking appropriate redress. So will the undersigned company which is a member of the



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PARAMOUNT/16 (CANADA) One of the key issues associated with the foregoing stance is whether the classroom constitutes a public place. There are other issues of equal concern to educators. Some of these issues can only be resolved at some expense in a court of law. Most, if not all, will take time to resolve.

Meanwhile, neither the College nor any of its employees can lightly afford to be placed in jeopardy. Please don't take offence if a staff member of Instructional Media Services refuses to accommodate your equipment request if he or she is under the impression that you will be using it to play back what constitutes, in light of the above advertisement, an illegal tape. He or she is entitled to protect the College from implication of an illegal act. Motion picture distributors are doing more than rattling sabres. The Quebec Ministry of Education recently settled a lawsuit involving video copyright violations brought to bear against a number of Quebec colleges at a cost in excess of \$10,000,000!

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#### LIBRARY FILM (November 27 at Noon)

"DOCTOR WOMAN: THE LIFE AND TIMES OF DR. ELIZABETH BAGSHAW"

Elizabeth Bagshaw was a forerunner of the women's movement. As one of the first women to practice medicine in Canada, she had to overcome society's bias against women in medicine. During her 70-year career she helped to instigate change in public opinion on that issue, as well as the issue of birth control. The film captures the personality of this remarkable woman through a contemporary interview and re-enactments of episodes from her youth. The sepia tones of the re-enactments are in keeping with the film techniques of the time, giving the viewer a sense of that period. The film is of special interest to persons interested in the evolution of women's roles in Canadian society.

#### SUPPLIES

We have a large supply of plain white 5" X 8" scratch pads in our stationery inventory. They are available to all departments at a cost of 55¢ per pad.

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