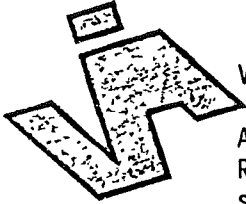


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## V.I.A. GENERAL MEETING

A general meeting of the V.I.A. will be held Thursday, July 3, 1986 at VVI in Room 240 at 13:15. The main item of business will be the Division Chairperson structure in order to clarify any concerns/questions prior to holding an Association referendum.

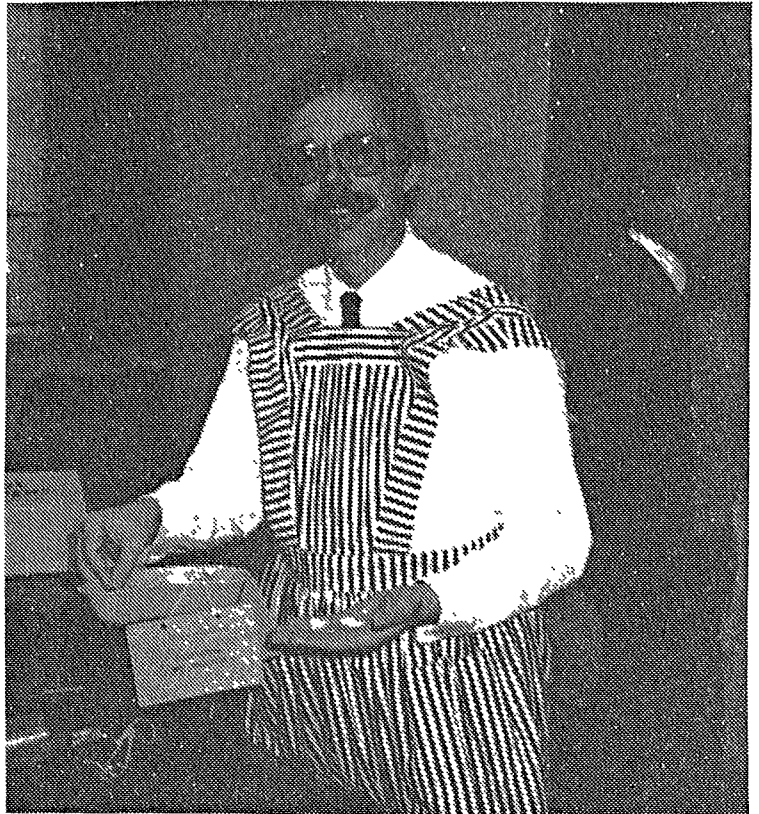
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## STAFF UPDATE

- \* Congratulations to Norm Lam of Printing Production who is now the proud father of a bouncing baby boy.
- \* Birthday greetings to Charise Bryan who added another year on June 9.
- \* Nels Fernandes from our Drafting Program, playing for ACADEMICO in the Portugese Cup, scored a total of 7 goals in 3 games to lead his team to a second place finish in the all B.C. Tournament held last weekend.
- \* Rumour has it that Marvin Lamoureux is considering a career change and has expressed an interest in the challenging field of Nursing!

What can we say  
Marvin, the apron is  
really you!

P.S. Happy Birthday  
too!



## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

When I was younger I could remember anything, whether it happened or not!



FROM THE BOOKSTORE

The bookstore will be closed on Saturday mornings until September!

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## USED BOOK BUY

The bookstore will be buying back used books which are required for September at 50% off the current list price. We will accept any book that is currently being used except for workbooks and non-bound books. For books that are no longer required for on-going programmes a used book wholesaler will be on hand to determine the value of the text. His prices may be somewhat lower than ours, as his price depends upon the wholesale value of the text. The wholesaler is interested in any current textbook, regardless of where it was purchased. Departments may want to check if the wholesaler will buy back any class sets and students may want to sell their books and receive some extra money for the summer. Remember the buyback is for one day only --- Thursday, June 26.

ONLY CURRENT EDITIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED!

# JUNE 26 9:00-3:00

### WOK AN ACCOMPLISHMENT!

Condy Leung, the Co-ordinator II of Chinese Cuisine, has been cooking all over the city recently:

On May 28, the Chinese Community hosted a dinner at the Kingsland Restaurant, to welcome the Vice-Premier of the Republic of China, Mr. Yeu. Mr. Yeu was here, with a delegation of fifteen, to view the Chinese Pavilion at Expo. Condy and Mr. Raymond Leung (no relative), the co-owner and chef of the Kingsland, were the master chefs in charge of preparing the dinner for 600 people, overseeing 2 chefs, 3 assistant cooks and 5 of our Chinese Cuisine students. The menu consisted of Lobster, Shark-Fin Soup, Scallops, Peking Duck and Crispy Chicken.

Two nights earlier on May 26, Condy had been the master chef for a dinner held in honor of a delegation of economists from Kwong Chow Province of China. They had been invited by Mayor Harcourt to participate in Vancouver's Centennial Celebrations. Canton is the capital of Kwong Chow and a sister city to Vancouver. A reception, for 300 people, was hosted by the Chinese delegation in the North Park Restaurant. A Dim Sum buffet, consisting of 15 different items, was prepared by Condy and five VVI Chinese Cuisine students, and the chefs at North Park Restaurant.

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## SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CENTRE AT THE VVI

The Small Business Development Centre has been recently established at the Vancouver Vocational Institute with monies provided by the Local Economic Renewal and Development Fund (LERD). This fund was made available to Colleges to enable and encourage them to undertake projects which will foster the province in economic renewal and development.

The mandate of the Small Business Development Centre is to stimulate entrepreneurship in vocational educational and promote the formation and expansion of small businesses. The Centre will offer information, educational and referral services to meet the needs of prospective business owners in the services industry (hairdressing, barbering, hospitality, power sewing, shoe repair, etc.), and light trade areas (electrical/building contracting, computer software, electronic shops, etc.).

### SERVICES

1. Information - The Centre will provide easy and effective access to business and economic information: economic and demographic data, government regulations, business incentive programs, business directories, business development agencies and services, business and trade associations.
2. Educational Services - The Centre will provide a variety of training activities tailored to the needs of prospective and existing small business owners. Topics include: exploring the self-employment option, the process of putting an idea into a successful proposal, dealing with pitfalls and problems commonly encountered in operating a small business. Short term courses (part-time), seminars, and workshops will be organized. Video-taped courses and individualized learning materials will be available.
3. Referral Services - The Centre will assess the clients' needs and will direct them to an appropriate resource within VCC or the community. A referral system comprised of professionals and successful entrepreneurs will be established.

The Centre is located at Room 101B. For more information please contact Janine Huot, Local 411, at the Small Business Development Centre.

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### DICTATION SERVICES

The telephone dictation service offered through the Word Processing Centre has rung its last ring. The equipment is no longer serviceable and has decided to retire thus telephone dictation to the WP Centre will no longer be available.

Transcription service will still be offered though -- just forward a tape containing your dictation along with a green Dictation Processing Request form to the Centre. Your dictation will be processed and returned, along with your original tape, via the mail system!

LG

# BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

NAME: VCC PRESS

DATE: MAY 17th, 1986

PARENTS: PARTNERS WITH AN INTEREST IN EACH PUBLICATION - the AUTHOR(S), the DEPARTMENTS, the CAMPUSES and the PRESS

BIRTH SIGN: TAURUS

FORECAST: After many months of planning and expressions of interest on the part of many, the VCC PRESS was conceived.

Those responsible NOW have the OPPORTUNITY to watch their offspring GROW and PROSPER by participating in its FUTURE by submitting their works for PUBLICATION!

IT IS PLANNED TO PUBLISH THREE WORKS IN 1986-87.

MORE DETAILED INFORMATION WILL BE

AVAILABLE IN SEPTEMBER.

