
the NUGGET

NORTHERN ALBERTA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
STUDENTS' NEWSPAPER

The only thing that matters is experience. Whether you're high or sober it's all the same--it's all experience.

Michelangelo Antonioni

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Editor's Note

the signing of the energy pricing agreement is of profound significance to students at NAIT. We may be isolated from the real world while we go to school but the world remains out there waiting to wrap us up in the future.

All of us at technical institutes have to be happy that the war for oil money is over. It does not matter who won or lost. The important thing is the restoration and rebuilding of the Canadian economy. Mammoth building projects will now get back on track. Technical people will be in great demand not only in the construction industry but in the service industry.

The slowdown caused by the oil price tug of war had one positive aspect. It allowed the Alberta boom economy to catch a much needed breath. There are too few technical people to fill the needs of Alberta's industry.

The start up of the economy will take some time to regain its force. It must first reverse the momentum of the last sixteen months. Again this time is needed for Alberta to gain the number of technically skilled people she will need. Many of these skilled people will Alberta from other parts of Canada. There will be plenty of work to go around.

The Blair-Carr Task Force states that in the next ten or so years \$64 billion worth of major projects will be constructed in the Edmonton trading area. This has profound implications for us at NAIT. We are in training to assume positions in industry. Our future is here in Alberta. We do not have to worry about going to other parts of Canada.

NAIT has a high reputation as a technical institute in Canada. Its graduates are rated highly by prospective employers. It is you who will help maintain that reputation by what you do while here at NAIT. Studies are important but an essential part of a student's worth to an employer is what he does while at school. Employers want students who involved themselves at school, who showed they were more than nine to five employees.

NAIT's students should involve themselves with their school. He or she should invest some of their free time with student government and other student projects on campus.

You have a future in Alberta but you create your own future. Get involved.

A MESSAGE FROM DR. SOUCH

On behalf of your instructors and the many other staff who make the Institute what it is, I would like to welcome not only those of you who are here for the first time but also those returning to NAIT for further course work. With the demand in industry for skilled personnel, and the relevance and quality of NAIT's programs, you have come to the right place at the right time.

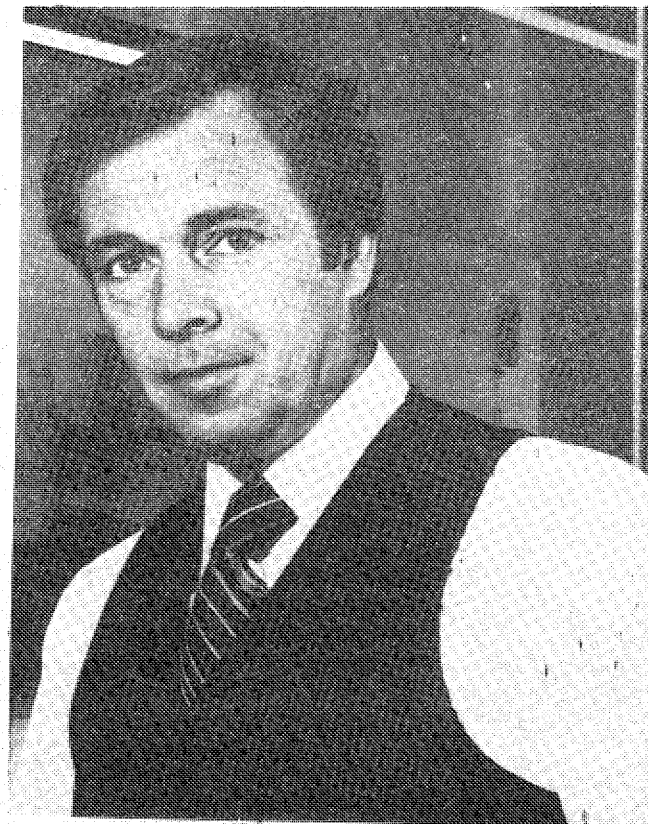
Renovations

That doesn't mean that we are free of problems here. You have probably already noticed the extensive reconstruction in the old cafeteria; it will be several months yet before that facility will resume operation and relieve the heavy load on the Cafetorium in the Central Services Building. The General Office, where I work, is also being renovated, and so even though you may have no occasion to enter this area, you should know that all sectors at NAIT are being inconvenienced. Several other parts of the main campus are in various stages of renovations, the most crucial of which is the Photography Department, which will have difficulty beginning classes when scheduled.

Despite the lumber piles, broken plasterboard, and tangled wiring, in a short while the facilities will be transformed to suit recent changes in NAIT's programming, structure, and population. Interruptions of this kind come with the territory of any institution that must adapt to changing circumstances. No changes, no problems.

Extracurricular Activities

I would like to encourage you to participate in NAIT's many extracurricular activities. Learning and growth and achievement are not confined to the classroom. Let's make NAIT number one, in every respect. In Alberta's college system, in case 'college' strikes you as an odd name for NAIT, I should explain that we perform similar functions, both academically and athletically, to those of the public colleges in the province. Both NAIT and SAIT belong to the Alberta College Athletics Conference.



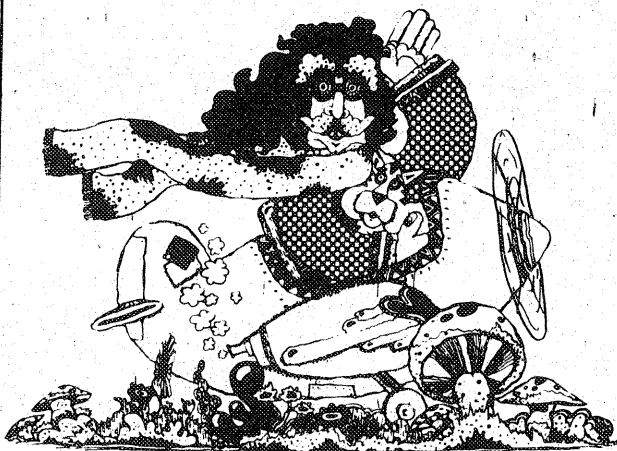
Conversion to Board Governance

As you may know, NAIT and its sister institution in Calgary will be converted in 1982 to board-governed administration, like the colleges. This means that the Institute will no longer be part of the civil service, with its governing authority being in the Department of Advanced Education and Manpower. NAIT will be directed by a board of governors. We look forward to this change, which will make NAIT more independent and able to respond more quickly and accurately to situations as they arise.

I would like to thank the editor of the Nugget for allowing me the space to bring these words to you. Finally, may I urge you to make the most of your time here: take advantage of the many opportunities - both social and academic - that NAIT provides. The Institute, after all, exists for you.

S. G. Souch

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**Come into the Nugget
after classes on
Monday September 14 and
Tuesday September 15**

**writers and anarchists
welcome**

For some of us it is back in the saddle again. For us at the Nugget it is half into the saddle. Over the summer our room was painted and we were left with half a room, no waxer, and a file cabinet full of empties. We have been hanging copy over desks, overhead projectors, people and we still lose everything.

I encourage everyone to come to the Nugget with ideas, questions or beer and spend a few hours with us and if we like you we might even let you take us home.

The newspaper serves an important part of any campus...we are still trying to find out what, but that is okay, we still have fun anyways.

Beyond the silliness it is nice to have you all back in the barnyard.

And if you don't like it well then go tell martha.

NORTHERN TORCH LIGHTS UP

This Year the NORTHERN TORCH, Nait's yearbook, will be better than ever. The two most noticeable changes are that the yearbook will be back for distribution the last week of classes. The other is that the quality and quantity of reporting on the year's events will be better. These two major changes will mean that everyone at Nait can receive a yearbook and collect autographs in May rather than hoping you will receive one the following December, and the yearbook will be a better record of life at Nait.

In the upcoming weeks the staff will be organizing our new office and darkroom, developing a theme, designing layouts and organizing the contents of the book.

The NORTHERN TORCH staff will have a great opportunity to attend Nait's functions to report on them as well as enjoying our own beer and pizza bashes. You too can join and be a decisive member of the NORTHERN TORCH staff. There will be a meeting this Monday Sept. 14 in the new yearbook office, Rm. E126 at 4:30 p.m.

AMS NEWS

The Administrative Management Society (AMS) - Nait Chapter is a vehicle to help NAIT students establish profitable relationships with Edmonton's business community. This is achieved through the senior AMS chapter, a non-profit international association devoted to the professional development of administrative management. In a precise term, AMS is an opportunity.

Being a member of AMS provides the NAIT student with abundant insights to the business sphere. An AMS membership allows you to develop your business know-how. This is achieved through a free subscription (to members) to Management World. This magazine deals with the current trends and problems in the business

industry. In addition, AMS provides you with the chance to attend two monthly dinner meetings. These meetings have guests that speak about business related subjects. The senior chapter's meetings are normally conducted on the NAIT campus.

A vital part of AMS-NAIT chapter has been the adoption of "Shadow Days". This is where AMS members spend a day with a business person from various industries in Edmonton. This enables students to see how a particular job or business operates. AMS intends to uphold this opportunity. Related to the "Shadow Days" concept is the intention to organize student tours to various business organizations and institutions. In order to accommodate mem-

bers' desires, on these activities, requires you input.

Being an AMS member is something an assortment of business people do not tend to ignore. As a member of AMS one has the potential to make business contacts; thus, making an impression on the business industry before you graduate. This advantage is not provided in any course you will take. All these benefits can be gained through a mere \$12.00 membership fee. The AMS office is located on the 6th floor of the tower building (Room T603A).

As Publilius Syrus said in the first century B.C.: "While we stop to think, we often miss our opportunity". AMS-NAIT Chapter welcomes you as a member.

Julie B. Semak



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Room 117 (Counseling Centre)

Choose From ☆ Tuesday, Sept. 8 - 3:15 p.m.
Wednesday Sept. 9 - 1:15 p.m.
Thursday Sept. 10 - 4:15 p.m.

Agenda:

1. Meet Jacques Plamondon, Coordinator
2. Information on support services
3. Identify your needs at N.A.I.T.

NOTE:

An information package may be picked up any time after September 1st at the counselling Centre (room 117) between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

WELCOME TO NAIT

KNOWLEDGE COLLEGE

Nick Borrelli

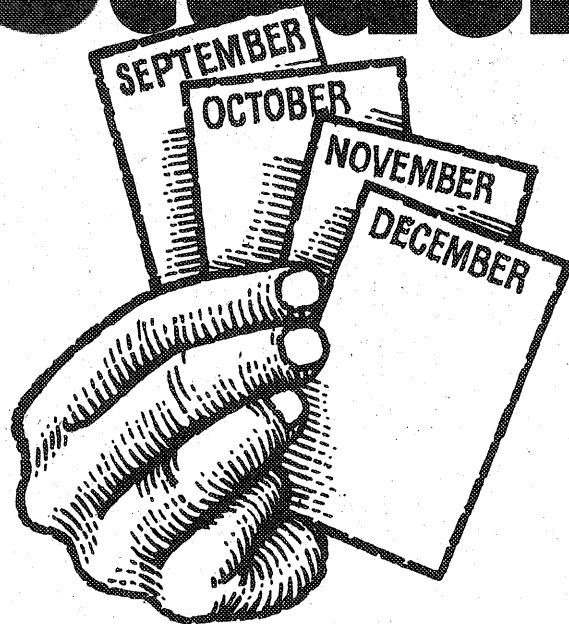
Summers over, your losing your tan, your broke, and your not sure if you have the St. Albert strain. Well it's the first week of NAIT and its time to get it together.

One way to help you through your school work load, which will soon pile up, is to check out an on-campus study course. The How To Study course consists of 4-one hour lectures, such as organizing and sharing your time to suit your school work and social life. More importantly will be how to concentrate, take lecture notes, hints on reading expensive NAIT textbooks, and how to prepare for and write an exam.

They'll even tell you the do's and don'ts about cramming for quarter finals, like not popping anything red, green, black or smoking jaw. These sessions are designed for the student who has been in the working field for a few years and for recent high school graduates, and not to forget those students who work part-time to make a few bucks to pay for expensive NAIT textbooks and must make the most of their time.

Great you're saying, where can I sign-up; Rm 117 (counseling office). There will be 3 groups with only 30 students per group. Starting Dates Sept. 14, 15 and 23. The instructors do state that if you sign-up you must attend all four sessions, so you can benefit fully. Do drop in to the office if you wish any more info., they're more than willing to help you succeed...No but do!

Student Pak



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can ride
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Edmonton Transit's Autumn Student Pak is back! Full time post-secondary students

are eligible to obtain in advance four convenient Edmonton Transit Monthly Adult Passes. Save over the cost of individual monthly passes — get all the conveniences — not fumbling for change, or looking for parking, or boosting a frozen car motor.

A great idea — the gift of travel. Your gift of \$65.00, and the student's presentation of course registration or a post-secondary school I.D. card — means the gift of unlimited Transit rides from September through December. And each pass is transferable to others. From late August on, Student Paks are on sale at the U of A Student Union Box Office in H.U.B., at the N.A.I.T. Student Store, at all bookstores of Grant MacEwan Community College, at the Alberta College General Office or at King's College. Or come to the Edmonton Transit Administration office at 10426 - 81 Avenue.

At registration time, remember your Transit Student Pak, all you can ride from September through December!

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Entertainment

I need you

Hello, and welcome to the Entertainment section of the Nugget. As you can see there isn't much so far in this part of the paper. There are two reasons for this. First of all it's the first edition of this year's paper and nothing has happened yet. And the second and most important reason is because I'm the only person working on the Entertainment Section of the Nugget. By the way my name is Bob Strand and I'm a second year Radio and Television Arts student. What I want to fill these pages with this year is a variety of reviews - movies, concerts, Rock and Talk Times, local entertainment, as well as a schedule of upcoming events. All of which will hopefully be of interest to the student population.

Of course I can't do all of this on my own, so I am looking for other students to help. If you have a particular knowledge or interest in either movies, music, theatre or Nait social events and would like to share it with others come down and see me at the Nugget office, room E128.

I've found in the last year at Nait that there are two types of students, the first have no interest in anything that goes on around Nait. Their only interest is to do their time (two years) and get out and find a job. They make up about 98 percent of all Nait students. If that is you then you'll have no interest in the paper. That's alright, I have no interest in you. But if you are one of the 2 percent who realize that Nait is much more than 2 years of classes, home work and lunch hours then I want you to help me with the Entertainment section of the Nait Nugget. Don't be shy -- come on down to room E128 and we'll see where you can fit in at the Nugget.



Edmonton is emerging as a major entertainment attraction. The money slips fast, from fingers as promoters are all too eager to take the money. The money is here and the success of Edmonton's sporting teams are making Edmonton a known entity rather than an Eskimo village hiding in the Canadian north.

Take August and September for example. August featured the second return for both the folk festival and Jazz City. In between was placed SummerFest which featured various entertainers at Churchill Square. Now in early September we find The Tubes, Marshall Tucker, Atlanta Rythm Section, Peter Tosh, and The Kinks all making trips to Edmonton. No longer does Edmonton have to wait weeks between concerts.

On a different scale various places in Edmonton feature quality acts during the week in a night club setting. The Riveria Rock Room regularly brings in top name rock names and Danny Hopper's tends to the Country. Although not as frequent, Shadows and the Palms bring in quality jazz acts.

Edmonton is becoming a vibrant city. Its nightlife may be short in duration but it is becoming extensive. Slowly Edmontonians are being weened away from movies and television and being turned into night creatures.

What does this mean to you, Joe Edmonton Dweller? It means a greater array of cultural acts who will stop in Edmonton. It means that Edmonton is becoming more of a metropolis than a sleeping western city. It means that you are exposed more to the culture of our beloved North America.

The Nugget requires volunteers to check out these various entertainment feasts and report back to us. We can offer to cover your cost of admission for various concerts, cultural events, and movies. We need your critical appraisal of these events, to tell others if they are being ripped off or if their money would be well spent.

Stop in to the Nugget for a talk or to ask questions.

Beerfest '81

NAITSA presents orientation beerfest '81 on September 19, 1981 at the Kinsmen Fieldhouse 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Featuring Christopher Ward and Jenson Interceptor. Tickets on sale in the NAIT Student Stores, \$8. Don't Miss It! The City of Edmonton will charge you \$2 to park at the Kinsmen Fieldhouse during the beerfest Sept. 19, so don't park there if you can help it.

'Tubes' better than TV

by Mitchell C. Fraser

For those people who stayed home last Friday night to watch television rather than go to the Tubes concert, you could have done both. The Tubes brought the television to the Northlands Coliseum and gave us an unusual perspective on our love affair with the television.

The Tubes began their career by parodying television. Their early concerts were affairs of larger than life characters strolling around the stage concluding in the ultimate act of being eaten alive by a giant television. The Tubes have expanded their wit and sarcastic

attack to include most aspects of '80s social life.

The television is still there early in their show. It is an object of sexual play. Sex plays a large part of this Tubes tour. They are trying to sell themselves, going the way of big business and are using sex to promote themselves. Halfway through the concert a couple of dancing girls in skin tights take over the stage and sell you on buying Tubes records and tapes on Capital Records. The sexual parody goes throughout much of their concert.

I find the Tubes an intelligent and witty group. Their

visual presence on stage is impressive, a build up from their attempt to turning television into reality. A host of characters troop through the stage; terrorists, homosexuals, macho meanies, jocks, cheerleaders, marching bands, and on and on. The final part of this concert is given to young power tripping businessmen taking over the stage extolling the virtues of business in the '80s.

Most of the tunes done by the Tubes in their 100 minute set were from their latest album *The Completion Backward Principle*. I regret that they only did one song from

Remote Control but then it is their choice. They saved their crowd pleasing song till the second encore when they finally played *White Punks on Dope*. The white punks really enjoyed the song.

There were only 3,000 people out to see the Tubes in the Concert Bowl. Edmonton is finally getting quality acts to come to this city. Maybe it is a shock to the Edmonton concert goer that so many acts are coming so quickly after one another. The Tubes were worth the money shelled out for them. They put on a memorable, visual performance that will have people chuckling to themselves as they think back.

'in the groove'



Fresh Fruit For Rotting Vegetable Dead Kennedys

By Rick Davidson

The *Dead Kennedys* are a powerful punk band from

San Francisco California.

The driving force behind the band is the lead singer/song-

The Dead Kennedys

writer Jello Biafra whose unusual voice and hate filled lyrics give this band a special quality. This band is one which sings songs of protest.

In this album the *D K 'S* protest against such things as neutron bombs, the draft, rich landlords, police, drugs, child killers, chemical warfare, politicians, amusement parks and American society in general. Four songs which stand out are Kill the Poor, Let's Lynch the Landlord, Holiday in Cambodia and Chemical Warfare. All of the 15 songs on the album are high energy ravo punk style as would be expected from a band whose name is so controversial that concert promoters in the States won't

risk printing their names on posters (they use the initial *D K 'S* instead)

Fresh Fruit for Rotting Vegetables is an excellent commentary on modern American life. If you like punk music you'll probably love this album (if you can find it) and even if you don't like punk, *Fresh Fruit* is worth listening to because the *Dead Kennedy's* is worth listening to because they do have something interesting to say.

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NEXT WEEK:

The Shakin' Pyramids

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Orientation Week '81

Tuesday	September 15	12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Plaza II on south lawn or Room L5, if weather bad	Concert
Wednesday	September 16	1:15 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. Main Courtyard or if weather bad, theatre Room H5.	Concert
Thursday	September 17	12:15 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Football Field	Rootbear Guzzling Pie Eating and Keg Rolling contests
Friday	September 18	4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. 4:15 - 5:15 p.m. concert Both functions in the Cafeteria	Free Bar-B-Q and Concert
Saturday	September 19	8:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. Kinsmen Fieldhouse	Beerfest and Crowning of Miss Freshette



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In your first few days at NAIT you received pamphlets, folders, calenders, books, papers, and all other kinds of combinations of information dissemination. Most of which you will probably file under G as soon as you get home. The Nugget sympathizes with you. Today we suffer from information overload. We have an answer to your plight, more information.

We, at the Nugget, are in the communications business and realize that some information is more valuable than other information. Information is valued at the amount one utilizes it. If one reads a pamphlet then throws it away literally and in memory then that information was of little use. Information should be used again and again. Therefore we have assembled what we feel to be critical information about life at NAIT and also included information about life on the outside of NAIT. It will all come in handy.

Our budget prohibits us from doing a nice glossy package complete with pictures to go with the words. We firmly believe that you, the student, will be able to overcome this disadvantage and use this directory throughout the year as a reference source.

To use the directory remove from the center of the Nugget and fold as is. Cut the top two folds and the directory is now ready for use.

We trust you will use it often.

A

ANGST

Dread, fear of the unknown. Cause of most psychological disorders in man. Most common complaint of students around exam time.

ANSWER

What we are all searching for. There is no particular answer. The search is what is important.

APOCALYPSE

The end. Something that is very close. The horror, the horror.

AUTOMOBILE

Modern invention that started out as a good idea but turned into a Pandora's Box. Responsible for most of the pollution in the world today. Also responsible for depletion of resources, urban sprawl, breakdown of the family, and moral degeneracy. Modern answer to genocide.

B

BABY

Related to *Beginning*, and *Apocalypse* if unplanned.

BEERFESTS

Huge gatherings of students whose sole purpose is to drink beer. ALCB thought students were having too good of a time with throwing beer and tables and have threatened to force discontinuation of such activities. See also *Pubtimes*.

BEGINNING

In opposition to *Apocalypse*.

BIRTH CONTROL

Method used to prevent *Baby*. *Technology* has given females a pill to use. They place it between their knees and say no three times. It is a bit frustrating for the male.

BOAT RACES

drinking contest sponsored by Civil Technology. so much fun occurs that owners of local drinking establishments tremble with excitement when told their place will be used for the contest.

BOOKS

Excellent tools for learning. Students are expected to memorize contents of books and regurgitate them at appropriate times during the year. Supplementary books are located in Library.

BOOKSTORE

In name only. Is really a hole in the wall and acts like a fastfood franchise. Students line up to give orders and *books* are retrieved. Students are not trusted to find their own *books*.

BRIDGE BUILDING CONTEST

Activity put on by Building Construction students. Is a contest to see which technology can build a bridge over a creek and get people over and back in the fastest time. Cabaret follows to shake water off. Is good training for the *Apocalypse*.

C

CAFETERIA

Place to eat but is usually filled with smoke. Males loiter to watch the females. The food is prepared by students of NAIT so you take your chances. See *Gambling*.

CAMPUS CENTER

Something which we do not have.

CAMPUS SECURITY

Very tight. Equivalent security to NORAD defense headquarters. Patrolled by retired army commandoes. Weekend visitors require password and photo and voice check. *Plaza 11* is patrolled by dogs.

KING

Charles will soon be.

CHALLENGE CUP

One technology challenges another technology for supremacy at NAIT. Challenger thinks up a game its students are proficient at. Wargames are not allowed.

CHANCE

According to *Quantum Mechanics* there is no ultimate cause and effect but only chance that an event will happen. Prompted Einstein to protest this view saying, 'God does not play with dice.'

CHEMICALS

Monsanto says we live better because of chemicals. Also see *Apocalypse*. Sandoz created the best chemicals. See *LSD*.

D

DOORS

The portal between here and there, *us* and *them*, known and unknown. It is good practise to keep opening doors. The *Apocalypse* sneaks up on closed doors.

U

UPPERS

Amphetamines required at exam time to stave off sleep so that a student can manage his or her time to finish term projects, study for exams, and still go out for a beer.

US

You and me. The good guys who deserve the breaks and should inherit the earth.

V

VAMPIRES

Creatures which suck life out of students and hold them in their influence. Landlords are a prime example.

VIRGIN

Uncharted territory. Never been violated. Not much left on the earth which is virgin.

W

WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, WHY

Huh?

The Nugget wishes to thank a few of its reporters who worked diligently over the summer gathering information and making the decisions of what information is necessary for the survival of the student while here at NAIT.

We thank Mitchell for his insight into the affairs of the NAIT student. He has an inside track on what tickles the student's fancy and keeps them amused through the year. He has spent many years experimenting with being a hedonist and knows the pleasures and fears of living.

We thank Sonja for her work in digging up information on exterior world events which affect the student. We may live in a box while at NAIT but when the room burns so does the box.

Quantum Mechanics may be foreign to most students but it is of valuable service to the scientific community. The spiritual aspects of quantum mechanics are making physicists into mystics and though far removed, brothers to the mystics of the east. We thank David for his valuable insight into the spiritual matters that affect students.

X

X

What occurs all too frequently on exams.

Y

YESTERDAY

Keep getting more and more of and less tomorrows. An aspect of *Quantum Mechanics* states there is no yesterday or tomorrow but only the present. All events exist simultaneously in the present.

YONDER

Somewhere we all want to be. Toto, I don't think we are at NAIT anymore.

Z

ZERO

What is left after the nest war.

ZOO

The apprenticeship wing of NAIT.

Q

QUANTUM MECHANICS

Is not a trade at NAIT. Is a way that scientists look at the world and is verifying what the Buddhists have been saying for thousands of years. See *reality*.

QUEASY

Common feeling of many people who leave the Cafeteria.

QUEEN WEEK

Great fun as various Technologies sponsor personable girls to become queen of NAIT. Students check out the girls personalities during the week and then vote on which has the biggest personality. *Nugget* loves this week.

R

RALPH

Inhabits the great white telephone and is called upon by those who have drank too much alcohol for relief.

REALITY

'Reality is whatever you want it to be.' Donald Goertz, a friend of the editor. See *science fiction*.

REFERENDUM

An issue that requires general student support or acknowledgement but is usually ignored by the students. *NAITSA* then takes steps to alleviate or rectify the situation. Very much like plebiscites for City of Edmonton.

REMISSION

Certain amount of Student Loan that one does not have to pay back given he pays back the rest. But then if you aren't going to pay back the rest who cares about the remission. Also associated with cancer and *failure*.

REWARD

A common demand made by students at NAIT for doing volunteer services on *NAITSA* projects.

RIFF RAFF

See *Nugget*.

S

SAVE

Students are expected to put away most of what they earn during the summer in order to survive the coming year. Much like squirrels and even have to go into hibernation to survive till the next earning season.

SCIENCE FICTION

Form of literature which i(extrapolates present trends to future conclusions, 2) postulates different realities and perspectives of looking at things, 3) is an escape from school work.

STUDENTS

People who have given up the oppurtunity to earn \$20,000 a year so that they can spend \$5,000 to be told how dumb they are. See *mentally deficient*.

T

TECHNOCRACY

Government by technicians.

TECHNOLOGIST

A specialist in *technology*.

TECHNOLOGY

Applied science.

TECHNOSTRUCTURE

The network of professionally skilled managers that increasingly tends to control the economy both within and beyond individual corporate groups.

TEDDY BEAR

What most students yearn for during the year but left at home.

THEM

Communists, homosexuals, hippies, bicycle riders, easteners.

TOWER LOUNGE

Top of the Tower Building. Good place to sit and contemplate why you are at NAIT.

DORMITORIES

Where lots of fun and games occur; especially in co-ed dorms. Unfortunately NAIT does not have anv.

DRINKING

What most students will remember doing at NAIT.

DRUGS

Will get you through times of no money better than money will get you through times of no drugs.

DUPED

See *NAITSA*.

E

ECCENTRIC

A bit off center. Term used to explain types of people who do things like wait for the train down at the dock. Usually the result of *drugs*.

EFFORT

See *excellent*.

EVIL

What *Nugget* employees are valiantly attempting to eradicate from NAIT now, the world tomorrow, and finally from the universe. We are the saviors.

EXCELLENT

What we all want to achieve here at NAIT so that we can get more money from our parents.

EXCITED

How first year students feel about coming to NAIT. How second year students don't feel about coming to NAIT. How Boy and Girl feel in back seat of a car. How Publications Chairperson feels about this *Nugget* publication.

F

FAILURE

Inability of student to gather enough marks to pass courses he or she is enrolled in. Very humbling situation and can be dangerous at times. They shoot horses don't they?

FINANCES

This is where one learns the difference between being the offspring of a millionaire and the offspring of some farmer. Is a major reason for not finishing school.

FINISH

Something we all strive towards at technical schools but is avoided by university students.

FINNISH

Risto Siltanen.

FLIP FLOP

An amazing ability possessed by politicians and cows.

FUGGET

Nugget spoof issue that attempts to come out once in awhile. See *fun*.

FUN

Best part about coming to NAIT. See *beerfests* and *pubtimes*.

G

GAMBLING

The adventure of offering something on the chance of gaining something better. Often called life. Around NAIT it is called going to the *cafeteria*.

GOD

Any complaints about the big picture are directed to Him.

GOD'S ASSISTANTS

Anyone in Student Services.

GONE

Not here anymore. Applies to drug users and *Nugget* editors.

H

HELP

Most common word heard around exam time.

HERITAGE SCHOLARSHIP

Large infusion of government money to scholarships for the smart. The dumb still have to work.

HIGH

Disguised as a greeting but is the most frequently asked question in the world. High? No, not yet.

HOUSING

Because Edmonton is not situated in the tropics, housing is very important for survival in this climate. Unfortunately there are not many five bedroom houses with two bathrooms, fireplaces, wine cellar, and bomb shelter in this area. Have to settle for apartments.

HUMAN

The species of animal to which we belong but whose future is of less importance than the Whooping Crane.

HUMP DAY

Middle of the week, wednesday. Also see *excited*.

I

I

Self. Of great concern to the existential philosophers. They question what is meant by saying I. When one speaks of the I, 'I did this', it is already in reference to something done in the past by someone in the past. One is unable to simultaneously think of the self, I, and be aware of what the I is experiencing. The I is aware of the world and we reflect back on what the I was aware of. We experience in the present but think in the past.

INDIGESTION

Upset stomach caused by a number of factors at NAIT. Exams are primary cause of stomach pains. Also see *cafeteria*.

J

JOBS

What we are assured of when we graduate from NAIT. To some students it is a promise, to others it is a threat. Those students go on to become university students.

K

K WING

Otherwise known as the Kingsway. Most frequent habitation of NAIT students. Not the best place to meet girls.

L

LAUGH

See *Nugget*.

LOCKERS

First come first serve basis for claiming lockers that line the hallways. Is claimed as personal property and can be protected in like fashion. Alarms, tear gas, electricity can be used to ward off *them* who want to deface your locker.

LOSER

Someone we all feel sorry for and claim we aren't. Related to *paranoia*.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost has to do with people in the Towere Lounge. Found has to do with student counselling, chaplain service.

LRC

Learning Resource Center. Purveyor of the greater reality. Avoided by most students as dangerous to the mental well being. Placed on unofficial 'don't use' category of dangerous substances by students.

LSD

Lysergic Acid Diethylamine. Ticket to the great cosmic consciousness. Purveyor of the greater reality. Harbringer of hallucination.

M

MADHATTER'S TEAPARTY

Coming out of Architecture students from their fantasy worlds into the real world of Alice in Wonderland. Everyone comes as a hat to the party and the game is to guess who the hat is.

MARIJUANA

Rare and dangerous drug. Users are subject to fits of frenzy culminating in attacks on old ladies and young children. Permanent didtortion of spatial and temporal dimensions can occur. Also some loss of memory may

MENTALLY DEFICIENT

Lacking complete sense. See *eccentric*.

MOLOTOV COCKTAIL

Beer bottle or liquor bottle filled with gasoline. Place a wick in the end, set on fire and throw. Great fun at riots.

MONEY

Mana of modern religion.

MUMBLE

The way summone talks tuh yuh ina a wayy whic is difficul to unnerstan an verry frustratin. Good wayy to answe an instrucor when yuh donno the questunn.

N

NAIT

The institute of higher learning which you are attending whether by choice or force or accident.

NAITSA

Student association of NAIT organized with the single purpose of looking after students by relieving them of beer money and giving only promises of a better life in return.

NO

See *birth control*.

NUGGET

Student newspaper which ignores the students and helps waste the money *NAITSA* relieves from students. The editor and his sidekicks do their own thing on paper in a drunken stupor and some drug induced revelations that turn up in the garbage. Caretakers freak out everytime they enter E128.

NUMB

Feeling some students have when they receive their marks. See *loser*.

O

OH

Second most used learning expression of students in classrooms. Most popular is, huh?

OVER

The summer vacation is.

P

PARANOIA

Realization of 'a priori' truth that not everyone is your friend. Actually that you have no friends and that everyone is out to get you. That instructors are out to fail you, that security is out to give you a parking ticket, the bookstore is out to sell you the wrong books with no refund, your friends only want your money, your dealer is out to rip you off, the cafeteria is out to experiement new foods on you, viruses and other bugs are only after you, and your girlfriend doesn't love you anymore, if she ever did.

PARKING

Is a problem at NAIT because the airport won't move away so that we can use their runways to park cars. See *automobile*.

PEACE

Necessary for survival of human species but is ignored by most people with power to maintain it.

PENIS

Only males have them but are very secretive about them, never showing them in public and occassionally in private but only in the dark.

PIECE

Associated with *penis* and female.

PLAZA II

Wild game preserve which houses Building Construct-ion, Civil, Engineering Design, Architecture, and Survey Technologies.

PUB RALLY

Drinking and driving contest put on □by TeleCommuni-cations. Strategy is best communication between drinkers and drivers. Each team heads out to various bars and must arrive back at starting point closest to a prescribed time. Drivers must be big to get drinkers out of one bar to the next.

PUBTIMES

Friday afternoon drinking bouts. A contest to see how much beer one could drink between 4:30 PM and 7:30 PM on alternate fridays. It takes two weeks to clean up from the last one. ALCB decided too much fun was being had at pubtimes and NAITSA agreed, deciding fun was not part of being a student. See *fun*.

Sports

The Nugget is in need of a Sports Editor. The sporting activities around campus may not be as exciting as the Canada Cup or a Drillers' soccer game but they do provide enough entertainment. We need a Sports Editor to coordinate the Nugget's coverage of NAIT's sporting teams.

There is a certain amount of remuneration involved with the position. There is also the prospect of being allowed to travel with the teams on some of their forays into enemy territory.

We invite interested persons to come in to the Nugget and ask questions or give suggestions.

Organizational meetings

Volleyball

womens

Organizational meeting on Wednesday September 16, in Gym at 5:15 p.m.

mens

Organizational meeting on Thursday September 17, In the gym at 5:15 p.m.

Canoeing

CANOE TEAM 1981

To the outdoor enthusiast!!

If you are willing to enjoy the outdoors three afternoons a week for the next six weeks: If you like to socialize while learning to paddle: the Canoe Team is for YOU.

No previous experience is necessary.

All equipment is supplied.

Socials are arranged.

Final meet is Sat. Oct. 24, 1981 in Camrose, NAIT races against Red Deer, camrose and Grand Prairie.

Organization Meeting-North Gymnasium

- 5:10 p.m.

- Thursday Sept. 10, 1981

See Barbara Hanson in S107 for more information

Bowling

BOWLING TEAM

To All Bowlers-

The NAIT Bowling Team consists of a men's, women's and mixed team at seven members per team. This allows two substitutes per team.

The ACAC tournament is on Feb. 12 and 13 in Red Deer. The Inter-collegiate Classic will be held in Calgary in January.

Try-outs consist of a 16 game set. Try-outs begin Mon. Nov. 16, 1981.

BOWLING TEAM 1981-82

ORGANIZATION MEETING

- Wed. November 12, 1982

- NAIT Bowling Lanes

- 5:10 p.m.

- Try-outs are open to all students seriously considering joining the team. the 16 games must be completed by Dec. 22. Tryouts begin Monday Nov. 16. See Barbara Hanson in S107; student services or at the lanes.

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REFEREES WANTED

We need referees for our Intramural Program

\$5.00 per hour

Contact Emanuel Bertolin

E133E

Swimming

NAIT needs YOU to establish swim clubs in Spring-board diving, synchronized swimming, water polo and competitive swimming. Many Edmonton clubs have expressed interest in invitational or exhibition competition should NAIT establish a club. Another possibility would be competition with SAIT in Calgary.

If you are interested in keeping your competitive skills in shape or willing to share practice time with others interested in your sport, let's meet:

Wednesday, September 16, 1981

--Pool Bleachers

--5:10 p.m.

I look forward to meeting you all.

Barbara Hanson
Aquatic Co-ordinator
Physical and Leisure
Education Instructor
NAIT Office S107
Phone 427-9267

Badminton

TO: All Badminton Players

FROM: Eileen Harle
Badminton coach

SUBJECT: Badminton Team

Five men and five women are needed to play intercolliage badminton against the other nine Alberta colleges in February.

If you are interested in playing mens or womens singles, mens or womens doubles or mixed doubles, come to the practices that commence in November. There will be two practices a week.

WATCH FOR THE NOTICE.

Eileen Harle
Badminton Coach

Basketball

NAIT INTERCOLLEGIATE BASKETBALL ORGANIZATIONAL MEETINGS

MONDAY, September 14 1:15
Men - South Gym
Women - North Gym
All Prospective Players
Welcome

NOTE☆ Athletic Scholarships of \$500.00 will be awarded to all members of NAIT's Intercollegiate Basketball team.

Employment Available

Students are required immediately to shelve and shelfread library materials days, evenings and weekends. \$3.80 per hour. Inquire at the main floor of the library (Room U104) or call Mrs. Kinnaird at 427-9173.

Nugget contest what I did for the summer

By Mitchell C. Fraser

Remember all those "What I Did for the Summer" essays for your teachers. Well, the Nugget is asking something similar. We want your summer experiences on paper. It is a center and the winner receives a 24 pak of Coors Beer. Just a little something to pass the last part of the summer with. This contest expires end of September.

A summer vacation they call it. They also call death a release. But then for students who slaved all year long over books and beer, a release for school to go to work is a vacation. Not for me though.

It was almost immediately after NAIT had shut her doors on me and told me to go find a summer job, that a summer job at NAIT jumped out from behind a passing friend. Passing as in no longer a friend.

The job started as soon as all the students had been chased away. The job entailed removing asbestos from the hungry halls and callous ceilings of NAIT. It required wearing respirators and white suits and looking as if you were entering germ warfare.

I wasn't too fond of returning to NAIT for the summer after having been just told to get out. I swallowed my dignity and put money before pride. Until logic and lust go in the way.

As I was introduced to the other workers I became aware that all these guys were from Ontario and further east. They had come west for the summer to make some money and then run back home to their girlfriends. After a few hours of working I realized that I had to go east for the summer. A number of well reasoned reasons surfaced.

I knew that after my second year at NAIT and probably graduating, my chances of getting a job were very high. That's a shock to a professional student. Martha, after next year I would spend fifty weeks out of the year working. The horror, the horror. I had to take this last summer off and get lost. Go hitch hiking to the Maritimes.

The second reason was, if the boyfriends were all out west making money for the coming year, then the girlfriends would be back east getting lonely. So being well trained in logic I headed east to find the lonely girls.

I decided to travel bythumb, hitchhike. That's where you stand on the side of the road with arm extended for hours at a time questioning the generosity of the Canadian people. You develop theories about which vehicle will stop, which vehicles not to even put out a thumb for. As a general rule the further east one goes the easier it is to get a ride and the smaller the car the greater chance of the car stopping. That about leaves Alberta out in the cold, no, you out in the cold in Alberta. Something like that.

What is it like hitchhiking these days? It is not the hayday of the early seventies when the roads and ramps to freeways were filled with line ups of kids all hitchhiking to each other's backyard.

Today there are only a few people out braving the treacherous world of the hitchhiker. It's a dangerous world for both the driver and the hiker. The driver is paranoid of picking up a maniac and waking up sans car with a knife in his throat. The hiker is paranoid of being picked up by a maniac and waking up sans pants with a knife in his throat. Happily I make it safely to Halifax and back to lovely Edmonton with minimum damage - I had to dive into the ditch one time to avoid a brush off by some cowboys in Saskatchewan. I was also brushed off a couple of times in Ontario.

Standing on the side of the road gets to be lonely so one gets to counting things like clouds, birds and cars. A total of 981,233 cars went by me; of those cars, 84 stopped, 326 gave me the finger, 3, gave me the brushoff and 15 threw beer bottles at me. Oh we..., Martha knows it could have been worse.

The pleasure of hitchhiking is in the variety of people one meets. There is no particular type of person who will stop for you. A cowboy in Manitoba picked me up and started talking about the thrills of riding bulls. "You long hairs can have your drugs, riding bull is where it's at. You want thrills and a quick rush, try it. "No thanks, I don't like living that dangerously.

Another guy in Ontario was picking up every hitchhiker he saw. It was his duty to God to pick up hitchhikers and play Jerry Falwell to them. He seemed to think that hitchhikers were lost. Anyways, by the time he got to me his station wagon was already loaded, I ended up scrunched in the back talking to a communist from France who was overjoyed with the French election.

Just inside New Brunswick I was picked up by a van that was going to a local outdoor concert. Each year the locals would gather their drugs and beer, head out to a series of and sand pits dug to create the transCanada Highway and listen to a local rock and roll bands all night long. It was in that place that I first noticed the disproportionate number of females to males. The Maritimes is suffering from unemployment and economic woes. It is from there that many young men leave their girlfriends to head back west to make money so they can go back and take the girls out. The boys need not have worried about the girls being lonesome for the summer. I spread myself out and charmed them all who came to see me. It washeaven. Heaven is fantasy land.

It had only taken me a few weeks to reach New Brunswick, it took the rest of the summer to reach Halifax. It was the ultimate preoccupation with pretty things. Fondle and caress one pretty flower and another calls for your attention. It was slow going, but ecstasy.

And somewhere through the music of enchantment I heard my mother calling, Mitchell, if you don't get up you'll be late for registration. So much for the summer vacation.

Miss Freshette Contest '81

WHO Any single girl from a one-year technology

WHAT MISS FRESHETTE CONTEST, the winner NAIT in Miss Edmonton Eskimo.

WHERE Lunch for Candidates, Friday, September 18, from 12 noon to 1:00. Miss Freshette Tea, Thursday, September 17 at 3:15 p.m. Crowning of Miss Freshette will take place during the Beerfest on Sept. 19

WHEN Candidate forms MUST be into Phil Stack's office E133 by 4:30, Wednesday, September 16. NOTE: Candidate forms are available at the NAITSA Offices, Room E133.

WHY For the fun, the excitement, and the enjoyment of meeting new people, and a chance to make new friends. Also, the opportunity to become Miss Edmonton Eskimo.

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF RULES FOR "MISS FRESHETTE".

1. Must be a NAITSA member.
2. Must be from a ONE-YEAR technology.
3. Must be single.
4. The winner will be known as Miss Freshette.
5. All candidates will be judged by the NAITSA EXECUTIVE on personality and deportment.
6. There will be no campaigning or advertising.
7. There will be one candidate per departmental club.
8. Each candidate must submit a complete application form and a picture of herself to the Activities Chairman before or on Wednesday, September 16, so that judging may be arranged.
- "Miss Freshette" will be announced and presented the night of the beerfest.
10. "Miss Freshette" may not run for "Miss NAIT."
11. MISS FRESHETTE WILL BE NAIT'S CANDIDATE FOR MISS EDMONTON ESKIMO.
12. All candidates must be willing to represent NAIT for Miss Edmonton Eskimo.
13. All candidates must be within the requirements for Miss Edmonton Eskimo (subject to change).
14. NO professional modelling experience.

NAITSA welcomes you

President David Whalen

Once again, I will start with a "Welcome to NAIT" and to some of you, "Welcome Back." I hope that everyone enjoyed their summer break.

I have had a very interesting summer. Part of my duties included working for NAITSA during the week over the course of the summer. At the start of the summer, I had many ideas to work on; some were good, some not so good. It is at this point that I wish to share some of these ideas and accomplishments.

1. PARKING

Here at NAIT parking is an everyday headache for those who drive. Every morning, you had to be here very early in order to find a decent parking spot. I am pleased to say that this year will be in many people's eyes, much improved. For starters, there is no longer a free-for-all scramble to get parking space. There is no longer that early morning frustration of not being able to find a parking spot. This year only the first week of classes will be like this. However, after that initial week, order will take over. This year, all parking areas will be zoned and each driver will be designated a zone. This means that you should be able to park in your zone at any time during the day—if you can't park, find a commissioner and he will solve the problem. Parking permits will only be issued on a priority basis—that is if you must drive into town, or are disabled, or maybe you have to drop off and pick up kids before and after classes; or you have formed a car pool with two other fellow students. If after all of this, there are any stalls left, then after a random selection, you might receive a permit.

2. CROSSWALKS AND SNOW REMOVAL

Safety is a very important aspect. Every action that one commits could endanger your fellow students. Last spring, the subject of crosswalks and snow removal between NAIT and Main Campus, and the Engineering Sciences Bldg., (Plaza II), was brought to my attention. I am pleased to say that these are no longer problems. The crosswalks have been put up and the snow will be removed from the sidewalks on a regular basis.

3) STUDENT ASSOCIATION BUILDING

Within the structure of NAIT, there are many technologies that have their own Tech Club. Each club is financially independent of each other and NAITSA. These clubs usually organize a host of Cabarets, Bridge Building, etc. In order for these events to occur successfully, large amounts of money is needed. This money is raised through the Club's membership. However, the costs involved for hall rental, parking facilities, security, corkage, etc., are rising an almost out of our reach. In a few years, the clubs will find it very difficult to continue these activities. There is only one solution that could help us to reduce these costs and that is for NAITSA to construct a Student Building. Over the summer, I have worked on this subject, and presently, we are attempting to negotiate a land deal on behalf of the Students and NAIT.

4 (Relations with Plaza II

A major concern among students, are relations with Plaza II. To promote better relations with these students (there are 900 students in Plaza II), we are providing a main Main Library book pick-up service, as well as a Nugget and NAITSA mail box. We are also considering negotiating a deal to provide a games room/lounge, but this will take time. We will also provide an Intramural Schedule Board.

5) Extra Services

We are also negotiating on the students behalf, added services to make campus life a little more enjoyable. These include an Intertech Track and field and Frontier Day; considering a 24 hour Information Line (similar to phoning time); providing park benches on the campus grasslands; increasing campus parking; and if supported entering a raft in the K-Day Raft Race and providing a float in the K-Days Parade.

6) We Need Your Support

In closing, there are a few very important points that I must stress. To begin, our purpose (NAITSA Executive) is to serve the student body as a whole. We are to act as the representative body for all NAIT Students (NAITSA); administer student affairs and funds; to develop unity and ties between all NAIT students; to provide opportunities for the development of athletic, social and cultural activities; to provide effective communication lines with the office of the Minister of Advanced Education and Manpower, NAIT's Executive and with Edmonton's communities and other educational Institutes; to co-ordinate the student general and other educational Institutions; to co-ordinate the student general council. If we are to improve or increase our services to the students at large, we have to have everyone's support. This support is provided to each of you in the form of a vote. This vote will appear in the form of either a representative vote made on your behalf by your Technology representative or you can personally vote in the event of a referendum. If you don't vote...

Sincerely,

David Whalen

Hi, welcome to NAIT. For those of you just beginning at NAIT, you've just endured a very tedious week entitled registration. Our aim is to remedy that feeling by getting you involved in the many social athletic activities offered at NAIT.

For you information regarding the activities, I refer you to your handbooks and Please do not file them away, they are provided for your information. Everything happening at NAIT, except individual technology events, is outlined in those booklets. During the first weeks of classes, notices will be put up to inform you of physed and intramural registration, as well as, try-outs for different A.C.A.C. teams. These notices will be posted throughout the Institute including Plaza II.

Those of you returning are familiar with most of these happenings. I'm counting on your support this year and am sure it will be as good, if not even better, than last year. This will probably be the last year when you can get together with your 30 or 40 friends in one place at one time, so enjoy it. I also hope you'll remember your first year and help the first years out if they ask questions.

CONGRATULATIONS!

You have just made a big step in life by becoming a NAIT student. Whether a new student, or a returning student, you will enjoy the year at NAIT.

NAIT will give you an opportunity to do so many things, and to benefit from them you must Get INVOLVED. Don't hold back, you'll miss something you may never get a chance to do again.

There are probably many athletes attending this year who have the potential to play on the college teams. If you don't make the attempt to try out for these teams, you'll never know whether you could have made it or not. And more importantly, you will miss one of the best ways to meet people on

If you want to keep informed on NAIT issues, come to our General Council meetings. All students are welcome and your ideas and opinions only improve what NAIT has to offer. Meetings are held every second Tuesday, starting September 8, in Room E129. Come out, we'd love to see and hear you.

Thursday, September 24, has been designated SHINERAMA DAY, this is NAIT's day to SHINE. Keep watching for details about SHINERAMA, it's a lot of fun with a lot of bonuses.

If any of you are interested in helping to organize our SHINERAMA DAY, just drop into the Student Executive Offices (E133), come and talk to me in E133A, or leave you name and phone number in the SHINERAMA folder. No special talents are required, just spirit and a willingness to get involved.

You can make this year a great one; just get INVOLVED and PARTICIPATE in as many events as you can.

Sharon Kaley

Vice-President
NAITSA

campus, and all over other colleges in Alberta and surrounding areas.

Others who are less competitive and more in to sports for "the fun of it", have the intramural program. NAIT has one of the best intramural programs in the province. It also has the participation to keep it number 1. There are so many sports in the intramural lineup, that there has to be something for everyone. Check your NAITSA Calendars for sport starting dates. Your technology sports rep. will have all the information that your will need.

Remember to get involved and I hope that you make the fullest of your stay at NAIT.

Emanuel Bertolin
Athletic Chairman

As Treasurer of NAITSA, it is my responsibility to control the financial transactions of the Students' Association. Included in this responsibility, is the duty to keep accurate accounting records, and ensure that the expenditures of the association fall within the boundaries of the budget. These boundaries were established by last year's treasurer.

At this time, I would like to say hello to all the new students entering NAIT. I am sure your stay here will be enjoyable and rewarding. As you become more familiar with the Institute, you will come to realize that NAITSA is here to serve you, the student. If you have any comments, suggestions, or problems, the staff of NAITSA will be here to help.

I wish all our new students good luck and our returning students continued success.

Sincerely

Ross Salmon
Treasurer
NAITSA

By the time you receive the copy of the Nugget, you will be well into your courses I am sure. However, do not dispare, because there is more to NAIT then just classes.

Hi, My name is Phil Stack, and I am the Activities Chairman on the Nait Students' Association. My responsibility to you is to organize and run as many social functions and activities as possible, and there are lots to enjoy.

To start with, NAITSA PRESENTS, Orientation week '81, from September 15-19. The theme this year is "To Welcome Back the Second Year Students", but more important, to Welcome the first year students to NAIT. During this time, there will be concerts, contests, a free Bar-B-Q, a beerfest, and much more. To continue, "NAITSA PRESENTS, Rock & Talk, Evening concerts, common hour activities, a Christmas Cabaret, a Winter Carnival, and more. However, the only way these functions are to work and go over well, is with your cooperation and attendance.

So, watch for posters, watch for ads, and watch for any announcements about activities, and remember, GET INVOLVED, and enjoy all that NAITSA PRESENTS for the 1981-1982 school year.

If you have any questions, or any ideas, come and see me in room E133K. Welcome to NAIT and have a GREAT year!

Phil Stack

Activities Chairman,
NAITSA

For those of you beginning at NAIT, welcome, and for those of you who are in your second year, welcome back. School probably isn't your most favorite place to spend your time, but it can be enjoyable if you make it.

My name is Yvette Beaudry and I am the Secretary for the NAIT Students' Association.

There are a lot of events happening at NAIT during the year. Your students' Handbook and Activities Calendar will inform you of the events that NAITSA has planned, plus many more. You can also contact our offices for more information. We will be more than pleased to answer your questions.

NAIT is not only an Institute well-known for its courses, but it is also known for its participation in outside events, such as SHINERAMA. I know that other members of the Council have encouraged your participation in SHINERAMA and you don't want to hear it again, but you are going to. Helping to raise money for such a worthy cause cannot be stressed enough. So please, get involved and help SHINE. We also need your help in many other categories, so please check the Nugget and hallways for posters asking for your help.

Besides fund raising events, NAIT also has a very good intramural program and arranges for a lot of social activities. You may not wish to participate in or attend many events because it is your first year, but don't feel like this. These functions are not only for you to enjoy and have fun, they are also to help you meet people and feel more comfortable here.

I hope that your year at NAIT, whether it is your first or last, will be very rewarding and beneficial towards your careers. Remember, NAITSA is here for the students and we need your help to do things! In helping us, you will also be helping yourself have a more enjoyable year at NAIT.

Good Luck!

Yvette Beaudry, Secretary

As the Publications Chairman for NAITSA, I'm responsible for everything that is published by NAITSA. Some of the publications are: the NUGGET, Yearbook and the Student Handbook. The NUGGET and Yearbook are now recruiting staff for the 1981/82 year. It's your school so get involved! Write an article for the NUGGET or help produce your Yearbook.

For further information or suggestions come talk to us in the NAITSA offices. The door is always open.

Welcome to NAIT and have a good year!!

Joanne Timme
Publications Chairman

**Student Yearbook
makeup photos
Tuesday, September 15
Room U217
9 am - 2 pm**

Further details in the next issue of the Nugget

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