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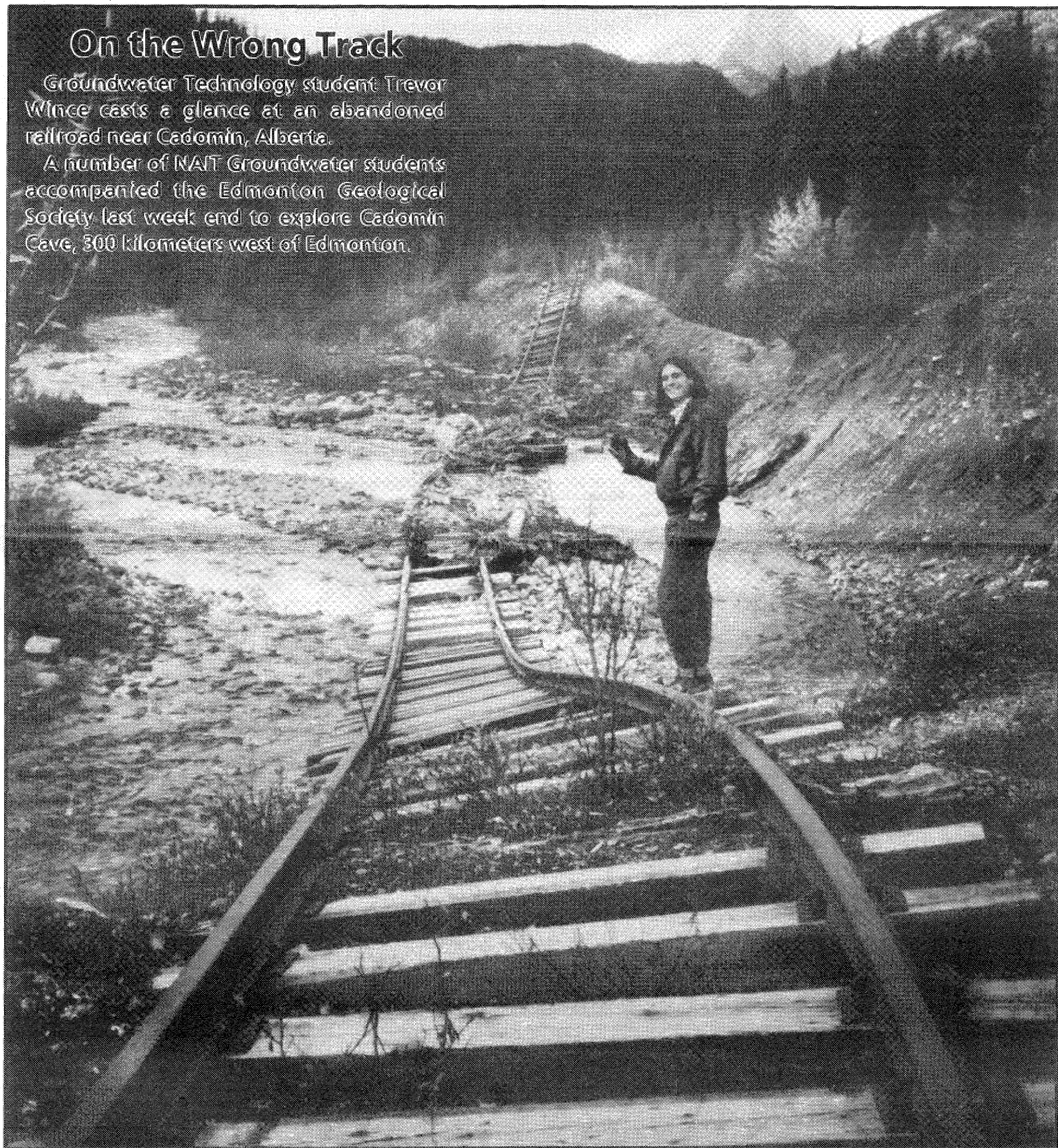
Hotel MacDonald honors to cost NAIT \$5,000

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On the Wrong Track

Groundwater Technology student Trevor Wince casts a glance at an abandoned railroad near Cadomin, Alberta.

A number of NAIT Groundwater students accompanied the Edmonton Geological Society last week end to explore Cadomin Cave, 300 kilometers west of Edmonton.



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To build a better bridge

Bridge Building celebrates 20 years

NAIT's Construction Engineering Technology has set October 3, 1992 as the date for the historic 20th annual Bridge Building Challenge.

The competition is a great way to start off the year. Getting 20 of your fellow students from your technology together and getting to know one another by acting as a team sets a good tone for student relations within your technology, and between technologies, for the rest of the school year.

Teams are given two ropes with which they must build a suspension bridge across Whitemud Creek.

Once the bridge is constructed, the race is on to get all 20 of your team members across the creek--and back.

Members must then carry a "patient" on a stretcher across the bridge and back.

The team must then dismantle the bridge and place the ropes neatly back at the starting point.

Judges are assigned to watch for any rule



infractions and award time penalties accordingly.

When the event itself is over everyone reconvenes at the annual Bridge Building Cabaret.

In addition to everyone having an excellent time, an awards ceremony is held to present the winners with their trophy and prizes.

This year promises to be

bigger and better than ever before.

Get involved, get a team together, or come down to Whitemud Park and cheer on the competitors. Then come to the cabaret. A great time will be had by all.

See you at the 20th annual Bridge Building Challenge!

New Fire Alarm

The new fire alarm system is now fully functional in all Main Campus Buildings (Activities Centre north through to the Industrial Technology Building) and the Continuing Education Centre, Engineering Technologies Annex and Power Engineering Building.

For the safety of NAIT's occupants, the system has been designed and installed to cover all buildings areas with a computer managed,

contemporary fire detection and emergency warning system. The major advantages the new system has over its predecessor include addressability, zoning and staging, voice announcements and a central command centre. Addressability identifies immediately the location of the alarm, be it signaled from a manual pull station, smoke detector, heat detector or sprinkler flow detector, for rapid response. The zoning and staging of the alarm

eliminates the previous requirement to evacuate the entire building; fire and smoke separations between the zones allow evacuation only in the zone in which the alarm condition has been reported. The voice announcements describe the condition and give instructions on the action to be taken. The central command centre, in hand with the addressability feature, gives NAIT Security a location in text, a printout for the record and a graphic indication of the alarm and the position of the entry to which the fire department is to respond.

SUDS Corner

The SUDS SQUAD (Students Understanding Drinking Sensibly) committee has set aside October 19-23 to be our

Alcohol Awareness Week.

The week long series of events is designed to encourage sensible use of alcohol. Our highlight of the

week will be the popular Moo Milk Contest.

This event will be on the Wednesday which is Oct. 21. The annual Moo Milk Contest puts students, staff and local media against each other in a challenge of singing and chugging milk.

Forms will be available through the student association and in the following weeks in *The Nugget*.

Start thinking of entering a team, all you need is three people and a name for your team. Other events for the week will be announced later, watch for posters throughout the halls.

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B of G to continue funding banquets

By Jennifer Cador
News Editor

Despite the recent tuition increases, NAIT's Board of Governors will again be hosting a high priced reception at the Hotel MacDonald on October 6.

Stephanie Wilson, Secretary to the Board of Governors, describes the event as a "long service and retirement recognition" meant to honour fifteen and twenty-five year staff members along with retiring employees.

The Board is expecting over 200 to attend: 103 honored staff members with one quest each as well as Senior Administration and the Board itself.

The program is scheduled to start at 5:00 p.m. with a stand up reception to follow. Gifts will be presented at the ceremony and hors d'oeuvres will be served afterwards.

The price tag for this annual event is around the five thousand dollar mark, and will be paid for with money from a fund made available to the Board of

Governors. This fund is part of the NAIT budget, which comprises: student tuition fees, government grants, and private donations.

The annual Retirement Recognition is not the only function put on and paid for by the Board of Governors. They also host a yearly spring barbecue which is held in the main courtyard costing approximately fifteen hundred dollars. The barbecue is a social function for all staff members.

"We are not using any [students'] money to pay for this function because of what it costs per year to train[students]."

**-Stephanie Wilson
B of G
Secretary**

Another annual Board event set is the Board Recognition Dinner. Priced at around one thousand

dollars, this is a dinner meant to honour Board members who are retiring or who have retired in the last year.

Wilson was not able to say exactly how much money in total the Board of Governors spends on noneducational matters, however, she was quick to point out that she did not consider such events as the Retirement Recognition in the Hotel MacDonald too extravagant. "For somebody who's been here for fifteen years, twenty-five years or more this is not extravagant considering the number of years of service," Wilson said.

Wilson feels the Board is not spending any of the students' tuition fees on noneducational Board functions. "Students only pay \$944 tuition when in actuality it costs \$10,550 to train them. This is only nine percent," she says. "We are not using any [students'] money to pay for this function because of what it costs per year to train [students]."



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We are putting together a special feature on the constitutional referendum and we need your submissions.

CRITERIA

1. Please pick a side, Yes or No. Fencesitters will be severely reprimanded.
2. Please be brief. Around 300 words is lots. Remember, quality rules, quantity sucks. Babblers could suffer cutthroat editing

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Team #7 (BUS) (\$145.25 per person = \$581). Steve Hartfield, Josh Dunn, Denis Babin, Pam Radchanko.

The following individuals have also won a prize: Maureen Thompson, Helen Ringuette, Shane Melock, Mike Dell, Jocelyn McConaghy, Steve Hartfelder, Andrew

Dubbeldam, Shaun Kessler, Sharon Bowman, Sandra Pruden, Wayne Fedorak, Conway Webster, Bob Joiner, Jenny Figueroa, Cindy Smith, Trina Warshaki, Daphne Geroulis, Pat Maghan, Glenda Geddes, Geraldine Coles, Marcelee Carlin, Sean Dunn, Lee Schell, Tracy Woolsey, Chris Young, Dan Boisvert, Cindy Law, Pam Radchanko, Brett Lasell, Denis Babin, Mark Latimer.

These people can claim their prizes from Brad in E133C.

Hooray for Business

By Stew Walline
BAS President

The first month of school is now behind us and things are looking good. The Business technology has shown that they are ready to get involved.

Proof of this statement can be seen on the registration form for Shinerama. Out of twenty-six shoe shining teams fourteen of them were from Business: that's 54 percent! The first year students were a large part of that effort.

Business students are getting the message that B.A.S. is sending out. Let's get involved and have fun.

Already people are coming into our office with fantastic ideas. We are using the students ideas--your ideas! If you want to get involved

come see us in room T114A.

We have two new additions to our B.A.S. family, Carmen Zwartjes V.P. of Accounting and Lisa Moser V.P. of Finance. They were elected into position on Sept. 25 in a yes/no vote.

To finish up I would like to apologize to the people who were inconvenienced at our "Cheers to First Years" Cabaret on Sept. 25. Being our first cabaret of the year we did make some mistakes but we also learned from them. We now know what it takes to make an even better cabaret. So check us out again on Oct. 30 for our "Howl-oween Spook-tacular" and I promise you a frightfully good time.

Thanks again business people and keep shooting for success.

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October 4

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October 3

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Hospital Chapel

October 6-11

Celebration Women in Arts, Stitch in Time,
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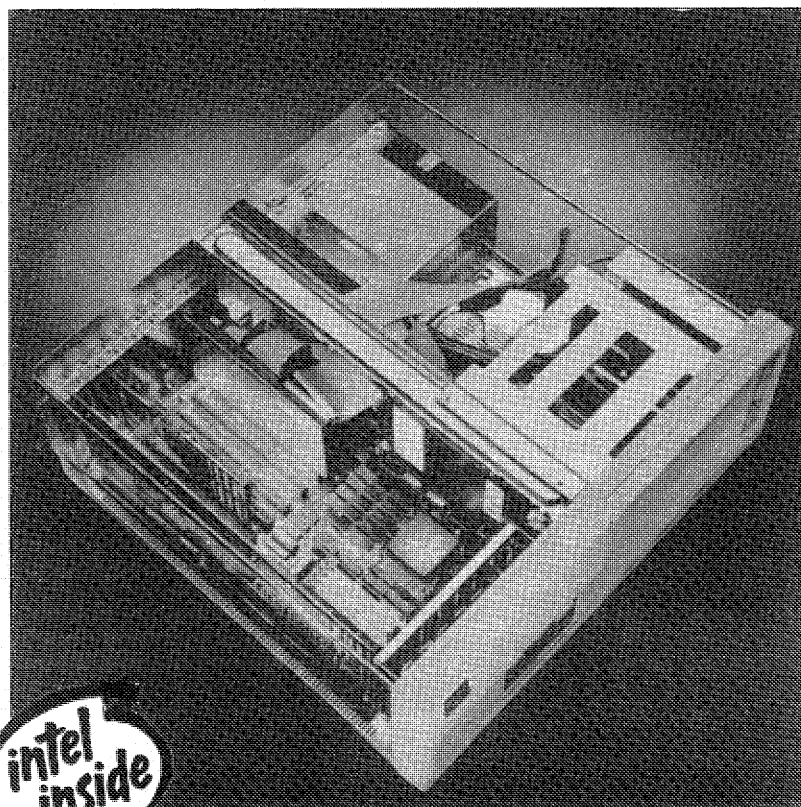
October 7

7:30 LosAltos Story, McDougall United Church

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Shinerama 50/50 draw winner awarded



Craig Piercey, seen here with NAITSA Academic V.P. Brad Balkan, accepts a cheque for \$750 from the Shinerama 50/50 Draw. The draw, which raised an additional \$750 for C.F., took place at the Shinerama Cabaret on Saturday,

Sept. 19. Craig, currently in Plastics technology, doesn't know if he'll spend the money on a new T.V. or save for a car. He was sure, though, that he would like to donate \$50 back to C.F. from his winnings. Way to play Craig!

Another year of fast-paced, hard hitting rugby is starting this year at NAIT. Many tournaments and games are scheduled. If you have played rugby before or are willing to learn the game, come out to an open practice on October 4 at 3:00 p.m. Or leave a message for James at 421-0200 (NAIT gym.)



Notice to Students and Staff

Walkabout Madness!!!
October 6th, 1992!

TEAM CHALLENGE - BONUS!

To encourage participation, CONTINUING EDUCATION has graciously donated \$150.00 to the student group and \$150.00 to the staff employee group who registers the most participants.

You may recruit participants from throughout the institute. Students **MUST** be registered at NAIT (includes Continuing Education Students) and employees may be full-time, part-time or casual.

How to Enter

Simply determine a "team" name to register under and recruit participants for your team. (i.e. by tech, dept. etc.)

Ensure that all your recruits register themselves under the appropriate team name.

Draw Prizes include:

- * Edmonton Oiler Tickets - courtesy of the **NAIT** FOUNDATION
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HERE'S HOW TO PARTICIPATE!

Pick up a Registration form at E-32 (Main campus) or at Health Services (Satellite campuses). Note: Registration forms will also be available at the start.

Show up at the "start" during the appropriate time frame, with your completed registration form

Predict the time you think it will take you to cover the route you are doing.

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B of G comments reflect arrogance



By David Harvey
Editor-in-Chief

I had to laugh.

I didn't giggle politely or just knowingly smirk. I laughed out loud when I read NAIT Board of Governors Secretary, Stephanie Wilson's absurd comments (see *B of G to continue funding banquets* on page 3) defending the Board's plans to continue holding their retirement banquet in the same spendthrift manner as in the past, despite last year's thirteen percent tuition hike.

Wilson said that because students pay, "only nine percent" of the education bill of NAIT, we have no business being concerned about NAIT's noneducational expenditures. If I am to understand Wilson, the Board of Governors is absolutely free to spend 91 percent of NAIT's budget in any way it sees fit, be it educational in nature or not.

Wilson's statement reflects the arrogance that is generally held on the Board. This is the same Board that, last year, voted to raise their own honorariums to \$3000 per year and

then, only a few months later, callously approved the tuition increase with no debate to speak of. The Board is stacked with patronage appointees (excluding the staff, student and administration members) and they are determined to raise tuition the maximum amount allowed by law (\$100 plus inflation) every year until it reaches the provincial government's goal; a tuition rate at 20 percent of the education budget.

The underlying assumption of the government, and hence the Board, is that students are not pulling their fair load in light of hard economic times.

Obviously, that is plain crap. I'd wager an entire summer's earnings that it takes a student much longer to earn his or her tuition than it does for any government appointed Board member to make five times that amount. Furthermore, the time and effort students put into their studies alone shows a greater investment in NAIT, and post-secondary education in general, than anyone who spares two hours a month to attend a board meeting.

Now, I'm not saying that retiring instructors shouldn't be honored at a banquet. They deserve it. But, the symbolism of holding the banquet at the poshest place in town makes a mockery of the students' sacrifice. We deserve a more responsible attitude. We deserve more students on the Board.

I've heard that the Edmonton Inn has a nice smorg.

Bussing it blues



By Pam Radchenko
Assistant Editor

6:05 a.m., my alarm rings and I have to hustle, to make the 7:04 a.m. bus.

Yes, I have to catch this crack-of-dawn bus because if I wait for the later one, I'll be late for school. I know, it's happened *many* times. Isn't that unreal? I, like so many NAIT students, ride the bus for at least an hour, morning and night. Yet, the Edmonton Transit refuses to cater to students' needs.

The busses on more than one occasion blow by the bus stop, just outside of NAIT, ignoring the students lined up, waiting to get on. And, how many of you have this problem? The bus that you have to transfer to takes off from the station just as the bus you are currently riding stops to let you off. What are you supposed to do? RUN after the leaving bus? Not likely. So, you sit there for another 20 minutes, staring at your watch and fuming.

One of the nicest things about the bus is the bus drivers. I love it when they sit outside chatting with the other bus drivers, while you sit waiting on the bus for ten minutes, pissed off because the bus is late already. **BUSSES SUCK!**

And so, fellow students of NAIT, rise up. Rebel. Call Edmonton Transit at 428-5590 and complain. Let them know what you really think of their lousy system.

Students know tough economic times



By Jennifer Cador
News Editor

Just last week Edmonton had a visitor who warned that family incomes are dropping and people in Canada had better lower their expectations when it comes to their standard of living.

Carlton University professor and sociologist, Craig McKie, believes that the days of personal financial stability are gone for good. He says that, "real family incomes are now at, or below 1970s levels and are purchased at the cost of more hours of work. And even with two family incomes, you can't have the Mercedes and the cottage anymore."

Taxes will be on the increase, he says, to support the rising costs of health care, Canada Pension, and education.

The only good news McKie had to offer was that because of the growing population of senior citizens, the younger generations may be in line to inherit much of their wealth.

This is not the traditional way of achieving economic

prosperity and certainly not an altogether pleasant idea, however in today's economic climate, such bleak views, unfortunately, ring true. McKie's ideas and insights don't seem too offbeat. On the contrary, they seem realistic.

Although Craig McKie's gloomy comments on our financial future can make life seem entirely hopeless, some people believe there is still room for optimism. Tough times probably *are* here to stay but some people are better equipped than others to survive in such situations. Look at students, for example.

Many students are trying to live on an inadequate student loan, raise a family, and get an education, in order to expand their job opportunities. It's a tough existence for a few years and it can be very discouraging but it does build endurance and inner strength for those who manage to get through it. Lowering expectations and getting used to living with less is not going to be such a problem because they've already been forced to do it, usually by the Students' Finance Board. Even students who manage to avoid a loan usually just scrape by with next to nothing to spare.

Nobody likes enduring the financial hardships that go with student life but there is something to be said for the tolerance levels that are built up during that time. I keep thinking to myself, if I can get through this, I can get through anything.

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Trouble believing

Dear Editor:

Last year I was very impressed to hear that NAIT was planning an institute-wide non-smoking policy. Considering that the present ventilation system is unable to effectively separate smoking and non-smoking areas, it seemed like a reasonable course of action. Initially the new policy was to go into effect on August 1, 1992, but I was disturbed to hear last week that we will not see any action until July 1, 1993. Apparently the policy was delayed so that

present and future students could be informed of the new regulations. In addition, the delay would permit students and staff time to participate in stop smoking program. Great! I think it's fantastic that NAIT administration is warning smokers well in advance so that if they wish to do so, they can partake in such stop smoking programs. Somehow I have trouble believing that those who made this decision have never had the opportunity of spending a two hour class in the south end of H-

wing, or have ever had a locker in the same area. While I have no medical credentials, I have no doubt the smoke seeping through the doors and ventilation system have a serious effect on the health of students and staff of H-

wing. In delaying the policy for 10 months, administration has sentenced many non-smokers to breathe filthy air for 10 months longer than they previously had to. Don't get me wrong. I

am not writing this letter for the purpose of bashing smokers, as I think they have every right to smoke. However, it is not fair when their habits infringe on my right to breathe clean air.

Jason Nessler
EET

Boiling down to logistics

Dear Editor:

Re: Letters to the Editor, "You know," The Nugget, September 24, 1992.

I feel I must respond to the concerns brought to light in this letter. Ms. Bruno has touched on valid points.

Unfortunately, this party was not sold out. Sure, I could blame any number of extenuating factors, but that is not why I am writing back. Of course, our objective is have a successful event, both monetarily and socially; unfortunately we did not achieve our goals this time.

It all boils down to logistics. Historically speaking, the Shinerama Cabaret is one of the largest events that the student Association hosts.

We need a venue that can hold 800+ people. Traditionally, we have been able to secure Northlands Golden Garter for this event; ideally, this is the venue to have. It is the only venue in the city that accommodates this many people and let's the host keep liquor revenue.

We tried to secure this venue back in June. The response from Northlands was that they already had a booking for that night. Needless to say, we were in a tough position.

The Mayfield Trade Centre was the next best choice for us. Being anew venue they were eager to help us out. Plus they have the size we thought we would need. The only problem--we cannot keep the liquor revenue; thus the \$10 ticket price. As for giving the Shiners a free

ticket, or at least at half price, we would have lost more than we did. Please keep in mind that any loss incurred is taken from the budget for the event, and not from the money raised shining shoes.

Ms. Bruno, please understand we all try to do the best job possible. I am in the process of making a critical evaluation of this year's Shinerama campaign, as well as recommendations not only for next year's director, but for the national organization. At this time, I invite you or anybody else with constructive opinions on how to improve NAIT's Shinerama campaign. I'm located in E133C, with regular office hours posted, or call me at 7603.

Signed,
Brad Balkan
Shinerama '92 Director
VP Academic NAITSA

PRESIDENT'S CORNER

By Dan Lachambre
NAITSA President



Apathy: cause or result

Student associations across the province have all experienced a decline in student participation. What's the cause? Most say apathy, but I don't buy it. Apathy (aka-lack of participation) is the result of many variables. Decreased student financing and higher tuitions cause many students to have to work increased hours to meet the month end bill mayhem. Other factors include pressure among students to achieve good grades and an increasing number of single parents at

NAIT. Is it actually a lack of interest or a lack of time? I lean towards the latter.

Granted, this problem cannot be solved overnight, but I would like to take the first step by encouraging all students to put aside a couple hours per week to get involved in everything from intramural sports to student clubs to cabarets etc... Remember, extracurricular involvement builds memories and experience which simply cannot be taught in the classroom.

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The Lady Ooks soccer team travelled to Calgary for the first of three tournament series against Red Deer and SAIT.

In Saturday's game the Lady Ooks went on the attack early but could not score. Being the first official game of the season, the Lady Ooks had a little adjusting to do. In the second half Red Deer scored twice. Sandra

Alfonso replied for NAIT off a Lydia Beswick cross. NAIT then went on the offensive and just as it looked like the Lady Ooks would equalize, the final whistle sounded.

On Sunday the Lady Ooks easily beat SAIT 6-0. Sandra Mushen had two goals, Jawa Kolot, Janelle Schur, Ananias Said, and Shannon Marlet had one apiece.

On Friday the Lady Ooks host the Red Deer Queens.

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October Intramural Calender

October 5

Men's and Women's Table Tennis (singles) starts
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Men's and Women's Bowling starts

October 6

Co-ed Badminton starts
Men's Cross Country Run starts
Women's Speedball starts
Men's and Women's Walkabout Madness starts
Men's Volleyball starts
Entry deadline for:
Men's and Women's Walkabout Madness Form #5
Women's Volleyball Form #1
Men's Hockey Form #1

October 7

Intermural Sports Rep meeting

October 8

Women's Cross Country Run starts
Men's and Women's Tug-O-War starts

**Challenge Cup:
1992 Winners: CST**

What's on This Week

HOCKEY:

Friday, Oct 2 GRPC @ NAIT

7:30 pm

Sunday Oct 4 GRPC @ NAIT

1:30 pm

Admission free to NAIT Students

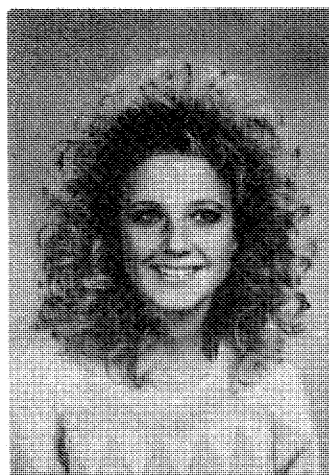
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MOLSON CANADIAN

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

LYDIA BESWICK



WOMENS' SOCCER

This is Lydia's second year on the Lady Ooks Soccer team. She has played club soccer for the past twelve years, including the National Champion St. Albert Flyers. Lydia is a team player who works hard during the game and at practice. She is extremely fast and deceptive, and her magnificent crosses from the side line are a real threat. Her cross last Saturday resulted in a beautiful goal being scored by NAIT against Red Deer. Lydia is the first to tell you that her success is a direct result of the tremendous support she gets from her teammates. Congratulations Lydia. Good Luck Lady Ooks!

What Beers All About

And the winners are ...



By Chris Nichols
Sports Editorial

Hey Sports Fans! Here is my N.H.L. preview in brief.

Adams Division

BOS: New Europeans, Olympians, inject speed and youth. Success depends on Neely, Moog. Watch for Kvarfjalnov.

MON: Plenty of scoring to go around this year. LeClair will break through if given icetime.

BUF: Potent offense, porous defence, underachieving goalies.

QUE: Goaltending must be strong. No better than fourth place until attitude adjustment takes place.

HAR: Sean Burke will help, but it's like plugging the hole in the Titanic with a Mars bar.

OTT: Mark Lamb is their top player. Say no more

Patrick Division

WAS: Balanced offense, best defence, solid 'tending.

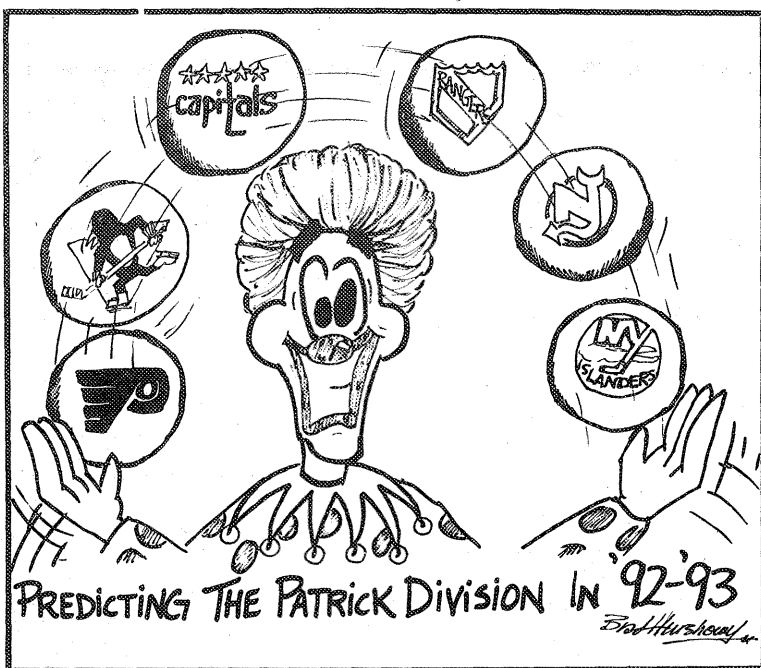
NYR: Da Moose. Leetch. Richter. Watch for Kovalev if he plays.

NYI: Lot's of scoring, need to tighten up defensively though.

PIT: Tocchet, Lemieux will guarantee play-off spot. Barrasso couldn't catch a cold in Siberia.

NJD: Balanced, solid team. Patrick is too tight.

PHI: Lindros can't improve paper-thin defence. Soderstrom will play well.



Smythe Division

VAN: Rushin' Rocket will score 50. Best team in weak division.

EDM: Added toughness this year. Ranford will do the rest.

WIN: New Europeans add scoring punch. Can't help but finish third. Davydov is out of shape but can score. Selanne is a talent.

CAL: Talent yes, chemistry no. Kidd will shine.

LOS: Gretzky's out, so are the Kings.

SAN: Will get less points than last year.

Norris Division

DET: First if Federov plays, second if not.

CHI: Take Rob Brown as a sleeper pick in your draft.

STL: Hull is captain, Emerson will break through. New Europeans can skate.

TOR: Gilmour and Andy show. Fuhr still has it.

MIN: Not that good. Modano will get 85+ points.

TAM: Surprisingly good defence but nothing else.

Wilde about Brian

CFRN gives NAIT instructor plum Oiler job

Chris Nichols
Sports Editor

Life couldn't get much better for Radio and Television Arts teacher Brian Wilde. He got married in June, bought a house in July and got a job that most could only dream about in August. Wilde will host the Edmonton Oilers broadcasts on CFRN-TV this season. He will also host his own weekly show, called Centre Ice, which will air Saturday's at 5:00 p.m. during the hockey year.

Wilde, 29, has been reading sports at CFRN for eight years. He has taught at NAIT for four years, but will now hand over the reigns to former CFRN news anchor Susan Amerongen.

"I like to do different things once in a while," said Wilde. "If you can handle change and adapt to

different situations life won't get boring. I'd enjoy coming back to NAIT, but we'll wait until late April to decide what to do."

He must tell NAIT whether or not he'll be back by May 1.

As host of the Oilers broadcasts, he'll basically do what Tim Spellicy did on ITV. Wilde introduces the game, does interviews in the intermissions, and wraps up the show too.

Centre Ice will be a live show which will allow the hockey enthusiast to keep up with the Oilers developments and the N.H.L.'s as well. The show has several weekly features including: a 1 1/2 minute commentary by play-by-play man Al Nagy, Wayne's Card Corner, Nagy's notes and betting tips from Journal soothsayer Curtis Stock. The most interesting

component of the show is saved for the last five minutes of the program.

"We're going to have a segment where the viewer can actually call-in. They can ask questions or just make comments in general about hockey. I'm really looking forward to it!"

CFRN's weekly offering first aired this past Saturday. The show demonstrated a lot of promise and should provide insight for even the most knowledgeable hockey buff. For instance, the real reason the N.H.L. scrapped the mandatory helmet rule had little to do with making the players recognizable. The league freed itself from any liability related to head injuries by making helmet usage mandatory.

So how could life get better for Wilde? "I could pay off the mortgage."

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Molson Night washed out

By Chris Nichols
Sports Editor

Molson Student Night was supposed to be an athletic confrontation of sorts between NAIT and U of A athletes, but muddy track conditions left both sides untested. Northlands Park

was the site for last Thursday's proposed sulky races. Organizers decided to cancel the heats rather than have the competitors risk unnecessary injury. The crowd at the racetrack was prepared to see heats of two athletes pulling a third in a sulky

over a 150 yard stretch. The top team was to have received a cash prize of \$2000. But when the dust, or in this case mud, settled, each school came out with about \$850. NAIT's money will be split according to each sports team's participation. For example,

the soccer team fielded twelve of the twenty-four members of the NAIT squad, so it will receive half of the winnings. Hockey, women's basketball and swimming were the other sports represented by the Blue and Gold.

Although Student Night flopped because of bad weather, the evening wasn't a total loss for two Ook

athletes. Jimmy Steele (soccer) and Heather Davidson (swimming) each came up big in the raffle. Steele snagged the \$1500 tuition draw, while Davidson put a dent in her book costs with a \$150 windfall. Congratulations, you two! Special thanks to Molson for the sponsorship and to all the students who joined the team or just came out to watch.

This week in intramurals

Candace Visser
V.P. Athletics

Hey everyone! Hope your ready for another month at school. There are a number of intramural activities which are going to take place this month. So make sure you get your team entered before the deadline. Entry forms can be picked up in the Student Services Office, E134, or the Sports Equipment Centre E032. Continue to check the I-M Board outside Rm. E134 to see what's happening and when and whom you play. And, you know what! If your team is the winner of an activity (i.e. Volleyball) you all get a free Intramural Champion T-Shirt.

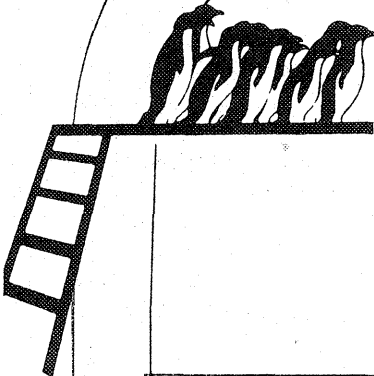
Okay! Now what's wrong with everyone? Are you afraid of CST? The reason I ask is that no one has challenged them for the Challenge Cup yet. But I did have someone come in and ask who to contact (FINALLY.) You can't win the trophy if you don't challenge them. So get out there and create some FUN!!

I'd like to congratulate some of our intramural winners at this time. Congratulations to JULIAN KOCHANSKI from EDDT for winning the Cycle Drag and to DOUG RITCHIE from EDDT and KIM DINGWELL of Business for winning men's and women's golf.

CORRECTION

The Nugget reported last week that Mount Royal had been stripped of it's preseason soccer title for using ineligible players. This information is inaccurate. The accused players WERE eligible to play preseason games. It wasn't until after the preseason had ended that said players were ruled ineligible because of poor academic standing. Sorry if you lost any money on Sports Select, o' faithful readers.

Sports Ed



POOL NEWS

P.L.E. Pool Class Registration

When: Friday, October 9, 1992 - 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
Who: All interested NAIT Participants
What: Registration for all PLE Classes held in the Pool
Where: On the newly renovated pool deck
Why: To meet people, have fun & get fit!

*Classes offered following the long weekend & are as follows:

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
6:30- 7:30 AM	Early Bird Swim		Early Bird Swim		Early Bird Swim
12:10 - 1:00	Aqua Fit	Swim Fit/ Stroke Improvement	CAN Swim 1 - 2	Swim Fit/ Stroke Improvement	
3:15 - 4:10	CAN Swim 2 - 3	Water Volleyball & Basketball			
4:15 - 5:10	CAN Swim 3 - 4 Aqua Fit	CAN Swim 1 & 2	Aqua Fit Bronze Medallion (4:30 - 6:00)	Aqua Fit	
5:00 - 9:00		Scuba		Scuba	

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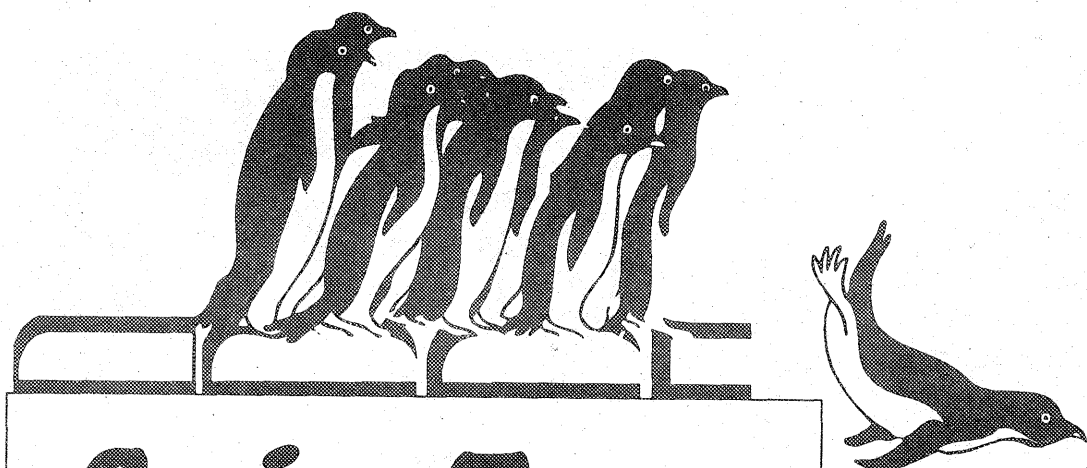
NAIT POOL PROGRAM CALENDAR
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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POOL NEWS

Swim team anxious for pool opening



Swim Team

The '91 & '92 ACAC Champion Ooks are looking forward to resuming on campus training when the pool opens Monday, Oct. 5/92. Practices at the NAIT

pool will run Monday, Oct. 5 through Friday, Oct. 9 from 4:15 p.m. - 5:45 p.m.. Competition for the Swim Squad starts on Nov 7 at 1 p.m. with NAIT hosting

other ACAC college teams for exhibition competition. Students interested in swimming competitively for NAIT should contact Coach Jeff Riddle down at the pool 471-8711.

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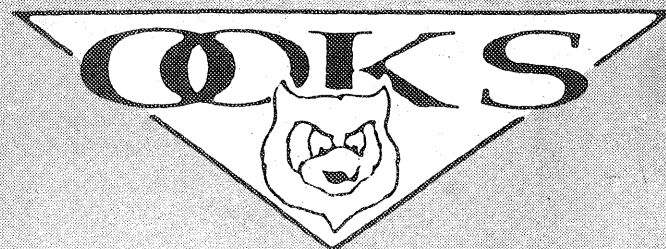
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ACAC Soccer

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH
NAIT 2, Red Deer 0

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD
Lethbridge at NAIT, 5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH
Lethbridge at NAIT, 12:00 noon

WOMEN'S

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH
Red Deer 2, NAIT 1

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH
NAIT 6, SAIT 0

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 2ND
Red Deer at NAIT, 5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH
SAIT at NAIT, 2:30 p.m.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25TH
University of Calgary 4, NAIT 3

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 26TH
University of Alberta 4, NAIT 2

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 27TH
University of Saskatchewan 7, NAIT 3
(University of Saskatchewan wins tourney)

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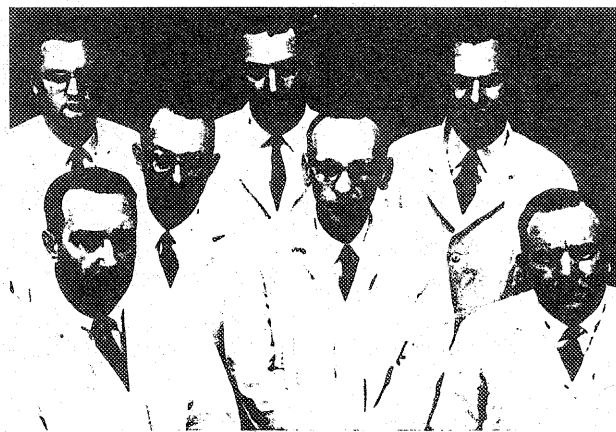
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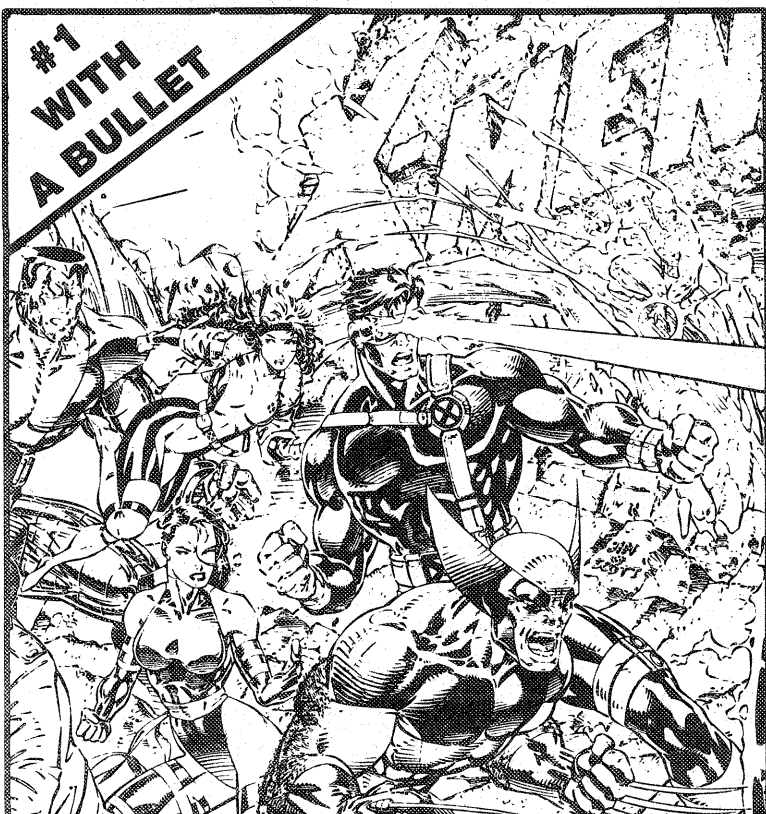
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Have You Ever?

by Miller Malone

Have you ever thought that eggs
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Is there a God?



By Miller Malone
Editorial

To tell you the truth, I don't really know for sure, but I'm pretty sure there is some mysterious omnipotent being that has kept me out of jail and occasionally throws a willing female my way.

But hey, I'm not here to prove or disprove the existence of God. I think it has been done to death by Descartes and Hume. I'm here to discuss something new and interesting that will hold your attention for a while and ensure my continued payment for services rendered.

I don't really have anything new and interesting this week I'm still tapped out from the lesbian vegetarian stuff last week.

So, in lieu of an editorial, let me do some whining.

Those of you who know who I am, please don't tell anyone (I'm supposed to be anonymous like in A.A.).

Who knows what kind of slobbering lunatic might have me figured for the Anti-Christ and try to ventilate my ass with a gun? Oh yeah, don't stare at me in restaurants, it makes me think my fly is open and strangely enough, nine times out of ten, it is.

So this weeks editorial summed up:

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|--------|------------------------------------|
| God | - Pretty sure |
| Malone | - scared to death of assassination |
| | - wants to buy a cheap VCR |
| | - fly unbuttoned deliberately |

Bring some coffee to *Blade Runner* '92

By Justin Wonaga

If you like your science-fiction fast paced, you had better go to the video store and rent the 1982 version of this film.

This latest version of this science-fiction classic now takes its time telling the story of a bounty hunter chasing after homicidal androids (a.k.a. replicants.)

We see a gritty, damp, dark vision of Los Angeles in the 21st century. Big screen TV's advertisement for recreational drugs. Sushi bars and stirfry restaurants are everywhere.

The story revolves around Deckard, played by Harrison Ford. Deckard is a sort of bounty hunter, called a blade runner. His job is to hunt down replicants, (pseudo-humans) which are banned from Earth. These creatures are extremely intelligent and, if cornered, downright lethal. Deckard has his work cut out for him.

However, Deckard, in order to get more info on his targets, meets the manufacturer of these replicants. Deckard is introduced to the latest model of replicants (which

aren't banned-true bugs are worked out) and, yikes, falls in love with her. Talk about a conflict of interest.

However, there are too many subtleties in this film to go into detail. If you really

like heavy science-fiction, this movie is first class stuff. But I'd recommend a strong cup of coffee before the show, because it has a tendency to drag rather slowly sometimes.

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Malone's top ten albums

By Miller Malone

Last week I told you I'd describe my genitalia in a frighteningly graphic manner if I didn't have any new music to review.

I don't have any new music to review, but David Harvey (The Nugget Editor in Chief) is a kill joy, so there goes that idea.

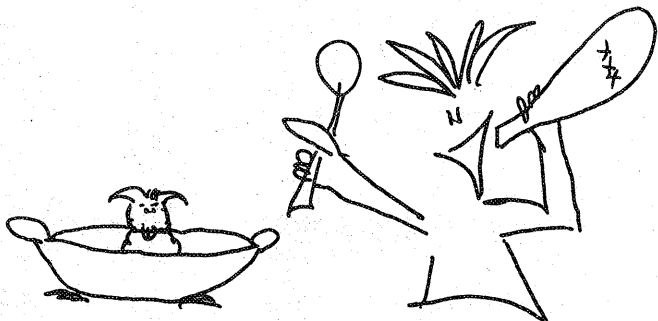
I do have some "old" music picks for you that I still enjoy so here's my top 10 albums of my all time.

1. Fleetwood Mac-Rumours
2. AC/DC-Back in Black
3. Tragically Hip-Up to Here
4. Tracy Chapman-Cross Roads
5. Peter Gabriel-So
6. The Clash-London Calling
7. Rolling Stones-Exile On Main St.
8. Van Halen-Diver Down
9. Harry Connick Jr.-Harry Met Sally (soundtrack)
10. Red Rider-Symphony Sessions

A little eclectic, but just a little.

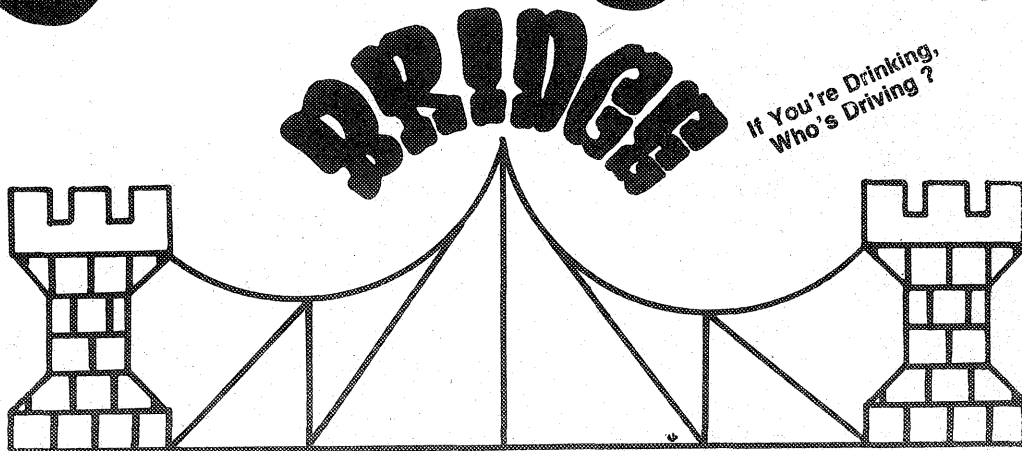
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- 5 BILLY RAY CYRUS • Could Have Been Me
- 6 DAN SEALS • When Love Comes Around The Bend
- 7 AARON TIPPIN • I Wouldn't Have It Any Other Way
- 8 PAUL OVERSTREET • Me and My Baby
- 9 ALABAMA • I'm In A Hurry
- 10 DENIS ROBBINS • Home Sweet Home
- 11 MARK CHESTNUTT • I'll Think Of Something

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THE TOP 5

Lose Your Roommate Time Phrases

By Miller Malone

- 5) "Hey watch me light this fart."
- 4) "I should buy a new tooth brush yours makes my gums bleed."
- 3) "Some people call them tape worms, but I like to call them bowel pets."
- 2) "If you find me unconscious with a syringe sticking out of my arm call 911."
- 1) "It doesn't offend you when I masturbate in your room, does it?"

SNL returns

By Miller Malone

Saturday Night Live began its new fall season last weekend on NBC.

The opening show had Nicholas Cage of *Wedding In Vegas*, *Raising Arizona* and *Wild At Heart* fame as host and Bobby Brown as musical guest. The show was standard SNL fare with sarcasm, sophomoric humor and biting wit rolled into an hour and a half.

Notable skits of the evening included a parody of Ross Perot as an ultra rich, megalomaniac control freak; getting people to do stupid and degrading things for

money and a Murphy Brown over exploitation skit entitled "Mr. Casual Sex."

Nicholas Cage wasn't really the lynch pin of the night coming into his own only during the "Mr. Ass Wipe" skit (pronounced AZ weep A.)

Mike Meyers of *Wayne's World* fame was conspicuously absent and hopefully he's only taking a longer vacation and will be back next week.

Next week on SNL, Tim Robbins and Sinead O'Connor—ought to be a little left of center or at least disturbingly surreal.

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Are those guys in civil as obnoxious and idiotic as the Grapevine "I wanna be a civil" indicates.

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I WANNA BE A CIVIL:

Walking on the Bridge,
I've got my stretcher on
And it's heavy.

We've got the stringers
tied, and they're holding!

High above the water,
we've got the tension right.

We've got the knots tied,
and they're tight!

I'm glad I'm not an
architect, their women think
they're men.

But really all they are is
glorified draftsmen!

And B.C.E.T.'s hurtin',
their (sic) gonna lose again

Cause they are NAIT
technicians, that's all they
ever been.

We'll show them we are
Better, at the creek and at
the bar.

Our boat race team will be
victorious,
Their team will not get
far.

The title will be defended,
another year will have gone

The Civil's keep on
winning and having all the
fun.

**Signed,
D.,CET**

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Now that Shinerama is over, I guess I might as well start going to class. But first, some huge "Thank You's" are in order.

First and foremost, my committee: Dave Murray, Stew Walline, Tamara Gagne, Lori Semeniuk, Dan Lachambre.

You guys made Shinerama '92 happen. Kudos; you are wild & wacky people. Thank you.

To the 120 plus students who came out early on Saturday to give us your day--many, many thanks. You are a large part of the \$21,000 raised on Saturday for CF. It takes special people to commit themselves to a cause such as this; kudos to all you volunteer shoe shiners as well. Together, we are giving the breath of life.

Last, but in no means least, a VERY WARM SHINERAMA THANK YOU to those behind the scenes making sure all the "little" details worked out. Michou Jarosz, Lynda Hood, Tammy Carreiro, Dan Lachambre, Shane Warawa, Leslie Parke, Candace Visser, Troy Lymburner, Vicki Procinzky, Club Culinaire-Ian Campbell & students, Nait Physical facilities-Don Cameron & Glen Fix.

I have not mentioned everyone who had a hand in this event; however all of you

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know who you are, and I thank you.

**Signed
Brad Balkan
Academic VP**

Into the Divine

Running at a pace
Reaching the ultimate place
Wanting to return
To replace the missing yearn
No one really sees
What the mission is to me;
The whole time is spent

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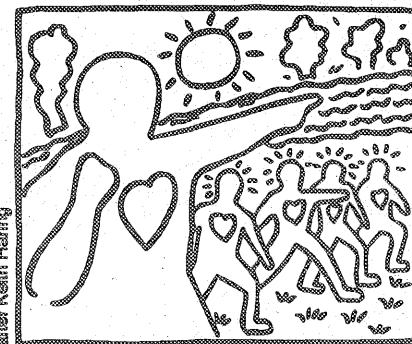
To go where many have dreamt,
As fast as you can
The life that I miss-
Heading into the abyss.

Signed Runaway Train

To Louisa:

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