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# Nugget

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Merry Christmas  
and Happy New  
Year!!!

Chad "The Pog" Martin from  
Power 92 visited NAIT this  
past week to rape our  
Christmas tree. . . .

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# Nest Charity Auction

*Cheaper Than Retail*

*Craig at the NEST*

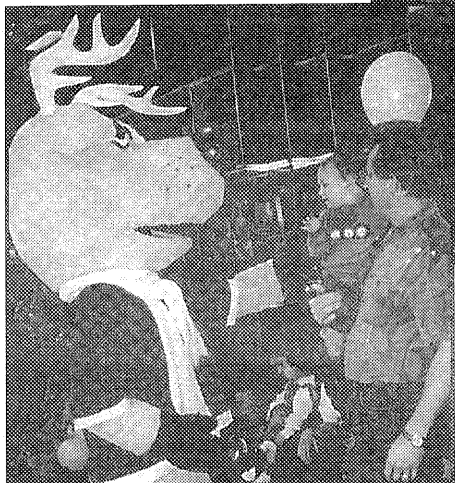
**T**oday, the Nest will be hosting a charity event, with proceeds going to the Edmonton Food Bank. As of Monday, the Bear radio station has said that they will supply a couple of guest bartenders. Who they are, I don't know yet. The Nest will match what the guest bartenders make in tips. The staff will also donate a portion of their tips to the charity, so tip well. All proceeds from non-alcoholic drinks and a portion of proceeds from alcoholic drinks will go the Food Bank.

With Christmas only three weeks away, the perfect place to get your significant other, family, friend or even yourself a gift, is the silent auction held today at the Nest. The bidding will close at 8:00 PM. Up for grabs are such items as:

- a weekend hot tub rental from Spa World which retails at \$350.00. This is perfect for a Christmas or New Year's party.
- a romance package at the Edmonton Inn worth \$255.00. This includes champagne, chocolate-

covered strawberries, and breakfast in bed. Perfect for that romantic getaway with a loved (or lust) one.

- an autographed Curtis Joseph T-shirt compliments of the Edmonton Oilers. Ideal for that die-hard hockey fan.



Mascots hugged kids sitting along the parade route.

- Edmonton Eskimo pennant autographed by the Edmonton Eskimos for the football fan.
- A New Ground backpack from Newground worth \$89.99 which would be great for trips or



These two were pros at square dancing.

even carrying books.

- Our Lady of Peace skybox tickets donated by Ron Hodgson.
- Dinner for two at the NAIT Dining Room.
- A Budweiser sweatshirt and a Kokanee denim jacket from Labatt Brewery, for the beer fan.
- A Limited edition Canadian Finals Rodeo Jacket, compliments of Molson Brewery, for the Rodeo fan in the family.
- A Gift Certificate from Von's

Steak and Fish House will also be auctioned off for the best steak in Edmonton.

- The Nest will also donate a pair of Oilers tickets.

Also, with a minimum \$2.00 donation or a Food Bank donation, you will receive an entry form to win door prizes. These will include t-shirts, hats, and gift certificates from donors such as Labatt, Molsons, Banff Brewery, and The Nest. So come to the Nest today and support a worthwhile cause. Have a great time, and finish your Christmas shopping.



At Eaton's Centre this past Sunday, children put on a spectacular Christmas parade.

The Nest would like to thank the following businesses for their donations to this auction.



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Steak & Seafood

## Light up Westwood

*OA & RIM Students*

**C**hristmas is just around the corner, and it is now time for Westwood's Celebration of the season. Each group has chosen a different theme as a way of decorating our campus. We will be decorating the halls with a number of Christmas Trees. We will also have a number of Christmas Hampers. SO come and help us Light Up Westwood from December 1 to December 15. Don't forget your donations!

Christmas means many things to many different people. Children think of Santa and reindeer. Grandmas think of family dinners, and Grandpas think of taking a snooze before the fire, but we all agree that Christmas is a time for warmth,

kindness, and giving.

The students at Westwood Campus have gotten into the spirit of Christmas. Students are donating food, clothing, and toys to needy families and charities.

The first year Records and Information Management class decided on a teddy bear theme, and called themselves the Care Bears. The Care Bears have chosen two charities. Everyone in their class has generally donated non-perishable food items to the food bank. All bears donated for decorating to helping children who have been abused. So come by Westwood, view the displays, and if you want to help, feel free to donate.

MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL, AND TO ALL A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

## Print Sale

*NAIT Photography students display their talent*



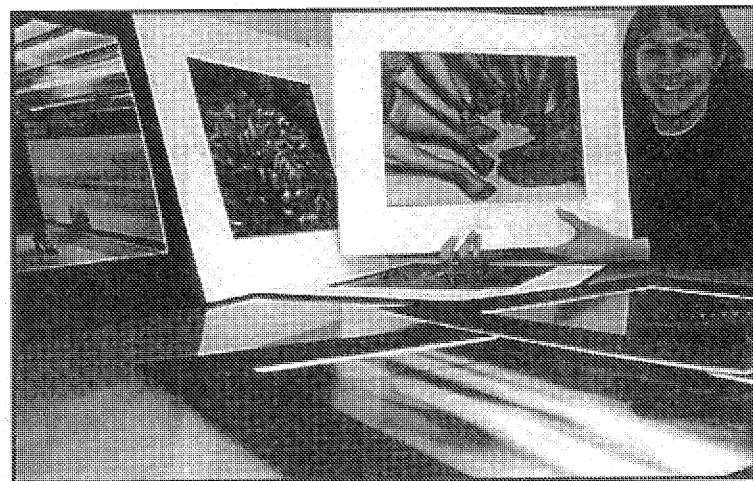
Black and white prints, colour prints, prints of feet, flowers, or fame! Photographers

from NAIT have captured a mix of prints that fit diverse interests and interpretations.

On December 4th and 5th, prints will be on sale in the South Lobby, with proceeds going to the Christ-

mas Bureau. Michelle Langfeldt, a second year photography student, has been planning the sale since September. All of the prints appearing in the sale have been given by participating photography students. The sale will take place from 9 a.m.- 5 p.m. on Thursday, December 4th and 9 a.m.- 3 p.m. on Friday. Questions about the prints can be answered by photography students appearing at the sale.

NAIT has many talented photographers, so here is your chance to buy great prints at affordable prices.



PRINTS FOR THE PRINT SALE being held Dec. 4 and 5 in the South Lobby. Being displayed by 2nd year Photo Tech student Michelle Langfeldt.

## 50/50 DRAW

Due to unforeseen circumstances, the first 50/50 Draw Date will be December 8.

Winners' names will be posted in Student Services.



## World in a nutshell

Fresh

**SNOW VANISHES ON MT. FUJI**- Japan's most famous mountain, and its distinctive snowcap is getting smaller every winter due to global warming

**U.S. AFTER MOB ON WALL STREET**- Federal officials crack down on the Mafia's infiltration of Wall Street, pursuing at least 18 separate inquiries

**SURFING THE NET DOUBLES**- StatsCan says more Canadians are using the service ('97-13%, compared to '96-7%)

**IRIS ALWAYS TELLS THE TRUTH**- Soon bank machines will offer eye-scanning to ATM's, as an alternative to passwords and PINs

**VATICAN URGED TO OPEN ARCHIVES**- Vatican facing pressure to open archives to establish whether it helped in the disposal of treasures looted by Nazis (end of World War II)

**TEEN GIRLS CHARGED IN MISSING BABY INCIDENT**- Two teens baby-sitting a five-month-old girl face charges in bizarre disappearance

**COALITION GOVERNMENT COLLAPSES IN INDIA**- India's fourth government in two years collapsed Friday, which brings a new period of political chaos

**HEPATITIS B PROMPTS BLOOD RECALL**- Japanese Red Cross Society started nationwide recall of all blood products for fear some may contain hepatitis B virus

**FORMER BRAZILIAN COP SENTENCED TO 441 YEARS**- Convicted in massacre of 21 slum residents (20 counts of murder, 4 attempted murder)

### LOCAL

**GULF SPENDS \$1B ON OILSANDS**- On a new venture to tap oilsands south of Fort McMurray

**MURDER-SUICIDE**- After making bail, Ken Petruik used a single-barrel shotgun to kill his wife and himself

**MAN FATALLY STABBED LEAVING PUB**- Only hours after his engagement, a city man was stabbed to death during a brawl at a south-side pub

**TEEN CHARGED WITH STABBING ROOMMATE**- 18 year-old Edmonton woman stabbed her 15 year-old roommate in the chest, she faces one count of second-degree murder and possession of an offensive weapon

**AVALANCHE CLAIMS FOUR CALGARY TEENS**- Impatient for ski season, four teens were killed by an avalanche triggered while climbing a slope in quest for snow

**CUJO GETS OLYMPIC CALL**- Curtis Joseph, the Oiler netminder was one of three goalies picked by Team Canada

**PASSERSBY CAN PEEK AS ADULT STORES ADOPT NEW LOOK**- Wraps have come off windows of two downtown adult stores without the public so much as batting an eye

**ROBBER WHO SET JOHN TRAP GETS JAIL TIME**- A promise of sex with teenage girls, lured four men to isolated areas of the city where men armed with knives, clubs and steel pipes robbed johns of their cash

## An Announcement from NAIT Parking Services

**RE: City of Edmonton Parking Tickets issued Thursday, Nov. 27th**

Any students who parked on the south side of Hanger 11 (this would be the North side of X lot) and recieved a City of Edmonton parking ticket can have these tickets cancelled by writing to the City of Edmonton Bylaw, stating the signs along the hanger were installed *after* they parked there.

If you have any questions regarding this message, please call 471-7539

# Smoking can kill you

## A lunch-hour seminar

Miranda Jordan

On Thursday, November 27, 1997, a speaker from the Canadian Cancer Society visited NAIT (Room X-105) to discuss the repercussions of smoking excessively. Joe Noonan, spokesperson for the Canadian Cancer Society, used to smoke 2 1/2 packages of cigarettes a day for 27 years, until he was diagnosed with cancer of the throat. After having his vocal chords removed, he now speaks with the aid of a trach. When he first had the trach implanted, it took him four months to produce a sound, and a full year to produce a voice. This is why he goes out to talk to students; he wants them to be educated on the effects of smoking. Here are some major points that Joe wants you to know:

- 1) Biggest killer is lung cancer, and there is no cure. It is 98% preventative, and one of the most deadly diseases.
- 2) It takes approximately four minutes for a cigarette to burn from tip to end. A smoker puffs on the

cigarette maybe a total of 30 seconds, and the smoke is in the air for the remainder of the time. Second hand smoke (the potency of one cigarette) can cause harm to dogs, cats, plants, fish, babies,—everyone!! As an adult, smoking is a privilege and a choice. For a baby, it's not fair if they are exposed to second hand smoke because they don't have that choice,



and they could suffer because of it.

- 3) In his day, cigarette packages did not carry a warning like they do now. The most effective warning on cigarette packages is the one that reads, "SMOKING CAN KILL YOU."

- 4) Eight people die in Alberta everyday due to smoking related diseases, which may not seem like a

lot. In one year, 3000 people will die from smoking-related diseases in Alberta.

- 5) In Alberta over a one year period, there are now 15 000 brand new smokers.

- 6) "Make a decision for today."

- 7) "CONSIDER QUITTING."

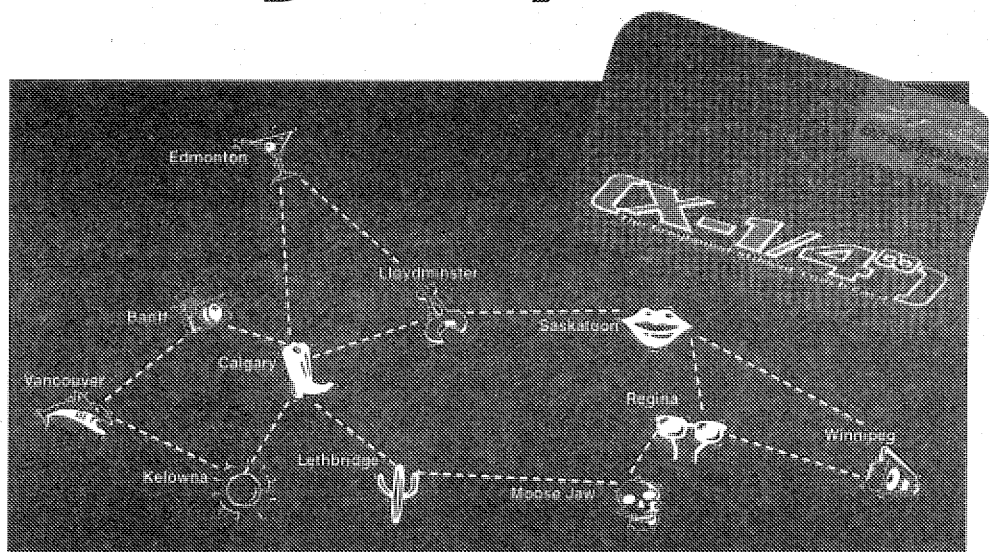
- 8) "People choose to smoke. Why not choose NOT to?"

- 9) "Cancer can sure bring you to your knees in a hell of a hurry."

- 10) Cigarettes cost about \$5.00 a day for the average person. If you smoke 400 packs a year, that's \$2000. Over 30 years—\$60 000 is spent. Over a lifetime (60 years)—\$120 000 is spent, which is the equivalent price of a house.

Joe's speech was very informative, and was delivered in a style that was not preechy. It was a shame that not very many people attended this particular seminar. Being a non-smoker, I don't know the agony of overcoming the addiction of smoking, but if I was a smoker, Joe would have definitely given me something to think about.

## Party On, Garth!



## The Greyhound Student Coach Card. Only \$15 with valid student I.D.

It pays to get an education and we're out to prove it. For only \$15.00, anyone with a valid student ID can purchase a Greyhound Student Coach Card. This entitles you to 25% OFF all regular fare bus travel in Western Canada. Use it this Christmas, on weekends or any holiday! The Card is valid for one year from date of purchase and can be found at any Greyhound depot. The offer is simple. The savings are terrific. Get a Student Coach Card, discover the freedom of affordable travel, and party on!



# Christmas Wishes

A Survey Compiled by Fresh

- 1) What do you want Santa to bring you for Christmas?
- 2) Who would you most like to bump into under the mistletoe?
- 3) What celebrity (dead or alive) would you send a Christmas present to - and what would it be?
- 4) What is your New Year's eve plan?
- 5) New Year's resolution?
- 6) What is your favorite Christmas Carol?
- 7) If you could give the WORLD a gift, what would it be?

**Dr. Sam Shaw- President of NAIT**

- 1) Son
- 2) Wife
- 3) Princess Diana
- 4) None- maybe a ski party if there is snow
- 5) Lose weight
- 6) White Christmas
- 7) To be caring to each other

**Tara Tanguay- President of NAITSA**

- 1) A brand new car or a computer
- 2) My sweetheart
- 3) Scott Wolf, A Party For Two
- 4) To party with friends and loved ones
- 5) I'm still working on that one
- 6) My Favorite Things
- 7) Everlasting Peace

**Pam Dill- Communications VP**

- 1) Cash or a Rottweiler puppy named ARNIE!
- 2) Arnold Schwarzenegger, of course, but if he's busy Brad Pitt will do
- 3) Jake Daniels, Danger Boy, Hunter F. Thompson- first prize in the Moo Milk contest
- 4) Not too sure yet, but I'll definitely party with friends, drink a little (or a lot)
- 5) The same one as last year
- 6) Silver Bells
- 7) A sense of humor

**Angela Dickson- Financial/Academic VP**

- 1) Clothes
- 2) My cute boy from the tower
- 3) Brad Pitt- myself
- 4) I'm going to Fort McMurray
- 5) Nothing as of yet
- 6) Jingle Bells
- 7) No pollution

**Susan Dickson- Activities VP**

- 1) My cute boy
- 2) My cute boy
- 3) I'd like to send Mr. York flowers for making York Peppermint Patties low in fat
- 4) None as of yet (hint, hint cute boy)
- 5) To finally tell my cute boy I like him
- 6) Rockin Around the Christmas Tree (with my cute boy)
- 7) No personal taxes

**Scott Williams- Athletics VP**

- 1) To have a nice stress free holiday
- 2) The special girl in the tower I call "Goddess"
- 3) John Candy the greatest Canadian of all time- a puppy dog
- 4) I rent a hall every year for myself

and about 100 friends

- 5) Get into shape
- 6) 12 Days of Christmas by the Muppets
- 7) Same as James and Marcel ( I'll order the pizza)

**Craig and Waeil- Nest Guys**

- 1) A date
- 2) Carmen Electra
- 3) Carmen Electra- Me
- 4) A menage-a-trois
- 5) Repeat #4 at least once a month
- 6) Carol Act
- 7) A statue of my Manhood

**Linda Campbell- Ad Manager**

- 1) All I ask is for world peace. Oh yeah, and maybe a few million dollars for myself
- 2) So long as I'm wearing my glasses I shouldn't bump into anyone, but if I did I wouldn't publish it
- 3) Meatloaf- Another album, sequel to Bat Out of Hell
- 4) Plan? The best thing about the holidays is no schedules
- 5) I don't resolve
- 6) The Christmas Song by Nat King Cole
- 7) Food

**Aileen Perreault- NAITSA Accountant**

- 1) Money, lots
- 2) B.
- 3) All WWF Wrestlers- better acting lessons, and a life
- 4) I don't know yet
- 5) Workout more
- 6) Joy to the World
- 7) A smile

**NAITSA Mystery Woman**

- 1) Nothing! Christmas is for giving, not receiving
- 2) My cat
- 3) Michael Bolton- A bottle of wine
- 4) Sleep
- 5) To Find a Job
- 6) Silent Night
- 7) A smile

**Jeff Riddle- Student Services**

- 1) A happy and safe Holiday Season with family and friends ( a Mazda Miata would be nice too!)
- 2) One of those Baywatch Babes
- 3) Lady Di- A seat belt and a better driver
- 4) Party at our Community League Hall
- 5) Visit the gym at least two times a week
- 6) Jingle Bells by My Daughter
- 7) A meal of Mom's homemade soup and bread fresh from the oven

**Denise- Student Services**

- 1) An apartment for my daughter
- 2) The cute bald guy who drives the yellow cart
- 3) Princess Diana- Anonymity
- 4) A couple of good movies, Champagne and a Jacuzzi for two
- 5) Four days a week in the weight room
- 6) Mary's Boy Child
- 7) Compassion

**Reg Hodgson- Dean, Student Services**

- 1) Due to the Postal Strike I don't think Santa will get my letter, so I decided it's better to give than receive!

2) Xena, The Warrior Princess

- 3) Roy Rogers- a new horse exactly like Trigger, a new dog just like Bullet and a Hummer to replace NellyBell's big old Jeep
- 4) I will phone a few close friends who live outside of Alberta I seldom get a chance to visit. Like myself they will be spending a quiet evening at home- my big celebration will be on Dec 31, 1999
- 5) Abolish noon hour meeting and go for a swim
- 6) Silent Night
- 7) The ability to accept and respect others as they are and to live harmoniously for the betterment of all mankind

**Ted Zanetic- Entertainment Editor**

- 1) Money
- 2) No one yet
- 3) Keanu Reeves- acting lessons
- 4) Get together with a few friends
- 5) Try not to sleep in as much and get more use out of my days
- 6) Winter Wonderland
- 7) My secret to life

**Coach Wourms- Sports Editor**

- 1) A Richard Marx Poster
- 2) Esmeralda from The Hunchback of Notre Dame
- 3) Jack Daniels- a punch in the head for payback on all those hangovers
- 4) New Year's Eve Santa Monica Style, get back to the hotel in one piece
- 5) Don't Worry Be Happy
- 6) I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus
- 7) Naughty thoughts

**James Olson- News Editor**

- 1) Anne Ownc Uv Goneju
- 2) Sarah McLachlan
- 3) Gracie Allen- I'd tell her she's groovy
- 4) You wouldn't be able to print it
- 5) To give vodka one more chance to improve my life
- 6) The 12 beers of Christmas
- 7) A Big Hoot

**Marcel Cretain- Photographer**

- 1) Ms. Claus
- 2) Winona Ryder
- 3) Winona Ryder, an engagement ring
- 4) Skiing, booze and possibly other intoxicants
- 5) Workout
- 6) Jingle Bell Rock
- 7) A Fatty (this will eventually bring peace)

**Nadine Smith- Typesetter**

- 1) A Jeep YJ
- 2) Richard Marx
- 3) Brad Pitt- deodorant
- 4) Going to a concert
- 5) Increase my attention span
- 6) Frosty the Snowman
- 7) Cure to AIDS

**Fresh- News Editor**

- 1) A grapevine response from the purple haired skater guy
- 2) Leonardo Dicaprio, Gavin Rossdale, Jakob Dylan, Scott Williams- Athletics VP, Waeil, Jared Leto, Brad Pitt, Marilyn Manson, KISS, Austin Powers, New Kids on The Block, Quentin Tarantino, all of the Nugget Staff, all of NAITSA- I'm

not picky, I carry mistletoe with me everywhere I go!

- 3) Elvis Presley- I'd give him Miran
- 4) I'm jumping out of a cake with nothing but bells on for a party being held by the CEO of Reservoir Wars Technology
- 5) To watch more TV, and play more Sony Playstation
- 6) Funky, Funky Christmas by NKOTB
- 7) Everyone should have a Fresh

**Hyde Cooper- Nugget 101**

- 1) Mrs. Claus with some cookies and milk
- 2) Miranda, Fresh, and my cousin Betty Cooper from the Archie Comic
- 3) The Spice Girls who are alive but should be dead- I'd get them The Backstreet Boys
- 4) Watch a porno and then head down to Club 109- or go watch Dick Clarke's Rockin Eve, then go to bed
- 5) Stop being so nice to people
- 6) Silent Nights acoustic rendition by Richard Marx
- 7) A Kick in the Ass

**Chris Durham- RTA Instructor**

- 1) 3/4 length leather coat with buttons
- 2) Elle Macpherson
- 3) the Captain of the Titanic- SO-NAR
- 4) First Night, hang out with my friends and kids, and be as wild and festive as the circumstances will allow
- 5) Stop making notes- life is meant to be lived spontaneously
- 6) Silver Bells or Deck the Halls
- 7) The ability to still see the world through a child's eyes with wonder, trust, and innocence.

**Alan Macdonald- English Department**

- 1) The gift of serenity, and a "clapper" to turn off lights
- 2) Unknown
- 3) Richard Braughtigan, a recently deceased author, and I would send him a new cowboy hat
- 4) My plan is to replay an old Cape Breton tradition; firing off a shotgun into the air at midnight
- 5) Not to fall into the trap of resolutions
- 6) Silent Night
- 7) A new invention I'm working on. It's a combination bread maker, mouse trap, and vegetable slicer.

**Anonymous Instructor- Accounting**

- 1) My two front teeth
- 2) A Bag (of money)
- 3) Shania Twain (me)
- 4) Party
- 5) Keep Smoking
- 6) Three Wise Men
- 7) Peace

**Dave Timm- Finance Student**

- 1) A private performance of Giselle by The Royal Winnipeg Ballet
- 2) Sarah McLachlan

- 3) Sigmund Freud- A box of cigars, Hunter S. Thompson- case of Scotch
- 4) Curara Cocktails with any sweet girl that is interested.....
- 5) Implement Summary Executions (littering, J-walking, etc.)
- 6) Blue X-mas: The King, White X-mas: B. Crosby
- 7) No Corporate Tax

**Crazy Mike Anderson- President of BAS, Student, and Ook**

- 1) A big heifer who will give me some lovin
- 2) Scott Williams
- 3) I would give Princess Leia my Light Saber
- 4) Watch T.V, eat cornchips, and masturbate
- 5) Maybe have some sex finally and gain 40 pounds so there's more of me to love
- 6) Anything by the beautiful Rita McNeil
- 7) An industrial strength lubricant, lots of loving, and a crazy child

**Tracey Willox- Combined Lab and X-ray Tech Student**

- 1) A 1969 VW Beetle, a trip for 2 to the Bahamas and a radar detector. Oh! And no STRESS!
- 2) He knows who he is
- 3) Daisy Duke- some shorts that cover her ass
- 4) To get pissed in Jasper
- 5) To complete my missions
- 6) I hate Christmas music, so I don't have one
- 7) PEACE

**Sara- Business Student**

- 1) A case of condoms and the Levis 501 guys, or JFK Jr.
- 2) JFK Jr.
- 3) John Denver- a parachute
- 4) No response
- 5) A stress free semester
- 6) I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Claus
- 7) Myself

**Tanya- CLXT Student**

- 1) 50 million dollars, so I never have to work again
- 2) Matt
- 3) John Travolta- a big kiss, and a grab on the ass
- 4) Party in Jasper on the slopes
- 5) Behave
- 6) Frosty the Snowman
- 7) Happiness

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# Mad Media:

## A Serious Series

Part III: Spotlight on Power 92's GO Man Chad "The Pog" Martin

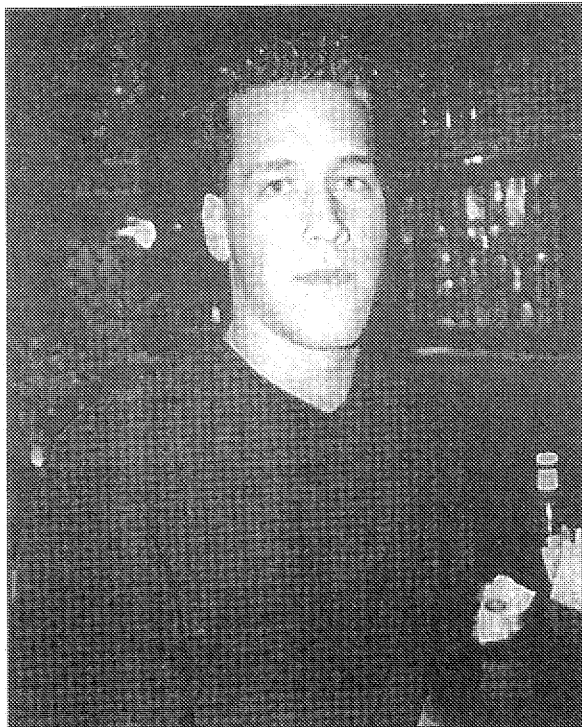
Miranda Jordan & Lori Skarsen

Not very many people would be willing to streak through chains of Seven Eleven's here in Edmonton with only a g-string and a mask on for Halloween. "The Pog" did. The purpose was, of course, to get a reaction out of the clerk working. The on-air DJ would phone the target Seven Eleven while Chad waited in a van parked outside. Once they got the clerk on the phone, they cued Chad standing by to enter and run through the store only wearing the orange string/leaf combo undies and a pumpkin mask. The reaction was no less than shock, and the reactions from the clerks were aired on the radio. We spoke with Chad "The Pog" Martin from Power 92 for his insight into the radio world as Part III (the final part) of our MAD MEDIA Exclusive.

As Power 92's resident music director and late-night disk-jockey, Chad has had the opportunity to put on quite a few displays. On previous Halloweens, it was his duty to go to Peter Pocklington's house, as well as, Ralph Klein's to investigate what they were giving out for Halloween treats. Peter Pocklington invited him in and gave him a tour, whereas Ralph Klein called security.

Chad Martin, a 22-year-old music junkie, grew up in Sherwood Park and still resides there. At the age of 18, he found himself deejaying at local clubs like Club Malibu. He decided to pursue what he always knew would be his career (since grade six)—broadcasting. Chad approached Power 92 immediately and spoke the magic words, "I'll work for free", and he began working as their on-location gopher. They would send him out on the street to report on the latest gimmicks and activities happening. Before the Rolling Stones came in 1994, there was a series of on-location opportunities for listeners to win tickets on "Stunts for Stones." One particular plan was copied from the infamous orgasm scene from "When Harry Met Sally." A woman was taken to a diner to have breakfast with Chad, and at this diner she was then required to act out the scene in the movie, faking an orgasm in the restaurant on-air. Needless to say, she got the tickets. Chad credits this performance for making him more well-known with the general public.

After six months, Chad's job description increased, and Power 92 offered him a permanent



The Pog at the Nest last Friday. This is his demure pose.

position and an on-air spot. Not bad for someone with very little formal training. (Four months at CHIT broadcasting school). Now in his fourth year, Chad is ecstatic with his position. He has an age advantage and feels very fortunate for making his way in broadcasting at his (younger) age. "While other people in the field are just coming out of their training and making a name for themselves, I feel lucky that I'm already established." But already having a name in the business doesn't stop him from working his ass off. If anything, Chad stresses that he just can't stop now because he doesn't want to be one of those people who becomes "comfortable" in their job. Chad is incapable of relaxing—he always has to be doing something. Eventually he would like to see himself meet his ultimate goal which is to have a morning show in a large market, such as Toronto or Vancouver. He would also like to try his hand at acting because the "acting bug" has landed on him from one of his friends who has a role on BREAKER HIGH.

The greatest sacrifice Chad has had to make thus far to attain his goals in radio was his social life. He was unable to spend a lot of time with his friends because he was spending his time working and building up a future. "You find out who your real friends are fast," Chad says, "because the real friends understand and wait." He also found himself living at the station for a bit, not going home for weeks at a time, eventually burn-

ing out because he was working so hard. He's learned to slow down a bit though—this week he left for a vacation in Hawaii. "The Pog" enjoys being an on-air personality in the local media. "Edmonton is a breeding ground for talent," Chad denotes. He also enjoys the perks that go along with being in the position that he's in. Announcing bands at concerts in front of thousands of people, meeting artists, and promotional freebies—he loves. He disrespects people that come in with the "gimme" attitude; people with their hand out. Being a radio personality means that he gets recognized some places that he goes. On a whole, people treat him decently, as an average person. There is the handful of people who treat him like a "God" because of his job and title. Chad thinks that it's unnecessary and does not expect to be treated differently because of his exposure in the local media. Being in radio, he also is in the centre of competition with other stations, but Chad enjoys the healthy rivalries.

The best experience for Chad so far was several months ago in Toronto when he was flown in by a record label to see a band perform in hopes of getting on Power 92's play list. The band never made it on the play list...but...once in Toronto, and being a big fan of Bon Jovi, he was given some tickets to Jon Bon Jovi's solo show (on his Destination Nowhere Tour) at The Government. Once he was there, he was given passes to an after show party. While he was sitting at the bar, he glanced over and Jon was standing right next to him. He ended up talking with Jon Bon Jovi, the guy who plays the Captain on NYPD Blue, and a Toronto Maple Leaf hockey player for hours that night.

Our chat with Chad was very informative. He is very family-oriented, and credits his father,

a former preacher, for instilling a sense of ambition in him. In Chad's spare time, he plays football (was a quarterback in high school), and coaches his younger brother's high school football team. Other than that, Chad has no spare time. He would sleep more if he did (He gets about five hours of sleep a night).

Chad "The Pog" Martin is level-headed, yet a dreamer with a heart of gold. With a drama background in high school, a choir-boy upbringing, and now being a media figure in radio, it can appear that he loves attention. We asked him if he's a total "ham" for attention, and he said no. Yet, if someone asks to take his picture, he'll style every pose imaginable. And if he's standing next to a Christmas tree, he has no problem rapping it of decorations to put on his body. The evidence is on the front page. He doesn't ask for attention—but he gets it.

### Chad Martin Stats:

**Marital Status:** No status

**Pet Peeves:**

1. People with no ambition
2. Slow drivers in the fast lane
3. People who are always sick (hypochondriacs)
4. Grumpy people - "PUT A SMILE ON YOUR FACE."

**Favorite Movie:**

1. Any movie that has to do with FOOTBALL: such as *Necessary Roughness*, *The Program*, *Wildcats*.
2. *Bill and Ted's Excellent Adventure*.

**Favorite TV Shows:**

Talk shows: *Jerry Springer*, *Jenny Jones*.

**Favorite Food:** Mexican

**Favorite Band:** Everything, except country.

### Ratting on What Chad said:

"It's always been a dream of mine to one day have a bulldog and name him Rufus."

### Chad is a Whore For:

1. Football
2. Wishing he was Mexican
3. Having a good time!

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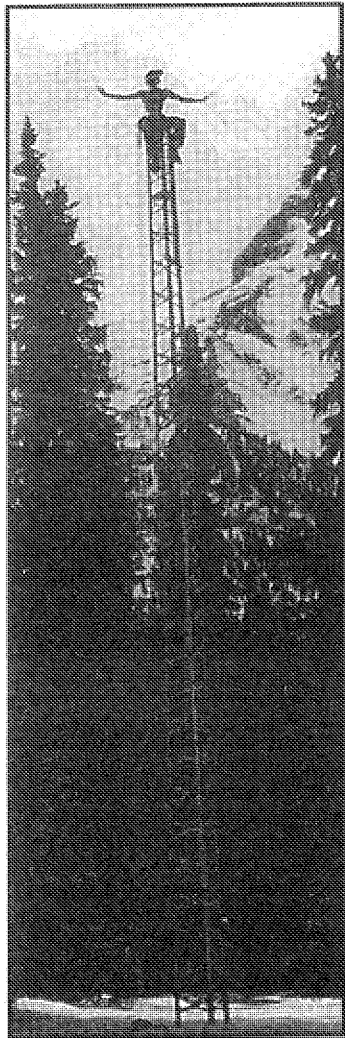
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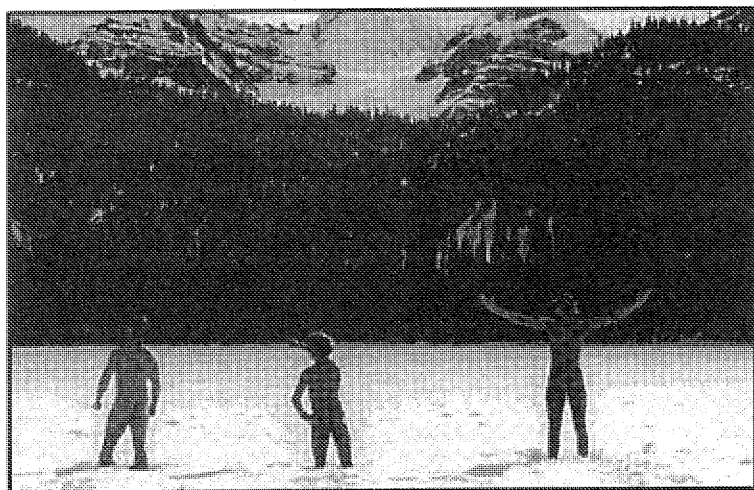


# What Do People Do Over Christmas?



Daredevil Scott Williams climbed to the top of an electric tower.

- |          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| 1) Drink | 6) Sing   |
| 2) Shop  | 7) Party  |
| 3) Eat   | 8) Travel |
| 4) Sleep | 9) Work   |
| 5) Dance | 10) Play  |



The Naked Truth of Nature: Scott Williams, Athletics V.P. enjoys hiking over Christmas holidays with two of his buddies.

## Theory on Post Secondary Drinking

Chris Brady

A herd of buffalo can only move as fast as the slowest buffalo, and when the herd is hunted, it is the slowest and weakest ones at the back that are killed first. This natural selection is good for the herd as a whole, because the general speed and health of the whole keeps improving by the regular culling of the weakest members.

In much the same way, the human brain can operate only as fast as the slowest brain cells. Excessive intake of alcohol...as we all know, kills off brain cells. But naturally it attacks the slowest and weakest brain cells first. In this way regular consumption of alcohol eliminates the weaker cells, constantly making the brain a faster and more efficient machine.

The results of the in- Be all that you can be!!!

depth epidemiological study verifies and validates the casual link between all-weekend parties and Post Secondary performance. It also explains why within a few short years after leaving school most graduates cannot keep up with the performance of the new graduates. Only those few that stick to the strict regimen of voracious alcoholic consumption can maintain the intellectual levels that they achieved during their post secondary year.

So this is a call to arms. As our country is losing its technological edge we should not shudder in our homes. Get back into the bars! Slam those shooters! Quaff that pint! Your country needs you to be at your peak. And you shouldn't deny yourself the career that you could have.

## A Very NAITSA Christmas

James Olson

# What Christmas Means To Me...



Pam Dill  
Communications V.P.

Don't you just love Christmas? The time of year when most everyone is happy and the time of year for the last Nugget of 1997! With fourteen issues under our belt and eleven more to go, my Christmas wish is for all The Nugget staff to come back next semester and entertain you with more stories, news articles, entertainment reviews, sports updates, great pictures, and for you guys to keep entertaining us with your wacky Grapevines! Hopefully it will only get better in the new year.

During your Christmas vacation, take time to see the beauty of the season. Things like the smiles on children's faces while they sit on Santa's knee (or the ter-

ror of the little ones while their parents make funny faces at them trying to make them smile for the camera), the way the shopping malls come to life with people searching for those perfect gifts for the special people in their life, the Christmas lights on houses and trees, the beauty of a snow flake, the sound of a Christmas jingle that everyone knows the words to, and the excitement of children on Christmas Eve and the joy in their eyes on Christmas morning.

I have to tell you one little story about what Christmas means to me...Last year my boyfriend's family and I decided to volunteer for Santa's Anonymous instead of exchanging presents. We wore Santa hats and went to houses where I'm sure some children thought we were Santa's elves. Anyway, we went to this one house and a little old lady came to the door with her little dog; the lady looked really confused and was not expecting us to show up on her doorstep. Know-

ing that people who receive gifts from Santa's Anonymous are expecting us to show up, we figured we made a mistake. So we checked the address and sure enough, we were at the wrong house, but she didn't seem to be upset, her dog seemed okay too. That same evening a few of us decided to bring the little old lady and her dog a present anyway. We went and bought a gift basket and filled it with items for the little old lady and we bought another basket and filled it with milk bones and other doggie treats. When we gave it to her the next day, her little face seemed to light up, her eyes sparked with a few tears, her cheeks turned rosy, and her smile was big...and contagious.

This moment is one of my favorite memories of last Christmas and I wanted to share this with you. Have a Happy Christmas and a Merry New Year.

(Please be careful and safe during the holidays!)

What are the officers of our fair students association doing for the holidays? Well, if you were asking yourself that very question, here's the answer:

Tara L. Tanguay  
-President-

"Going shopping for good deals on microwaves."

Susan Dickson  
-Activities VP-

"I was going to visit my mom, but after learning of Pam's plans, I'm going with her."

Pam Dill

-Communications VP-

"With all the money I'm making at NAITSA, I'm going to Thailand."

Scott Williams

-Athletics VP-

"Hiking!"

Angela Dickson

-Financial/Acedemic VP-

"Going home to Fort McMurray to see our mommy and daddy- we haven't seen them since summer!"





# A Satire on Christmas

Hyde "Merry friggin' Christmas" Cooper

There are a few things about Christmas that don't add up. When you look at Christmas from an unbiased perspective, the whole holiday is screwed. We've been caught up in Coca-Cola commercials for so long, this image of Santa Claus riding around on a sleigh is tattooed on our brains to the same degree as our parents having sex. We know it happens - but who really thinks about it?

The word Christmas actually means *Christ's Mass*, and the holiday actually started at a circus in Rome. There was a game called "Guess Christ's Mass" at the circus where you could guess the weight of Jesus and win a prize. Of course, no one knew how heavy Jesus was so this made it very difficult to win the game. Eventually, after the Pope lost around three hundred dollars playing, the Catholics just outlawed the game and turned *Christ's Mass* into a religious holiday. But even the date of Christmas itself is a little hazy. Not many people know that December 25 was basically just picked out of the air by the Roman Catholics because the specific date of

Christ's birth isn't mentioned in the bible. They got the ten commandments at the same store.

What about the three wise men? As if they weren't trying to make a deal with somebody. You can't tell me these guys were just walking around one night with nothing to do and then just decided, "Hey! Let's follow that star!" Sounds more like they were whacked

out on heroin or drunk or something. So these three "wise men" follow this star to a manger and see a kid wrapped in swaddling clothes. Then the first wise guy says, "Hey everybody! It's the King of Jews! Good thing we brought all this gold, frankincense and mire with us!" And so was created gift-giving at Christmas.

Gifts? It's our way of saying, sorry about bringing you into this world-it was an accident.



Hyde Cooper—best present one could receive.

Here's a few presents, just shut up and let us get back to driving the planet into another recession. In 1921, the government thought about shutting down Christmas altogether because of the huge national debt it caused every year.

Fortunately, Hallmark and the tobacco industry stepped in and strong-armed the bureaucrats into keeping Christmas alive. Thank God for Christmas cards and cigarettes.

## Christmas in 1997

"The Spirit of Christmas"



James Olson

It's enough for some of us to give once a year to our family and friends, mixing out the credit cards and frantically rushing from store to store to find that mythical "perfect gift" for someone special. In this day and age it is easy to get caught up in the hype and glamour of the Holiday Season, it's around every corner and on every channel. If I've learned one thing in life it's that you can't get away from advertising or marketing gimmicks.

It's funny though, because while we do want to leave the hustle and bustle of the holiday rush behind, we usually end up leaving behind the reasons

we go a little crazy, namely our loved ones. The ads are always there, we're always someone's "target audience" but we're not always able to keep our perspective on our own less than perfect lives. Things don't always go right in life, so why do we keep expecting more from Christmas?

I don't have any idea how many times I've heard my mother say, "I just wanted things to be perfect this year." Things aren't supposed to be perfect and perfect isn't what makes Christmas special. We make Christmas special, every one of us. By decorating the tree, by sitting down for Christmas dinner, by being with our families, even if it is only for a few days out of the year.

Whether it's playing scrabble or just watching "Miracle on 34th Street" for the thirty-fifth time, there's no shame in relaxing and taking it easy during the holidays- that's why they're called the holidays.

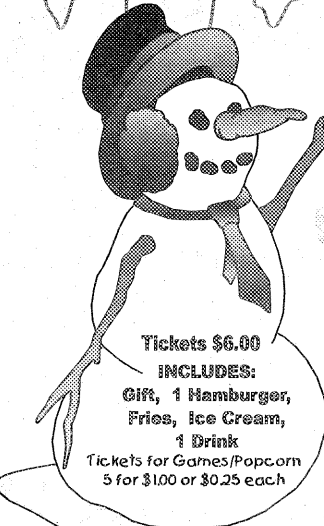


In regards to your article on Lunch Hour Seminars in the Nugget on Thursday, November 27, 1997, we the students of the Food and Nutrition Management Program in the school of business were quite disappointed. We question why we were not approached by NAITSA to give a seminar on healthy eating habits. We feel, as do our instructors, that we are capable of presenting information on healthy eating in a concise manner. NAIT prides itself on the caliber of its students and programs and we feel unappreciated that you didn't look internally first. Our course is not just about cooking and talking about nutrition, clinical nutrition, menu planning, business communications, and marketing. We'd be more than happy to assist in educating NAITSA and other students on nutrition and our program. Please consider us in the future.

Students from the Food and Nutrition Management Program

cc: Dr. Sam Shaw  
NAITSA

### ATTENTION: NAIT STAFF & STUDENTS



#### Childrens Christmas Party

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#### HOLIDAY SAFETY



TIPS  
FOR  
SAFE AND HAPPY  
HOLIDAYS

Homes jam-packed with glittering gifts. Stores, malls and downtown streets teeming with unsuspecting shoppers. People rushing around, stressed out and careless, looking for last-minute gifts, trying to get everything done. It's enough to make a cranky giddy with holiday joy.

Here are some tips on how to celebrate safely this holiday season:

##### IF YOU'RE TRAVELING

- Get an automatic timer for your lights.
- Ask a neighbor to watch your home, shovel snow, and park in the driveway from time to time.
- Don't forget to have mail and newspaper delivery stopped. If it piles up, it's a sure sign you're gone.

##### IF YOU'RE OUT FOR THE EVENING

- Turn on lights and a radio or TV so it looks like someone's home.
- Be extra cautious about locking doors and windows when you leave, even if it's just for a few minutes.

■ Don't display gifts where they can be seen from outside.

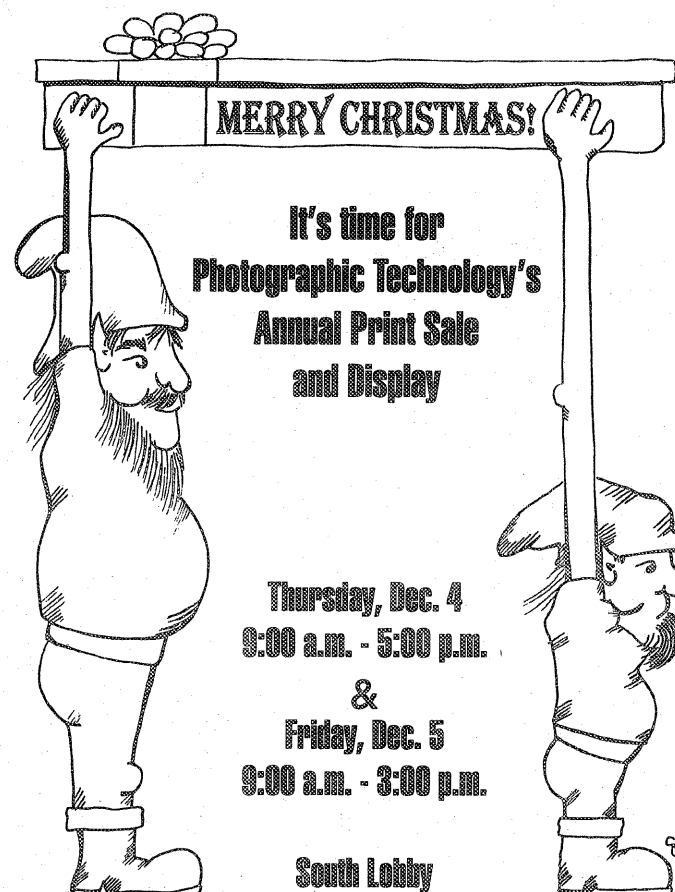
##### IF YOU'RE SHOPPING

- Stay alert and be aware of what's going on around you.
- Park in a well-lit space, and be sure to lock the car, close the windows, and hide shopping bags and gifts in the trunk.
- Avoid carrying large amounts of cash; pay with a check or credit card whenever possible.
- Deter pickpockets and purse-snatchers. Don't overburden yourself with packages. Be extra careful with purses and wallets. Carry a purse close to your body, not dangling by the straps. Put a wallet in an inside coat or front pants pocket.
- Shopping with kids? Teach them to go to a store clerk or security guard if you get separated.



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# Jamming and Winning

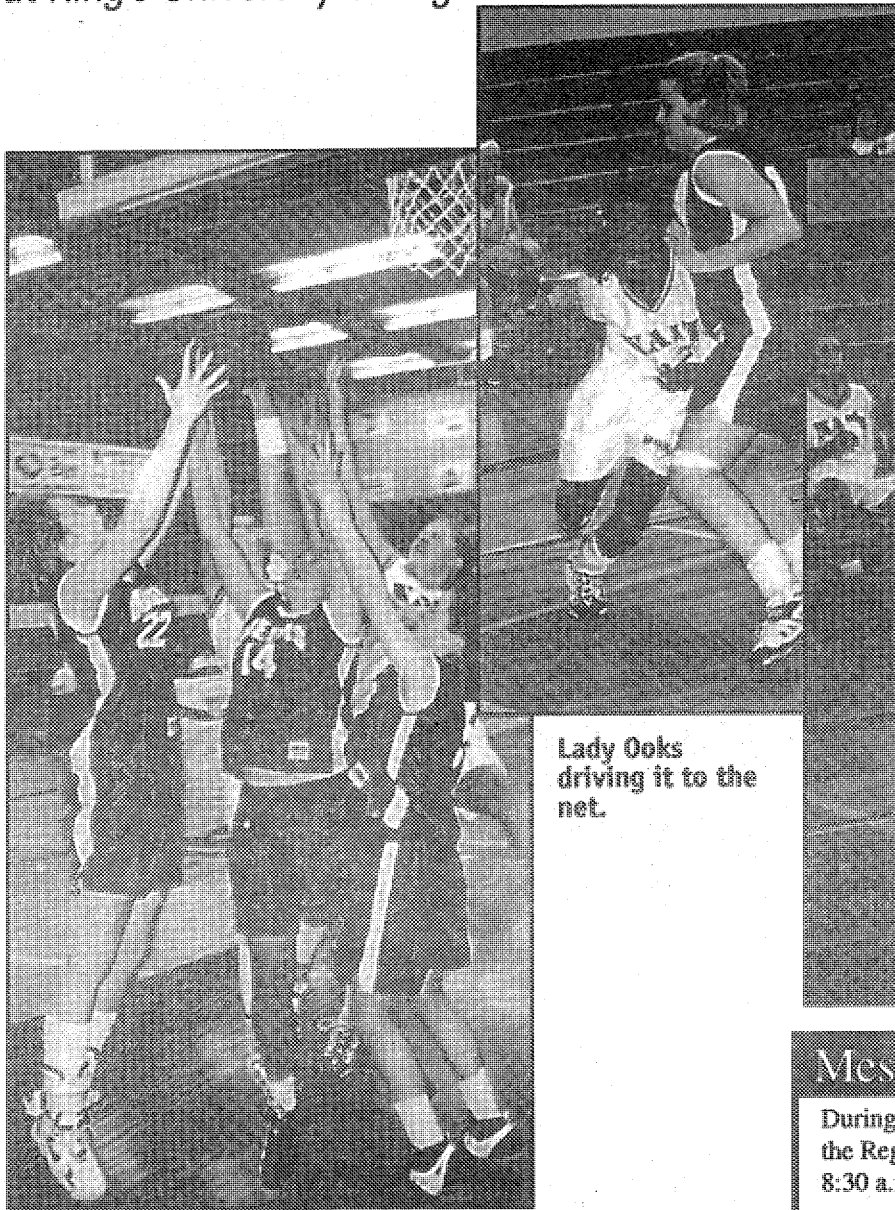
*B-ball Lady Ooks defeat King's University College*

*Stephanie Behm & DaWorm*

**Y** IPEEEEE! I would finally like to announce that two weeks ago we had our season's first WIN.... in fact, two big W's!!! We played against King's University College and we definitely let them know whose boss, in our gym and theirs.

This past weekend, though, did not end on the same happy note. Matching up against the Red Deer College Queens, we came up a little short. With a weak night on home court Friday night, the Lady Ooks headed to RDC with a new outlook of how the game should be played. On the road, the team had a very strong performance, which was highlighted by Johanna Stauffers' Monster Shot Blocking skills and NAIT's player of the game, Shannon Morris, receiving the player of the game honors. So in the past two weeks, the Lady Ooks B-ball squad is hitting .500 and looking forward to next semester.

*One last note:* It was reported that 4 members of the teams coaching staff and 3 players were seen avoiding the cops on a quick trip to Boston Pizza over the weekend. Rumor has it that they have now gone into hiding for squeezing 7 people into a Honda Civic.



Lady Ooks driving it to the net.



## Message From the Registrar's Office

During the Holiday Season limited service will be provided by the Registrar's Office and the Cash Office. We will be open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on the following dates.

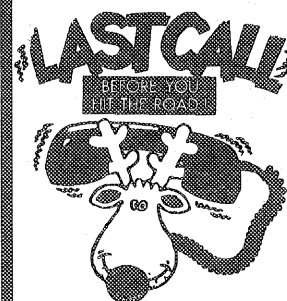
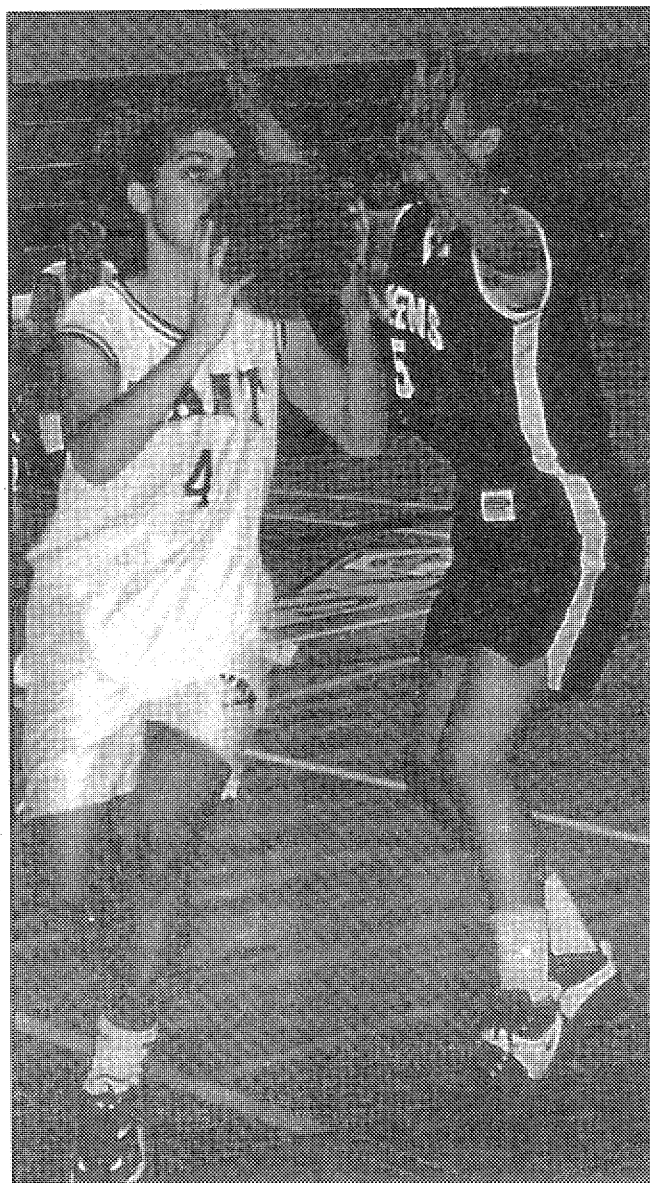
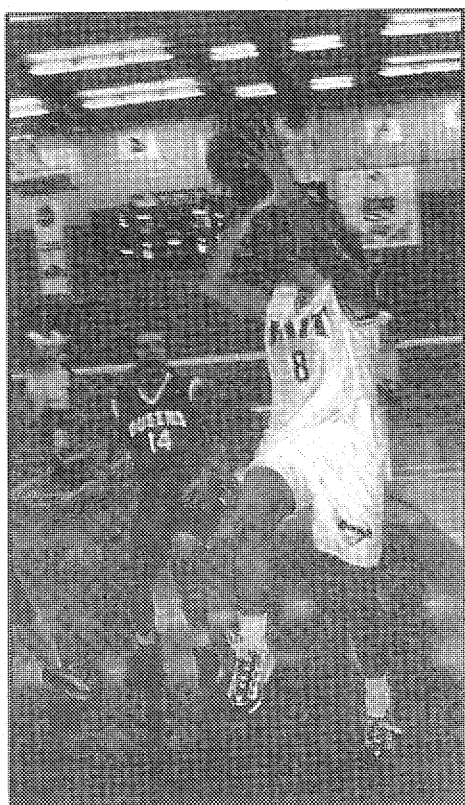
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Tuesday, December 30, 1997

The office will be closed from December 24, 1997 to January 1, 1998 inclusive except for the above dates.

The Registrar's Office will resume regular operations Thursday, January 2, 1998.

**GOOD LUCK WITH FINAL EXAMS!**  
**MERRY CHRISTMAS**



## OPERATION RED NOSE

We are looking for volunteers to help us  
**"DRIVE THE DRUNKS HOME"**

Friday, December 12, 1997, is "NAIT NIGHT" and we are looking to field as many teams of 3 volunteers as possible.

If you have a team or want to help out yourself, drop by the NAITSA Office (E131) for more information and to fill out a volunteer form.

Your help would be greatly appreciated.

**NAITSA supports RESPONSIBLE DRINKING!!**



# Behind the Bench

*A Christmas wish list from the sporting world*



Craig Wourms

to have Santa drop off over his busy time of year.

## NAIT TEAMS: HOCKEY

A consistent offensive punch. Too

## Tide has turned

DaWorm

A couple of weekends ago, the team played against a new member to the A.C.A.C. volleyball ranks, The Kings University College. They are a team the Lady Ooks should beat up and send home, even though they stumbled out of the gate on Friday, they walked away with a win. Saturday the team was solid and business like, do not waste time, do not let the enemy up for a breath of air, just get the job done...take the 2 points for the win and get out of town.

This weekend we all headed north to Ft. McMurray and came home with another 4 points in the win column. The team is coming together very well, team mates are finding their specific roles to excel in and finally after almost 3 months of practices and games we have finally started working on our offensive game. .... That is right—the team has 4 wins and 4 losses, sitting in 3rd place without ever taking the time to learn how to score points; it is not how you start but how you finish. Passing and defence wins matches and we know we can do those things with anyone in the league, so lets see how everyone else stacks up once we decide to unleash an attack on the unsuspecting enemy.

This Saturday is our final match before the Christmas Break and our competition is 4th place Lakeland College. The ladies take the court at 6:30 pm with the goal of ended the first half of the year 6-4 and on a 6 game winning streak as we head south to Los Angeles to compete, practice and enjoy a quick vacation before we hit the grind in the second semester.

Since this is our last issue of the Nugget for 1997 I would like to make a list of things I would like

many ties and one goal games. A trip would be nice too, just kidding.

### MEN'S BASKETBALL

Some power inside, with the rumours of Rory and Gregg returning to the line up, the group must have been good boys this year.

### WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Put a string of strong plays together, this semester they had great moments of play but it never seemed to last.

### BADMINTON

A stronger second half of the year

so they can represent NAIT well at NATIONALS on March 5 - 7.

### SWIMMING

A few more bodies in the water

### X-COUNTRY SKIING

One word - SNOW.

### MEN'S VOLLEYBALL

A strong second semester so they can host the A.C.A.C. play-off tournament.

### WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL

Recovery time, a healthy squad of athletes for the second semester because that is when it really all

counts.

### OTHER WISHES

- Eric Lindros decides he wants a quality education, comes to NAIT to play hockey.
- Andrew Hore does not get hurt any more this year.

## Eric Lindros decides he wants a quality education, comes to NAIT to play hockey.

- Gabrielle Reece decides she wants a quality education, comes to NAIT to play volleyball.

- CFL makes money next year
- The Oilers do not get another scare about moving to a different

city.

- Olympic Gold for Canada's National Hockey Team.

- Jason Arnott gets traded for a bag of pucks and some athletic supporters.

- A safe trip for the volleyball teams as they head down to Santa Monica to play.

- For the World Series-to be won by a team that has the lowest payroll in the league.

- No more expansion in the NFL, NHL, MLB.

- I win the lottery and take over NAIT athletic department.

I could go on for a long time, but in reality I hope everyone gets through finals, enjoys Christmas, gets back to school safe and eats lots of FAT. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

# ANTICIPATING CHRISTMAS SALE

## DEC. 4 - 10

## ALL CLOTHING 20% OFF GIFTWARE 20% OFF

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- BACKPACKS
- SCHOOL SUPPLIES
- RED TAG ITEMS



# Caronport

## The Untold Story

Andrew "My Mom's A" Hore  
Edited by Skinny

On November 7 and 8, 1997, the men's hockey team embarked on a journey to a town 20 minutes out of... "let me see if I can get this correct—Moose Jaw, SASKATCHEWAN." The town was called Caronport, the college was Briercrest with a first-year hockey team, the Clippers. Their team consisted of 17 first year players with an average age of 18-19 years. They lacked experience, but compensated with a hard work ethic and a spirited effort on both nights.

### Ooks Hockey/Nov. 7, 8 Itinerary

Thursday, Nov 6, 12:00am

-Ooks team loads the one-eye to Caronport

Friday, Nov 7, 8:00am

-arrive in Moose Jaw, Sask. Stop at the local Smitty's for some hot cakes.

9:00am

-check in at the "Bates" Motel in Caronport (a motel that has a total of 9 rooms)

10:00am

-Drive half a block to the 1920 airport hanger...which is now the ice rink, Sparrow Gardens, home of the Clippers.

7:00pm

-Game time, we arrived at night, not knowing what to expect. We knew they were winless, but this game was their first on home ice. The ice surface was very small, so we knew we had to adapt quickly. The game turned out to be very physical with the Clipper goalie facing a flurry of shots. Dave "Supe" Pirnak held the fort as the visiting Ooks shut out the Clippers 6-0.

-Trevor "Halitosis" Hart had his Hart Foundation in the stands as he played an excellent offensive game with a goal and a helper. The other star was big Pete Bosomworth who played incredible. He threw his body around all over the ice, making the Clippers shiver in their skates. Honorable mention to Jaime "Serey" who got his first of many goals he will have this year.

Saturday, Nov 8, 12:00pm

-The pre-game activity, a frosty soccer match between the Ooks Dmen & goalies vs the forwards and coaches. The forwards took the match with great goaltending by Dean "I'm a mess" Storms, along with steller mid-field slides by Brent "I wore my dress shoes" Woitas.

2:30pm

-Game time—this game turned out to be a carbon copy of the first, with the Ooks winning 6-0.

-the game star went to Kelly "Mr.Burns" Ainsworth, along with great efforts by Ooks Brent "Bill Woitas" Woitas and Jason "Arse" Arsenault.

6:00pm

-Ooks back on the one-eye to Edmonton. The bus ride was a long one, but brought the team closer together with some cheers and songs led by Captain Goose.

Overall, Caronport was a town all us spoiled city boys couldn't quite grasp, but in turn, the town had very nice people who

treated us with respect and dignity. It was a pleasure to be a part of their weekend.

Memorable Weekend Quotes:

"Holy fuck did we hit a time warp last night." Jaime Seney on the bus the morning of arrival in Caronport.

"There should be lots of fans, look at all the bikes." Brad Cartwright outside the rink before the game.

"Hey GOGGLES, turn your forehead down!" Skinny yelling down the bus at yours truly, Andrew "tennis ball head" Hore.

"The Red-Eye's booked, we're on the one-eye to Caronport!" Skinny.

"What are we in, the village of the damned!" Jaime Seney in regards to all the bleached blonde Clipper players.

"Raise your hands and salute "one-eye" cause the fuckin' Ooks are passing by!" NAIT Ooks.



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# Take your faces out of the jelly filled

Men's V-ball walks away with their heads up high

Mark Mahl

This weekend the team got a well deserved break, heading up to Fort Mac to play Keyano College. After three rough weeks of playing very challenging opponents, the opportunity came for all of the NAIT Ooks to get some well-deserved starting court time. Everything went as planned except for the idiot attitude fans. History 101, four and three years ago, Keyano has the auspicious record of the only two places I have been thrown out of. Needless to say

the bored oil riggers can find nothing better to do now, than entertain themselves on my account. Don't get me wrong, it is just as entertaining to me, considering my team is pummelling the Huskies. What wouldn't be entertaining—watching fans who know nothing about the game, looking like they just came back from a Tim Horton Donut convention making utter fools of themselves. This weekend was different—instead of targeting me, they went after the players, harassing them to the point where

it became rude, idiotic, personal and sometimes racial. To those fans I say this—GET A LIFE! Take your faces out of the jelly filled, and learn some respect. I have friends who work in the oil business and they don't act like that, so it must be somewhere else, maybe the toilet?

Today, the NAIT Ooks are hosting the best of the best High School All-Stars of Volleyball. Televised on SHAW, women @ 6:00 pm and the men @ 8:00 pm. We would also like to thank all the fans who supported us in the first term, our last home game is on Saturday Dec. 6 against Lakeland College. We also start up on Jan. 10 vs. G.M.C.C. these games will also be on SHAW cable. SEE YOU AT THE GAMES!

## Here are the United Cycle three stars from the Weekend:

### Nov 28 — Basketball VS. RDC

#### WOMEN

1. Rayna Robinson, RDC
2. J'Anna Aitchison, ADC
3. Johanna Staffer, NAIT

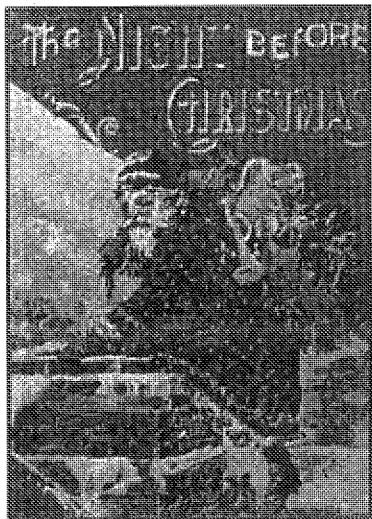
#### MEN

1. Derek Zaharko, RDC
2. Stephen Moore, NAIT
3. Troy Arnett, RDC

### Nov 29 — Hockey VS. Concordia

1. Mike Mychalsyn, NAIT
2. Shawn Wighton, CC
3. Brad Wilson, NAIT

## POETRY



### The Night Before Christmas

'Twas the night before Christmas, when all through the house Not a creature was stirring, not even a mouse; The stockings were hung by the chimney with care, In hopes that St. Nicholas soon would be there; The children were nestled all snug in their beds, While visions of sugar-plums danced in their heads; And mamma in her 'kerchief, and I in my cap, Had just settled down for a long winter's nap, When out on the lawn there arose such a clatter, I sprang from the bed to see what was the matter. Away to the window I flew like a flash, Tore open the shutters and threw up the sash. The moon on the breast of the new-fallen snow Gave the lustre of mid-day to objects below, When, what to my wondering eyes should appear, But a miniature sleigh, and eight tiny reindeer,

With a little old driver, so lively and quick, I knew in a moment it must be St. Nick. More rapid than eagles his coursers they came, And he whistled, and shouted, and called them by name; "Now, Dasher! now, Dancer! now, Prancer and Vixen! On, Comet! on Cupid! on, Donder and Blitzen! To the top of the porch! to the top of the wall! Now dash away! dash away! dash away all!" As dry leaves that before the wild hurricane fly, When they meet with an obstacle, mount to the sky, So up to the house-top the coursers they flew,

With the sleigh full of toys, and St. Nicholas too. And then, in a twinkling, I heard on the roof The prancing and pawing of each little hoof. As I drew in my hand, and was turning around, Down the chimney St. Nicholas came with a bound. He was dressed all in fur, from his head to his foot, And his clothes were all tarnished with ashes and soot; A bundle of toys he had flung on his back, And he looked like a peddler just opening his pack. His eyes — how they twinkled! his dimples how merry! His cheeks were like roses, his nose like a cherry! His droll little mouth was drawn up like a bow, And the beard of his chin was as white as the snow; The stump of a pipe he held tight in his teeth, And the smoke it encircled his head like a wreath;

He had a broad face and a little round belly, That shook, when he laughed like a bowlful of jelly. He was chubby and plump, a right jolly old elf, And I laughed when I saw him, in spite of myself; A wink of his eye and a twist of his head, Soon gave me to know I had nothing to dread; He spoke not a word, but went straight to his work, And filled all the stockings; then turned with a jerk, And laying his finger aside of his nose, And giving a nod, up the chimney he rose; He sprang to his sleigh, to his team gave a whistle, And away they all flew like the down of a thistle. But I heard him exclaim, ere he drove out of sight, "Happy Christmas to all, and to all a good-night."

#### The Pest

As I stand here alone in the wind emptiness envelopes me.

Melancholy drenches my face I can't open my eyes to see.

Broken thoughts are escaping through the salty tears and wants to die.

Pleasure is not enough to restrain me inexpressable pain I feel, I fear.

The wind growls and whisks me away what is it that keeps you here.

### Breath

#### Copenhagen

As you and I dance;  
feel my rhythm,  
my stride,  
My love feel my  
breath.

As I hold you close;  
feel my back,  
my shoulders,  
my love feel my  
breath.

As I hold your hand;  
feel my grip,  
my comfort,  
my love feel my  
breath.

As I look into your eyes;  
feel my longing  
my emotion,  
my love feel my  
breath

As I kiss your lips;  
feel my energy,  
my pulse,  
my love feel my breath.

### Another Ship Sinks In the Water

#### Copenhagen

(I wrote this poem this summer when a friend of mine wanted to commit suicide, this is how I hoped it would not happen, thank God he didn't.)

Cold Steel is in his hand.  
He plays his favorite band,  
and the sound is drowned out  
by the crying in his mind.

He puts himself to blame.  
He can't handle the shame,  
and he thinks that there is no way  
out.

As the confusion sets in,  
he believes he knows how life  
came to be this way.  
So he decides to say good-bye.

Another ship sinks in the water,  
so he goes and blows his mind.  
Another ship sinks in the water,  
The world is so unkind.  
Another ship sinks in the water,  
and as he begins his fall,  
nobody hears his call.  
So no one stops his fall.

(It's never that bad, there is always  
another way.)



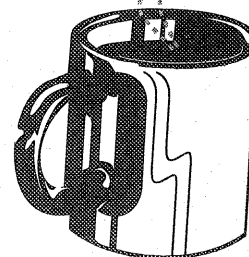
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# Tea Party/Crush TINY Backstage Expose

*An Evening With Two Of  
Canada's Hottest Bands*

When: November 26th  
Where: Northlands Agricom

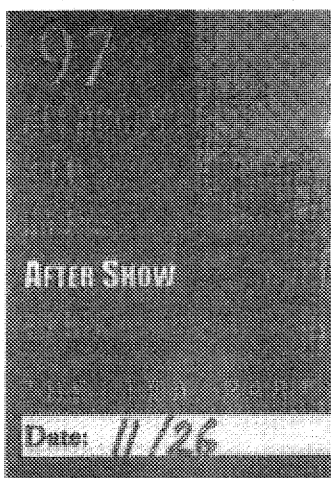
Miranda Jordan

Arriving anywhere at 4:00 p.m. and not leaving until 11:00 p.m. can seem like a long time. But when you're in the company of The Tea Party and Econoline Crush

band members at the Agricom, it can seem like a matter of minutes. The last time myself and the crew hooked up with these bands was at Edgefest in August, so there wasn't much more dirt that they could tell me. Stuart, keyboardist/bassist, for

the Tea Party is feeling very lonely after being on the road for awhile now; and Trevor Hurst, Econoline Crush singer, is using a new palmade gel (from a little tube) to style his punky hair locks. After talking in the banquet room at the Agricom for about an hour, we all adjourned for dinner. As we

dinner of salmon, rice, and stuffed tomatoes, three members of Econoline Crush and ten roadies sat next to us. The big screen TV in front of us ran through The Simpsons, The Fresh Prince of Belair, and the CBC News, as they shared stories of alcohol, soda crackers, bars, and their hotel. After this time lapsed, the show was about to commence. The fans waiting outside of the doors were finally let in, and their enthusiastic screams echoed throughout the building. Prior to the show, during soundcheck, the fans outside begged to be let in. Having to listen to the voice of Jeff (Tea Party) bounce off the walls throughout the venue during soundcheck as they waited outside, I imagine, was sheer torture to them as well. Here is a tiny run-down on the concert:



Jeff Martin belts out the words to "The Bazaar"



## LOVE

- 1) The show started with a bang—Econoline Crush performed "Home", "All That You Are", and "Sparkle and Shine" superbly.
- 2) Trevor Hurst's dramatic on-stage presence.
- 3) The Tea Party performed remarkably, and managed to turn a stupid hockey-rink venue into a temple of darkness.
- 4) Tea Party highlights: "The Bazaar", "Army Ants", "Psychopomp", "Babylon", "Sister Awake" (with a lute), extended version of "Save Me", and of course, "Temptation."

## HATE

- 1) Seeing a girl two feet away from us get hauled out on a stretcher because she fell hard on concrete, hurting her arm and head.
- 2) The ice that was still not melted back-stage. It's a law suit waiting to happen.

Trevor Hurst of Econoline brings a sense of drama to the stage with his god-like poses and intense darting eyes.



# Nutcracker

December 10-14



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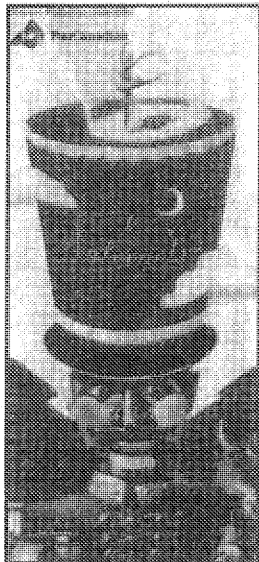
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Christmas

is just around the corner and so is the most loved ballet of all, The Nutcracker. Alberta Ballet unwraps its glittering holiday treat with some performances in Edmonton December 10th to 14th accompanied by the Edmonton Symphony Orchestra and local children's choirs.

Originating in Germany, this tale was written in 1816 by E.T.A. Hoffman and entitled, The Nutcracker and The Mouse King. In contrast to the ballet version, the original story was frightening and not intended for children. Over time, a lighter interpretation of the story was written in France by Alexandre Dumas the Elder, re-named The Nutcracker of Nuremburg. This version was adopted by French choreographer, Marius Petipa and set to music by Russian composer, Pyotr Illyich Tchaikovsky. Petipa fell ill and work was completed by his assistant, Lev Ivanov. The Nutcracker ballet premiered December 18 in 1892 in St. Petersburg, Russia.

The Nutcracker is a wonderful fantasy about a girl named Clara and her adventures with the nutcracker prince and the mysterious journey through a land of imagination. The Alberta Ballet hosts the show and hopes to be a successful Yuletide event. Tickets can be purchased at TicketMaster 451-8000 or 447-6812. I have never personally seen a ballet, but I have been somewhat curious. This is definitely one of those things that comes once a year and something you should experience.



## The Nutcracker Facts

### TOUR, DANCE & AUDIENCE

- 37 performances in 5 weeks
- Perform in 5 cities: Anchorage, Alaska (Nov. 27-30), Spokane (Dec. 4-7), Edmonton (Dec. 10-14), Calgary (Dec. 17-23), Victoria (Dec. 27-29)
- At least 1,000 students audition annually - 200 auditioned in Edmonton
- In total, 550 children will perform in The Nutcracker
- Children from 13 area dance schools perform 66 roles in Edmonton
- Role of Clara in Edmonton - Roisin (Ro-sheen) Byrne, 12 year old student from West Edmonton Ballet Academy
- Rehearsals at Edmonton Festival Ballet under guidance of John Kellner (former dancer with Alberta Ballet, 1991-95) and Nancy Aherne (formerly with Cincinnati Ballet)
- Average annual attendance for entire tour: 60,000

### COSTUMES, JEWELRY & SHOES

- 143 costumes designed, costing \$250,000
- Wool, silk, taffeta and tutu netting imported from England
- Over 2,000 yards of fabric used
- 16,000 hours to make costumes
- Female dancers will use 800 pairs of pointe shoes during creation & performances; each pair costs \$60.00 and total value will exceed \$48,000.00

### PROPERTIES & SCENERY

- 85 props
- Over 1,000 hours to design props
- Over 650 hours to build props
- 3 complete backdrops measuring an average of 80 feet wide x 36 feet high
- Over 2,000 hours to paint scenery

### MANPOWER BACKSTAGE

- 4 people to move the props
- 7 carpenters to move the scenery
- 3 electricians
- 4 flymen to move backdrops and soft scenery
- 4 wardrobe people

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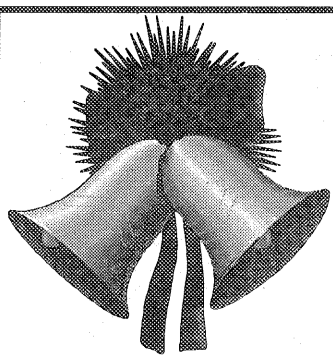


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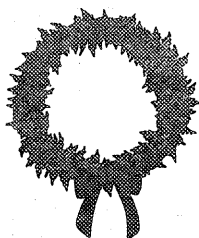
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# Bubba Blue

Ted Zanetic

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I remember back in the days when I was a wee tyke and would go to the Ritz Diner because back then it was the only place that would serve alcohol to me, being a minor. Well I went down there last Saturday,

and the place still hasn't changed; same fifties atmosphere with live music. So there I am sucking away on my milkshake when there is this band in the background that keeps getting my attention. I look up from my chocolate milk-

shake, and see a trio of men hammering away on some old blues and rock n' roll. These guys are opening the old school of music and are giving some serious lessons. Blues, Jazz, R n' B, Rock, you name it—they played it. So I wait for a set break and approach the lead singer and ask him a few questions.

"I did it professionally, but now I do it just for the love", said Ken, the guitarist. A lot of these guys play in this band just for the love. Ken, who is a graphical engineer, and a former graduate from NAIT (man we kick but, eh?) plays all the main

guitar for the band. He started out in high school listening to people like BB King, Clapton, Page, and Beck. Later on down the road, he met up with Paul, the lead singer. Testosterone and the Rolling Stones were two of the main rea-

sons that Paul got into music. Paul is a psychologist and a poet in his own. After talking



Blue's band Bubba Blue at the Ritz Diner



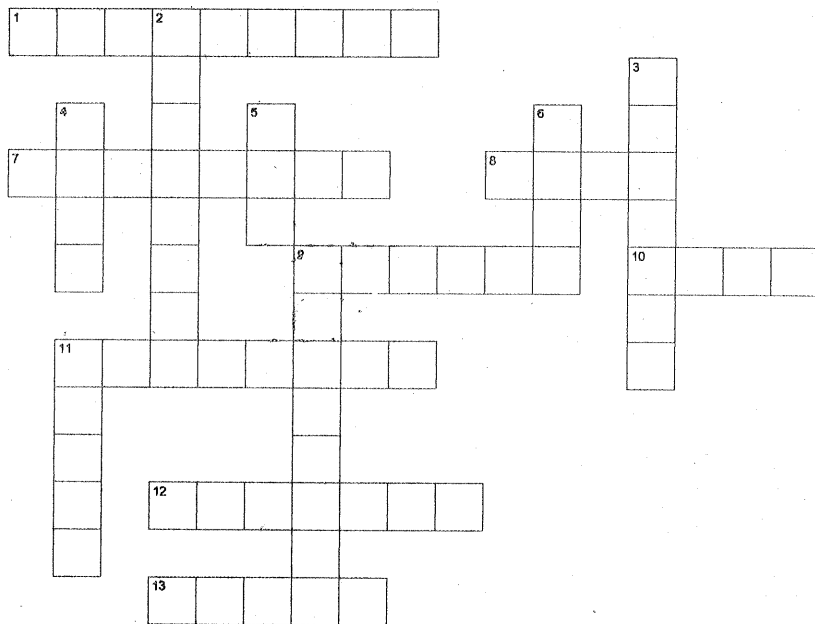
Paul Sessman of Bubba Blue.

with the man for a while, I started to notice some tattoos on his arms. It turns out that he has full arm tattoos on both arms. One arm symbolizes art science while the other arm symbolizes his life. For him blues is a really important thing for him. "It's one of the few things that has always been there. "It's really real." Ken

and Paul started Bubba Blue band four years ago with their simple passion for music. Jim, who the other band members tease for marrying his way into the band (He is married to Ken's sister) plays all the drums for the band. Being a Sergeant for the police, he too has a deep love for music. I think that's what made these guys so unique; you could really see their feeling when they were playing away on their instruments. They are still in the midst of releasing a CD, but until then they are just happy doing what they love.

## Sodas and Chocolate

Answers to last week's crossword puzzle are posted outside Room E-128.



### ACROSS

1. This bar is a natural wonder
7. Named after a famous baseball player
8. Has the most caffeine and rhymes with bolt
9. Thirst is everything
10. Lots of bubbles in chocolate
11. What is the secret anyway?
12. When your this big, they call you...
13. The new generation

### DOWN

2. The Dr. is in
3. This chocolate bar tells you to do something
4. Named after a planet
5. A number and a direction
6. Sniff it like a drug
9. Sounds like a lot of laughs
11. Orange, grape, rootbeer, cream soda, you name it

## Kaos

Ted Zanetic

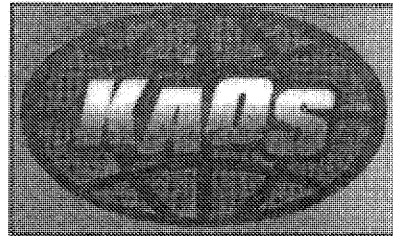
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I'm somewhat of a social butterfly, and from time to time I like to put on the disco suit, and yes—I love to boogie. Mind you, I don't have a disco suit yet, but that doesn't stop me from going out with the gang and having some fun. So Friday night rolls around and that famous question comes up "So, uh.. what do you want to do tonight?" After some real deep thought, we decided to mount up and head on down to Kaos.

This place is huge! It kinda reminds me of the huge hall parties I used to go to in high school. Its like all these rooms with themes built into them. There is the disco room which overlooks the entire club, the main room, which hosts an impressive light show, the billiards room, yup you guessed it they play pool there, the cigar room where you can sit down have a martini and smoke a couple of fatties (cigars that is), and last there

is the retro room. An '80s kinda room that plays all those songs you grew up with as a child. (The music is something that I really liked.) The DJ's do a really great job of mixing songs to set the atmosphere. The only thing I didn't like was at times the space was limited, and they didn't have enough tables or chairs so finding a place to sit in a crowd of 3000 was close to impossible.

The serving staff were friendly and courteous while some of the security staff were a little grouchy. Baby-sitting 3000 peo-



ple would tend to make anyone grouchy though, but I know deep down they are all big lovable teddy bears—they just need a good hug. (I wouldn't personally recommend trying it though.)

Overall the place sets a nice atmosphere, and when you're at Kaos with a lot of your friends, it makes out to be a great place to spend an entertaining evening.



# Thoughts on Christmas

Scott Hayes

## Best Christmas Albums

- John Denver and the Muppets
- Nat King Cole: The Christmas Song
- Christmas Cocktails
- Mixed Nuts soundtrack
- Tales
- Tchaikovsky's The Nutcracker Suite
- Ren and Stimpy's Crock O'Christmas
- The Christmas Songs of Johnny Mathis
- Season's Greetings from the Sony Store

## Best Christmas Movies or T.V. Specials

- Home Alone
- The Spirit of Christmas
- A Christmas Story
- Gremlins
- Scrooged
- The Ref
- Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer
- Lethal Weapon
- Frosty the Snowman
- Die Hard
- The Grinch who Stole Christmas

## Christmas Movies I'd Like to See

- Green Egg nog and Ham
- A Marilyn Manson Holiday: Santa, Meet Satan!
- William S. Burrough's The Junky's Christmas
- Tarantino's Reservoir Reindeer
- Steinbeck's The Winter Of Our Discontent

## Concerts I'd Like to See Under My Tree

- The Police circa 1980
- The U2 pub tour
- K.D. Lang, Holly Cole, and Sarah McLachlan together
- Fiona Apple at the Winspear
- Weird Al Yankovic and the ESO
- Pavarotti and Friends with

Mariah Carey

- Bring on Da Noise, Bring on Da Funk World Tour
- Bob Dylan singing at the funeral for all of the Rolling Stones
- The Wallflowers: North of the Border
- David Lee Roth: Spandex Through the Ages

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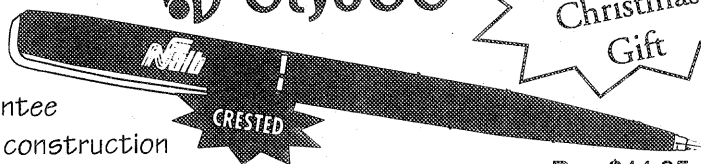
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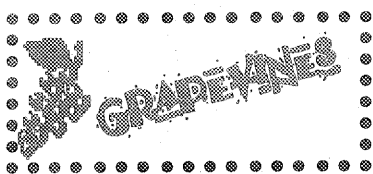
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To the Red Ass Rucher,  
You hypocrite! You want my tech but you don't have the balls to say yours. If you drive an import- you're wimpy 4 cyl can't pull me out of the ditch, idiot, and I'd rip the bumper off your import shit when I torque on my Chevy, Oh sorry, you probably don't know what torque or even horse power means cuz you drive a car meant for Japan, not Canada.  
One of many intelligent IET's.  
Signed Chevy-Mean Mudder Trocker

To the 2nd yr H.D.M. who wears the black Massimo cap!  
I've made eye contact and small body gestures to you in the hallways and while driving the head. Speaking of which, you're black Celica would do the 'job'. Why don't you just approach me and say HI. I won't bite, unless you want me to.  
The Brunette with green eyes and full lips.  
Hot for a snap on!

To Everyone Who Supports Purple Hair,  
Thanks to everyone who wrote the grapevine supporting my purple hair. And to everyone who approached me and commented on how cool I was for sticking up for myself for being a purple-haired skater. Thank you all.  
Mouse

Which Bald Guy do you think is sexy?  
There's a lot of us you know  
-One of the Bald Community-

Well, here it is another week and again, I can't help but to notice you, wow! You're amazing with your neck length dark hair, angelic face and beautiful eyes. Being in the same building, I can't help but to catch a glance now and then of you going in and out of the R.T. section. In your yellow and blue jacket, you have a smile that lights up your face and all those who see it.  
L and F

Trina G.  
You've been a vision of beauty for me for almost 3 yrs now. I wish I had what it would take to be yours, but that is an impossible dream.  
From a friend long forgotten

Dug, Craig, and Shawn (Re: Band)  
I am interested. I have been drumming for approximately 3 years. Previously in grunge/alternative band. Have own drums. Call Doug at 988-5866.

To the Red Headed Angel in RTA 1st semester,  
You're one of the most enticing creatures of beauty. I've seen you around and wish I could tell you how I feel, but I am too afraid you'd think I'm a fool. Looking forward to seeing you in the halls.  
Stunned by Beauty

Melissa in 1st year BUS.  
I wish you could understand how much I like you. You're in my thoughts all the time. I wish when I talk to you I didn't sound like a geek. Maybe I'll get the courage to talk to you when I see you next, but like that'll ever happen.  
Header of Chaos

To Brat,  
You are very welcome. But which Sunny are you referring to and what is your name?  
Sunny

To the Blonde Bobbsy Twins in OA 1F,  
You two are the coolest at Westwood. Hope when we grow up we can be just like you.  
From the two brunettes

Dear Curious & Anxious:  
I only see you on the #9(or2?) bus a couple of times, but when I see your beautiful face on the bus, you make my trip more enjoyable. When you get off to the main campus, my bus ride to the Annex is boring.  
Signed, Sid Vicious  
P.S. I hope to hear from you next grape-

vine, what course are you in? Do you want to know who I really am?

Friday, December 5th, 6:00 pm, NAITSA/  
Nugget staff informal x-mas party at the Nest. Come if you dare!

To the HOT babe I met at Pins & Cues on Nov. 6  
Whenever we're together, I feel totally alive, but whenever we must part I'm always feeling you in my heart. I'm glad that we're together because you're the best thing that has ever happened to me. Happy 1 month anniversary!  
Love: M.K.  
P.S. Hi Mel ('You look much better when you smile')

C'mon Mrs. Huge Gap,  
It was Mike Hunt in the Datsun (spelled with a 'u' you god damn ANAL WAR-RIOR). I could tell because they were arresting him for the molestation of large livestock. I guess I can't ever expect much of a witty response from someone like you who never runs out of bread because you always have a loaf or two packed up your ass.  
P.S. Stop trying to pry the trunk open on MY caddy, I'm not done with your mom yet.  
BIG DADDY, the Peter North of Lode Shooter's

To Stephen, 1st year Animal Health,  
Keep smiling! You have a great personality, keep up the bubblyness!! And whatever you do, don't let exams get ya down!!  
Your secret Pal

To Dave in 1st year EET,  
The person who is writing this likes you more than anyone in our class...and I absolutely hate you! Get your nose out of our instructor's ass! Better yet, drop out-Give us a chance to enjoy school without having your annoying, loudmouth, useless ass around. Don't let the door hit your ass on the way out. Ciao!  
President of S.O.D. (Sick of Dave)

Laureen in PRT  
You're gorgeous, and you know it. Your smile brightens my day. Your fashion sense is unmatched; as is your kindness. You're a wonderful person, and a good friend.  
Congrats on your engagement.  
Love ya always, Steve

I wish I would have packed my gear that night so I could stay over and pack you. Oh well, my loss, it was good while it lasted, and don't worry it has no expiry date.  
P.S. Can you wipe the hot sauce off my cheek?  
Love The Asshole

Anyone interested in writing a regular HOROSCOPE for The Nugget next semester, please inquire at Room E-128.

Batman,  
Roses are Red  
Violets are blue,  
When all's done and said  
I really love you.  
Love Alfred

Blushing for You  
Funny you were not in my mind all week-end-oh and by the way why are you stalking me?  
Chevy Girl

Dear Faint,  
I've been in your class for quite a while now. I couldn't bring myself to come out with this sooner, but it's time! Every time I hear your voice, it makes me tingle all over. The fact that I can protect you makes me feel like a real man. I love your Nike style, although I love to undress you with my eyes. Please respond soon.  
Love, Quan (the guy that likes cars)

To stairclimber/always looking: (from a few weeks ago)  
Could you specify the characteristics of Mr. Nike/White Nike Hat. There's so many people who wear them (and probably never leave their couch let alone get on the stairmaster a few times and while on it tend to get caught looking at sexy women.

Cine One, Come All! Meet the amazing Wonderboy Mason Doogie Howser "Chipka" in the A-Wing.  
P.S.-he's buff and he's single

To Mr. C  
I like the sound of your horse power. I know you do security and I've admired your nightstick. I'd love to be beaten with it. See you at the B.P Party-I'll request "Macho Man" for you to strip to.  
-still interested-

To all the business girls.  
I have to thank you for looking so good. Especially the blond that looks like Jennifer Aniston. RRRrrrrrow...foxy lady.  
By the Business Dan the Man

To Eaton Boy  
You're smedley!  
From : Me

To Brenda on 7th Floor Tower  
We see that you are having problems staying awake in your classes. Next time refrain from drooling, snoring, and moaning while you sleep

To the true Blonde in BBB  
You can run and you can hide but your "blonde" attitude can't be hidden by a box of dye.  
The wonder man

Levi,  
How I enjoy playing. Maybe I can show you how well I play with thingy's. Meet me North Lobby, Friday, noon.  
Watcher.  
P.S. Bring your car and you can show me how well you drive.

Peach  
I know it's kind of late, but I never knew the exact date. I hope you get lucky if you know what I mean. Happy Birthday to you from us, the team.  
From the Pest, Buttercup, Sunshine, and Angel

ASBG  
I hear you've ID'd me, but that's okay I still have places for you to put that stud.  
Sexy Kitten

Drop Kick Boy - Section 3, year 1, CST  
Look pal-if you ever again get a good mark on an exam and then do a drop kick at the front of class to show off to the rest of us, I'll drop your naked, skinny ass out of an 8th floor window.  
Signed: Bitter

Dropkick boy - S-3 CST term  
Don't you know by now that front chair is for the visually impaired?! Duh!  
Disgruntled Classmate!

Sleep. All I want is sleep! I pray to God I get in a car accident that sets off my air bag so I can sleep  
Signed: F.N. Merle.

To a Bitterman  
Why are you so bitter-all is good in the land of Herp! Herp!

To Satisfied Customer,  
I'm sure I know who you're talking about, but she isn't totally convinced. Spell out who it was that turned your head! And to the "VERY attractive waitress at the Nest" who doesn't think it's her: I'll bet you a round of pool that it's you he's talking about. At least I'm assuming it's a he (they didn't sign it 'Satisfied MALE Customer'). Hey, you never know these days...  
CSTFriend

To Miranda, in DA:  
So you thought it was funny to launch the monkey at me, well you saw what I did to the spoon in return so don't start something you can't finish, or the spoon will meet Big Jim Slades' Bigger Brother.  
GROG and D'YER

To Sarah in PRT:  
I know your name, someone called it out. You must be in pre-tech, I see you in E-Wing most of the time, approximately 5'11", with short blonde hair. You are extremely pretty. I couldn't leave NAIT without letting you

know...I think this. I know your personality, you show it in your smile. I may never see you again, it's my loss for being too shy. If it is meant to be...we may actually meet.  
Signed, Usually in 'A-wing'

Biosci: 1C  
We are getting a few of us together for drinks, pizza, whatever, Thursday, Dec. 18 at B.P's Meet at about 11:00 (that's when they open) either in E-wing or at the Boston Pizza. Be there or be stupid (Group 1A, 1B)

To Biosci Blondie,  
In reply to your vague and inconsiderate comment in the last issue of the Nugget, I would like to stress that these people who drive around with their music blaring do not always have Honda Civics. They are just guys trying to impress the girls at this school. The reason they have big speakers, bug stereos, etc. is to accommodate for SMALLER things, if you catch my drift.  
Red Rusher

Lady of Bus 69,  
Boots guy and Onaway motion cordially invite you for a drink at the Nest, on Dec. 4 (Thursday)at 4pm. Hope to see you there, and bring a friend because as you can see from Bus 69, the more the merrier. Look for the sign on the table.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to our AHT staff. 2nd year AHT students!

To the Tall Blonde in Pre-Tech  
I wait anxiously in the Annex lounge every Thursday for you. The day I saw you walk in, I knew it was meant to be. Every time I want to walk up to you and do things I can't write on paper, I start to sweat and I want to puke. I heard Milk does a body good, but how much you been drinkin'?! I need you more than you'll ever know. You know who I am. Please reply.  
Ciao, Peggy Sue  
Your tight-ass

To Miranda in DA:  
I spoke to Big Guy and he said that you were better than his hand. Congrats...you made his list.  
All

V-Man  
Pornos are not my type. But HOT NUTS!!!! You're on baby! Don't forget the animals! Not the crackers!! Especially the Elephant!! Know you like to ride it!  
The Fun in Civ

HAPPY 20th BIRTHDAY GORY LORI!  
From the Nugget staff!

WANTED: One Ook Hockey Coach. Must obtain the following: Good organizational skills, must be an ex-player of the game, must have a good eye, must have a 90's hair style, and most important of all, must have a set of balls, so take it for what it's worth. Serious inquiries only!

To My Worthy Competitor  
Since I have possession of the ball, I think I'll kick the field goal and take this game to overtime. I feel I play better under pressure anyways. So once I kick the ball to you what are you going to do, try and return it for a big gain, or let it bounce out of bounds.  
P.S There are no time-outs in O.T.

Dear Boyafraid  
If I'm not mistaken, I believe you were talking about me. I'm everything you've been dreaming about and more, so confront our dreams and talk to me. I like a MAN (not a boy) with confidence. Do you buy flowers often?  
Love Discochic18

To ASBG:  
We are not sexy kittens, but we think you fit your title. We're not looking for a grapevine romance, but you will soon be approached. Have a Merry Christmas!  
TFO/ASBG  
(Two fans of)

To the Babies in Plastics:  
Man, I always make fun of business, but now I've got you guys. I think you guys are the biggest group of babies on campus. You must be so distinguished that you were mocked in the Nov. 4/97 Nugget. Why don't you call birthright, because they care!! It's free, and they'll give you some respect.  
It's Mr. Crotch to you.

## Classifieds

### TEXTBOOKS FOR SALE:

-Cost Accounting: A Managerial Emphasis, 8th Edition, Horngren, Foster, and Datar. Textbook, Student Solutions Manual and Student Guide and Review Manual  
-Intermediate Accounting, 4th Canadian Edition, Volumes 1&2, Kieso, Weygandt, Irvine, and Sylvester. Textbook and Student Companion Volume.  
-ACCPAC Simply Accounting for MS Windows version 3.3c, including all disks and manuals.  
Prices flexible. Call 460-5024

1985 Buick Century limited; 3.8L auto, new tires, hoses & belts; loaded, auto start, excellent condition. 424-9089

Hyundai Pony For Sale  
4-door-dark blue. New tires, pioneer stereo, great gas mileage. \$1200. obo. Phone 453-1585

Male or Female Roommate wanted to share my 2 bedroom apt. Close to NAIT (3 blocks). Rent \$225 (heat and water inc.) Move in date Dec. 20. Please call Jaime at 474-6867. Leave message.

### ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

-Technics brand equipment, includes turntable, amplifier, and stereo receiver with radio component. All in great condition. Can go individually or together.  
-Sanyo cordless telephone.  
-Smith Corona electronic typewriter, includes ribbons and corrector cartridges.  
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### ANIMAL LOVERS!!

AHT needs your donations to help the animals this Christmas! Please donate food, bowls, litter pans, leashes, blankets, toys, chewy bones, unopened food and towels. Please drop these donations in the box outside X100 (Animal Clinic) or in the South Lobby before Dec. 18! Thanks.  
Woof Woof, Meow Meow

Animal Health 1st years are having a cabaret at the Thunderdome Dec. 19. Tickets are \$5, available from class reps or at the door. Call 444-7962 (Cindy) Now that your brain is FRIED, end the semester with a BANG!

### FOR SALE

IKEA couch & loveseat, Futon like. Cushions: Navy. Frame: Pine. Asking \$80, obo. Call Nicole at 479-8348.

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Call 425-8729 for more details

119 ave - 106 st  
Parking stall to become available January 5, 1998. \$25/mnth, \$5/mnth plug-in. Call Steve at 479-1834.

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