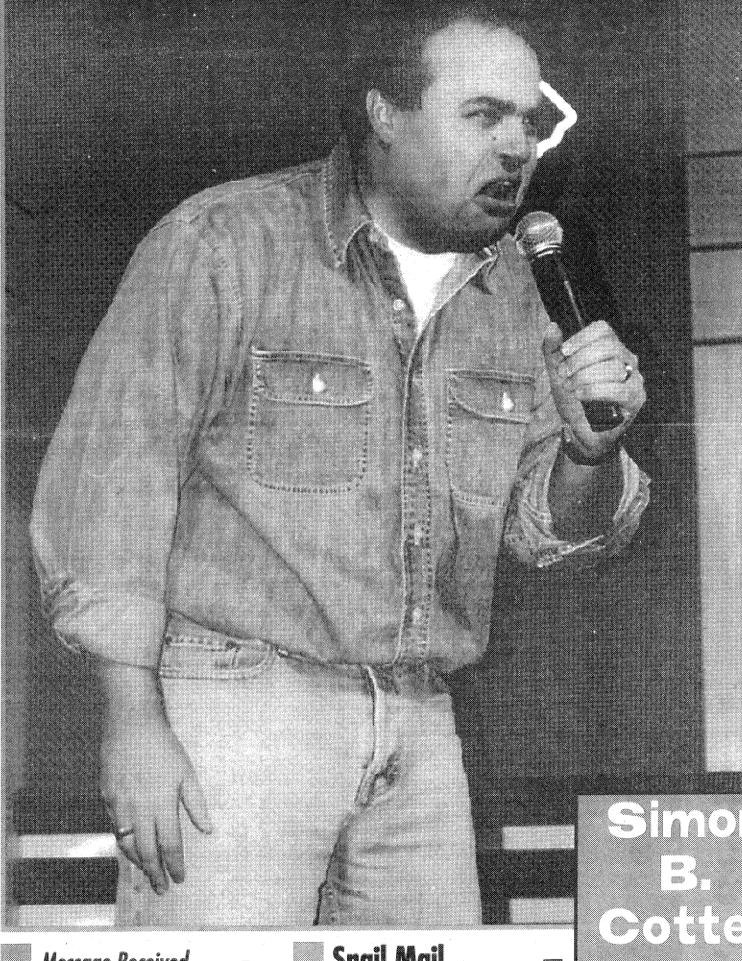
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Mad Media:

A Serious Series

Part II: Spotlight on NAIT Instructor/Former Itv Anchor Chris "Bull" Durham

Miranda Jordan & Lori Skarsen

hree days of no sleep can make a man tired and giddy. In Chris Durham's case he had to anchor First News on ITV with Tara Nelson after this stretch. The morning they had to report on the death of Orville Reddenbacher was the morning in which they started giggling during the broadcast. Chris describes this as his worst experience to date. Fortunately, regardless of such an outburst, Chris managed to dazzle morning viewers with his fresh and genuine spirit every day. It wasn't until 1996 that he left ITV to become a Television Arts instructor here at NAIT. We sat down with Chris to discuss his past and current role in the local media as Part II of our MAD MEDIA exclusive.

Living in Edmonton for all of his life, Chris attended NAIT for his training in RTA before being recruited to ITV in 1987. He was hired on when he heard of a job opportunity in the summer and worked as a junior reporter. After two weeks at his new job at ITV, Chris was exposed to the great tornado that struck Edmonton—he refers to this experience as "BAP-TISM by FIRE." He then became a beat reporter on the street covering events such as city hall. Finally, he hosted a morning show with Lorraine Mansbridge, FIRST NEWS, for four years. Chris attributes his personal networking with people as his key for entry, not to mention beer drinking with the right fellas. Previously, he was covering Oilers games for the National News Service.

Chris was set apart from other anchors on the news because he is capable of laughing at himself and speaks candidly. He also possesses a genuine personality,

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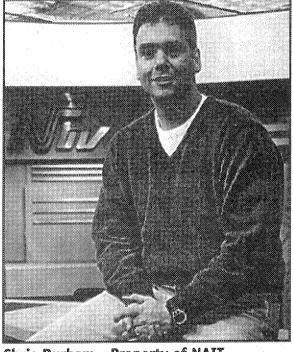
which he was praised for by viewers. His best experience as a reporter was having an exclusive half hour with Prime Minister, Jean

and being competitive is the advice he gives his students. His best experience back at NAIT, thus far, was seeing a student, not-so-con-

fident in her ability, make it through her practicum. As for life's hardships along the way--Chris sacrificed a promising football career to pursue his career in media. He attended the U of A and majored in Football 101 briefly. Being a TV

JUNKIE is why Chris always knew he would be in the media. He

consistently sat in front of the TV set absorbing as much information as possible. In five years, Chris will most likely still be teaching, or possibly back in the field. One thing is certain, he has a sense of humor and is easy-going. He is also prepared! When we sat down in the Editing Room in the V-wing, Chris announced, "I Got Some Notes!" This is why his nick-name should be changed from "Bull" to Chris "I Got Some Notes" Durham. Please refer to the "CHRIS IS A WHORE FOR" section because he's a whore for quite a few things. Chris was gracious enough to let us talk to him about his work, (past and future,) so we can't help but want to buy him a beer. Now we just have to get him tattooed.



Chris Durham—Property of NAIT

Chretian, when he was first elected. While Chris was working for ITV, he was proud of being involved in the local media scene here in Edmonton. He believes that there is a false perception that all reporters are vultures because his philosphy was to only inform the public of what they needed to know. This way they could form their own opinions on hot news issues. He credits American influence for bringing some sensationalistic practices into Canada.

Now that Chris is teaching here at NAIT, he tries to instill a sense of ethics in his students pursuing a media career. He enjoys his role in helping to develop future reporters. Being persistent, learning as many skills as you can,

CHRIS DURHAM STATS

Age: 32
Favorite Movie: Dances with
Wolves, Platoon
Favorite TV Show: Frasier
Marital Status: Married /

1 daughter
Personal Pet Peeve:
Ignorance and Indifference
Favorite Band: Tragically Hip

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/ Toad the Wet Sprocket
Favorite Food: Thai

Push for Charity

Doug Pruden "Push Up Man"



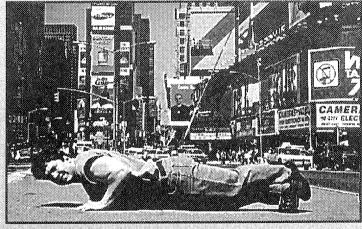
Doug Pruden, a NAIT 1985 honors graduate of Architectural Technology

is now known as the "Push Up Man". He does youth outreach work in southwest Edmonton and speaks to youth in schools and churches. In the past he has raised money for the Peter Jang trust fund, as well as various charities around Edmonton. Doug has performed at the Fringe for the last five years, and places such as New York, Chicago, and Vancouver. Currently he is the only person in North America who is performing push-ups for charity. As of Oc-

Doug tober 97, he has successfully Pruden, accomplished more than 2.8 a NAIT million push-ups.

On December 3rd, Doug will be in the South Lobby between 11:00 - 1:00 pm, raising money for Kids Cottage. It is a successful local charity which supports families and child abuse neglect. It is a safe shelter with trained volunteers, which provides security and nurturing for a period of 72 hours. This shelter, located at 101St and 134 Ave, is open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Next week at NAIT, he will be trying to finish 1000 push-ups in under 20 minutes. Doug will give displays during lunch, with the actual event getting underway at approximately 12:30 pm. Most of the proceeds will go to the Kids Cottage here in Edmonton, so be sure to check out Doug "Push Up Man" Pruden!



Doug Pruden does 1000 pushups in the Big Apple in '95. Times Square is a famous spot for every imaginable act.



INTERNET OROP-IN GLASSES

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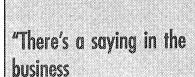
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WHAT CHRIS SAID WHORE FOR

'If it bleeds it leads. If it's sex, it's next. If there are tears, it's near.'

I don't believe it."

Good cigar, pint chaser

CHRIS IS A

- Road trips
- Football
- Deep conversations that really will change the world
- Showing off pictures of his 13month old daughter.

World in a nutshell

INXS LEAD SINGER DEAD- Michael Hutchence hung himself in an Australia hotel MORE GUNS TO IRAQ- Clinton ordered more American guns to Iraq in response to the return of UN Arms Inspectors TRUCE IN EGYPT- Egypt's biggest Islamic militant group offered a conditional truce after last weeks killing of 58 tourists in Luxor TELEMARKETING FRAUD CRUSHED-



Federal government is proposing new measures to better protect consumers and businesses from telemarketing frauds CRITICISM OVER FERTILITY TREATMENTS- Unprecedented birth of septuplets in Iowa sparked intense criticism for ethicists and doctors

SPACE PHOTOS MAY SETTLE NOAH'S ARK CONTROVERSY- The CIA intends to release thousands of declassified pre-1976 pictures (taken by U-2 aircraft), which focus on a boat-shaped mark high on Mount Ararat in Eastern Turkey

U.S. RULE RIGHT TO SWITCH OFF AIR BAGS- Federal regulators say motorists have a choice, after requests by public due to deaths of children and

FBI BRING END TO TWA CRASH- Mechanical failure, no evidence of a bomb or missle

ABORTION 'HOT POTATO' IN SOUTH AFRICA- New liberal abortion law has split nation, many doctors and nurses refuse on ethical grounds MAN KILLED BY CHICKEN COURIER- In New York a bicycle courier struck and killed a 68 year-old man

LOCAL

GREY CUP REVIVES MAYOR'S OLYMPIC DREAM- Success of Grey Cup proves that Edmonton can host anything, including "the big one" POSTAL WORKERS STRIKE- Last Wednesday the pinheads at the post office decided \$17.41/hr. wasn't enough to keep the mail flowing

POLICE SAY PAY UP- City police say fines already received must by paid, no mailina excuse

JAILED MAN KILLED BY TUMOR AND ALCOHOL- Victim consumed 26 ounces of teguila in 20 minutes

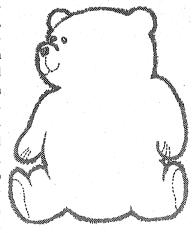
MAN DUBBED SANTA JAILED FOR SEX ASSAULT- A 54-year-old man was sentenced to 10 years for sex charges involving two teen girls in Calgary BOSSES BRING HOME TOO MUCH BACON- Top brass are getting too much while company tries to grind down its workers

FREEWAY ON ROCKY ROAD- Residents say no to a six-lane freeway on 75th Street

COYOTES OUT OF CONTROL- Residents of Elk Island National Park area blame growing coyote population to environmental movement and plummeting price of pelts-maybe they should get some roadrunners.

It's a Teddy Bear Christmas

o celebrate the holiday season at Westwood Campus, first year Office Administration students are working on a team project. Class 1A has decided to decorate a tree and donate a hamper to a needy family in Edmonton. The theme for the Christmas tree is bears, and red and gold bows. The bears that are donated for the tree will also be given to needy families. The light up day for the tree is December 1. and the delivery day of the hamper is between December 15 and 18. Please feel free to come visit us at Westwood and experience the "Celebration of the Season!" We



will have a map for the location of our tree in the OA office by the day before light up.

The "Toss Your Cookies" obstacle course held on Thursday, had cookies flying! First, students

The Cow Came

Alcohol Awareness Week at NAIT

Miranda Jordan & Fresh

'n NAIT's South lobby last week, Alcohol Awareness week activities gave students a better sense and understanding of responsible drinking. Throughout the week there was a display set up by the police service with graphic pictures of accident scenes for viewing. Various activities organized by Pam Dill,

The three guys from The Bear were

willing to make fools of themselves for the MOO MILK contest for

Alcohol Awareness Week. They sang

Beginning on Mon-

a heavy metal version of the MOO

Williams, Athletics V.P. took place

throughout the week from 11:00 -

day, the GET ABSURD (Get A

Better Sense and Understanding of

Responsible Drinking) campaign

hosted trivia in the lobby. Teams

of two answered questions relating

to alcohol and drugs. On Tuesday,

teams of three competed in creat-

MILK SONG.

1:00 p.m.

ing MOCKTAILS with all of their ingredients supplied. The best turnout was the Moo Milk contest, which was on Wednesday. Teams of three were placed at a table in front of an Aero bar with peanut butter on it. The relay went like this: Eat the bar, chug the milk, put the mug on your head, and then to the next person. Once the team

was done, their time was recorded; and they were judged based on song, costume, and time. Reg (Dean), Miranda (Editor), and Janet (Health Services) were judges for this event. The winners for a ski trip to Marmot for this event

were the "Milk Studs". Three Bear radio station

reps per-

formed their Communications VP, and Scott heavymetal version of the Moo Milk song; unfortunately, they didn't win. Waeil, Nest Manager; Jeff, Assistant to the Dean; and Aileen, NAITSA Accountant deserve an honorable mention for their Bob Dylan/Kazoo rendition of the Moo Milk Song.

The "Toss Your Cookies" had to squeeze the milk contents of an utter into a shot glass. Next they had to get on a tricycle and ride around pylons until finally stopping to poor the shot out into a mug. The last part of the obstacle entailed picking up four cookies to toss into a toilet bowl. Congratulations to Trent Rohovich of Pre-Technology for winning this one with a record time of 33 seconds.

Friday featured a more serious message with a black casket on display that read, "You drink, you drive, you die-any ques-

The importance and understanding of responsible drinking was the main focus of the week. Hopefully this message was successfully delivered to students. On that note, here are some educational statistics:

- · Number of people in Alberta charged with impaired driving causing death in 1996—133
- Age group with highest rate of impaired driving-20 to 44
- 486 people were charged with drinking and driving in Alberta this past year (421)**Edmontonians**)



Eat that bar-Chug the milk-& Put that mug on your head!



Presents

Proceeds support Scholarships for NAIT Athletics

Purchase your Tickets at Student Services (6.54)



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Prize money MUST be picked up prior to the next draw.

PRIZE: 50% of total tickets sold each week.

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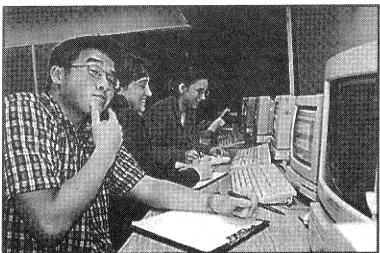
Monday at 4:00 pm.

LRC—Where You Need To Be

Fresh & Emjay

he NAIT Learning Re sources Centre located near the U-wing offers a variety of services for students to take advantage of. The project factory, which is located on the second floor, is where you would go to get your projects cerloxed or laminated. Prices are charged only to cover the cost of the materials needed. There are also computers set up for research purposes, and a pick-up desk for audio/visual equipment such as microcassette recorders,

camcorders, and cameras. The McNally library is located on the third floor, which features study booths, a wide variety of books, periodicals, CD-Rom software, and photocopiers. The Learning Resources Centre carries a wide variety of resources for students to take advantage of—so if you need your report looking extra special, a quiet place to cram, or just want to watch other people work—go check it out. For hours of operation, please refer to your student handbook.



Students checking out LRC services.

The Twenty-Third Psalm

Tracy Willox

The lord is my sheperd: I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pas-

He leadeth me beside still waters.

He restoreth my soul: He kadeth me

in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me;

Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

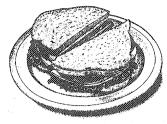
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.



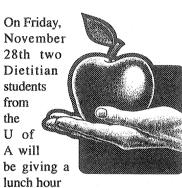
In memory of our classmate and friend, Ashley Milan, who passed away on November 16, 1997 at the age of 19 years. Ashley was a student in the Combined Laboratory and X-ray

technology program here at NAIT and will surely be missed by many people. Lupus was the cause of Ashley's death, so we ask you to please donate your blood to the Red Cross. Their hours of operation are: Mondayclosed, Tuesday-Thursday-10:30 a.m.-8:00 p.m., Friday-10:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m., and Saturday-9:00 a.m.-2:30 p.m. If only one person who reads this donates, it could make all the difference to someone's life. If you are unable to donate your blood, you could make a donation to the Lupus Erythematosus Society of Alberta, 040 636-6th Avenue SW, Calgary, Alberta T2P OT5. Anything that you are able to do would be greatly appreciated by us, the Milan family, and by Ashley.



Lunch Hour Seminars

On Thursday, November 27th a Cancer survivor will be speaking in X105 at 11:15pm. He will be discussing the best reason for you to quit smoking. All students' and staff are welcome to attend. This is a presentation by the NAIT Students' Association.



seminar on the healthier eating habit. We encourage all students and staff to show up in room X105 at 12:15pm. This is a presentation by the NAIT Students' Association.

OFTRY

Perfume

The Pest

As we dig deep into our minds Where all the treasures hide, the perfume of the past reminds us.

As we seek for escape from the hideous world, the perfume of the past overwhelms us.

As we lose ourselves among the things that we have done, the perfume of the past condemns us.

As we linger there too long the world passes us by, the perfume of the past erases us.

Your Moon

Copenhagen

I've looked your way a thousand times, and time and time again, for a moment.

So glamorous, so classy, so elegant. Your every movement seems destined, almost like,

you are royalty.

A woman like you deserves the world, your every wish answered, your every whim fulfilled,

your every desire satisfied.

Oh, how I would love to give you; diamonds and pearls, silver and gold; silk and platinum.
Yet, I cannot.

I know your eyes and how they sparked,

in the cold crisp evening.

I know your skin,
how it glistens in the soft p

how it glistens in the soft pale moon-light.

By looking at you I realize that, you already own something very special.

A gift I cannot give, one you cannot touch.

For it is your night sky, your silk like clouds, your universe of stars, your moon.

The Darkness

Copenhagen

You were my light, my energy.

Your words gave me purpose, when life had no incentive.

Your embrace gave me strength, when the world made me weak.

Your smile gave me warmth, after a cold shot of reality.

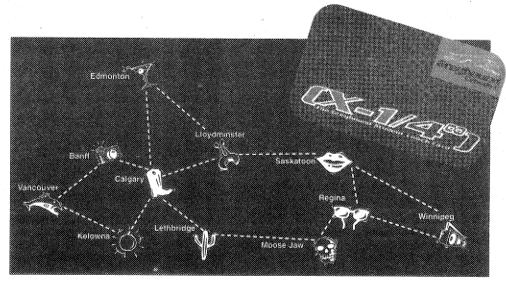
You gave, and gave, and gave, yet you did not take.

But I never gave, no purpose, no warmth.

I never knew what I had, 'till you took it all away.

Yet you, my Angel, my light, did give once again, a gift I would never want, The Darkness.

Party On, Garth!



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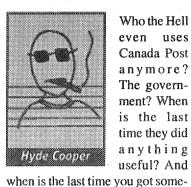
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Living in a Dream World

snail mail cuts off service

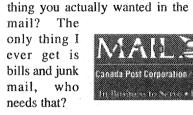


Who the Hell even uses Canada Post anymore? The government? When is the last time they did anything useful? And

valuable thing Canada Post ever did was put out an Elvis stamp. Talk about being stuck in

the stone age. For their \$17.41 an hour, the post office people would like us to believe that the mail is still an actual and necessary part of civilization. Get a grip, kids. The mail might be a little nostalgic, but Hell, if I want nostalgia I'll slam a copy of the Andy Griffith Show

> the into VCR and pop some Cracker Jacks.





SOLID MAJORITY (71%) SAY CANADA POST SHOULD NOT GIVE IN TO UN-

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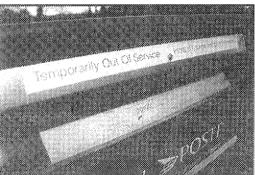
ION DEMANDS

For those of you who have been wondering why the phone company

didn't send you a bill last week, it's not because they don't like you anymore, it's because the post office people walked out. They didn't even tell us where they were going. They just left. And now there's 40 million pieces of mail with no where to go.

I guess it hurts when you find out no one wants you anymore. Compared to twenty, even ten years ago, the mail market has shifted venues by leaps and bounds. Telecommunications in general have rendered snail mail obsolete single-handedly. Fax, email, teleconferencing, net meeting, they're all viable and real alternatives to waiting a week for a

Whoo-hoo, it's Canada Post. Charging me out of the ass for a stamp that I probably won't ever



use. I think Canada Post should pay us to send mail. It'd make a lot more sense than them withholding a service we don't want or need

QUICK facts about the Postal Pagn e

- the Canadian Union of Postal Workers has 45 000 members
- Canada Post letter carriers earn S50 a day
- letter carriers and clorks earn \$17.41 on hour
- on everage, Canada Post delivers 30 to 40 million pieces of mail a day

Amateur Night

Wed. December 3rd at 5:00 p.m.

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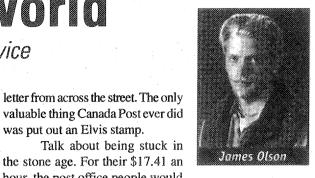
- Singing?
- · Hypnosis?
- Dancing?
- · Comedy?

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-NAIT slides into a cleanliness rescession



I'm dirty. My apartment, like countless others around NAIT, is reminiscent of a post-war Germany.

It's in shambles. I come home sometimes, take a look around and all I can do is just sit down on the dirty, dirty floor and cry.

"Hey look, there's another stain on the floor. Gee, isn't that weird? The floor just keeps getting dirtier and dirtier!"

NAIT itself, really isn't all that different from our own per-

sonal property except for the fact vided. that some of us do things to this institute we wouldn't dream of doing to our own stuff.

Just a short while ago, a student was observed destroying property of the institute in the tower. Namely, he took a knife to a chair on the eighth floor.

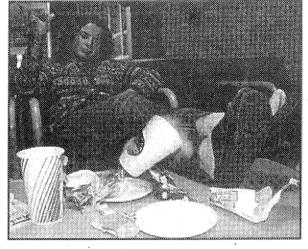
I'm not sure if he stopped to consider that by paying his student fees and using NAIT services, like the lounge on the eighth floor, he was both destroying something he helped pay for and used. Kind of the same thing as getting into your vehicle when your drunk and driving home. It's an interesting paradox.

myths or legends that surround the whole, "I helped pay for it so I can wreck it if I want" theory of public property. Unlike our own personal

ation will quickly dispell any

But an overview of the situ-

possessions, we as citizens only contribute to public property. So in fact, we don't own anything that belongs to the public- in part or otherwise. When you pay taxes, you are paying for the services provided for your use, not the means by which those services are pro-



Think of the public as a living, breathing person that protects you from all the ogres and vampires in the world. The public uses your money to buy services and equipment to assist it in protecting and preserving you and your existence. It's a good

Most of us already subconsciously knew all of this and followed the order of things without even thinking about it. But even if all this article accomplished was to reinforce the idea of "the public is for you"-it was worth it. NAIT helps all of us, so why don't we keep on helping NAIT?



Alcohol Awareness Week

Hyde Cooper

Last Friday I was so drunk I couldn't understand what I was saying. No one else Not that the English aren't nice people, could understand what I was saying either and that's when I got mad and went to sleep.

And so ends another successful alcohol awareness week.

I don't know what the big scare is about alcoholism. I don't find it's scary at all, I mean it's been going on for the last five hundred years for God's sake. You would think that somewhere in between we would have aotten used to the idea. Even more importantly, we should all know our alcohol limits, and be responsible if consuming alcohol.

It all goes back to the English. I'm sure the Queen is a very agreeable person when she's drunk. But the fact remains that whatever alcoholism there is in the world, I think at least 80% of it is England's doing.

In 1751, the Brits passed the Gin Act to curb the graphic consumption of raw alcohol by their public. Seems as though they couldn't handle their liquor. They had awareness of their alcohol, just like we do now. Sure, maybe it took us an extra two hundred and forty-six years,

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Letters



From Anonymous

"I've got a smile on my face, I've got four walls around me. The sun in the sky, the water surrounds me. I'll win now, but sometimes I'll lose. I've been battered, but I'll never bruise...it's not so bad."
"Ordinary Day" by Great Big Sea

I have two thing I'd like to clarify for all those unsuspecting people out there:

1. McDonald's may be the biggest thing since child-slave labor, but I'm making enough there (mind you, I'm a manager) that I wasn't one of those people who stood in line for student loans this year. (My social life revolved around playing with Happy Meal Toys) For my first semester books, however, I put out over \$700, and made all the money by slapping cheese on Number 4 and 5 combos. Just remember though, boys and girls, all those horror stories you hear about our food is probably true. (MUAHAHAHA!) Except the flurries. But the flurries, worship the flurries. I like those flurries. Oh yeah, ever had a McLobster sandwich? It's the husband of Miss Filet. (waits for the loud groan) I guess it's an East Coast thing.

2. The duck fluffs at midnight.

Signed

The Nova Scotia chick at Westworld Campus (aka - the woman's prison) whose locker is in the basement when all of her classes are on the 2nd floor)

P.S. We need Jolt in the vending machines for us non-coffee drinkers. (McJolt?)

Dear Editor,

I wish to reply to James Olson's article, "The Bible Code," in the previous issue. His article surprised me because religion is rather a taboo topic among tech school students. Of course, there's nothing wrong about discussing those things, but the article is something I'd expect from a university newspaper rather than a tech school.

Mr. Olson believes that the Bible's divine inspiration and doomsday prophecies are backed up by "cold, hard facts" in the form of equidistant letter sequences (ELS's) found in Hebrew Biblical texts. He is impressed that key words found in the sequences supposedly predict future events such as Yitzhak Rabin's assassination and the Oklahoma bombing. Be-

fore readers take "The Bible Code" and other related works seriously, I'd like to offer my skeptical two cents.

The claims from "The Bible Code" seemed compelling at first, but I asked myself questions. Is the Hebrew language structure somehow more flexible, increasing the chance of ELS occurrence? Can ELS's occur in text by random chance?

Hebrew is different from our language in that it has no vowels. For instance, if it were English, RBN could be interpreted as Rabin, Robin, Ruben, or Rubin. This allows more flexibility for ELS's to occur. Especially since the author of "The Bible Code" looks for ELS's in any textual direction (left or right, up or down, and diagonally).

ELS's can also be found in non-biblical text. Mr. Olson is impressed that the names of 66 Rabbi's are encoded in the Book of Genesis. It might also impress Mr. Olson that 59 terms used in Hanukkah were found encoded in the Hebrew translation of "War and Peace." Are we to believe that "War and Peace" had divine inspiration as well? Another surprising fact is that ELS's can be found in English works (despite less flexibility since English uses vowels). For example, using a method similar to "The Bible Code", key words were found in "Moby Dick" that supposedly predict future events. These include President Kennedy's assassination, Yitzhak Rabin's assassination, Princess Diana's death, and many more.

In conclusion, the arguments presented in works like "The Bible Code" are totally without merit. Readers need not worry themselves over Mr. Olson's concerns of a near future apocalypse supposedly predicted by encoded ELS's in scripture. With a final note, I'd like to say that as a society we need more critical thinking skills, especially with the coming of the new millennium and the accompanying doomsday hysteria.

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Dear Editor,

I was somewhat disturbed by James Olson's article in the Nov. 20 issue of the Nugget. The article promotes the book "The Bible Code', and it's central idea, that there are encoded messages within the Bible. Mr. Olson reports that the "implications" of the "discovery" by the authors as "absolutely amazing."

Actually the so-called "discovery" made by the authors of 'The Bible Code' is anything but amazing, in fact, I contend, it is highly probably, when one considers the arbitrary techniques the authors used.

To illustrate this point I have taken the text from the first two paragraphs of Mr. Olson's article, and 'encoded' it. That is, I first omitted all punctuation, capitals and spaces, and then, quite arbitrarily, arranged it into a rectangular array of alpha-numeric characters. Then I applied a set of rules (i.e. Word Search) and found a hidden message from the past. The array is printed below, and so is Mr. Olson's cleverly encoded message.

CABOT MUST WEAR TITS

Does this mean the 15 century explorer, the discoverer of Newfoundland, was transsexual? Well...maybe, long boat trips do that to a guy.

I also found about 15 other common (and not so common) English words in the same array before I got bored counting. I only used two paragraphs and a scrap of graph paper for my analysis. The authors of 'The Bible Code' used five books and a super-computer for theirs. Is it "amazing" they would find a word sounding like (as it was subject to translation) 'Shakespeare' buried with in the text of the Torah? I don't think so, they probably could find 'Barney the Dinosaur eats My Little Ponies'-if they looked for it!

What is "amazing," however, is that these characters with reputable credentials have the moxie to print this pseudo-scientific rubbish, and then bone the general public out of twenty bucks or more to read it.

So, if you get the urge to buy a book in the near future, I recommend 'Demon Haunted World' by Carl Sagan. Not only is it a good read, but you will perhaps learn how to recognize Dr. Rips and his colleagues for what they are-charlatans.

And if this argument does not dissuade from purchasing 'The Bible Code' I refer you to this months' issue of 'Skeptical Inquirer' where a more rigorous analysis of 'The Bible Code' is presented.

To the Nugget Staff:

This question has been on my mind for quite some time now. (Even before I was a student at NAIT) Maybe James Olson can answer it since he has looked into the history of our mascot. Why do we have a mascot that feels the need to wear a shirt & shoes BUT NO PANTS? And just to set the record straight for all people who try to find things to be offended about, I'm Not Offended By This, but, rather, I am...

Curious

In regards to the "Hello Ladies" article:

Why waste your time being offended by an article that could have been interpreted so many ways? Why not say to yourself, "Self, you are here to learn and someone out there thinks you look good. You know, if they notice me when I'm just being myself and not trying to impress anyone just imagine how many veins will pop when I TRY to impress them. (If I so CHOOSE to!)"

Now, you all are probably thinking what kind of male chauvinist pig is writing this? Guess what? I'm a woman. I'm a woman who is an honors student in a male dominated technology. I'm just average looking but I'm no eyes one! I would love to hear that someone was "grateful" for the way I "presented myself." you know why? Because of EXACTLY what you stated in your article-I'm not dressing to impress, and I'm here to learn. You know what that means? They noticed ME! They didn't notice me for what I'm not, they noticed me for what I AM!

Signed Just one (female) opinion!

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but dammit at least now we know.

It's all about blame. And whenever it's not perfectly obvious who's at fault, blame your parents.

So thanks to me being aware of alcohol, I never got in a fight, puked, harassed anybody, kicked any dogs and I never drove home. God I love me.

Noth'in funnier than a drunk leprechaun. And drunk leprechauns don't drink and drive.

Retraction

Sorry, Kaos

I'd like to apologize to the crew down at Kaos for the hasty and one sided review, called "The Clones of Kaos", I gave of their establishment in last week's paper.

Sincerely,

Hyde Cooper

Westwood Needs Your Help

There will be drop off boxes set up around NAIT for the Emergency Shelter. If you have any canned food, clothing, or blankets, be sure to drop them off before December 8, 1997.



OPERATION RED NOSE

We are looking for VOLUNTEERS to help us

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.

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Behind the Bench



For the past few y e a r s NAIT athletics has been leading the way in attendance. The biggest dig on

NAIT was that the student population did not suit the typical college fan so attendance was always low. One key factor changed all of that.......BEER SALES. I know we just came off alcohol awareness week and everyone is now responsible when they partake of the evil liquids so lets talk about how beer and athletics go hand in hand:

1- Watch any sporting event, I betchya there is some kind of alcohol banner, commercial or spokesperson advising the masses of a yummy liquid libation.

2- I do not know about every athlete on the planet, but my guess would be that over 90% of the athletes I do know have been best friends with liquor at one point in time.

3- Fans are usually more willing to cheer and get involved after having a little "liquid courage" put into their systems to let their defences down.

4- After playing almost any sport I know I really enjoy having a cold one.

5- It seem that when games are really good, beer sales go up.

6- It seems that when games are really bad, beer sales go up.

I guess, the point I am getting at, is that since NAIT was the first college in the A.C.A.C. to get a liquor license and started selling beer at games attendance has risen over 200%. Since I have been

coaching at this school for 6 years I remember the days of playing in front of mama, papa and the occasional better half that was forced to watch their honey play. Today NAIT has an average attendance base of over 125 fans at each event. I really enjoy playing at a rival school where only 25 people are in the stands and then returning to NAIT the following night to a crowd of 175 people.

I may be wrong, but in my opinion, the fans have had a direct effect on the talent level of our collegiate teams. Nobody wants to look bad in front of their own fans. Athletes love to preform in front of a crowd, their first time is a little scary but wasn't it that way for everyone? When NAIT first started selling beer at home games I will admit that was our major selling point, "THERE IS BEER AT OUR GAMES, COME WATCH!" But now when the athletes are recruiting fans they usually talk about the team, who they are playing and then.... we have beer at our games.

Most intercollegiate games at NAIT are almost a social function now. Friends get together to watch their buddy compete, have a few beers laugh at each other and after the games they wait for their buddy and everyone heads out for a night of good, wholesome fun. I personally can state that beer sales have lured me to a game and I ended up being a loud and rowdy in the crowd, but we were all having fun.

In the past 3-4 years I can not think of one time when alcohol on the premises has related to any violent behaviour. Fans relax, enjoy the games, lend an incredible amount of school spirit to the teams and everyone goes home happy, NUFF SAID.

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Tied up on the weekend

Badminton

Karen M.

his past weekend, No vember 22-23, the NAIT Ooks badminton team competed in their first interlock (a tournament where northern colleges only play the southern colleges) and their second tournament of the season. Red Deer College was the host for this tournament.

The Ooks had 3 ties to play on Saturday and it was no easy draw. They played the first, second and third teams in the south one after the other. The first tie was against the number one team in the south, Mount Royal College. The Ooks came out pumped and ready to go after their short journey that morning. In the best of seven matches the Ooks lost a respectable 3-4 decision. The second tie was against the host team Red Deer, who currently rank second in the south. It was a hard fought battle, but after losing a key match the Ooks lost 3-4 to the King and Queens. The last match of the day saw NAIT drawn against the 3rd placed team SAIT. The Ooks appeared to lose their intensity and tiredness was setting in after the

two tough contests against MRC and RDC. The Ooks lost a disappointing 1-6 decision.

Sunday was a new day, but the competition was far from over. The Ooks were to play Lethbridge Community College. Even thought they were last in the south, they looked strong the whole weekend taking other northern colleges to the limit. They did the same deed to us. After taking the lead by winning the first two singles matches, the Kodiaks came from behind to tie the matches at 3-3. The deciding game came down to second men's singles. But it was not to be

for the Ooks, after a hard fought match the team lost in the third game to lose the tie 3-4.

Overall, it was a great weekend for the NAIT badminton team. The team performance hit its highs and lows but some individuals posted results. A number of players improved their rankings in Alberta beating top players from other colleges. It was a learning experience where the learning curve went straight up! Some team members to highlight for their performances include: Craig Tanton, Christine Fernandes, Natasha Van den Berg and Raymond Tanton. Congratulations to all members of the team for their hard work and effort!

The team's next tournament is January 23 at GMCC. Good luck in '98!!!







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Defense!!

If it was any better we would be playing with the assistant of a brick wall and ten more men!

Mark Mahl

This weekend the NAIT Men's Volleyball team took on the upstart Kings University college, who pushed GMCC to five games and split with Grande Prairie up there.



On Friday, the men came out and played a very dominating game in the middle only allowing three kills by their two players. Setter, Kelsey Kalinski, distributed a very even attack that all six starters contribute with kills—result 3-0. On Saturday, we knew that King's was going to come out a lot tougher in their own gym. Both teams fought long and hard and put the ball away on serves on a regular basis.

In all three games, it was the NAIT players coming up with huge digs and blocks after point 10. Great defensive efforts by all team members, most notably Neal Lapaschuk, Robin Landry and Mark Holowaychuk. Mark also finished with 43 Kills and 7 stuff blocks. The team is looking to move up in the National rankings from last weeks 12 rank, but at least we know we are not moving down.

The team will now work on refining their play, finishing the first term off and getting ready for their trip to California over Christmas.

Disappointed

Da Worm

I am someone that believes in helping others when possible. This past weekend at the NAIT hockey game, NAIT athletics was trying to start a running promotion with the Kids Cancer Camps of Alberta. The idea was a Used Sports Equipment Roundup. This is a great idea, too bad no one else thought the same way. Part of the problem may have been that not everyone heard about the idea, which would make a lot of sense as to why there was not any equipment for the kids. So right now I am giving all of you a few different occasions that we can all help out for this good cause.

DEC. 5 of 6:30 pm -OOKS BASKETBALL HOME GAME

JAN. 10 of 6:30 pm -OOKS VOLLEYBALL HOME GAME

JAN. 23 of 6:30 pm -OOKS BASKETBALL AND HOCKEY HOME GAMES

There will be a couple more chances to pitch in and help out but I will try to make sure everyone knows, so the next time we invite the Kids Cancer Camps of Alberta to one of our games we can contribute.

Hockey Ooks Let First Place Slip Away!

Derek "Skinny" Damery

This past weekend was a tough one to take for this year's edition of the men's hockey team. With first place on the line, the opponent was the Mount Royal College Cougars, our rival from the south.

After a few adjustments in the practice week, Coach Ballard had us prepared for the huge olympic size ice surface, which is home to the Cougars.

Friday night we jumped on the Cougars and opened the scoring on a great rush by Sheldon Gormez with Andrew "I'm a" Hore potting the re-

bound. The cougars tied it in the second on a power play, setting up for a defensive struggle in the third overtime. The end result was a 1-1 tie, due to some solid goal tending by Kelly Ainsworth. Our



Ooks on ice.

weekend objective was how to get 3 out of 4 points and keep first

place.

Usually coming home means 2 points for us, but our kook show barn has let us down a lot with a .500 record (2-2-0). Saturday night the stage was set for a first place show down. A shoddy effort and lack of enthusiasm had us trailing 1-0 after the opening frame. We came out with more jump in the second, however, we were not rewarded. In the third we came out flying, putting our aggressive forecheck to good use. I finally broke out of my scoring slump tying the game at a goal a piece. However, two minutes later a defensive breakdown led to Cougars goal, a goal which not only took first place away, but left us with a bad hangover Sunday.

This weekend we will look to get back on track against our cross-town rivals: Concordia. Our goal, 4 points and a well deserved Christmas break.



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Hollywood Is For Actors, All Others Out!

Marc Nobert

ollywood has always been a shrewd town. Always after the allmighty buck. Always holding the big parties. And always having what can only be compared to as a sexual relationship with the people it works with. The relationships are no strings attached, and as soon as a star has a bad outing, they're kicked out of the orgy. Just like that. With the words, "that was terrible!" ringing in their ears. But that's another story. Today, I'll talk about the almighty buck and its continuous affair with Hollywood.

What Hollywood is doing right now for a buck is unbelievable. Have you noticed a lot of big stars from other industries coming in to make horrible movies and flaunt their great acting talent? If you haven't, you don't own a TV, and can't see the blatant movie commercials. The un-balleevable truth is that it's been happening more and more now for years. Quite frankly, it's enough to make me gag and throw up.

Think about it. In the eighties, it was an experimental thing. It actually worked once or twice. Madonna came into the movie industry and became mildly success-

ful, with her only two real outings coming in "Dick Tracy" and later in "Evita." Cher came in well before any of that and even though she hasn't done anything since, "Mermaids," she's still made a successful go. And finally, Bette Midler made a good run in movies. And she even cranked out a few hits as well. But that's where the success stories end. None of the other big names have made it in the movies and not many more will.

Models. They've behaved. They didn't get into any big roles and the one that did the movies were too small to have any impact anyway. But they still shouldn't have been there to begin with. Kathy Ireland had a tiny role in "Necessary Roughness." Cindy Crawford had a tiny movie, "Fair Game." And Elle Macpherson had a tiny role in a movie which turned to be tiny at the box office. "Batman and Robin." Did it do their careers good? NO. Of course not. They're models, not actresses.

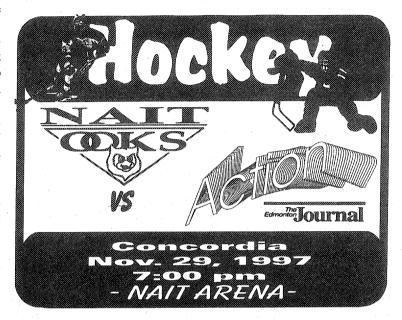
Pop stars: Bad overall but lately they've been good. Except for Whitney Houston. Please, stop making movies! You can't act. Just accept the fact that all you are is a millionaire pop star. Stick to what

you're good at (unless, of course, bumbling around on screen is what you're good at). You're the major offender here, so please, stop being the black sheep.

Now here is the BIGGEST disgrace to ever poke its nose into Hollywood. The NBA. What's the matter with you anyway? My God! All the other pro sports have a little more common sense than to let their players subject themselves to public ridicule. They haven't even come close to what YOU'VE done. Will you look at who you sent in to major movies with major roles? Unnaturally tall freakish haired athletes with no acting experience whatsoever. Are you surprised in the slightest by what happened? As for the players, what on earth came over you? Shaquille O'Neal's "Blue Chips" stunk but that's ok because "Kazaam" made it look good. Michael Jordan soiled himself and "Space Jam" was what he

pulled out of his underwear. And Dennis Rodman, my God! You're the cool on the court buddy, but let's face it-you're a cross-dressing, chia-haired, self-centered, egotistical freak. Someone needs to bitch slap you. Plain and simple!

So please people, keep the egos in check! You're filthy rich and famous in your respective industries. So, please stop being power stupid so we don't have to be disgusted and disappointed anymore.





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MOVIE Review

Jackal Be Nimbel, Jackal Be Quick

Starring: Bruce Willis and Richard Gere

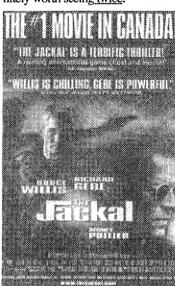


Imagine a man with no identity. Α man has no emotion and enough smarts to outsmart IBM's Deep

Blue. This same man is an assassin who no one has seen and the people who have seen him are few or dead. A man who can only be known as the JACKAL. This assassin known as the Jackal is played by Bruce Willis. Bruce Willis does an excellent job of playing this cold-hearted assassin. His performance leaves you thinking that maybe he actually is this killer. Now throw in a few other characters and a story line and we have the movie.

The movie starts off with the Jackal accepting a very difficult assignment. Now the FBI has caught wind of this and are desperately trying to determine who this man is. The only way to catch a killer is to get inside the mind of the killer. This leads them to employ the skills of an ex-IRA sharpshooter Dunclan Mulqueen played by Richard Gere. Richard's character is one of the few men who have seen the Jackal. Richard's performance is excellent as well, but I would have to say the spotlight was stolen by Willis.

The movie encompasses action, suspense, and drama. There are a couple of scenes that mislead you into planning the outcome, which builds up the interesting aspect of the movie even more. This movie is definitely worth seeing twice.



The Little Mermaid: More Barbie Than You Think

Scott Hayes

n the beginning, Disney made dozens of movies, several extraordinary popular and timeless too, but it wasn't until the end of the 80's that they started making blockbusters. Cartoons so fabulous that they became Hollywood sensations. It wasn't a Mickey Mouse outfit any more. With success came greed; Disney turned into a merchandise empire. Not just figurines but stuffed toys and movie books for kids and instructional game-type CD roms and kick ass soundtracks featuring top billing performers like Michael Bolton or Vanessa Williams or Elton John. There was one movie that started all of this Disneymania, this worldwide hysteria. Before this move, things were almost normal and Disney was what you watched Sunday nights at 6 on CBC. This movie bewitched audiences young and old and became the talisman of a prosperous future for Walt Disney's family values corporation. Yes indeed, The Little Mermaid probably was not exactly what Hans Christian Anderson had in mind.

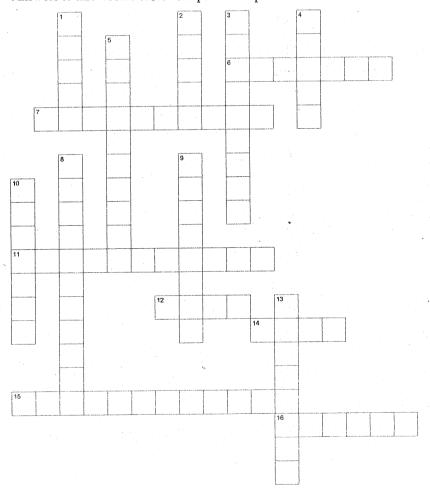
Disney's association with family values has become so strong, in fact, that they seem to have the patent on the concept. Whenever some newsworthy item takes the nation's focus, it automatically undergoes some kind of Disney evaluation: how traditionally proper is it? Does it meet the right wing standards of so many years ago? But if that is how we To Be Continued Next Week....

judge things, then we must also judge for how it determines right and wrong. What system of ethics and morals is at work here? As we look over The Little Mermaid, we notice some interesting details that in and of themselves, comment negatively on Disney's perception of family values.

First, we look at the mermaid herself. Ariel is an attractive red-headed princess who has a short attention span and focuses much of her time on scavenging, which is the mermaid equivalent for shopping. (Notice how she always carries a purse.) She materialistically collects trinkets only by consistently disobeying her father. Also, she doesn't have any commitment to singing or anything at all actually. She seems to have a happy family life, though. Her several sisters, her caring father, her...wait! There doesn't seem to be a mother in here. That's odd as far as I can say. Why wouldn't there be a mother? Are the scriptwriters trying to show women as scoundrels who abandon their children? Now, of course it's noble and easily endearing that the father rears the children on his own, but in reality it is usually the woman who plays the role of the sole provider, the single parent. As we will find in other Disney movies, this device is oft repeated. Maybe the mother was killed or even worse-ran off with another fish. It is never explained and so we will never know.

Superheroes & Sidekicks

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

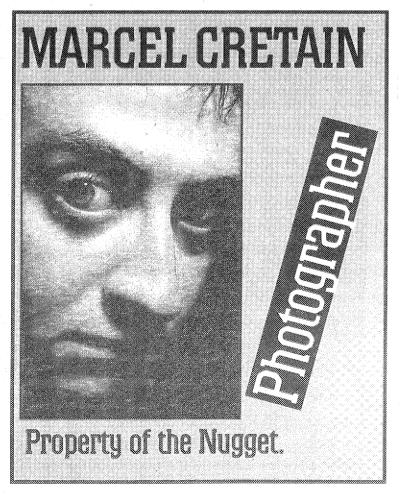


Across

- This super hero is named after a watch
- HIHO Silver, AWAY... 7.
- This guy had a one year show with Bruce Lee 11.
- Bruce Lee played him in this old sixties series
- This guy is built, with green skin
- They're blue, they're a quartet and the leader is made 15. out of rubber
- 16. Dark and morbid millionaire. Comes out at night

Down

- The traditional "Z" mark
- Holy overused phrases Batman
- This guy spins his own web
- Faithful apache sidekick
- If there's a Superman, there must be a... 5.
- WonderBar, Wonderbra,....
- Look! It's a bird, it's a plane...NO! It's...
- In the city of Gotham, she is the commissioners daughter
- 13. The little version of Superman



Simon B. Cotter

had the crowd in a gas and hence,

Simon B. Cotter was born. He is

currently 36 years of age, married, and just recently is celebrating the

birth of his daughter. I fell out of a

chair seeing him perform on Just

for Laughs and to tell you the truth,

his live show is even better. He has

opened for Alanis Morissette,

played large crowds, and has

toured some of the local post-sec-

four years now and has said out of

all the schools he has performed,

NAIT is like family. When he's do-

ing concerts, he will still come

back to NAIT and always perform

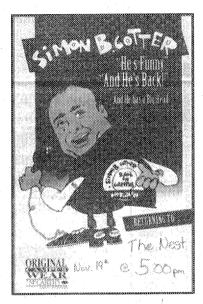
Simon has played NAIT for

ondary institutions.

And Two Dribbles of Pee

Ted Zanetic email: crowat@icrossroads. com

or those of you who were at the Nest last Wednesday, I have to say that I had a great time! Simon put on a fabulous show and had us in tears. I was laughing so hard that two dribbles of pee escaped my pants. (How embarrassing!)



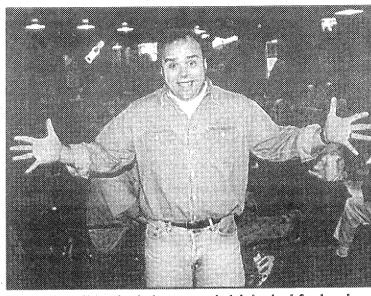
For those of you who were not there or don't know who Mr. Cotter is-he is one of Canada's great stand-up comedians. Originally from the Toronto area, he started off as a real-estate broker. He mentioned to me that he still loves doing it, but after ten years he wanted to try something he always wanted to try-comedy.

One night at a local Yuk Yuk's during amateur night, Simon braved the brave and went up. He

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of you who are interested in see- January 28, 1998.

for us for the same price. For those ing more, Simon will be back on



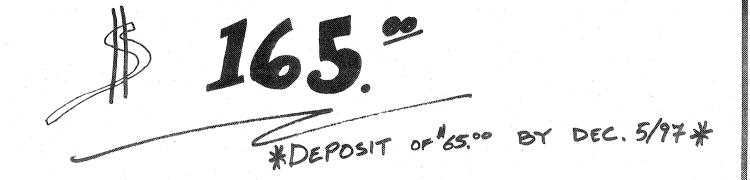
Simon describes the bologna sandwich he had for lunch.

TOP 10 SINGLES In Canada

- 1. Boyz II Men -4 Seasons of Loneliness
- 2. Chumbawamba-Tubthumping
- 3. LL Cool J Phenomenon
- Backstreet Boys -As Long as You Love Me
- Usher Make You Wanna
- Green Day Hitchin a Ride
- Spice Girls -Spice Up Your Life
- Jann Arden The Sound of
- Econoline Crush -All That you Are
- 10. The Tea Party Babylon



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Sunny-Thanks for being there for me. If it weren't for you I would crumble. U are the stick under my arm. BRAT

Slightly disturbed, Vixons, 1st yr BUS, Hopeless Romantic, FAINT-no ID or name on grapevine

Happy Birthday Denise in FMN!

Candace, congratulations on your induction into the Hall of Fame for Cool People. FROM-Cool by Default

To the inconsiderate asshole who responded to dee-U must be the gay one if U like to put your feet up people's asses. Is it because you have no friends that U have to respond to other people's ads? Unless, you're Karen, flake off loser! DEE

Happy Birthday Amanda-hope U had a great weekend celebrating!

WATCHER-So U like my Beavis & Butthead pants-well what's in them is even better. Do U wanna play with my thingy? Come say hi some morning.

To the Business babes! How much does III pay? I am tired of supporting your sorry, fat lazy asses. Find a @#\$%en job! **WORKING MAN**

To the girl who was in the gym riding the bike at about 1:30 on Thursday. U were wearing black shorts & are very toned & tanned. Never have I seen such a beautiful creature as U. -How do you talk to an angel?

Interested in A Ride: You have never seen so much horsepower. Mr.C

My lizard (Ira)

You've kept me warm for 2 1/2 years (lending shirts and socks as needed) and kept me from falling apart. Thanks for everything.

Love, heat leech

P.S. You'd better be on time on Friday

OH Big Daddy,

That wasn't Mike Hunt in that piece of shit 74 Datson, that was your best friend, Phil McCracken, a business grad. He was going to sell his truck so he could afford a loaf of bread RETARD.

P.S. Daddy called. He needs the Cadd back

Sincerely, Mr. Hujdic, aka-the Lode Shooter

To: NOR

I hope nothing bad happens...Don't go over board

Heh Begg, Are the palm sisters still keeping you up all night?

Narwin, Hooter Shooters are the only action you'll get until you buy a real ve-

The only other option to ruffling your feathers in an attempt to score big and make the touch down is the field goal. Assess the situation: all the glory, none of the glory or coming out even... Although the thought of sudden death in ne with all that pressure, is quite exciting. The ball is still in your possession.

A worthy competitor

Ron,

The PET Shop Boys would like to apologize on what was written in last weeks' grapevine. The submission was immature and disrespectful to you. We are truly

Can't Stop Staring

I'm flattered but this can't possibly be me. I'm guessing there is more than one Gavin in this school.

To the Girl With the Short blonde hair and blue backpack with the pins. I see

you everyday and I must say you make the ride to school so worth it. You take the #9 Kingsway from Northgate every morning at aprox. 7:30 and you have those eyes I just love to look at. Please tell me your name and I'll let you know all you want about me. Signed, Boy Afraid

To the Loser Skater Hater

You think skateboarding sucks and it's for wimps, hey? That's because you suck at it! You quit because you suck! You think I'm a poser? You think I can't land a kickflip? I can do it with my eyes closed, no joke! Kickflips are easy, try a kickflip grind, buddy! you're a loser, ya, MEN are into guns hey? Ya, I wish I could shoot an animal, or a PERSON. Ya, that takes a lot of talent, aim and shoot. you stupid shit, get a life!

Bootsguy and Onaway Motion

Mouse

I was on bus 69, on the Saturday Club Crawl. Would like to know who you are, because it was a rockin' good time. Alex was funny, ch?! Respond to grapevine. Lady from bus 69

To that guy in first year business how looks like Kim Mitchell

I'm a big fan of Kim Mitchell. When I see you around, you remind me a lot of him. I love the way you dress. Your red plaid jacket, your Mother's music shirt, tight black Jonathan G jeans and your big white Bullit runners are so rad! Oh yeah, I love you hair too. It's gnarly how it's short in the fron and long at the back. Although you're a dead-ringer of Kim Mitchell, you also remind me of "Wheels" from Degrassi High, only because you wear glasses. I was wondering if you were in a rock 'n roll band because I want to start one with you and be like Def Leppard, we'd be awesome

Keep on Rockin' dude!

PS "Might as well go for a soda, nobody hurts, nobody cries."

Dear Baldy in first year Business,

Let the class learn, that's what teachers are for. You obviously don't know it all. Shut your mouth or use some breath savers. Guess taking 20 min, to write a test doesn't always work hey? ie: law midterm. Good luck running for President From: Annoyed People

To the two war maidens in 2nd year Bio. Sci (Environmental)

Would you two quit fighting for popularity among the class! It is really tiring everyday to listen to you two talk about each other behind each others backs. If you've got something to say, SAY IT!! Quit being such cowards and duke it out, or kiss and make up! Just stop the insan-

signed: Tired of being Fought Over

To EBOLA in 2nd year Bio Sci!! When are you going to realize that nobody cares that you are getting "hitched"? Do you think you are some kind of prize and want everyone to know it?! I speak for the vast majority of female NAIT students-we don't care if you're "off the market!!"

Signed: Relieved

To the ASS Kisser in Enviro Sci Could you please take your nose out of the instructors ass long enough to come up for air? you are pathetic, and the instructors think so too, so quit making an ass out of yourself for everyone's sake! Signed: Fed Up!

To T.K. in 2nd year Bio Sci What the hell are you talking about? We

never had 13 exams in 9 days?! Are you on drugs? We don't have it that bad in Bio Sci., as long as you do your homework. Quit Speaking on everyone's behalf and keep your whining to yourself. Signed: Bio Sci Blondie

To T.S in 2nd year Bio Sci

What is wrong with you? We are not in high school anymore so quit being such an idiot! You make a complete ass out of yourself at Cabaret's and people talk about you for weeks. Just because it's the 90's, doesn't mean you have to throw yourself on every guy's lap! Signed: Repulsed

PS Buy a shirt that fits you!

To the Guy with the big black bag in Business, Year 1.

You know who you are because your bag is the only one that can fit a small person. Here's some good advice:

Ditch the two morons you sit with and keep the chicks. The guys are cramping your style, but the chicks make you look like the hot stud you are. From: Noticing you

To Darren

My buff little husky from business, I seem to know more about you than what you probably think, I notice you on the 8th floor on my breaks and I know you notice me. Upon occasion I see you walking with your blonde girlfriend and I think brunette is more your style, my BUNS are FIRM, my SPICE RACK is FULL and my OVEN's HOT!!! I have no patience to wait till next week so next time you see me approach me!

Do you know what really pisses me off? Losers who put big stereos, tinted loud windows, an alarm systems, and loud muffler on those pieces of shit called Honda Civics and old hunks of junk. What happened to taking pride in old fashioned 426 Hemi Horse Power? Grow up and get a real car and quit polluting the environment with nitrous. Signed: Bio Sci Blondie

The Fly was Bothersome. So the death was inevitable, but quick and clean. The wings came off cleanly. The coffin was teak/rosewood. There was Mozart in the background. Still, I hope it's a while before it happens again.

Someday

To the IHET Is it just me or does everyone else lust over Frank's tight ass?

CORRECTION: In last week's issue of the Nugget (Entertainment - "Jewel with a Penis") there was a caption that read "It's Dave Grohl in Dental Lab." Dave Grohl is the singer of Foo Fighters-he does not go to NAIT (for those of you who asked me). Credit should be given to the true performer, Mike Hallam. Sorry about that, Mike!

MJ, Editor

To the guy who walked me home from Squirres.

You are in PET. I think 2nd year, I can't remember. Wondering if I'll run into you again sometime. I'll give you a hint of who I may be. I don't live that far from you and I know your initials are G.W. and you have a scare on your tummy. The One You Called Old

To A Girl:

If you meet this criteria, please send me a message via grapevine.

1. blue fleece jacket; 2. white shirt; 3. blond(short); 4. business tower, locker on 6th?; 5. 5'5" height; 6. held door open for you on 5th floor (nov.18) at 1:10pm. approx. How old are you? Tell me some stuff.

Joe Apollo

Sunshine, Buttercup, Peaches, Angel, The Pest would like to invite you to the Nest on Friday, November 28 for a beer and fries. And, yes, you will paying. (DBWM)

Silver Phantom: I would love ot see you torture me. You bring the whip and I'll bring the handcuff. I can't wait to see you again. When I see you in the hallway, I have to fight myself from jumping your bones. Write back and tell me what you want me to do.

OOOHH Billy

P.S. I've been very bad, I think I deserve a spanking. (I'm looking forward to it!)

To Chevy aka-Useless Mother F\$%\$#&3 Blow it out your ass! Don't knock it till you drive it. Keep your rude comments regarding imports/Dodge/Ford/etc to yourself. We'll see whose winching who out of the ditch this winter. Or who will be riding the good ole ETS to school. By the way, I'm not a foreigner either. By the way, what tech are you pretending to be in, you basket-weaving twit.

To Brenda K. In Arch. ID We love your silky brown hair and killer ass! Pitchin' tents in the back of class. The Boyz

ASBG was shut down by the bomb and still looking for a significant other, although not through the grapevine. Thanks to whoever made the compliment last week, but the saying ASBG is off a shirt of mine that I thought was kind of funny, or at least worth a smile Brad(approachable)

To the Chev Girl getting into her car on Friday, Nov. 21 at 4:30pm on 10/11 Floor in the parkade. You were very captivating and had my heart pumping for you. You had every piece of my body locked on you. You had my mind locked on you all weekend. Reply via grapevines! PS you look good in jeans! Blusing For You

To the Fungs in the Annex and the squad in the tower. I have some HOT NUTS waiting for you. How about that porno this weekend. Mmmm....delicious. V-MAn

To any Baby Girl in Pre-Tech, It's been one month since we've been together, all I want to say is I Love You and I'll be There For You Always Love, CMD

Remembrance Day River Canoe Trip Waldo, Snappy, Speedy, and PB, Great trip! Same time, same place next year? We'll need skates for our canoes! When do we go downhill canoeing? Wise Owl

A girlfriend is the one you never went out with. A Bitch is the one that you did. BitterMan

To the Air hockey blonde bombshell. You rock my world. You're just smokin'. You look so good in the cafe you make me want dessert.

Love ya No Fear

To the two attractive Blondes in T107 on Tuesdays from 1:15-2:15. Stop by the Nest some Friday afternoon, you never know who you might find there.

To the VERY attractive waitress at the

(you know who you are) How many times today have you been told you're beautiful?

Satisfied Customer

The Nugget wishes to extend a sincere apology to Plastics Engineering for mocking their concerns in our general council article (Nov. 4, 1997)

Drummer needed for original 3 piece band. We have rehearsal space and want to record ASAP. Use of Alchohol and/or recreational drugs an asset but not a requirement. Contact Chris or Rob@ 482-

To You:

I know you love me as much as I love you and I know you want to be back together as much as I do. I can see it in your eyes, hear it in your voice, and I can feel it in your touch. Just take your time and follow your heart, for it will lead you directly to me. Love always and forever,

There is a lad names Jason, And hopefully games are not his thing. I'm not looking for a flirt or a meaningless fling. If you know what I'm getting at and the answer is yes, Then give me a call and we'll sort out this mess. Thinking of you in your kilt

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