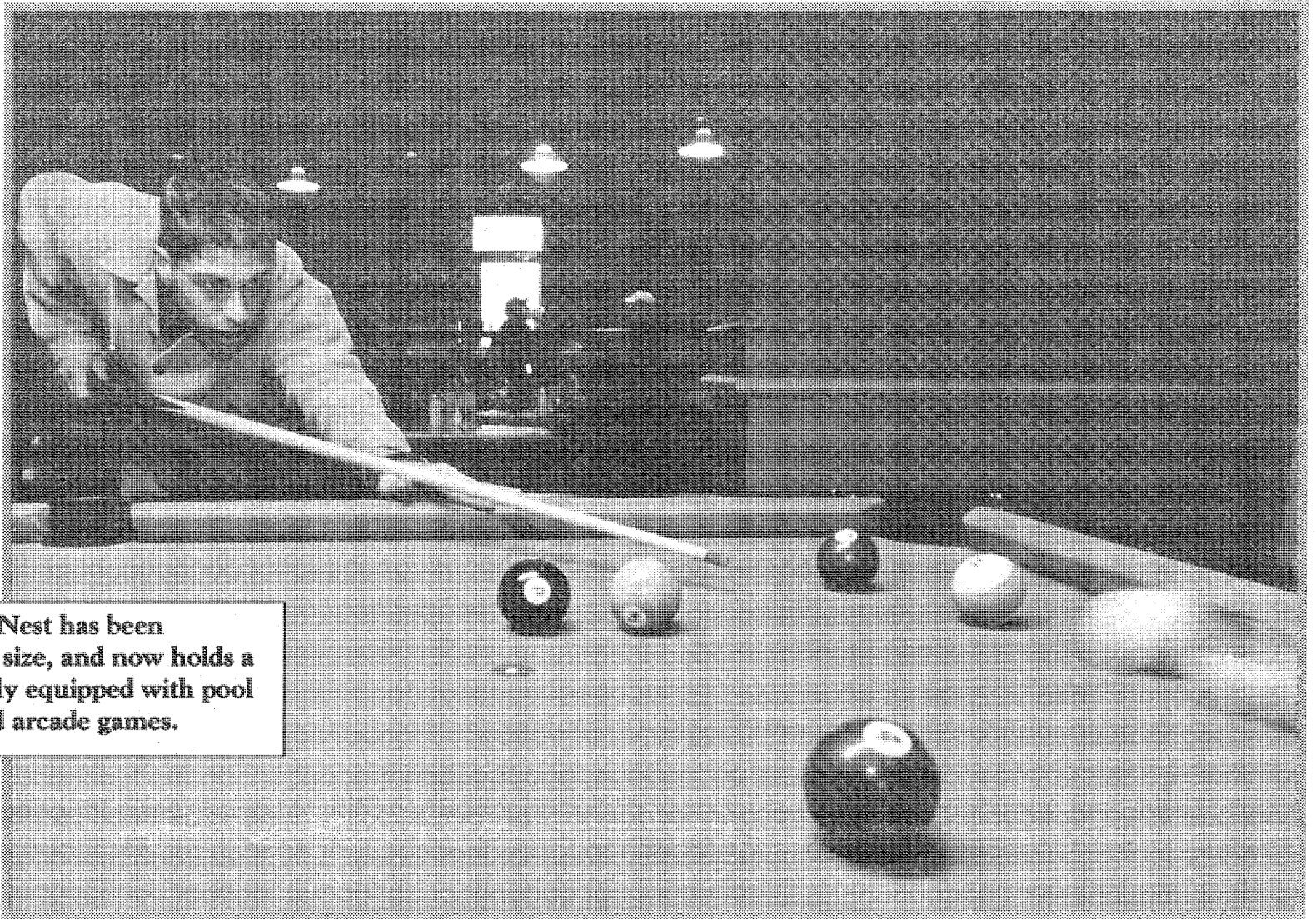


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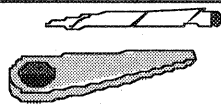
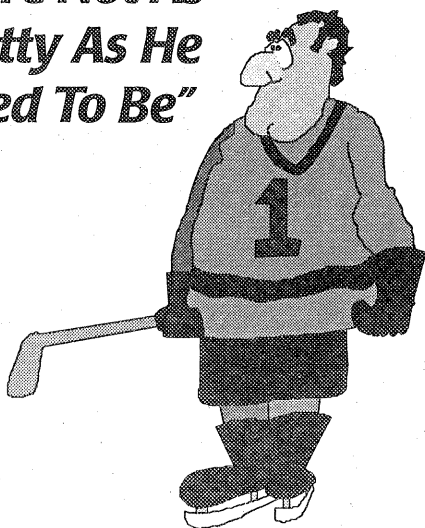
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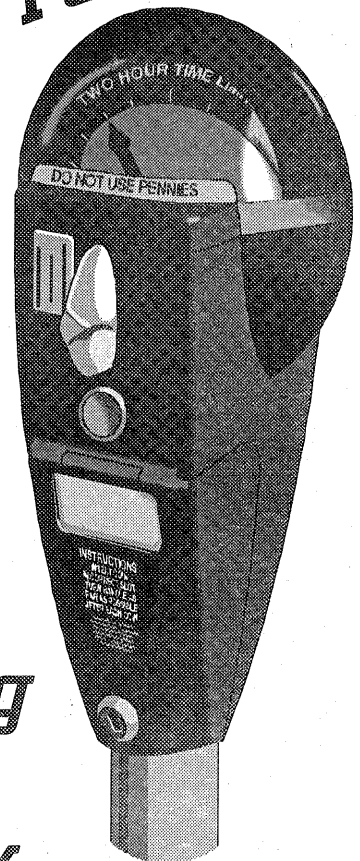
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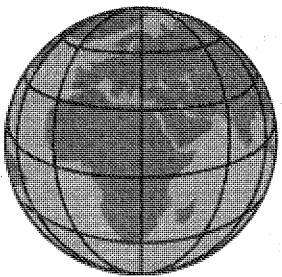
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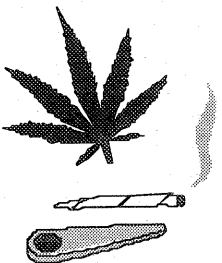




By Fresh

EX-BEATLE SAYS LEGALIZE POT

-Former Beatle Paul McCartney, called for the legalization of pot over this past week -he said "People are smoking pot anyway and to make them criminals is wrong" -McCartney's comments angered anti-drugs campaigners who said that he is ignoring the long term risks involved



GAYS SALUTE DIANA

-London reader poll suggests that Diana, Princess of Wales, was the most inspirational figure for the gay community -1987 when Diana shook hands with an AIDS sufferer in London, public attitudes toward the disease began to change -reader Kevin Greening said he chose Diana "for the handshake and the hug that turned AIDS patients from outcasts into fighters"

CAMPUS CRIME STOPPERS

By Angela Dickson

Campus Crime Stoppers is a committee made up of the students and staff of NAIT. The Board works hard to create awareness and prevention of crimes.

For the month of September there have been many crimes committed such as bicycle thefts, locker and car break-ins. Many crimes which are committed occur because it was an opportunity for the criminal.

You can take many precautions to prevent yourself from becoming a victim.

-Always write down serial numbers of stereos, bicycles and other possessions because it is easier to identify these objects with their serial numbers.

-With regards to vehicles, always have valuable out of sight and even locked in the trunk. As

WORLD IN A NUTSHELL

PRIESTS BANNED PRIVATE CONTACT WITH CHILDREN

-Australia's Roman Catholic bishops want to ban their priests from having private contact with children -an attempt to check damaging sex abuse scandals -if passed, a draft code of conduct which is thought to have the Vatican's backing, would mean confessionals would have to be fitted with glass panels

FBI FILES ON LENNON REVEALED

-Files, which the FBI fought for 16 years to keep secret on grounds of national security, were revealed -"these documents show that the FBI investigation was conducted in the manner of the shabbiest tabloid journalist imaginable" -FBI grudgingly surrendered the 40 pages of documents -"This is an example of FBI harassment, the purpose of which was to silence Lennon as a voice of the peace movement. All Lennon was saying was 'Give peace a chance'."

LOCAL VIEW

VLTs LEAVE SYLVAN LAKE

-next week video lottery terminals are being removed by the province due to the wishes of Sylvan Lake voters -it is the second centre in Alberta to force the lucrative gambling terminals out -written notice has been sent to all Sylvan Lake hotels and bars to remove the VLTs within the next week

SEX CHARGES AT U of A

-University of Alberta has struck a deal with a student accused of three sexual assaults -it allows the man to attend class but restricts his activity on campus -"We need to be strict enough to ensure the campus is safe, but the restrictions can't be so terrible that a person who could still be innocent can't go to school."

PIMP SWEARS AT JUDGE

-Andrew O'Brien, 32, was accused for pimping a 15 year-old girl and living off her trick money -O'Brien angrily denied all the charges brought against him. "You're a goof. I didn't do nothing to the girl." -he was found guilty on all counts, and is sentenced to six years in prison with no chance of parole for three years

HIGH GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS

-Edmonton has some of the highest greenhouse gas emission rates in North America, and its getting worse -emissions such as carbon dioxide has increased by 8% since 1990 -attributed by our northern climate which requires more heating energy than most cities, and most of our electrical energy is generated by coal-fired plants which have considerably more emissions than hydro, natural gas or nuclear plants

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| 9:00 - 10:00 am | RECREATIONAL HOCKEY | | | | | | |
| 10:00 - 11:30 am | CURLING (11:30) | | | | | | |
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| 1:00 - 2:00 pm | | | | | | | |
| 2:00 - 3:00 pm | | | | | | | |
| 3:00 - 4:00 pm | Hockey Class | Hockey Class | APPRENTICES GIVEN FIRST PRIORITY 3:15 pm to 4:45 pm | | OOKS Practice | | |
| 4:00 - 5:00 pm | Hockey Class | Hockey Class | MUST sign out a sweater at Sports Store E-26 3:00 - 4:45 pm | | | | |

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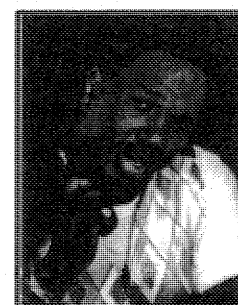
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If you have any questions, please call Jacquie at the pool - 471-8711



well, always have doors locked and windows rolled up.

Your lockers should always be locked and try not to keep valuables in your locker. For the very expensive books we as students have to buy, write down your name and student ID number on several pages of your books.

There are many Emergency Security phones around NAIT Campuses, so if you see something suspicious or need help, USE THESE PHONES. Also, NAIT has a Safewalk program, so if you would like assistance to your car or to the end of campus, you can call 471-7477, Security.

If you would like to get involved in Campus Crime Stoppers, stop by the NAIT Student Association office in Room E131 and talk to Scott or Angela. More student involvement is always needed.



Buried In The Nest.

By Fresh

For anyone who hasn't yet made it down to The Nest this past month here is an overview of what's new and what's to come.

The Nest has been expanded in size, and now holds a games room fully equipped with pool tables and arcade games. The only restriction in the games room is smoking, but after 3pm during the week, alcoholic beverages are served in both areas. Over the summer The Nest received new kitchen equipment

which will now allow them to serve different dishes than last year. Waeil Yaggy, The Nest Manager, says that the renovations are almost finished and that the new menu is to come out for October 6. If you are interested

in setting up pool tournaments please let Waeil know by contacting him at 471-8560.

Be sure to check out the different entertainment scheduled in The Nest every Wednesday at noon.



Some of
The New
Toys At
The NEW
Nest.

BAD TECHS

Technologies in BAD STANDING as of September 23, 1997.

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If you have any questions or concerns, contact Angela at Room E 131 or Phone: 471-7609

Academic Council

Student representatives are still needed for academic council. It is not a lot of work for something that looks good on a

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"UGLY RESPONDS"

Let me set the record straight. I absolutely did not issue you a death threat, at least, no more a death threat than the one you issued the whole student body of NAIT should they have the misfortune of meeting you on a dark and dirty stairwell. But let bygones be bygones.

Second, if you misunderstood my previous letter, well then I apologize. I had no intention whatsoever of offending your Proustian sensibilities. Shame on me. You are *obviously* my intellectual superior, with your witty repartee and clever sobriquet. Ugly. That certainly put me in place.

And how astute you were to diagnose me as 'small minded'. I've been waiting for years to hear that kind of honesty, especially from someone who criticizes my freedom of thought for having criticized his own freedom of thought. Wow! That one alone would keep M.C. Escher going for weeks!

Anyhoo, I step back and bow down to you, oh mighty Olson. I should have thought before I acted out against a man inherently my better. I am just an insignificant little student, but you, you are a News Editor (although I do not know why you are called that since you do not write any news. Oh well, the question of where my NAITSA fees *really* go is not for me to ask).

As for you, Marc Nobert, get a life. Better yet, get a dictionary. It's amazing how a homunculus like you could materialize out of nowhere right into the middle of an argument he has no place being in. Furthermore, how did you ever evolve out of the primordial ooze of whatever murky pond you crawled from to get to an actual post-secondary institution? You have the amazing ability to tell a person's sexuality without ever meeting them. My good sir, you have a job waiting for you at any carnival in the nation - right next to 'I Can Guess Your Age or Weight' guy. It must be said that a man, such as yourself, who has only the *deepest* understanding of homosexuality, could ever make such an observation. Perhaps, one day we could get together so that you could teach me how to size a person up from a cursory glance and then *penetrate* forcefully into their psyche, divide and conquer so to speak, and explosively analyze every last detail of their squalid life, so that all that is

left of them is a sweating, shaking, hull of a man, er, human.

Steve Dykstra

"THINKING ABOUT HYDE'S BALLS"

Wow! that's all I can say. Hyde Cooper has an ego the size of the United States, which he hates for merely having great nuclear weapons. Nuclear weapons - which would defend Canada's ass in a minute because we are their #1 allie-so are you not grateful for this? What is your point exactly? Are you one of those people that just likes to analyze the faults of others whether it be a "mature" classmate or a maintenance worker? Is your life so small that this is how you gain satisfaction? It is a proven fact that people who put down other people lack confidence in themselves.

What area do you lack in? Are you impotent? Do you have no friends? Do you wish you had a girlfriend? I assume that you don't because you're such an asshole. That and because you admitted in a previous article that you jack-off to Sandra Bullock, who is a total mutt. And no wonder, I wish that Steven guy would meet you on the stairs and not only choke you with your own jugular artery, but rip your pea-sized balls off and shove them up your nostrils. I'm so glad the other Nugget staff are not as disrespectfully ugly!

"HYDE IS NOT GOD"

Who died and made you God?

Who the hell do you think you are to tell people they shouldn't ask questions during class?

1. How is anyone expected to learn if they can't ask questions?

-by your articles I guess you don't go-skip it!

2. I didn't spend all that money to come to NAIT to sit in class and be stupid.

-maybe you did-but that's your business so don't spoil it for the rest of us.

3. If any one should be struck by lightning & sent to burn in hell it should be you with that arrogant asshole attitude!

-a wise man once said: There are no such things as stupid questions...if you learn something from the answers.

Good day Asshole
Robin B (EET)

THERE ARE NO DEADLINES FOR WEENIES IN THE WHINE & CHEESE DEPARTMENT.

By: d.d.

Anyone can waltz in, fashionably late, stay until last call and alter assignment specification to suit their needs. If you need your i's dotted or your t's crossed, your instructor is available for after class whine tasting; and eager to do your thinking for you. The secret to maintaining parody, is in the quality of whine & cheese brought into the classroom. Inept catering menu's of Domestic cheese and Screw Top Duck are not recommended.

Unfortunately, some of us are of meager means or can't afford

the whine list and, therefore; can't compete with weenie bartending practices. There is a Whine & Cheese Department at NAIT. Look for signs of cheese fetishes, alcohol abuse and protruding lower lips. The most distinguishing feature would be in the way the instructor walks. If you notice a peculiar gate, most likely they have retirement job security, up their ying yang and don't want to spill the whine.

P.S. To Whine & Cheese with me; don't forget your corkscrew.

Library Hours

Thanksgiving Holiday Hours

The McNally Library and The Project Factory will be closed for Thanksgiving on Monday Oct. 13/97. The Library and the Project Factory are both open regular hours on Saturday and Sunday preceeding the holiday from 12:00 - 5:00 pm.

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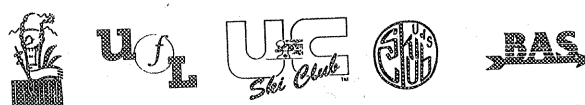
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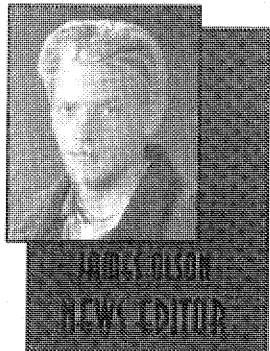
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Mutant Nazi's Take Over Parking Lot!

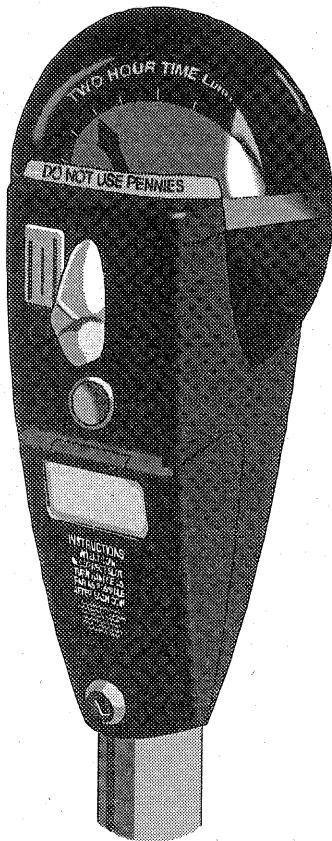
In principle, parking lots are a lot like Nazi Germany. There's a lot of straight lines, organization, goose-stepping guys in uniform and all kinds of other crazy shit. All over the world there are parking lots and all over the world people get parking tickets.

I, myself, can't even imagine what it must be like to write parking tickets all day, every day. Think of how much training and expertise must be acquired before a person could write parking tickets. It would be ten times worse than the French Foreign Legion. I heard that once you enter the Parking Lot Guy University (plg-u for short) that you can't talk to your family or friends for the whole fifteen minutes it takes them to train you in the refined

arts of writing parking tickets. This one guy that went into plg-u couldn't hack it and ended up committing suicide by beating his own head in with a parking meter.

So while everyone else keeps bitching about parking tickets, I'm going to be promoting even more obstruction of our right to park. I've also been toying around with the idea of issuing parking tickets to people who are in their own spots. Make it like a sort of community thing. Parking tickets for everyone! Here's James Olson with a big salute to the parking lot guys - keep them tickets coming boys.

P.S. I don't own a car.



Parking Lot Lottery

NAIT students pay for parking on a yearly basis. However, some student try to find a loop hole in the parking system by parking in a spot close to NAIT or in stalls with meters hoping they will not get ticketed. It is reasonable that students would do this considering the price of parking. The price of parking for a year at NAIT varies.

The most expensive parking, in the parkade \$152/year plus GST, the least expensive spot is \$136/year. The security that patrols parking lots do not cover every parking area each day. They do not have schedules in place; tickets are distributed on a random selection basis. The only area at NAIT that is guarded around the clock is the parkade down by the library. However, it is believed that the persons be-

hind thefts in the parkade are an organized crime group. Supposedly, this organized crime group knows the routine of security and is able to get in and out of cars within seconds.

The parking system at NAIT is less than acceptable. The tag and tow program was implemented recently by the city police to prevent students from parking all day in residential areas or in mall parking lots. Parking at NAIT, though, does not necessarily offer security when every area is not patrolled on a daily basis. The parkade being the SAFEST is the area most hit by crime.

So, do you want a ticket for parking illegally? Or, would you like your stereo stolen? Either way, parking at NAIT is like the lottery, it's the luck of the draw.

PARKING PENALTIES

Expired Meter \$20
5 minute loading zone/ no parking \$35
Emergency \$65
Handicapped \$75

RIPPED OFF PARKING VICTIM

To the ignorant, inconsiderate, insensitive pigs stealing from NAIT parking lots. Things like you don't deserve a place on this earth.

Now that you have taken my pioneer deck and all my CD's, my car is no longer worth driving. Why didn't you take the whole piece of crap and really make it worth my while? As long as you feel good about it! I don't have insurance so I'll be enjoying a new stereo in about 5 years when

I can save up for a new car. May be that's something you JERKS should consider doing. I mean, you must have sold enough stereos that you've stolen to afford to buy your own damn stuff by now. I'm glad I can contribute to your savings account, Pig.

P.S. Thanks for locking the doors when you were done. I wouldn't want anyone to steal the pieces of my dash you left laying around.

Dana Aht

The Project Factory Winter Hours

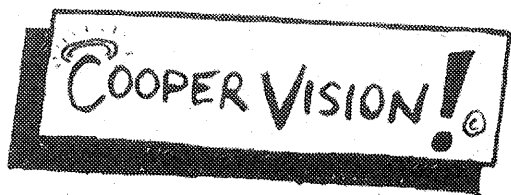
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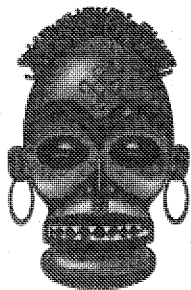


The Lost Art of CANNABALISM

by Hyde Cooper

Nowadays there is a lot of stigma attached to cannibalism. People think that it's sick and wrong without even looking at the facts. They hear stories about the Donner Party, see movies like "Alive" and decide that just because eating other people's flesh is so sensationalized, that it is wrong.

Cannibalism has been around for a lot longer than you or me, and deserves an impartial evaluation. The word 'cannibal' comes from the Arawakan language name for the Carib Indians of the West Indies. The Caribs were all sitting around one day, just shooting the breeze, when they decided to have a barbecue. The problem was that the supermarket was closed that day, so they couldn't get any steaks (fortunately, the cold beer store was open). Luck-



ily, one of their friends had died that day when a rock fell on his head. So, they just sliced and diced him up and the next thing you know, they were sitting around the lagoon with beers and a whole barbecue full of roasting treats. They got kind of a bad rep for eating their friend, but it was well worth it.

The way a person has to look at it is that people are meat, just like cows and pigs. We're cleaner (on average), we don't stink (most of us) and healthier (usually). So why should we feel bad about eating each other? Slap a little barbecue sauce on anybody and they would probably taste just as good as a cow. So hat's off to cannibals! Now let's all head down to McDonald's and try out the new McPeople combo.

on the ground behind the urinals. We don't need much, about a 5-foot "buffer zone" would do quite nice.

My second point is that there should be a "No happiness" rule. I really don't care how good a day you're having, don't smile and spread cheer around me. There is nothing more un-nerving than walking into a public washroom and having some guy look up and smile at you; it just isn't cool...in fact, it's very uncool.

I think the whole student body at NAIT should read, empathize, and learn, because attending school would be much more enjoyable for homophobic guys everywhere.

Looking For Some Potty Police

By Cort Zawalek

I think it's about time for NAIT to install some bathroom rules. Speaking as your average height, average weight, all around average, heterosexual homophobic guy, I think it's time to lay down some rules.

Anyone who's ever used an ATM at a bank knows about the painted line you stand behind. You don't stand close to the guy while he's doing his business, it's just not done. I propose that we get these "courtesy lines" painted

WHOLESOME GREED



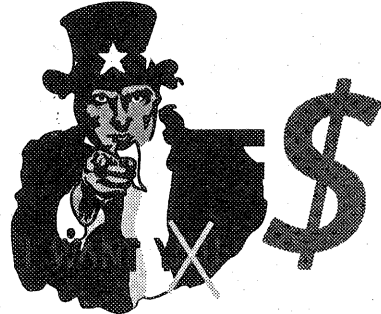
THE AMERICAN DREAM (PART TWO)

by Hyde Cooper

In the last seven years, the standard of living in the United States has grown by 6.2% (source: Centre of the Study of Living Standards) and, I guess, they're just sitting back, waiting for the applause. I'm glad to say that my hands are tied up at the moment, so I won't be giving them a standing ovation just yet. In fact, I'll wave my ass in the face of a country who keeps getting fatter by the second. Good for you, America.

I've never understood why America wants to continue and even promote their own morbid obesity. There are all kinds of American mega companies (none of which I'm allowed to mention) that spoon feed their patrons with

all kinds of consumer goods. "Buy blenders! Buy cars! Buy televisions!" Americans would buy heart attacks if they were marketed right. What I want to know is how can those fried



chicken-eating, fat cats afford all the crap that they buy? They don't work very much, they're too busy finding ways to screw everyone else.

I think a lot of American behavior can be traced back to

stuff like slavery and the fact that they eat too much fish. After the emancipation proclamation was passed, Americans realized that they didn't have any more slave labor. To compensate, they decided to enslave the rest of the world and especially Canada. Now they've got every industrialized nation on the planet yelping for table scraps. They keep stuffing their faces and the rest of us have no choice but to sit obediently on the floor and jump when they tell us to. And boy, do they love their fish. They ate so much fish that they had to start stealing it from Canada. Then they sell it back to us at a five-hundred-percent mark-up.

I don't know about the rest of you, but America is making my ass sore.

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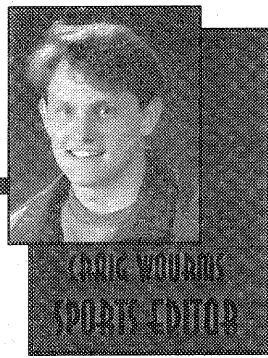
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BEHIND THE BENCH

It is that time of the collegiate sporting calendar when almost all of the teams have had their first taste of competition. After a while this gets to be pretty routine to the coaching staff but to a first year athlete it can be one of those nervous awkward situations.

The first time someone steps on their respective playing surface at the next level of competition, the first thing that most people want to do is prove to your new team-mates and new coach that they belong.

Most of these games are against alumni or other colleges in the area and there is not any real pressure and usually very small or no crowd at all but everyone wants to be impressive

early (or just make sure not to fall on their face). Many of the athletes that are playing under the NAIT banner of athletics are not new to pressure situations and usually come from a competitive background. However, the very first time you suit up and get ready to play a collegiate sport, it is completely different.

After this past weekend almost all of the NAIT A.C.A.C. teams have competed once and have gone through this first step in the growth of a team. Although the reactions from the players cover both ends of the scale, the coaching staffs are impressed and optimistic with this years group of Ooks.

Since I am writing this article I'm going to start with my ever so talented team followed by as many of the other teams as I can (depending if the coach would talk to me).

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL:

Experienced team with a great core or veterans. The new talent on the roster looks to impress and is definitely contribute as the year progresses. Making the play-offs is a realistic must and from there who knows.

MEN'S VOLLEYBALL:

I hate to say it but this year these guys have no excuse to not have a great season. Every position is deep & the veterans tasted the post season last year.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL:

I have only seen them in the gym a few times but this group of ladies looks taller and more confident than any I've seen in the past 5 years.

MEN'S BASKETBALL:

After an impressive turn around last year the men were looking very positive for this

year. Some good talent on the team but with some core players still not in the gym the guys will have to fight it out again this season.

HOCKEY:

The official new look hockey team is on the ice this year. Coach Ballard went to work over the summer and found the players to follow his lead. The season should be a good one and they are looking to continue from last years play-off run.

BADMINTON:

Try-outs are still going on and it looked like boot camp to me when I stuck my head in the gym. But hey, they are hosting NATIONALS.

WOMEN'S SOCCER:

A few new faces on the pitch this year and the Lady Ooks are already in mid-season. Some hot and cold games have the team on the edge of a play-off spot.

MEN'S SOCCER:

Young team but Coach Graham has never used that as an excuse. This team will be in the playoff fight when the time comes.

CROSS-COUNTRY:

Frank and John always seem to have a decent group of athletes following them around the river valley and through the trees. They are already competing in the running category and are looking forward to the snow so they can pull out the skis.

SWIMMING:

New coach & a new look. Jacqui is up early every morning putting our swimmers through the paces. Team looks pretty good but they would like to find some more bodies to contribute.

GOLF:

The golf team was in Red Deer last weekend and that's all I have heard from them.

I know there a couple of other teams which I have missed in this article but for right know this is all I got, NUFF SAID.



Photo By: Linda Hayes

NAIT Open Cross-Country Running Ties All-Time Attendance Record

Coach John Reeves

The NAIT Open Cross-Country running races tied the attendance record of 127 runners set last year. The event was held on the Goldstick and Gold Bar Cross-Country Ski Trails in East Edmonton. The meet was attended by 13 colleges and institutes plus the UofA, and a number of local runners.

When the meet was over, it was the UofA walking away with the NAIT Open Trophy. The top three colleges were SAIT, Augustana and Mount Royal. The NAIT team placed sixth

The new course was very challenging with four major hills and some uneven terrain. This is the hardest course in the confer-

ence, therefore is a good training ground for the ACAC even on October 18, to be held in Grande Prairie.

The women's 4km event was won by Karen Tulloch of the UofA in 15:45. The top three college runners were Jackie Gowan of RDC, Wendy Bigcharles of MRC, and NAIT's Karen Shulhan. NAIT placed two other team members, they were Linda Hayes finishing 29th and Karen Hennig, 31st. The top three women's teams were the UofA, SAIT, and Augustana.

The men's 8km even was won by Kevin Olson of the UofA in 28:17. The top three college runners were Josh Radke of SAIT, Eric Mosher of Augustana, and Andre Frenette of Grande

Prairie. The NAIT men paced very well with Neale Hargreaves finishing in 10th spot, Phill Vermette in 44th and Johan Maatje in 46th place. The top three men's teams were the UofA, Grande Prairie, and Prairie Bible College.

The NAIT team as a whole finished one spot higher than in Red Deer so things are looking up. The team is slowly coming together and may be in contention for a medal by the time ACAC Championships roll around.

The team next travels to Grande Prairie this weekend to take a look at the ACAC Championship course. It's a long trip but one that will help the team to prepare for the finals.



NAIT X Country Runner Neale Hargreaves

MEN'S VOLLEYBALL RETURNS

Coach Mark Mahl

This weekend the MVB team starts their bid for a National birth. Coming off a 5th place finish in Alberta and a 14th ranking in Canada, the team looks to be stronger than ever. Sporting both old and new faces the mens squad will be split in two and face-off at noon on Friday.

Also participating will be

The Kings University College and two elite men's teams. One of which will be made up of NAIT Alumni including John Huk.

Come out & watch some exciting volleyball action. Tickets are \$2.00 for the whole tournament weekend. Look for a team profile in upcoming weeks.



Pre-Season "SUDO" Tournament Schedule

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| FRIDAY: | 12:00 pm | OOKS 1 vs OOKS 2 |
| | 2:00 pm | TKUC vs OOKS 2 |
| | 4:00 pm | TKUC vs OOKS 1 |
| | 6:00 pm | OOKS 2 vs F.O.G. |
| | 8:00 pm | F.O.G. vs OOKS 1 |
| SATURDAY: | 9:00 am | TKUC vs F.O.G. |
| | 6:00 pm | Alumni vs OOKS 1 |
| | 8:00 pm | F.O.G. vs OOKS 1 |

OUR TEAM

WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL INTROS

by: Danielle Chapin

Howdy folks! Well, another beginning to a year of women's volleyball at NAIT. This year's team has a lot of fresh faces, five to be exact. That leaves seven returning players for our team of 12. We have a wide variety of people on our team, third year players, country girls, and even one that claims to ride cows. Let me introduce them to you:

#2-Tannis Fraser is one our rookies this year, she joins us in the setting position. Tannis is in the Personal Fitness Training program, and already has a career as a Massage Therapist.

#3-Robbi-Jo Ungaran is our speed. RJ, as we call her, plays many positions and is in her second year of the Denturist program. RJ is best known for her supersonic speed when leaving the team room after practice. It still remains one of the world's great mysteries.

#4-Lisa Zolkewski is another second year player and is in the Business Management program. Lisa is a strong power player, she pounds the ball unlike anyone else on the team. Even with her pigeon-toed, goofy foot approach, she is still one of our most consistent hitters.

#5-Tara Sharun is our starting setter, and one of our third year players. Tara has struggled with her setting before, but with a new technique this year she seems confident about the upcoming season. Tara is the center of our control on the court and basically "runs the shoe."

#6-Danielle Chapin, well

that's me. This is my second year and, like RJ, play various positions. I think that one of my main objectives on the team is to keep everyone laughing. When the players are laughing, they're having fun. Of course, you can't laugh all the time, but it is needed to keep us coming back to Craig's practices.

#7-Eve Godin is in Accounting and is another second year player. Eve is well known for her "potty mouth", and in that respect she never lets us down.

#8-Casey Parsons is another rookie and the only one coming out of high school. Casey is one of our tallest players, most likely playing middle and hopefully learning a lot from her experience playing with us.

#10-Nicole Huckabay is in the Dental Assisting program and is playing for her first year. "Chuckles" as some know her as, is constantly giggling. She always has something to laugh about.

#11-Colette Bowick is the fourth rookie, but already has some ACAC experience. Colette played at Lakeland College last year before coming to NAIT. Along with Angela, she is taking Biological Sciences.

#12-Angela Miller is the last of our rookies. Angela brings a country character to our team, not being a city girl like the rest of us. Angela is the reigning queen of the go-kart races from our team building day at the track. Trust me, she drives like a maniac!

#13-Candice Vansickle is another third year player, and is also in the P.F.T. program. Candice is

a strong, tall (6'1"), and a confident part of our team. Her ability to intimidate others is legendary, but really she's relatively harmless. Candice is definitely a key to our team's success.

#14-Joanna Gietz is the last of the third year players. It seems though she is our own Celine Dion look-a-like, although she has never sang songs for us, maybe it's for the best. Joanna is in Management with Lisa and both are working on their second diplomas.

Well now you know everyone on the team. The only one that's left are our coaches: Craig Wourms is the head coach. As some of you may have gathered from the last article he wrote (in the Nugget), he can be a real pig. Oh, believe me we definitely curse and swear at him under our breaths, but I think we learn a lot too. I guess we'll have to see how the season goes. Cora Lee Rude is one of our assistant coaches and has helped out since she graduated from NAIT.

Finally, Carolyn Landry. Carolyn has extensive volleyball experience, playing at our rival school GMCC for 2 years, and then at the University of Calgary. Carolyn brings the "heart and soul" element into our practices, and makes us love the game all over again.

Well, there you have it, the '97/'98 OOKS Women's Volleyball team. Hope to see you at our games!

P.S. They serve beer there! LOTS OF IT!!

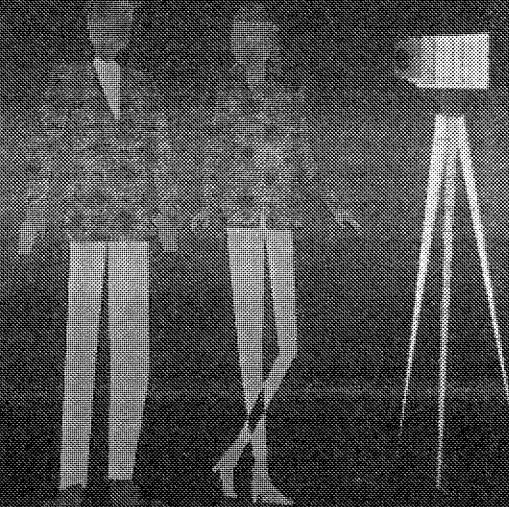
women's soccer wins two

By Coach Sue

NAIT Women's Soccer Team played Red Deer College on Sat. Sept. 27 on their home pitch. In the tornado like weather playing was very difficult. At the half, NAIT was up 2 - 1, but 45 minutes with the wind at their backs NAIT was able to score 4 well deserved goals to win the game 6 - 2. Goal scorers were Geneva Guerin with 2 goals, and

one goal from Tamara Johnson, Cindy Pajo, Lindsie Binda, and a thanks to RDC for a goal of their own. On Sunday NAIT played away from the comforts of home on the Concordia pitch. NAIT took control of the game quite early with goals from Jennifer DeBruin, Charlene Williamson and Tanys Sego to win 3 - 0. It was a ll played weekend by the team with two much needed victories.

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men's soccer can not buy a goal in weekend action

NAIT 0 - R.D.C. 0
 NAIT 0 - CONCORDIA 0

By Coach

Windy doesn't adequately describe the elements on the weekend nor the attempts by the Ooks to capture a couple victories over teams they had already beaten earlier in the season. It's a well known adage that the hardest thing to do in soccer is put the ball in the oppositions net. Add that to a pair of visiting

teams desperate for points and you have a troublesome mix. To be fair the Ooks had the visiting teams goal posts been a little more accommodating they might have had a happier weekend. Also, it's the ones that go in that count not the "near misses". So it is onto Calgary this coming weekend for games against SAIT and Mount Royal College. The team had better pack their "shooting boots" this weekend as our southern neighbors are not usually very forgiving.

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NAIT 3 1 2

R.D.C. 1 3 2

Concordia 1 3 3

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Hockey Finishes Off Weekend With A Win

By DA WORM

It was the first real action for our boys on the blades and they were chopping at the bit. Maybe that was the problem. Let me explain for those of you who did not get the chance to take in the action. Three games played, three one goal games (only one of those went in the Ooks favor).

With a roster of 30 guys coach Ballard split the squad into three even teams so that each goalie got to strut his stuff for one game. While the forwards and D-men almost all got to see action in two of the three tilts.
FRI.: OOKS 3 - Concordia 4
SAT.: OOKS 3 - Augustana 4
SUN.: OOKS 5 - R.D.C. 4

"Hore Not As Pretty As He Used To Be"

The hockey was alright for early season but no one team on the ice was clicking like they will be by November. One of the most memorable incidents on the ice happened Saturday night. Veteran Ouk Andrew Hore (that's with an H not a W) is not as pretty as he was on Friday night after back to back cheap shots.

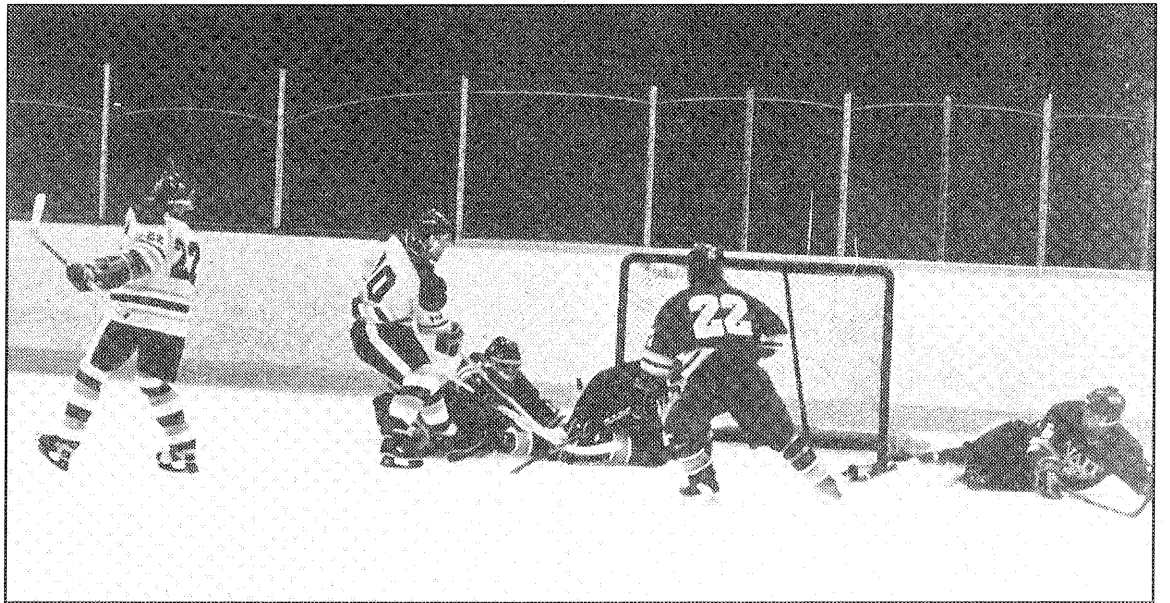
Cheap Shot #1: Getting kicked in the face really hurts and is less effective than shaving.

Cheap Shot #2: Being blindsided at center ice can break your nose and cuts you up pretty darn good too. (Getting your nose set hurts more than getting kicked in the face)

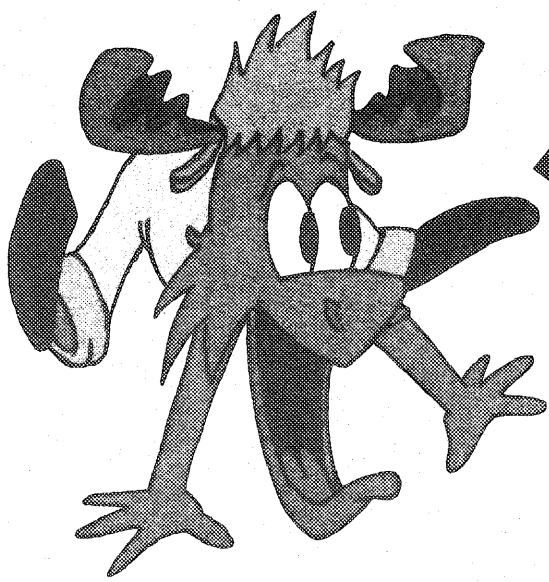
Onto the next step in the NAIT hockey ladder. The Ooks are travelling cross town to match up against some C.I.A.U. Competition at the U of A Invitational. The one big

difference is going to be that Coach Ballard feels it is time to put some pieces of the puzzle together so he can start to see if this picture is starting to take the shape of another championship.

FRI: OOKS vs U of C @ 1:00 pm
SAT.: OOKS vs U.B.C. @ 4:00 pm
SUN.: OOKS vs U of L @ 1:00 pm



Ook Hockey Action on the weekend never really went our way. Off to the U of A with a new attitude.



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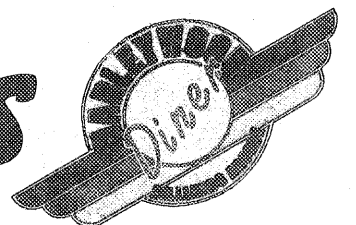
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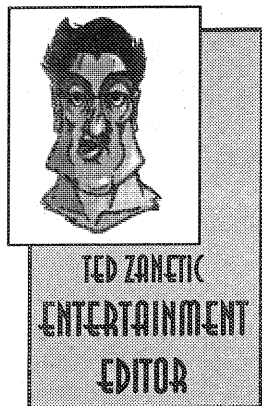
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The Band

Ken McNeil - Vocals
Scott McCullough - Guitars/
Vocals/Keyboard
Jim Moore - Bass/Guitars
John Lolly - Drums

What a hectic day. I got off work that day and met up with the Nugget crew down at the Butterdome. Rusty still hadn't checked in, so we were waiting around for a while. Now this really has nothing to do with the interview but I must mention it: for some reason or other, people at the UofA didn't really treat us with respect. We kinda got the

RUSTY'S ONE WORD DESCRIPTION OF THEMSELVES:

"THE SHIT"

shunned treatment. So until Catherine of the UofA staff came, we were getting slightly agitated. Catherine was a nice person, she said I only I go down and the rest of the staff had to wait outside. Now this leads to a more complex story so please read Miranda's editorial for more information.

So now I'm in. Rusty still wasn't there, so I hung around for a while 'till they came. Twenty minutes later I get in and I meet the band. They seemed like a nice bunch. They were pretty busy munching on food as I was talking to them, but I didn't let that stop me. My interview was with Scott, Jim and the new drummer, John, came in later.

The band started together with just Ken and Scott. They were in a band called One Free Fall. After that, they met up with Jim and the previous drummer, Mitch.

These group of guys all knew each other from the Toronto scene. "Fluke" and "Sophomoric" are the albums they have out right now and within a month, they have plans to be back in the studio for the recording of a third.

When I asked Scott to sum up the band in one word he told me "The shit". Well I guess that's two words, but I got his point.

TOP TEN IN CANADA

- 1) Backstreet Boys - Everybody (Backstreet's Back)
- 2) Oasis - D'Ya Know What I Mean?
- 3) Our Lady Peace - Automatic Flowers
- 4) Sarah McLachlan - Building A Mystery
- 5) Bran Van 3000 - Drinking In L.A.
- 6) Sugar Ray (featuring SuperCat) - Fly
- 7) Aqua - Barbie Girl
- 8) Mariah Carey - Honey
- 9) Hanson - Where's the Love?
- 10) Holly McNarland - Numb

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- 1) Molson Canadian
- 2) Coors Light
- 3) Budwieser

Websites

- 1) <http://www.tucows.com>
- 2) <http://www.cis.ohio-state.edu/~ozbun/apace.htm>
- 3) <http://www.netfeed.com/~dealyn>

SuperHunks

- 1) Ted Zanetic
- 2) Matt Dillon
- 3) Jose Cruz Jr.

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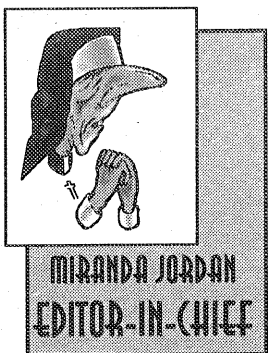


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WHY NEVER TO CROSS THE RIVERS DENIED THE RUSTY I LOVE

The number one reason why never to cross the river would be the fact that the U of A is there. Last weekend, the Butterdome hosted "Bear Country" which featured Rusty and the Headstones as performers. The Nugget had 5 passes to attend this function as set up by the record label of Rusty. Here's the background:

On Friday, September 19, 1997, I received a call from Tim, Handsome Boy Records. I will herein refer to Tim as KING. KING provides many valuable interviews and CD's to The Nugget for review in our small paper. KING (calling from Toronto) asked if we would like to interview Rusty at the Butterdome on Saturday, September 27, 1997:

KING: Hi, Miranda, how are you?

MIRANDA: I'm fine, and yourself.

KING: Oh, I'm alright. How's the weather down there in Edmonton?

MIRANDA: Miserable.

KING: It's rainy here, and I'm not feeling too good. I went to the MuchMusic awards last night.

MIRANDA: Did you have a good time?

KING: Yeah, it was a lot of fun.

MIRANDA: So what's up, Tim?

KING: Do you know what the Butterdome is?

MIRANDA: Yeah, it's at the U of A.

KING: Is it yellow?

MIRANDA: Yes, it's really ugly.

KING: (laughter)—wish I could see it. I was wondering if you would like to go there to see Rusty and the Headstones next Saturday. You could go there and hang out with them for the day, watch them soundcheck, and then stay for the show.

MIRANDA (who LOVES Rusty): I would love to do that.

KING: How many passes would you be needing?

MIRANDA: However many you can spare. We just got a whole new Nugget staff; it would be great if we could get 5.

KING: No problem, I'll put you down for 5. I realize it's at the U of A, but I didn't want you guys to be deprived the opportunity to talk with them.

MIRANDA: Thanks, Tim.

KING: I'll call you with more details.

MIRANDA: OK. I'll talk to you later.

KING: Bye.

The details that followed this conversation were: Rusty will be there at 3:00 p.m., and their show is at 9:15 p.m.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 - I arrived at the Butterdome with two other Nugget staff members at approximately 3:30/4:00 p.m. A lot of preparations were underway down on the track field. A stage was set up and there were a lot of tables and chairs. There were also a lot of people that I like to call, "Useless". These people walk around with cell phones, they point a lot at nothing, and they stand around in useless groups, collectively accom-

plishing A LOT of uselessness together. I could tell none of these people were of real importance, but all of the men walked around like they were hung like yaks; and all of the women had a fancy clipboard and a pen to enhance their important image. Even the concession workers are allmighty powerful. Stay clear of them; they are really important. We waited above the grounds for Ted, the Entertainment Editor, to arrive. When Ted arrived, we proceeded to track down Rusty in this rat race of a mess. Before we were seven steps down the stairs

"Nope, we can't let you in. We were told to cross you off the list."

security guard, apprehended us. "You guys can't come down here; this section is closed off". So I responded, "We have an interview with Rusty today; we're from The Nugget." "WHAT IS THE NUGGET?", he inquired. Miranda: It is the NAIT newspaper. USELESS #1: "Well, you can't come down here; why don't you go wait at the top and I'll send someone to get you when Rusty gets here." So, we back-track to the top of the Butterdome to wait for the USELESS to get their shit together.

TEN MINUTES LATER - A Kathy Bates look-a-like but with important looking glasses covering her kalidiscscope eyes, ironically named Kathryn, slinks her way up the stairs and approaches

us. She informs us that only ONE person can go down to interview Rusty, with our photographer, who was yet to arrive. After trying to explain that I knew we were allowed to be there as per arranged KING, this sweetheart would not bend. She informed me that our five passes did not mean for the interview; it meant on the guest list at the door for entrance at the concert. Knowing that she was wrong (although sometimes that is the case), she said to come back when the show was commencing. We exited the prestigious Butterdome as ordered by Kathryn. I should mention, Kathryn has absolutely NO affiliation with the record label that organizes press and events. This sweetheart was courtesy of The University of Alberta.

AT THE DOOR (8:30 p.m.)

We approach the door. Four ape-like security guys were standing in one doorway looking intellectually challenged. So I challenged them. I spoke: "Hi, my name is Miranda Jordan with the NAIT Nugget. We are supposed to have passes waiting for us here." As one idiot muddled through my words to decipher my message, another idiot responded: "Nope, we were told to cross you off the list. The interview is over; there's already two Nugget people in there." Miranda: "You don't understand, we were kicked out earlier when we were supposed to be here, and we were told to come back at this time." IDIOT: "Nope, we can't let you in. We were told to cross you off the list." As I clenched my hand into a fist, I denied myself the sat-

isfaction I would feel by giving him a good punch to the chops. I am not a violent person so it was odd to feel this sensation. But IDIOT seemed to have too much satisfaction written on his face, so I couldn't help it. Once again, we left the premises. Make a note, I love Rusty and the Headstones enough to buy a ticket; however, I could not bring myself to buy one knowing that the U of A would profit from me. Also, I know it's in God's order to ensure that I meet them sometime or another; I'm not worried. I can see Headstones or Rusty at The REV, like I did in the summer. No skin off my back. I merely want you, the students of NAIT, to realize that we are better. BETTER! Just say it to yourself. It is common knowledge that you will have a job when you are finished your training; but that is not necessarily my point. Please derive a conclusion from this tale. My conclusion is this: USELESS #1, Kathy Bates wannabe, and IDIOT are assholes. KING is going to stick it to them like they stuck it to me, and I'm going to love it.

UPDATE:

MONDAY SEPT. 29, 1997 - Miranda spoke with King. King is PISSED. There was alot of &*\$%&^ over the phone. He called the U of A. I'm HAPPY now.

CD Review

Artist: Bjork
Title: Homogenic

By: The Fifth Element

Bjork's music has never been mainstream, even way back when she was a member of the band The Sugarcubes. Her latest release, "Homogenic", doesn't break with that particular tradition. It's a good thing this works towards the listener's, as well as Bjork's, benefit.

Most of the songs on this new CD feature a very bizarre, almost industrial beat to them,

which is often combined with some orchestration. Add to this Bjork's own angelic voice, and you've got a CD that surpasses any of her previous releases. It's a treat to listen to CDs like this, simply because of the refreshingly original nature of both the songwriting and music.

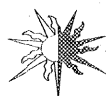
Fortunately, it's not likely that you'll hear any songs from this CD being played on Power 92 any time soon. Bjork is one of those artists whose listeners don't WANT to see rocketing up the charts, for fear of the music losing its originality. If you're looking for something different do NOT miss this release.

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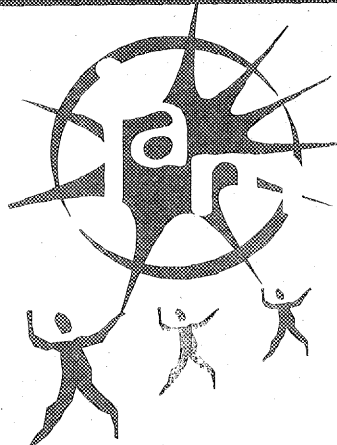


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112

Delivered Bad Boy Style

by: "Island Girl"

Hundreds of fans packed the house at Kaos last Saturday to catch a glimpse of one of R & B's true talents - 112! Fresh off Bad Boy Entertainment's hit-making roster, the harmonious foursome, from Atlanta, got the crowd in the mood with "Come See Me", then serenaded the lucky ladies in the front rows with the sweet ballad "Cupid". In true Bad Boy fashion, they thanked Edmonton's hip-hop fans for helping make "Only You" their most successful single to date! (Many more no.1 hits to follow-guaranteed!)

And what's a Bad Boy show without a "moment of silence" for their mentor, the late Notorious B.I.G. (They also gave much deserved props, to lyrical genius Tupac, and Easy E-very classy!)

With peace signs to the sky, the moment of silence didn't last long as the bass began boomin'

through the dance floor with Biggie's.

Two Canadian talent numbers preceded 112. In Essence, of Toronto, gave a solid performance. With their rendition of Jackson 5's "I Want You Back" - afro's included - they were certainly entertaining! Also performed was a quartet dance troupe who had on nothing much (literally) but delivered a few good moves. They kinda reminded me of the Fly Girls - but not quite as good!

The venue was hot and crowded, but who cared? It's such a rare thing to see such a classy and talented R&B act come into Edmonton, but it was worth it.

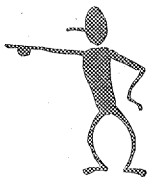
The performance was short, but satisfying! Late as they may have been to hit the stage, 112 definitely delivered in true Bad Boy style!

STUDENTS EXHIBITION

I am pleased to inform you that the documentary photography exhibition, prepared by Year I and II students in PHT-226 and PHT-432 during the 1997-1998 academic year, will be hanging soon!

Period: October 19, 1997 to November 23, 1997.
Place: Manifesto, 10043-102 Street, Edmonton.

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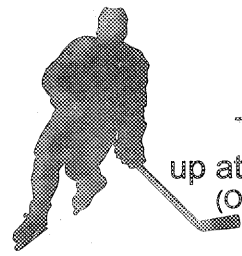


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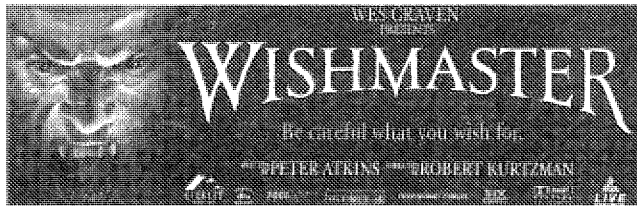
The NAIT Foundation in conjunction with Campus Reads & Needs have teamed up with the Edmonton Oilers.

Tickets will be available for the following games:

Friday, October 3 (vs Detroit) & Wednesday, October 8 (vs New York Rangers)



Tickets can be picked up at Campus Reads & Needs (ONLY 100 tickets are available)



By: Ted Zanetic

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The prospect of an all powerful being with the ability to grant wishes was intriguing enough to get me to the box-office to see "The Wishmaster". The wishes, though, are scarcely the focal point of this film. As the story unfolds you will find yourself looking forward to some exciting and innovative wish-making by the main character, Alex. Alex is a geologist (appraises precious stones) who works for an auction house. As you have probably already guessed, Alex is the lucky one who awakens the djinn (an evil genie, basically) while performing some tests on the

large fire opal in which he was entrapped. For awakening him, Alex gets three wishes.... but there's a catch. Upon the granting of the third wish, the gate between the two dimensions is opened, allowing all the evil djinn's to invade and conquer earth, which obviously means certain torturous death for all of mankind.

Although Alex's character appears to be intelligent, you will no doubt find yourself disappointed with the way she uses her three wishes. Inevitably, you will walk out of this movie thinking of the 101 better ways in which Alex could have used her wishes. This, to me, is a major drawback to The Wishmaster. It seemed as though very little thought was put into something that, if done properly, would have been exciting to watch.

Instead, the film focuses largely on the complete and utter wickedness of the evil character - the djinn. This leads to some horrifically gory scenes, which show off some of the movies impressive special effects. You see, this djinn likes nothing better than to take people's wishes and twist them around so it backfires on them. Then on top of it all, his price (for granting their wish) is their soul, which will be forever tormented. This leads to the movie's main theme; "be careful what you wish for..." you know the rest. Wait for this one to come out on video.

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CHANNEL

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On September 18, 1997, 8:00 pm (MST) on channel 7, the A Channel was born. This Canadian based broadcasting company is owned by Craig Broadcast Systems Inc., which started off in Brandon, Manitoba. Craig Broadcast Systems Inc.'s vision for this innovative, new television service includes an amazing new broadcast center which is the most technically advanced, fully digital television studio in the world, located at Jasper Ave. & 102 Street in the landmark former Hudson's Bay building; an incredible commitment to the local news, arts and entertainment programming; a \$14 million dollar investment in Alberta-based drama reproductions; and a solid programming schedule sure to rock the airwaves.

The opening of the A Channel saw such famous Canadian artists such as Jann Arden, Bobby Cameron, The Philosopher Kings, and Colin James with Colin Linden. With all this great promotion, opening night can never escape Murphy's law. The A Channel suffered their first technical problem on opening night. The Station suffered a 12 minute power shortage due to a miscommunication between the cable company and the A Channel. After the problem was solved the A Channel continued its normal broadcasting. The A Channel produces three shows; Wired, The Big Breakfast, and the news. The rest of the broadcasting includes good shows such as: Simpsons, Friends, Frasier, Highlander, The Keenan Ivory Wayans Show, and Star Trek the Next Generation. Not to mention the weekly A Channel prime ticket

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movie. Now the great thing about the A Channel is that it has all the shows being played everyday at the same times.

The Big breakfast

The Big Breakfast can be seen Monday to Friday 7:00am to 9:00am. This show revolves around giving you the daily news, information and entertainment. The show is hosted by Mark Scholz, Yvette Czigli, and Steve Antle. Mark began as a feature reporter/producer for Atlantic Pulse, ASN and went on as Entertainment Reporter, remote host for 'Lunch Television' (ASN) and Host/Anchor on 'Breakfast Television/Lunch Television, ASN. Yvette began her broadcasting experience in Thunder Bay, Ontario with CKPR-CHFD Television as a reporter. Steve, a Cape Breton-er, has been involved in the entertainment business for 12 years as an actor, director, writer, musician and a host from everything from the Stan Rogers Folk Festival to ATV/ASN's Breakfast Television.



Wired can be seen Monday to Friday 10:30pm to 11:00pm. This show provides us with the leading source on the local arts and entertainment around the Edmonton area. The show is hosted by Kimberly Carroll and Elise Campbell. Kimberly was an arts and entertainment reporter for the Manitoba Television Network before coming to the A Channel. Elise graduated with a Radio and Television Arts Certificate from NAIT. NAIT? Yes NAIT.



The News programs are made up of News at Six, Live at Five, and News at Night. They can be seen on Monday to Sunday 6:00pm, Monday to Friday 5:00pm to 6:00pm, and Monday to Saturday 10:00pm respectively. News at Six is anchored by Janis Mackey and Alan Carter with Darren Dreger doing sports and Micheal Kuss on the Weather. Jan was a key player with Manitoba news source as anchor/producer/reporter with CTV news in Winnipeg. Alan has covered everything from the 1994 Stanley Cup Riot (where he was knocked off air live by police tear gas), to uncovering Vancouver's late night illegal booze cans. Darren was Sports Director for CKLQ radio in Brandon, Manitoba where he was anchor of morning sports and a weekly half-hour WHL radio report for TSN. Micheal has experience with RDTV in Red Deer as host of weather in the evening news, weekend sports anchor, and host of noon show The Express. Live at Five is hosted by Joanne Nugent and Shane Foxman.



Joanne comes to the A Channel from ATV in Halifax, Nova Scotia. Shane comes from CKVR in Barry, Ontario. News at Night is hosted by Alan Carter and Micheal Russ from the News at Six show as well as Leah Runnalls. Leah began her broadcasting career at CHNL/CKRV radio in Kamloops, BC as news/sports reporter.



With being only two weeks on the air the A Channel has already been picking up in popularity. Not to mention that they own the rights to half the Edmonton Oilers' televised games. The A Channel can easily look forward to a permanent position as one of Canada's most popular broadcasting stations.

RACQUETBALL CLINIC

Don't say "I'm not good enough to attend a clinic". Whether you want to learn the basics of the forehand or backhand, or you need STRATEGY improvement, this clinic is for you. The Edmonton Racquetball Association is currently looking for Students, Staff & their children who would be interested in attending a Racquetball clinic. Get those skills now as you enter the sport or improve your existing skills. The clinic will be held at NAIT probably sometime in October, and will be run by one of the premier coach/player in Alberta. Call Jon at 471-8587 to get more information.

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| 6:00 | Stopwatch | Dudley The Dragon | Dudley The Dragon |
| 6:30 | Babar | Mr. Men | Arthur |
| 7:00 | | Sam O' MAX | C.O.P.S. |
| 7:30 | | Arthur | Mr. Men |
| 8:00 | THE BIG BREAKFAST | Batman | Supergirl |
| 8:30 | | Beetle Borge | Superman |
| 9:00 | Jenny Jones | Bugs & Tootsie | Outback Journal |
| 9:30 | | | Homestyle |
| 10:00 | Cityline | Power Rangers Turbo | Fashion Television |
| 10:30 | | Ninja Turtles | Ooh La La! |
| 11:00 | It's A New Day | X-Min | Real Fishing Show |
| 11:30 | | Breaker High | We're In Business |
| Noon | Inspector Gadget | | Suber Safari |
| 12:30 | Arthur | Electric Circus | Terry Winters |
| 1:00 | Cityline (R) | Electric Playground | WWF Wrestling |
| 1:30 | | | |
| 2:00 | Montel | World Vision | Viper |
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| 3:00 | Peoples Court | Buffy the Vampire Slayer | Baywatch |
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| 4:00 | Bugs and Daffy | Hercules | A-CHANNEL SUNDAY MOVIE |
| 4:30 | Breaker High | | |
| 5:00 | LIVE @ FIVE | Xena | |
| 5:30 | | | |
| 6:00 | A-CHANNEL NEWS @ SIX | | |
| 6:30 | The Simpsons | Breaker High | Sharing Circle |
| 7:00 | Friends | Ooh La La! | |
| 7:30 | Frasier | Fashion Television | A-CHANNEL PRIME TICKET MOVIE |
| 8:00 | | To Serve & Protect | |
| 8:30 | A-CHANNEL PRIME TICKET MOVIE | TBA | A-CHANNEL PRIME TICKET MOVIE |
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| 9:30 | A-CHANNEL NEWS @ NIGHT | | |
| 10:00 | WIRED | | |
| 10:30 | Highlander | A-CHANNEL PRIME TICKET MOVIE | News @ Night |
| 11:00 | | | Sharing Circle |
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| MID | Keenan Ivory Wayans | | |
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| 1:00 | Star Trek: The Next Generation | SATURDAY LATE NIGHT MOVIE | SUNDAY LATE NIGHT MOVIE |
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COMPUTERS ARE GOOD FOR SCIENCE FICTION

by Scott Hayes

As I sit here in my posh 8 x 8 den typing away fabulously on my home computer, I reflect on the significance of the computer on the motion picture industry. More specifically, its significance to science fiction films. Science fiction as an art form is long past the rudimentary imaginings of H.G. Wells and Jules Verne. We are now in an age where anything in life is possible, at least, that's what we tell ourselves. Since art is a reflection or an imitation of life, then anything in art is also possible. It is all possible through computers.

Computers have allowed our movies to do what no movie ever could before, or at least not as well. We see dinosaurs walk with life but not the kind of dinosaurs you saw in *The Land Before Time* or those super-cheesy movies like *One Million B.C.* with Raquel Welch or *Caveman* with Ringo Starr. I remember those inches-high model T-Rexes that were filmed up close and walked with a stutter as laughable as it wasn't realistic. Like the 1993 version of *King Kong*. Our dinosaurs now roar and kill, run and jump, and strike realistic terror in our hearts (see the *Jurassic Park* series).

And our dragons not only breathe fire that you can feel but they also move with truth you wouldn't have received in previous movies. Remember *Dragonslayer*? It looked good with its scales and breath of fire but it was still just a puppet with

some guy's hand moving the mouth. Okay, it was a big puppet. Then there was Disney's *Pete's Dragon*: an animated green dragon with tiny pink wings and a goofy demeanor. Contrast that with the Sean Connery voiced Draco from *Dragonheart*.

Or the still choppy but more fluid and intricately detailed monster models from the Ray Harryhausen movies of about 40 years ago: *The Seventh Voyage of Sinbad*, *Sinbad and the Eye of the Tiger*, *Sinbad and Chip Take a Walk in the Park*...or even *Clash of the Titans* from 1981. Sure it was cool to see Sinbad take on a legion of skeleton swordfighters and miscellaneous *Medusas* and *Hydras*, but you still thought in the back in your mind that some guy spent hundreds of hours moving the model slightly, taking a picture, moving the model slightly, taking a picture, moving the model slightly.... No wonder those movies only ever came out once every ten years. Yeesh!

Not to mention that at one time, cartoon movies were actually drawn. Now, they're computerized. Can anybody imagine what *Toy Story* would have been like if it were hand-drawn? Or worse, claymation? Or worse, acted with puppets?

Now let's get away from monsters for a second and look at what technology has done for the real actors. Does anybody remember *The Crow* from 1994? It starred Brandon Lee who tragically died before filming could

finish. The directors and the producers were able to complete the work without him and still maintain the integrity of the piece through the use of computers. By digitally scanning pictures of Lee, they set his face onto an electronic body and ran that body through the scenes that he missed. Of course, those scenes were darkly lit and went by quick but that's beside the point. I watched that movie. No, I studied that movie. I could not tell which was live and which was Memorex.

Visuals; however, are not the only aspect of movies that have benefited from modern computer technology. Nowadays, going out to a theatre can be a great listening experience as well. Compact discs and digital sound have not only given life to films but they seem to put the movie-goer right into the action. I remember back to February and March when I was watching the so-called "Special Editions" of the Star Wars series. Sitting in those seats, I believed I was right there in the thick of things. I could hear laser blasts in front of me and behind; when Luke visited Yoda I heard water trickling from a stream surrounding me; as Darth was standing there looking at me with his black bug eyes I could practically feel him breathing down my neck. Yeah, Darth was pretty fresh that night. But you could only get that effect in the crusty seats of a Cineplex.

Except lately I've seen a lot of ads for DVD which, I guess, is some sort of CD-based home au-

diovisual experience. What more could we ask for? Digital sound, digital visuals, electronic actors, enhanced widescreen version, special editions...how about a movie that actually portrayed computers in a positive light? All the computers in movies that stand out in my mind are evil Frankenstein-like electronic creations come alive to do no good. What is up with that?

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"He Said"

"Boys and their toys" I believe that it's high time this preconception that men become boys in our desire to create and acquire the absolute best that can, is laid to rest. Obviously, this stereotype was generated somewhere in the annals of history by some ignorant female, suffering from jealousy. What other source could this degrading, and utterly fabricated misinformation, spring from?

"But...but why must men lust after the best?" This female might ask. In response, are not men bound by the same laws that govern all nature? Does not the gently hummingbird prefer the sweet nectar over the rotting cannon? Does not the fragrant rose

strive mightily for the warm sunshine? Does not even the human female prefer this fragrant rose to the stinkweed? So, why should not men strive for the very best as well?

"But men are never happy with what they've got," said another female. Of course, we're never satisfied with what we have, and why should we be? If man kind were to become satisfied, we would soon grow complacent, and then we would lose our ability to survive. Poof! No more mankind. It is this very desire which has provided all of our accomplishments and indeed, our very survival. Take this lesson to heart, ignorant female past, you owe your very existence to "boys and their toys".

Al E. Wrought

"She Said"

There are so many guys in the world who think they're hot stuff because they have the biggest or the best toys. Now, when I say toys I mean stuff like computers, cars, T.V.'s, you know, stuff like that. Guys are obsessed with this stuff. It's like little kids on the playground:

Guy One: Hey, guess what I got?

Guy Two: What? Laid?

(typical chuckle about sex)

Guy One: Of course, but that's not what I meant. I got the "super jumbo all included doodad!"

Guy Two: So? I have the all powerful, super colossal doodad

that's a hell of a lot more powerful than yours!

Guy One: Is Not!

Guy Two: Is too!

Guy One: Is not!

Well you get the hint. Actually, I've never seen guys reduce their conversation to such lows, but it's come close. And if they're not competing over who has the best stuff, they're dreaming (and drooling) over the toys they want. Half the conversations I've heard, lately, are:

Guy One: Have you heard about the new (fill in the blank here)? I have to get one!

Guy Two: I know. I'm getting that and the (fill in the blank) after I get my cheque!

Guy One: I wish I could afford it. But I just spent my last dollar on that stereo for my car.

Which brings me to my next

point. Why do guys put car stereos in their cars that cost twice as much as the car? Wouldn't it make sense to buy a really nice car instead of putting an outrageously expensive stereo in a little crap-mobile? I don't understand it.

It seems like guys are never satisfied with what they have. They always have to have the shinier, bigger, louder versions of the things they already have. Crazy, I know. But I guess that's how guys get their kicks. Sometimes it seems like they're more excited about their toys than us women. Sad, isn't it?

Ciao for now,
Emma Ghurl



You know, I think we should paint the bathrooms, including the toilets, bright pink with poke-a-dots and squiggly stripes. Thank you so much, XOXO

To Allison F. in Business: Selections 97 was a blast! Let's get together some time. Reply via Grape-vine. Armin S M.E.I

Hey Mark: Still up for that walk in the River Valley? I am Michelle

To the boy with the thorn in his side; I think it would be best for you to save your wit and intelligence for other second impression. A-ASA

Rob F Eats Worms So when do we get to take you three guys home again? Two Lovely Angels

Zabos, Thanks for the spanking I can't wait until next weekend(I've been a very bad boy) Luv Cort.

To any single, young guys who are looking for companionship. Tell me about yourself in the next issue of the Grapevines. Searching cuz lonely for Love

Hey Weazel (if you can read this) Leave the Games Girl Alone!

Dear Hugh It's too bad that the only real project you build all year (a DOG HOUSE) can't even be used since your dog Roxy took a hike! Then again, you could park it in my back yard and use it as your drunk tank to sleep in. When you can't handle your liquor and can't drive back to mommy and daddy's in the Grove! And just because you don't have a chick to spoil you rotten, it doesn't mean you should take out your anger on those in healthy relationships. I hope, for your sake, that you get good marks so you can be one of the higher paid laborers. Lots of love, Blonde Babe in Business P.S. What do construction engineers do, other than take orders from daddy?

Hey Games Girl Weazels carry disease Dr. Love

Dear Marianne & Ginger, You two are just bitter that I smartened up & got the heck away from those common exams @ 8:00 on Monday mornings! It's a good thing you both decided to work with numbers, considering you both have no people skills. We'll see whose laughing when finals come around & you wish you had left the dork side! (Just jokin' gurlies!) Love the backstabbing blonde B-yatch!

Charles in Business I have a little song for you. It goes to the tune of "What's up Doc" by Bugs Bunny: What's up, chuck It's only vomit What's up chuck He's really puking With peas and carrots mixed up all together with a few potatoes too makes up for a real good spew What's up Chuck By: Spidey

To the Business Babe in A17 I want to learn the fundamentals of the consumption of a Big Mac. Please teach me. P.S. You rock! Barney (the well-hung dino)

To A cooler in hand who hopefully has a friend Read Song of Solomon 5:10-16. We Virtuous women have our standards too. Signed S.W.F2

Mr S. Tuff "Let him kiss me with the kisses of his mouth: for thy love is better than wine." I could make it worth your while if you want me to. Signed, Confused

To the guy in locker T2 090A I see you in O.B. class every day and I can't help but notice the way you move your body. Hope to get to know you soon. Bambi

Cheese Dog, Have you been with Spaghetti Bag Sue? She's makin' the rounds. Watch yourself. Mr. Con

To Ali in College Prep, Biology 133 You're so gorgeous and you are so funny. Please write me back in the Grapevine. Love, the Blond "Blue Shirt Girl" in the back row.

To "Buba" in my electrical class; you know who you are!), Hey wiener! Quit being such a freak! The President

Jack be nimble; Jack be quick; But Jack don't blow out my candlestick; If you know who this is; Write back quick

Dear Dental Girls, We know we love you! Wanna get together and calibrate some instruments? Break out those water picks! Thursday afternoons just wouldn't be the same without you. Oh...some of use are even single (wink [except Dave]). Basement Dwellers IET C & D P.S. We love those scrubs.

To: a Cowboy There is a cowboy who goes to NAIT. Your Wranglers fit you oh, so great. Your smile's so sweet. Come sweep me off my feet. I think your eyes are blue. God, how I want you! Don't just walk by, Stop and say HI! From: a Cowgirl

To Herc in second year Bus. We love your tattoos. But...It's not only God who judges you. Come flex for us. Panting Hearts P.S. First ditch the short one

To Badminton Barbie I love you even though you hit to many Bar B Q's over the summer. Please respond. Billie, 2nd yr Elec. P.S. I love watching you work out.

Hey Turkey-neck in the NAITrium, You better take cover, Thanksgiving is coming up soon!!! Gobble Gobble, From the 2nd Year Family (and Herc)

Jared at the Hypnotist (blue shirt, jeans) I would lay on a bed of nails with you any day.

LEN



To Jamie in Business, I wish I was a tear drop so I could have been born in your eyes, lived my life on your cheeks, and died on your lips...But can't. Love, Gotta Girlfriend

To the cutie wearing the Rocket Pop shirt at the BP Open House: Lookin' good! Reply by Grapevine. Waldo

To: Nutease Keep smiling! Love Shorty!

To all the butterballs in the tower: Is it really necessary to take the elevator from G to B... Hoof it 1 flight down! Unless both legs are broken, have some consideration for others. Knees are made to bend, so USE THEM... Signed, Unfatties

To Ryan, Awww...poor baby, comes in all grumpy from the weekend. Not getting any? You'll get no sympathy from me! Once again, Awww! Michelle

To Dan, (the time-keeper guy) It's rematch time and this time I will kick your ass from the other time. Keeper

To Al E. Wrought Girls are impressed when they actually SEE you flip. Next time make sure I'm watching, kay? Emma Ghurl

Tyson: Ty's a guy who's not that shy, thought he could fly, lucky he didn't die.

ATTENTION!!! ALL NAIT KENS Our mission is to create the perfect man!!! Reason to reunite Mars and Venus to fulfill every woman's dreams to be continued... Barbie Girls

To: M.M. on the hockey team who thinks he can play ping pong. There's no man who has come onto the circuit in his first year & knocked off the #1 seed in a 3 game series. You won't be the first. - P.S. I'm Left Handed. Rudolph

To Eddie, Munster that is: Heard you finally got yourself some wheels (other than your bike). All we can say is "It's about time". Now you can start repaying all the rides you've gotten over the past five years. Eddie's Taxi is open for business. Scotty & Hore

To: the two good looking blonds on the Hockey team, Skinny & Stormy. I heard you rented my latest movie "Conquest" did you like my acting? Did you like my co-stars? Can't wait to start filming with you two! See You Soon STAR BLASTERS! Jenna J.

To: the low life individual who stole over \$200.00 from the Oaks Hockey Team Dressing Room Friday Night. We know who you are, we know what you look like. You picked the wrong 29 guys to mess with. Head Up. Pucks in your Corner Pissed Off Oaks

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College will be the time of your life as long as you keep involved and informed.

NAITSA gives you:

- Academic Representation
- Cabaret Information
- Technology Awards
- Intramurals
- Poster Approval
- Volunteer Sign-up
- Resume Services
- Tech Charity
- The Nugget
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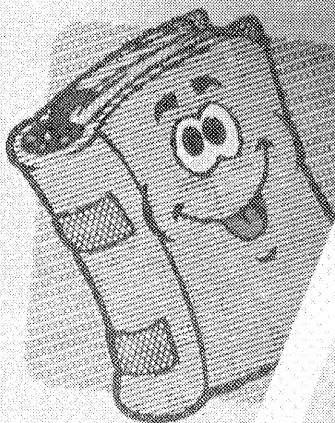
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