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Students Score Big With Airline



HARMEN Van Andel

For the next few weeks, a simple donation to the Edmonton Food Bank could win you a trip across Canada.

Radio and Television Arts
Students Meghan Morrison and
Sarah Gardener along with four
other group members had a group
assignment on promotion and
came up with a Food Drive in
conjunction with NAITSA. It's
called NR92's Hungry for Home.
Students who donate will be eligible to win a trip for two anywhere
jetsgo Airlines fly in Canada.

"We wanted to give some sort of incentive for people to donate. We tried other options before approaching jetsgo", says Morrison. "We tried Air Canada and they said no, Westjet, and they said no. Finally after some convincing, jetsgo gave us the green light."

Currently, jetsgo's destinations are few because they are a brand new airline. From Edmonton, they fly to Montreal, Toronto, Halifax, and Ottawa. "We know the destinations are limited, but who doesn't want to visit Montreal or Toronto?" says Gardener.

Food Donations will be accepted at the NR92 booth every lunch hour in the south lobby and at the NAITSA office between 8 AM and 4:30 PM from Nov. 19 to Dec. 5. For every donation the student receives one entry for the draw.

The winning name will be drawn at noon on December 5 in the South Lobby and will be live on NR92.



Winter is in Full Swing



DANI Kent

Winter sports season is upon us! Now is the time for skidooing, snowboarding, skiing etc... One factor, however, I did forget about during the summer months is frostbite (until an unfriendly reminder this weekend) Soooooo here's a list of symptoms to look for when you're enjoying the winter wonderland.

The first symptoms are a

sensation of "pins and needles" followed by numbness in the area. There may also be throbbing or aching early on, but eventually you will lose sensation.

According to 1UpHealth, "Frostbitten skin is hard, pale, cold, and has no feeling. When skin has thawed out, it becomes red and painful (early frostbite). With more severe frostbite, the skin may appear white and numb (tissue has started to freeze)."

Damage that can be caused by sever frostbite include; blisters, gangrene (blackened dead tissue), and damage to deep structures such as tendons, muscles, nerves, and bone.

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Student Submissions

No Shopping **Christmas**

GREG Andrews

I would like to propose a change. This change would be very large, yet not difficult. It would dramatically reduce the stress in our lives during the most stressful months of the year. It would save us money where money would normally be thrown away to debatable purposes. It would save gas, electricity, paper, plastic and, on some level, your soul.

I propose a No-Shopping Christmas.

Maybe I'm a Scrooge, or a Grinch, or a disgruntled youth. Or maybe, I've just seen enough. Last year, I got to view capitalistic Christmas from the front lines: working at a popular multinational economical clothing store, in West Edmonton Mall, more commonly known as the world's largest mall. Out of 800 stores in "The Mall", I would venture to say that mine was one of the busiest.

When I looked up from my cash register, I could see the line stretch all the way back into men's denim. I looked at all the faces: tired, stressed, wanting to smack the whining children around them. Nobody really wanted to be there. And with the exceptions of the moments when I stood up on a ladder and gave out coupons, no one was having fun.

Why were they there? Why were they buying clothing that would probably fit poorly and be returned in a few weeks? Obligation, of course. Centuries of the Christmas Holiday, and decades of the modern "Consumer Christmas" has instilled the idea that gift giving is a social obligation, that you will be judged poorly by your peers if you are incapable of presenting them with a satisfactory gift. This has led to Christmas becoming recognized as an economic booster. A terrific booster, actually: Hundreds of billions of dollars in retail sales that wouldn't otherwise exist.

However, the economy isn't the only thing Christmas boosts. It's also a stress booster, a divorce booster, and a credit card debt booster. A dead tree booster and a garbage booster. A greed booster. Make careful note of that last one folks; does the world really need more greed?

No Shopping Christmas is a simple, yet heavy concept: buy no gifts for Christmas out of obligation,

Similar to Adbuster's "Buy Nothing Day", No Shopping Christmas is a simple, yet heavy concept: buy no gifts for Christmas out of obligation, and inform others of your intent so that they do not feel obligated to buy you gifts in return. Don't waste money on lame decorations, and thank you kindly for not killing the trees. Spend time with your family and friends instead of spending money on them. Participate in the traditions of your religion of choice. Or not. Accept Christmas as a time for rest, relaxation, and spending time with people outside of shopping malls.

Implementing this concept, I see a world with much less stress and much more value. A world where children would receive fewer cheap plastic toys, but have their college education paid for. A world where we plant a tree in our backyard, not our living room. A world where time is valued more than money.

This holiday season, go out and don't buy something.

-Greg Andrews, greg@gregcorp.com

Great NAIT Scavenger Hunt!

tell you about the Great NAIT Scavenger Hunt! Don't know what it is? Well, would you like to win Oilers tickets? How about another colossal, fabulous, stupendous prize? You would? Excellent! And it's going to be really easy

Hey everybody! I'm here to too! All you have to do is wander around the school.LOOKING FOR PEOPLE! Fun, easy, and you get a free Oilers game out of the deal. All you have to do is keep watching NR92 and NTV! More details are coming soon! The Great NAIT Scavenger Hunt. Coming soon from the Pirates of RTA.

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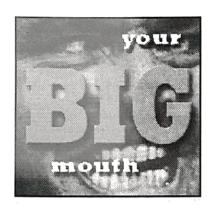
Services to Students with Disabilities





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If your a girl, and you know that a guy has a girlfriend, but still want to get with him, you have no conscience. Your a total bitch! How would you like to get cheated on? But someone with your status will probably never get a real boyfriend. You'll just get some back up goalie that sits in the stands and cheers his team on, while he warm the bench!

This message is in regards to the debate that has been going on between those of the Christian views and those of the Secular views. I've only caught the articles in the last few newspapers. It seems that what started as a homosexual's expression of frustration has turned into a debate of theology between religion and atheism. What I've seen is that neither side has all the needed information to make a clear decision of beliefs. All I suggest is to do the searching for your self. Don't allow what you may have heard through the "grape-vine" to be the basis for your beliefs in life. In my own spiritual journey there have been a number of books I found to be extremely helpful in providing the "homework" information needed to make a clear, knowledgeable religious decision. "The Case for Christ" by Lee Strobel. "The Case for Faith" by Lee Strobel. "Farwell to God: My Reasons for Rejecting the Christian Faith" by Charles Templeton (who is Canadian). "Religions, Values, and Peak-Experiences" by A. H. Maslow.

"Jesus: The Great Debate" by Grant R. Jeffrey. "Letters from a Skeptic" by Gregory Boyd. I'm sorry, I could go on, but for the sake of column space I won't. Just do the deciding for your self. We're all at a place where we don't want anyone else telling us what to do and how to think, so what makes your decisions about religion any different? Learn what there is to know, and make the choice your own way, your unique way.

Why do some students always bitch and complain that they don't get the material they are learning in class? I would understand if students were honesty trying to learn and were asking for help if they didn't understand, but I have zero sympathy for pathetic lazy losers who expect to get served a silver platter of "Oh I feel sooo sorry for you" crap from other students. F*ck maybe pay attention, do your homework, and ask for help if it's sooo hard. That's what tutors and not to mention, what the teachers are here for. Also what a big waste of money!! And don't blam other's for your friggn problems. No one cares!

-Sick of lazy students

In response to the two articles submitted from the Petroleum Engineers two weeks ago, I would like to clarify two areas for you. The first is in regards to your comments about the business students. I am a student in the business administration program.

Our course (NOT COARSE) may have lower requirements for admission then yours however, that does not mean we are condemned to a life of being an "assistant Manager of McDonalds hoping to get that promotion to Senior night shift Supervisor." You are obviously unaware of the earning potential of a CGA, which can range from \$40,000 to \$1,000,000 a year. Considering the amount of money a grad of the business admin applied degree in Accounting can make and considering that the cost of our tuition is less than yours, who's the "moron"? The second thing I would like to clear up for you has to do with the purpose of Forest Protection. I have worked for Sustainable Resource Development Forest Protection as a dispatcher for four years and I take offence to some of your comments. I'm sure there are quite a few people in the Forestry program who have worked for SRDFP in one way or another, most likely as RAP, HAC or HSU members that would agree with me on this. The comment about the only successful way to extinguish fires is rain is not quite true. Sure rain helps but its not enough. These guys and girls main job is containment or to put it simply for you going out to a smoke spotted by a tower or the public and putting it out early so it does not become a huge fire. Of course, this is not always possible. That's when the incident command team gets called in, including people

such as the fire behavior analyst. the aerial ignition officer and the incident commander, to save forests, houses, and property just to name a few. Just hope you never live in a place where your house is in danger from a forest fire. I'm sure you'd be kissing the asses of some of the students in the forestry program who will fill the above mentioned positions. In closing I would like to ask if you think you'd be able to complete the physical tests that the RAP members have to pass. (The RAP guys are ones that jump out of the helicopters to go put out fires.) First of all go walk 3 1/2 miles in forty minutes carrying a fifty pound pack. Next you get to do a pump/hose drag which means you have to: 1. Carry a Mark III pump (which weighs 30kg) 100 meters 2. Grab four thirty meter lengths of 1 ½ inch hose (approx. 31kg) over your shoulder and carry it 300 meters3. Grab one length of charged 1 ½ inch hose (approx. 30kg) and carry it 200 meters Oh yah, you have four minutes and ten seconds to do this. After that you can go and do the shuttle run. Put on a 23kg pack and go 20 meters back and forth for 1800 meters. This is timed too! Plus it gets faster and faster the farther you go. Lastly, you can do some upright rows; grab a 23kg weight and pull it up to your shoulders and back down at least 20 times in a minutes. Go try doing their test after five years of playing with your slide rule. -Dispatcher in BA

HL: Please Don't Touch That Nerve.



FURIOUS George

Idiots come in all forms. I run into idiots all the time. They're usually yapping about things they don't know anything about, or they're cutting down other people's lives for some sort of sad self actualization. They don't really bother me though, cause an idiot's opinion is just that; an idiot's opinion.

I suppose some people could say I am an idiot, and this column would be an idiot's opinion, but I'm pretty confident that idiots can't spot other idiots, so as long as I'm spotting idiots, I'm safe. Hehe

Anyways, the idiot of the century wrote into grapevines last week claiming he was a U of A Masters student and ranted about how great he was and how stupid Technologists were. At first I figured I wouldn't even talk about this loser, 'cause he's not really worth the ink and space it takes up in this paper, but I then I figured that it was my duty to stand up on behalf of all the students that study hard and work their asses off to achieve their gaol and

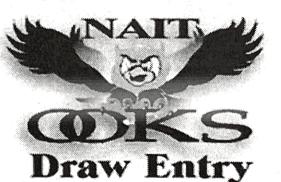
graduate from NAIT. Graduating a Technology program at NAIT is not that easy. This guy lives in a world where a curve can pass him with an overall average of 25%. He lives in a world where the marking system is a joke; a world where professors can pass you if you shake the right hands.

Not here. Hard work and a passing grade can get you to graduation, that's it. NAIT has a reputation of churning out extremely smart and talented people and is in exceptionally high regard on an International level. NAIT graduates have gone on to run multi-million dollar companies. This guy has no clue.

It's obvious that this guy is the shame of his program, and has trouble finding validation in the career he chose. His peers probably think he's a bigger idiot than I do. No one will hire that guy. He wouldn't last in the field for a day anyways. He could go on to teaching I guess, but one thing's for sure, if he does get lucky and finds work on a rig or a production site and actually manages to "hack it" out there as an Engineer, his wife is destined to spend all his money on the boy toy she's screwing in his bed while he sits on a lease in the middle of nowhere. He's got that karma coming to him. Sucker. Good luck, idiot.

Aaahhh, then again, maybe it's just me.

STUDENTS CHECK THIS OUT



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FOR DETAILS GO TO THE GAME..





opinion



Born Country

POLISH Hall

Editor's Note: Every year we commit to reviewing events throughout the summer. Unfortunately, due to space, we haven't bear able to run this until now, Therefore, it's six months late. Enjoy.

I must admit I was quite taken aback when the powers that be here at the Nugget asked me to cover this year's Big Valley Jamboree. I mean, my previous exposure to country consisted of the one Dwight Yoakam CD I own, (Sorry, I bought the album because of the Elvis cover tunes...) and the many blurry evenings spent stumbling around at Esmeralda's trying to score with chicks. Naturally I accepted the assignment because no one in their right mind turns down a free trip and besides, I had never been to a Jamboree before. Having just attended a pared down and modestly successful yet raucously fun bender weekend in Camrose for Stage 13, I was fully prepared to endure the country twang for the sake of a good time. What I actually encountered this weekend defies description! I had the best time of my life, and the real hum-dinger surprise is.... I ACTUALLY LIKE COUNTRY MUSIC! There I said, it's in print, too late to turn back now. Do you know what though? Country music is actually pretty darn good, I suspect that even a hardcore punk would be hard pressed to keep their feet from tapping to some of the quality music that was represented at this year's BVJ, Big Valley Jamboree is a lot like Stage 13, actually it's best to think of it as Stage 13's bigger, better, more attractive and responsible cousin. BVJ has been around for a long time and it shows, it is a class act and a super great time guaranteed. Fun for the whole Fam-dam ly!



As this is such a large event, with many different types of entertainment available, I will present it to you, the esteemed Nugget reader, in a day-by day format. I must admit though it is impossible to take in everything the BVJ has to offer, but it's as fun as hell to try.

Thursday July 31, 2003

Ok, I didn't actually make it out to this, but I heard it was very good. Some people actually come out to camp at the site on Monday,

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but I have no idea why they would want to go to that extreme. The kick off party consisted of Corb Lund, (A dude that I knew of from the Smalls, but he sounds even better with that country twang...) Rick Tippe, and Gary Allan. The folks that I talked to that attended the show were all drunks, so the only coherent answer I got from it was that the music did not suck. Take that as you will, but my real job kept me from actually being there so that's all you get. I'm sure it was a rip-roaring, bull snorting good time.

Friday August 1, 2003

Got the afternoon off of work, picked up my new fearless photographer, Terence, and Jen, (She's the chick you bring with you to help pick up other chicks. That's rule #53 in Polish Hall's new book "How to pick up chicks! Even if your Ugly!" Available soon at Campus Reads n' Needs!) We were riding in style with Terence's lowrider truck and my uncles' brand spanking new tent trailer. Got everything set up

at our camp just in time to be put to work at the concert itself. Seems they need some young, attractive, morally objectionable people to man the poser decks and Jen and I fit the bill. It was the least I could do after scoring the sweetest of sweets, the holy "ALL ACCESS" passes. Jen and I worked hard all day, escorting lucky fans to a stage-side deck and chaperoning their stay. Jen learnt an important lesson this day. Don't wear a skirt when you are working on a deck! Luckily my jewels were covered. I kinda wondered why all the guys were hanging around Jen's side. Ah, some things are too funny.

Anyway, the day started with the wonderful Shevy Smith. As my first exposure to country artists, Shevy was an out-and out treat. She was super friendly, very good looking, and personable to boot. We talked about this being her first time in Canada, and how amazed she was at how long the days were. It's weird what we take for granted up here, I guess. Shevy's set was solid, and I was very impressed. Check her out!

Jake Mathews came on at 2: 30. This home-grown Canadian artist had an all-right set, and it started the trend of my hearing songs and going "Oh, so that's who sings this!". Jake released his debut CD in spring of 2001. He may be new to the game, but this boy is good.

Williams & Ree came on at 4. These guys are more comedy than country. F*cking hilarious is what I say. Also known as the Indian and the White Guy, this duo had the audience rolling in no time with their no-holds-barred set. I highly suggest catching these boys next time they roll into town.

Carolyn Dawn Johnson followed at 5:30. You might have already heard of this Westlock, Alberta native, but if you haven't then you soon will. Her star is on the rise, as she has already penned or co-penned numerous songs for established Nashville greats, such as the ever popular "Single White Female". I personally can't wait for her to start putting her own beautiful voice behind these songs.

Phil Vassar performed at 7, and also did not disappoint. The first truly established country star I had seen and it showed. His set was very polished and he did a great job getting the audience pumped for the night's headliners. Friday's mainstage experience ended with a bang. The Rockin' Roadhouse tour did just that, namely getting the joint a rockin'. Mark Chesnutt, Joe Diffie, and

Tracy Lawrence are all superstars in their own right, but together they are simply awesome. You have no choice but to get into the music as they pack hit after established hit with a audience interactive floor show that will put most performers to shame. I turned into a true blue country fan during this set, and that was in no small part because of how much fun I had watching these good ol' boys perform. I think the highlight of their night was peering up at Jen's skirt though.

No, the night didn't end there, but once I was done working I went back to my campsite for a minute and the alcohol just started calling to me. "Drink me, have fun!" it said. So I did. There were a bunch of bands that performed at the beer gardens and I do remember two-stepping quite a bit, so I'll say they were good too. That's another advantage of the all-access pass, I got to two-step stage side to the bands as they played. If that doesn't get you in with the ladies, nothing will. On a side note it was confirmed that nearly 20,000 people attended Friday's festivities, and if that isn't enough people to qualify as a bitchin' party then I don't know what is.

Saturday August 2, 2003

My bunkmates and I awoke bleary eyed and groggy, but thankfully we could run backstage and have a nice wonderful shower. My only peeve about camping is the stink that tends to rise from an unshowered Polish Hall, and thankfully that could be addressed.

The day started off mediocre with a blah performance from Dean Tuftin, but quickly got better as Danny Hooper took the stage. The perennial host of BVJ, Hooper combines comedic stylings with a strong country set. After a few hearty laughs, I took off to explore the expansive BVJ grounds to find some good grub. Along the way I checked out the massive sponsor fair, saw some suckers on the mechanical bull, and caught a high flying motocross Show. Whew!

Unfortunately I missed The Warren Brothers and David Ball while gallivanting around. I heard that the Warren Brothers were pretty hot, but otherwise nobody had anything overly complimentary to say about either act.

I did sneak backstage to catch Deana Carter's act and I was wowed by country yet again.

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Improving Your Memory for Exam Writing

MARGARET Marean Counsellor

Here are techniques and habits that will enhance memory for exams:

- Regular review (daily and weekly if possible) prevents the need to cram. Cramming for exams is a poor way to get material into long-term memory. The more times material is reviewed the easier it is to access, and to attach new material to.
- Scheduling shorter study sessions and spreading these out over several days is more effective than a marathon study session.
- A positive attitude towards the material improves concentration and enhances ability to remember.
 While it is unrealistic that you will love every course you take, trying to find something relevant

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or useful, and think about ways in which it can actually apply to your life. This will enhance ability to learn and remember material.

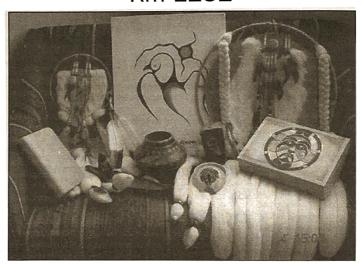
- Studying in an environment that is similar to the exam setting enhances learning and recall. It is best to sit at a desk or table away from as many distractions as possible.
- Study actively. Passive reading is not enough for most people to commit something to memory.
 Instead:
- o skim chapter and note headings and course objectives, make them into questions and set the goal of being able to answer these questions at the end of the study session
- o read a section and then close the book and either write out or recite the major points in your own words
- o as you read, visualize what you are reading. For major points it may help to make diagrams or pictures to cue your memory.
- o group major ideas or do something to organize points
- o read material out loud or while walking around

- o jot down major points in your own words
- o explain the material to someone else
- In order to remember material concentration is essential. Setting a study goal and a time limit can enhance concentration. Scheduling study sessions that are realistic in length, studying at the time of day you are most alert, changing the subject you are studying each hour, taking regular breaks, and choosing a quiet study area also improves concentration.
- Acronyms devices made up to cue your memory – may be helpful. For example the acronym HOMES is a way to remember the Great Lakes (Huron, Ontario, Michigan, Erie, Superior) and the acronym "Please excuse my dear Aunt Sally" can cue order of mathematical operations (parantheses, exponentials, multiplication and division, addition and subtraction).
- The best activity to do right after studying for an exam is sleeping (or something relaxing). This gives the brain time to work on material and to organize it. New information, such as television or magazine articles, may interfere or compete with information that has just been learned.
- If you are having difficulty with a concept review it right before you go to bed. When you wake up you may find that you have a better understanding of the concept.
- Getting enough sleep, eating properly and regular exercise enhance memory functions.
- Learning relaxation techniques can enhance memory. A relaxed state of mind increases the brain's ability both to get material into and to retrieve material from long-term memory. Talking about exam material (or reading over notes) right before the exam only increases anxiety. (However being unprepared for an exam will likely lead to anxiety regardless of what relaxation techniques are used).

If you wish to learn more about memory techniques, or if you have other academic, personal or career concerns, see at Counsellor at the NAIT Student Counsellig Centre, Room 0117. Book in person or by calling 471-8921.

NAIT Aboriginal Student Club

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feature



Fun Ways to Work Up a Sweat!



DWAYNE Johnson

The feel of stiff wood in your hand, as you skillfully move your wrists in several ways. Your breath quickens, and the sound of a ball smacking surface after surface makes your blood rush. Ah, the fun

Ping-Pong is just one of the many fun activities to do here at NAIT.

of Ping-Pong! What?!...

Ping-Pong is just one of the many fun activities to do here at NAIT. For those who don't know (or haven't cared!) there is a large activity center located on the south side of campus. The best part of it all...it's free! Well to borrow certain things it's free... there is a \$1.50 charge to rent racquets! (to cover damages) You will also need to purchase Ping-Pong balls for 50 cents (eep!)

Some of you might not have caught the first couple issues of the Nugget where this gem of NAIT was mentioned, so here it is again. The activities centre is home to an assortment of cool things. A fitness centre / weight room, an exercise studio, racquetball courts, squash courts, and sand courts (the hell? Oh well...)

In this area of NAIT you will also be able to spot the NAIT Pool! Perfect cooling down after a stressful day of sleeping in class! Up on the top floor you will be able to access the Arena. What better way to experience winter outside AND inside! The arena is available for recreational hockey, pretending you are an ice ballerina...or just sliding across and yelling "TA-DA!" Go check those out for sure!

There are also several programs to enroll in. Some might not be available any longer, but this will give you an idea of what NAIT

has to offer! There is a morning aerobic class "boot camp" style, a yoga class, a circuit training class, and a cardio class. For those who feel like taking up something more aggressive (so you can better kickbutt on a test!) there is a karate class, and a kung fu class! Classes are ten-week sessions, often twice a week. Forty-five to sixty minutes long usually. Drop-in is only available if minimum registration requirements are met and class size availability allows so! So basically, don't be a slacker: P

There's a long ramp leading through all three floors of the area, and it's in a spiral. Those with creative minds will probably be able to find interesting things to do with this. Maybe start up an amateur bobsled team? Hrmmmm...

access the different To activities you will most likely have to pay a visit to the Sport's Equipment Center located in the basement. Basically with your student ID, they give you a bracelet saying you aren't some Grant Mac. trespasser, and allows you access to the places. Locker break-ins do happen though, so take precautions if you plan to use the lockers in the basement change rooms. The peak hours for the weight-room seems to be from 11:30 - 1:30 and 6:00 - 8:00 (sometimes), so plan ahead! The facilities in general are open Monday to Friday 6 - 10. While Saturday and Sunday they are open from 8 - 5. Maybe I'll see



Nice Shoes...



DWAYNE Johnson

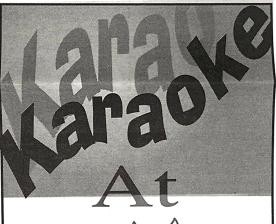
What makes us individuals? There are many things really. Perhaps our choice of music, or values and beliefs, or even who we associate around. A pretty young lady who thought it might be interesting if I put out an article about shoes, recently approached me. At first I figured she was just another crazy NAIT student (kidding!), but I realized that the Nugget is a voice for the students. So ask...and thou shall receive!

Now don't expect any crazy foot fetish stuff in this article. This one is going to be nice and wholesome...maybe...well hopefully! Anyway, after pondering what could possibly be so interesting about an article relating to shoes, and hoping I hadn't stepped into something bigger too big, overstepped my boundaries, or ran into a large hurdle (okay sorry, I'm running out of feet puns!) I decided that maybe this could be a fun article to write.

Just look around you, I'm sure you will see a wide assortment of footwear. From the RTs in their sneakers, to the business ladies in their stilettos! It seems everyone sports something to reflect him or herself. Perhaps people might spice things up a bit! Red shoelaces here...anarchist buttons there...some people like to be extraordinarily unique when it comes to feet!

Perhaps you can spot the more "dressy" guys in their polished black boots, or the laid back guys in their DC shoes! Being winter...it is unlikely we'll see many girls in flip-flops but I've been shocked before...so who knows! Most likely you will spot the occasional lady who feels like being casual in their sneakers...perhaps with some comfy pajamas to match (heh heh)

Shoes do somewhat let those around us know what type of personality we are...at least sometimes. Just another way for us to express our own individuality! So while checking out the sexy people here at NAIT...maybe lower your eyes a bit (not there you perverts!) and watch out for those with interesting shoes!





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KRISTEN DiRocco

As the weekend gets closer, most students realize that there just simply aren't enough hours in those two days to take in all

minutes, to check this one out. It is taking place in the Shaw Theater (across from Campus Reads & Needs) on Friday November 21. The event starts at 3:30, and is expected to last about 90 minutes. You are free to come and go to this event as you please, and to put the cherry on top, it won't cost you a dime - yup, free admission, does it get any better than that?

You might be asking yourself

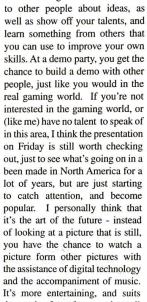
3D art; trackers, who write the music (usually in multi-track form samples, which they mix into real time for playback); and the coders, who put all of this together to deliver the final product, a complex scene filled with music, graphics, and a message.

The demo scene is a worldwide community of creators and fans of the demos. They get together often for demo parties,



where groups of artists, trackers and coders will get together in an auditorium for a weekend and begin to produce a demo. If any of the above mentioned skills are in your area, and you're interested in getting into the game industry,

the demo scene is the perfect experience to lead you into that world. You get a chance to talk the assistance of digital technology the needs of our fast-paced, small attention-span world. come on out on Friday, and see what you think.





We are looking for energetic volunteers to become part of the NAITSA Street Team. Our promotions department is looking for students wanting to gain tech-charity points and other volunteer rewards. We require a few hours a week to go around campus promoting the events that NAITSA hosts. This is a great way to become involved with your Students' Association and catch some school spirit.

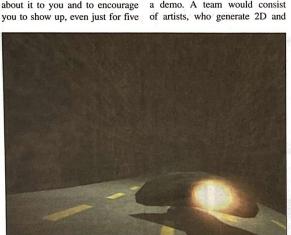
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of the fun, as well as get all of the homework done. This usually means we have to plan out our weekends - taking in the important events and leaving out the ones that likely won't be regretted. In doing this sort of weeding out, it is my opinion that some of the best possible experiences of your life are getting skipped over. Don't get me wrong, managing your time is a wonderful idea - It just seems to me that if a person doesn't know much about an event, they will pass it up without even thinking, when perhaps they should make the time to take it in. A great example of such an event is the Demoscene Outreach. If you've never heard of it, then you're with the majority of NAIT students, who probably don't even know what the demo scene is - lucky for you, I'm here to explain a bit about it to you and to encourage

what a demo is. Well, it's not a demo of a game, as these types of demos are not interactive. It is a demonstration of programming, artistic and musical talent, put into a standalone program that only exists to impress and entertain its users. It's a talent that has been around since the 80's, but has adapted with time. These days, it's like a short movie that uses music as a monologue, that expresses some thought or feeling, that is made (usually) on the computer. It is made to have an impact on you, just as any other form of art would. Demos are artistically free, meaning that they don't cater to any specific request by customers, as they are not for sale. Demos are created for enjoyment, it's a hobby that some have compared to making independent films.

It takes a team to generate a demo. A team would consist









I'm Amazed by Amadeus...



KRISTEN DiRocco

I took band back in Junior High, and I remember how my teacher had this thing for Mozart, and the fascinating life that he lived. I. on the other hand, was 12 years old, and only learned what I needed to know to pass a test. On Thursday night, when I sat down to watch a performance of Peter Shaffer's Amadeus, that thought ran through my head, and I kicked myself for not having paid attention back in Junior High. I really thought that without any background information on Mozart the play wouldn't make a whole lot of sense. I was wrong - in fact, not knowing anything about his life made me an unimpressionable audience member, instead of sitting back and analyzing how the writer had depicted Mozart's life, I could really sit back and enjoy the performance for what it was - and it was excellent.

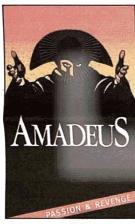
I know that going to the theater isn't something that's on the agenda for a lot of college students. I'm not sure why that is perhaps it has something to do with the ticket prices, or just the general vibe that it's a "cultural event" and so therefore is deemed "uncool". Personally, I think it's an experience of a lifetime, and this play, performed with the cast that graces the Citadel Theatre's stage, is one of the best.

The story is told to us by Austrian court musician, Antonio Salieri (David Storch), who begins the play as a very old man, haunted by some very vivid memories. He brings us back to a day when his life was at its prime - and Mozart's prime days of being a child prodigy were just ending. The two composers settle in the same town, and while Mozart (played by Matthew Edison) looks to Salieri for guidance, Salieri is blinded by jealousy and tries only to destroy Mozart.

The characters in the play are dressed in the proper attire for the age the story is set in, and for the most part even use the language of the olden days - yet somehow this play has managed to develop a very modern feel. It takes the subject of the play (Salieri's destruction of Mozart) and depicts it in a way that helps man

understand his faults, especially when dealing with conflicts. It also shows that even though we think we've come so far - living in 2003, using computers, driving cars, etc. - there isn't a whole lot that has changed about human nature, and how we choose to deal with conflicts and our fellow human beings.

I was more than impressed with this play as I left the Citadel on opening night. I knew that I would enjoy the play, but I had never imagined that it would make me think about my own life, and



the way I choose to deal with conflicts. I believe this is because the cast of the play brought it to life with such passion. Everyone played their roles so realistically, but I have to give it up to Mathew Edison and David Storch especially. By the end of the play, I thought that Edison had really lost his mind, and Storch, well, he was unrelenting with any emotion he was supposed to have - when he was supposed to be sad, I felt sad too; when he was nervous, as was I; when he felt guilty, I knew exactly why. A great show was also put on by Damien Atkins and Dov Mickelson, who played the Vinticellis. They are a very amusing pair who somehow manage to steal the stage when they are on it. The only cast member who I felt was a little off was Mozart's wife, Constanze (played by Shauna Black). I found her part over-played, and rather annoying. Her voice would waft through the Shoctor Theatre, and I found myself begging her not to speak, or wondering what point her character was trying to get across - I know the pair (Mozart and Constanze) are supposed to be immature, but to this extent??

I was disappointed, as I have seen Shauna Black in various TV shows and in a few films, and have enjoyed the other works that she is credited to - I just found that her character didn't flow on the Citadel Stage as well as the others did.

Amadeus plays at the Citadel until November 30th. Student tickets range from \$25.00 to \$55.00 and adult tickets range from \$40.00 to \$55.00. This is a play that anyone with a sense of humor can enjoy, with or without a whole lot of knowledge of Mozart or Salieri. If you've never been to the theatre, give Amadeus a chance, you will love it. If the theatre is right up your alley, this is one of the best plays you will see all year... in fact, I liked it so much I have plans to see it again.





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Nait Roundup



JUSTIN

It was another weekend of mixed results for NAIT athletics.

The men's basketball team continues to dominate as they improve to 8-0 on the season improve as they after demolishing rivals, Grant MacEwan by scores of 105-70, and 98-66. However MacEwan on Saturday. The got their revenge on the girl's side of the ball by beating NAIT 72-53, and 73-60. The women now fall to 1-7 despite beating 1st place Concordia a week before. The next home action for the Ooks is this Friday as the women face King's University College at 6:30 p.m. followed by the men at 8:30 p.m.

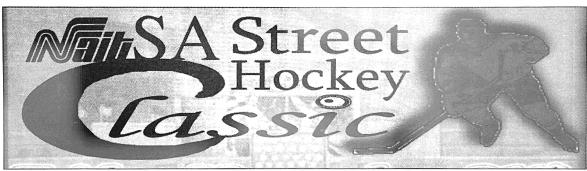
The men's hockey team also saw success this weekend against Augustana as they defeated the Vikings 5-4 and 4-3 in two very hard fought games. The women in the meantime earned a split as they defeated SAIT 4-3 in overtime, before losing to Mount Royal 5-3. The next home ice action for the Ooks is this Friday at 7:00 p.m. as the women will entertain Red Deer College.

It was another tough weekend for the Volleyball crew out of NAIT. The men's team despite getting better each week fell short against Grant MacEwan losing both games, 3 sets to 2. The

Both the men and women's team will be looking to host Portage College ladies get underway at 6:30 p.m. and as usual are followed by the men at 8:00 bells.

women on the other hand continue to struggle and can't seem to win a set, as they fell 3-0 and 3-0 in both their contests against Grant MacEwan. Both the men and women's team will be looking to improve as they host Portage College on Saturday. The ladies get underway at 6:30 p.m. and as usual are followed by the men at 8: 00 bells





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Rink 3	HAWKS	VS.	THE STICKHEADS
Rink 4	TEAM ROCKET	VS.	TEAM MUCK
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Rink 2	THE BALLIN HEFFERS	V8,	GREEN
Rink 3	THE CAT SKINNERS	VS.	SHITTY OILERS
Rink 4	FLYING DUTCHMEN	VS.	THE KAMIKAZES
5:30PM Rink 1	Patrick Division	Tue	THE PANTIE DROPPERS
Rink 2	ANKLE BITERS		FLIPMODE SQUAD
Rink 3	MOOSE		BOOZEHOUNDS
Rink 4	SPACE MONKEYS	VS.	THE HANSONS
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Grey Cup Party in Regina



JUSTIN

Last weekend we saw the 91st Grey Cup as the Eskimos defeated the Al's 34-22. Yes this championship game is known for being close and exciting, but the party surrounding the Grey Cup is just as phenomenal.

With many friends back in Regina I couldn't resist the urge to take a couple days off of school and head down to experience my first Grey Cup and an experience it was. I got to Regina on Friday and holy shit the city was busier than I have ever seen it before. In a city that usually takes ten minutes to drive end to end, you can feel the road rage burning inside you, when it took me close to an hour.

The parties taking place weren't just limited to certain locations but rather the entire city seemed to be one big party the whole weekend. No matter where you went fans from every city that has a CFL team was representing. Even Argo fans were there and up until now I didn't believe they even existed. There were various tents set up by the city and by the Riders and by the CFL where you could get plastered every day and every night not to mention all the bars that heated patios set up just so they could accommodate all the stumbling drunks like myself. On Saturday night I headed to

"Riderville" (the biggest party in the city) only to find a line-up rumored to take 2-hours. That's a little to long for me and my friends, so off we headed to a smaller bar called JD's, a.k.a "Just Dirty's" and that it was, fun bar never the less. They had a Mardi Gras theme that night so they were a lot of beads being thrown around as well as a lot of female body parts (that's in finger quotes) some nice and some not so nice. Anyways that's about I remember that night and I'm not even sure how I made it back to the place I was staying at, although I'm sure it was adventurous.

They Grey Cup itself was quite the extravaganza, where else can you party with 50,000 people. The beer may have been \$5.00 but it was always stayed cold and the prices could have been worse. Besides freezing my ass (if I could actually see my ass I swear they would be frost bite) the game was very entertaining and the crowd got the wave going for about eight minutes in the third quarter.

The game was quite the experience and I don't think I have ever give'ner so hard in one weekend. So if my grammar and wording sucks it's probably because I'm still trying to squeegee out all the alcohol out of my system. Anyways you have never experienced a Grey Cup party I strongly suggest you do next time it's held in Western Canada. I know I'm not going to miss it, this one exceeded all my expectations and my team wasn't even playing in the game.

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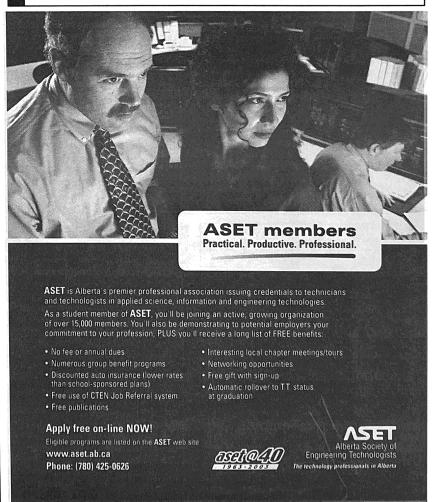
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Born Country

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Deana had a strong set, and was an excellent intro act to the immortal Jo Dee Messina. I may not know diddly about country music, but even I have heard of her. Jo Dee had a great set, I suggest you check out her recently released Greatest hits package. As Jo Dee is pretty darn hot for an older chick, watching her strut her stuff on stage got me.. How shall I say... In the Mood? So I took off after mainstage wound down to the beer gardens stage and had another great night carousing with the ladies. Between you and I, fearless nugget reader, I did good. Real good.

Sunday August 3, 2003

Ok. I gotta stop drinking. I think my liver just went on strike. It was a tad bit difficult to get up this morning, but the story must be told so I sucked it up and headed back to the mainstage at 1. Ya, I said 1 pm. That's early when you've been up partying at the campsites until nigh on five in the morning. People are just so darn friendly. But I digress.

The day started off fine with

Samantha King, Gil Grand, and Joe Nichols performing. These were all good performers, just nothing really got up and grabbed me during any of their sets. Good time filler though.

The real treat started when the Oak Ridge Boys took the stage. These old farts really got the crowd pumped. Their stable of tried and true country favorites did not disappoint. This is when I noticed how truly massive BVJ is. I mean seeing over 20,000 people get their groove on is a spectacle at any time. To see them enjoying country was downright eerie.

Sawyer Brown came next, and excuse the pun but, "The Race Was On"! Sawyer Brown had the massive crowd dancing on their feet to their expansive repertoire of hits. Mark Miller (Lead Singer) even belted out a memorable rendition of one of my all-time favorite tunes, "Kokomo". I was impressed.

And then I was floored. Alan Jackson is god. I have never had so much fun! To my surprise I knew almost all the words to every song.

It was quickly apparent how much the crowd respected his talent, and it was wonderful to see the magic he infused into every tune. Alan's tunes tend to strike at the core, and maybe that's why they are so successful with the masses. Everything about this guy is larger than life, including his tricked-out iet black tour bus of the gods. Run, don't walk to his concert the next time he rolls by.

There were fireworks galore after the show wrapped up and I found myself just a little sad as I walked back towards the campgrounds to start with the final night of partying. Memories were made to last a lifetime and friendships were began and strengthened at every turn. Attending the BVJ should be required at least once in your lifetime, or you haven't truly experienced all this province has to offer. I was impressed by every aspect that the Big Valley Jamboree had to offer, but don't just take my word for it. Go next year. Live it yourself, and see what it's like to be Born Country.

Love Actually



DANI Kent

The term "feel good movie of the year" gets thrown around a lot. But "Love Actually", actually is... The movie shows you several couples with different types of love: new, old, unrequited etc... A fun little quirk is the fact that all the couples are somehow linked to

each other, the relation which you see as the movie progresses. But the film isn't all mush; one of the best parts of the film is when Hugh Grant (the Prime Minister) does a "victory" dance around the house.

Yes, this could be termed as a "chick flick", but the way you feel about love and romance when you leave the theatre makes it a perfect date movie. As a bonus for the guys, two people who fall in love are body doubles fro movie stars, which means that there is a decent amount of nudity (female).

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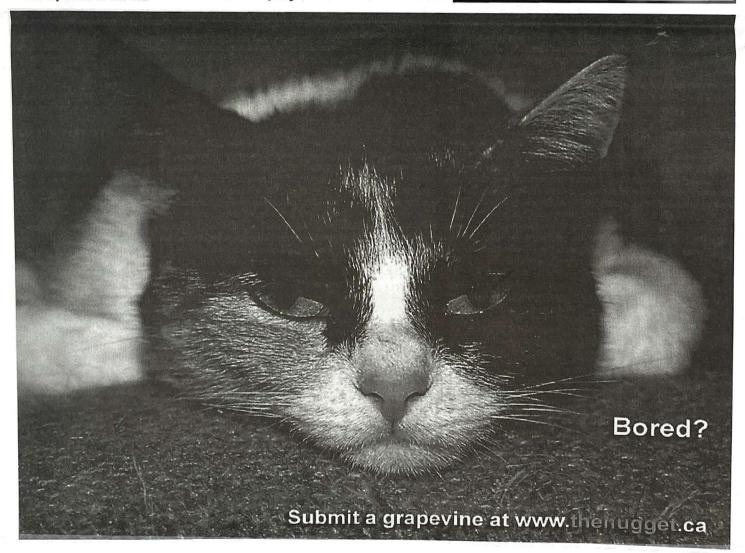
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COMING UP IN E-TOWN



KRISTEN DiRocco

Despistado, a band that hails out of Regina, Saskatchewan, are coming to our fair city November 29th and 30th. I have never seen these guys play before, but I've heard their EP, The Emergency Response, which I love, and I've read a few reviews of their live shows, all with positive responses. When it comes to rawkin' out, these guys know just how to do it. They've got their music all figured out,

Snoop Dogg is coming back!

If ever there was somebody who needed no introduction,

Snoop would definitely be that somebody.

they've put the pauses in the right places, but have left plenty of room for shouts, while still pulling off a laid back attitude on most of their tracks. The show on the 29th is at Queen Alexander Hall, and will cost you 8 bucks. The show on the 30th is at Seedy's, and will likely cost you about the same.

Snoop Dogg is coming back! If ever there was some-body who needed no introduction, Snoop would definitely be that somebody. He's a talented rapper, and a great performer, and there will definitely be more than excitement in the air Tuesday December 9th when Snoop preforms at The Joint. Get your tickets soon - they always sell out. They are \$50, and you can get them at ticketmaster.

THIS WEEK

Friday, November 21st Ludacris is playing at Northlands Agricom, with guests Rascalz and Swollen Members. Tickets are \$39.95 - 49.95, if you're still lucky enough to get some.

Demoscene Outreach hits up NAIT. The show starts at 3:30, and is free.

Granny Dynamite hits up the Urban Lounge.

Saturday, November 22nd Time Warp plays the Yardbird Suite. Tickets are \$16.00.

Hot Hot Heat plays Red's with Metric and The Unicorns. Tickets are \$15.00.

Granny Dynamite is at the Urban Lounge.

Blackie and the Rodeo Kings are at the Sidetrack Cafe. Tickets are \$15.00.

Sunday, November 23rd Simple Plan play Red's with Gob. Tickets are \$20.00

Knee Deep in Grass and McGowan Family Band are playing at rUckUs on Whyte. Tickets are \$5.

Wednesday, November 26th. Michelle Wright is playing the Winspear Center.

Susan Aglukark is at the Ramada Inn.

Thursday, November 27th Veal, Slow Fresh Oil and the Paperbacks are playing the Sidetrack Cafe.

Jason McCoy is at Cook County Saloon.

Firewater hits up the Urban Lounge.

Friday, November 28th

The Floor (CD release party), Hot Little Rocket, Dietzche V. and the Abominable Snowman, and David STone play New City Suburbs.

Nikola Tesla (CD release party), Red Not Evil, Oceans Away, and At Arms Length play the Ark. The show is 7 bucks.

Rhythm Slave plays the Kings Knight Pub

Firewater is at the Urban Lounge











These grapevines were submitted online and have not been edited for spelling and grammar.

There are a number of responses to a submission made by a U of A student directed at NAIT students (Petroleum Engineering to be specific) If you missed it, or would like to read the loser's comments again for reference, it has been posted at www.thenugget.ca. Just follow the "U of A Dickhead" link on the main page.

Any students who would like to make a bible study group for NAIT students e-mail me at naitbiblestud v@hotmail.com No matter where you are at girls and guys are both welcome!

To the person/people who is stalking Olga(s) - holy crap get a life and lay off! Do you really think that by the behavior you have demonstrated to Olga that she is EVER going to want to even talk to you if she ever finds out who you are? I don't care if you're a guy or girl, straight or gay (there's nothing wrong with that!), you're just plain creepy. Get a life. -In defense of Olga

to the university student who wrote about the petroleum tech guy you said he will become a rig pig well guess what rig pigs make more money than you ever will and they don't have any loans to pay off think about it bitch -rig pig

kittn, merci pour me donner la chance de vous connaitre. siete troppo bello -Boi

To the reply in last weeks grapevine about the Jade Cash Machines and the lack of interac in the common market, bite me! A dollar is a bit excessive, plus you have to add on the amount that your bank charges you for using the ATM. So that \$20 withdraw, can cost you up to \$2.50! Maybe your bank statement is too complicated for you, but it does add up! There is no need for an Accounting Diploma to figure that out.

Please explain why the "supervisors" of the computer commons in the HP centre are allowed to have their caffeine infused beverage of choice, but the average student is limited to H2O in a capped bottle? Is it just me, or is something being implied here? -Sick of bottle sucking!

To the crazy one you're such a f*cken sum a\$\$ ORA means Office and Records Administration. You should know that by now because its always all over the newspaper all the time. Next time instead of writing into the paper looking like an a\$\$ why don't you ask

someone

This "Olga" thing is really quite something. I don't know what to make of it. I have to say that it's getting nowhere and it's almost surprising that it's continuing on. Though my only point is toward the Olga or Olgas, I'm not sure if it has been made obvious to you yet, but one of the people who has been tracing your footsteps is a girl, possibly a lesbian or a bisexual, it's not a guy, that was made very clear by your follower over a month ago. Just wanted you to know. Though know that it is NOT me, and I don't even know who you are. My note however to the gay/lesbian community is that I have nothing against any of them. -Chill Penguin

This is to the U of A Student. Yes, some are offended by what you said. We are well aware that we are "technologists". But I fail to feel any respect from you the "engineer". We respect you, since what we do is the dirty work and if you screw up, we could be at risk to injury etc.(worst case scenario). Give us a little respect..saying we have our place in industry came across a bit harsh. Getting your tits in a tangle over someone not adding "technologist" to the name kind of shows a bit of insecurity to me in relation to where you stand in industry. As for Suing, you can't sue someone for more than they are worth. You can fine them though. To close I thought of this joke when I read your column: What the difference between God and an Engineer: God doesn't think he's an Engineer.

I'd like to shout out to that hottie in thrid yr instrumentation. Yes I think you know who u r;). I heard you race bikes, that's awesome. I always see you by the sports equiptment centre. No words are hot enough to say to to you, you're damn fine boy!! Hope to see your sexi self soon!! -Myeyesr4u

Dear Mistah UofA Master you my friend is a fool you say that you didnt like what the petro tech wrote and u write a comment like that .---- Offended TECHNOLOGY student.

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As I sit and stare at the empty void in my life, thoughts fill my mind of the red haired Belle for whom I so desperately desire. Her sent rushes over me like the caress of morning due on summer leaves. How blessed I would be for just one moment to

look into her eyes, becoming lost in her gaze. How complete she is to me. Her kind soul, her gentle heart, her intoxicating bueaty. If only she knew the way in which her presence takes control of my very being. Weak and feeble I become To taste her kiss, to fondle my hand upon hers. Such a pleasure I can only wait. For the anxiety will become me until the instant she conects and we share perfect bliss. Her response, unknown... - masen

To the hot tall blonde DA. Thanks for the charms every time in the HP. You sometimes get coffee at Tims. Anyways, thank's for clearing my vision after seeing all the gay fags over here (sorry, guys).

To: the girl on the #8 bus last Friday morning wearing the white and grey jacket with the green back pack. You are sooooo gorgeous and I get lost in your eyes when I look your way. Are you single? I would like to get to know you, email me at lonelynaitstudent@hotmail.com From: the guy in the big grey jacket with the grey and black touque.

to the fourth semester marketing 800000000000 HOOOOOOOOT. My ladies and I would love to jump all your bones. Nice hair cut to the tall guy. And all your surfer friends.... yum. -wanna touch you guys

to those 2 hot chicks in CST, i think u guys are both amazing, and noticed u noticing me noticing u, noticing me back, and was wondering if maybe could say hi and we can take it from there.

Who is the weird sicko hitton on me in the last paper? sure i got 100% on my C++ exam but i aint gunna sleep with u...??? maybe if u worked harder you might be able to get a good mark urself nerd. Go find a gay bathhouse to releive urself in.... -CV

Mr Sub, Please be more specific on which bombshell you fancy. We were just curious, are you 6 inch or a foot-long?? -Curious Court Reporters

In regards to the submission of the petroleum Eng student, all the business people that replied reinforced his facts. All you guys sound so stupid, and the only thing you can say back is he has a spelling mistake. That is so weak. You guys make me laf. oops I didn't spell 'laugh" correct. You couldn't even come back with valid remarks. The fact of the matter is THE Truth hurts! oh yeah have fun after graduation. -better than business

Ok, so I know that the Eskimos are on their way to the Grey Cup (on the Riders turf) but there is no way that they are going to win. And I'm not sorry to say....I'm with the Alouette's until the end now!!

To the freak that goes around hey, honda's hells angels in IET,

randomly hugging chicks at NAIT and telling them to "smile", if you ever do that to me or anyone else who does not want to be hugged by you ever again, you're gonna get what's coming to you, pal. I don't want you to ever come near me, I don't appreciate people I don't know or care for touching me - in any way! To my fellow school-mates that have also been violated by this individual, maybe we could form some sort of anti-weirdo group? Shout back if you think that's a good idea! -weirded-out chick

A THOUGHT FROM B-RADZ A sewer treatment facility has 100 times better air flow than the washrooms at nait. Its a Fact!

Danielle: I woke up today from my nap and saw the note that you left for me. I guess I am the one you were talking about in your message from last week. I'm very interested to meeting you in person. If you don't mind, maybe we could get to know one another a bit better over coffee or something? Too bad it's going to take another week till you get a chance to read this; Friday afternoons are the best for coffee. Oh well, guess I'll have to wait. Oh, by the way, next time, wake me up, so I can at least say hi in person. -SleepyGuy

Hey Keeeeeysha!! I would sure love to spend more time with you in my sheep car... maybe you could show me around the ol' town and eat some more squid with me. Love seeing you and always thinking of you sweets! Carlos the crazy horse

To the Annex: Every time I walk through your poorly laid out floor plan, every time I get lost in the basement, and every time I fall down those f*cking stairs in the Dock. I realize you're the worst thing to happen to me since I ate that pickled egg. F*cker. -c

the microwaves in the annex: Why don't you breed, we need more than two.

To the f*cker who wrote about my cute little PFT chick in the gym equipment centre: that's my lawn to mow. Get your own foliage. -c

Hey JULIAN BABY!!!! *WINK, WINK* I would like to strat out by saying that the Halloween party at your house was great and that I had a great time (*wink, wink*) and the Quilmyster says Hey too! Tell "Ricky" that I didn't like being tickled in the morning but the night was great! And your bed was awesome! Hopefully we can hook up again. But when we do, you better dance with me....or else!!! Hahahaha....I love y'all and see ya soon babe! -Jewels

To the cute guy who works in the computer commons early it the morning, curly brown hair, sleepy look in your eyes, Single? -Brittany

why don't you come to the DA's office so we can fix your teeth :)Randy guns rus

to the guy from instrumentation who took me home on the BAS pubcrawl a couple weeks ago, I'M LATE!!!i'm in the tower,we should talk. p.s. can i have my belly button ring back? -girl from BAS

I would just like to apologize to the girl i tripped over on the 6th floor on November 10. I didnt get a chance before cuz i couldnt ston laughing, so I am sorry. I hope you have a better day today -Priceless

To the guy who always wears a bandana around his wrist in the Bus Tower: You are so hot! I don't care if you're Blood or Crip either! Holla at cha girl! -Hot in the Tower

Hello, I'm in 2nd vr business program, looking for a study/ study exchange partner who has strong English writing skill. Please contact me at: miss may school@yahoo.com Thank you.

JRB you are without a doubt the hottest punk I've ever layed eyes on But come on ST. LOUIS BLUES, CHRIS PRONGER. NO No its all wrong. Its all about the DALLAS STARS. Mike Modano could so skool Pronger on a one on one...and Whats up with Wade Redden?... I thought he was gay?ILYM....Me!

To the ladies man in the AMC B class...quit hogging all the RTA hotties... -Lookin' for a slice

To Automotive Auto, we understand what the teacher is saying...SHUT THE HELL UP! -McPissed

If you were a owner of a musical instrument, like I am (5 year old Trumpet, bought it new) and was playing in your high school band program and then you move to Edmonton to come here, what do you do with it? Believe it or not, I actually wouldn't mind being apart of a instumental band right now, playing some songs kinda like in high school but more advanced. Where do I look? Anyone share my passion? lol...ps-I'm not a band geek either (I haven't played in a year and would like to continue my lost talent) -A "Not So" Band Geek

Just a note to a certain communications instructor. You're FINE. If you were a book I would "Read" you till I couldn't read anymore. I don't usually check out guys that could be my dad's age, but I must say, you're not the average guy, you're a man. I've noticed there's no ring on that lockdown finger of yours. What's up with that? You could be a real player, where your game at? -Impressed

I wrote the comment last week in the Grape Vines about people who play video games in the NAITrium by "themselves" or when they play multiplayer games with "ONLY



their friends". I would just like to say Thank You to the person who brought in a game cube and offerred everyone else to play Super Smash Bros, Thank You very much I quite enjoyed that. I only wish I had more time to stay and play, hope to see you again. -Rokusho

I would just like to say in response to "Master Yoshi" who wrote in the Grape Vines a few weeks ago regarding the Nintendo players who play Super Smash Bros, Thank You for your polite regard, most appreciated. I should just like to say, that as you and others keep the volume on the games down it is most appreciated. However, as you have pointed out some of the players have a tendency to scream and make loud noises, if that could be brought down to a minimal it would be most appreciated, Please and Thank You.

This is to all students that walked by the telephone by the North Lobby by the fresh express and this is the phone that is near the computer lab I left my big red tool box with all my culinary Arts tools about 1 hr ago if anyone finds it please contact me my initials mk is on it A reward will be given when my tool box is returned. You can contact me at kliparchukmatthe@hotmail.com or drop it off at the culinary arts office

Hey Racquetman in the sport equipment desk. The new staff may be getting all the grapevines but you have the nicest skin and great swimmers! I have almost recovered from the latest badminton incident, no stitches needed! Pizza patrol rules. —Cougar

Cougar, you are my only reason for comming to NAIT every day. Well you and the fact that I need the paycheque, but that's beside the point. If things don't pan out for you and the volleyabll-boy, or that guy with the "luscious" lips, or that rich guy who wants to marry you, look my way. I'll rock your world. PS you look dead sexy in those handlebars...I mean pigtails. -Racquetman

To all those losers taking part in their little binary code contest. Do you people really have nothing better to do with your time? How about talking to a girl, maybe make some friends. Instead of sitting on your computer, go out on a Friday night, who know's maybe you'll get a round of skull and never look at a computer again. -Painkiller

Dear Jen: On the Pub crawl on friday. We cut a rug like no other on the dancefloor at Standard. Somehow i lost you but i was left wondering and wanting more of you...-dazed and confused

Yo, that BAS Pubcrawl was off da' hook!!! Peace man, I'm out. -Grand Funkmaster of Funk

To the girl on that takes the route 72 bus to MillGate TC at 7:10 AM from The Meadows that I see

all the time: I really think your cute......Just thought you should know. -CIVIL1 Guy

TO the random guy that hugged me in the hallway, im late. and you aint gonna be able to hug yourself outa this one... -Fish

Hey buddy, if you need to get tips from me, the guy who has to resort to randomly hugging people, you need more help than I can offer. Try doctor Stu eh? And as for me why not? it's Thrilling and Original, and all about being a life-sized teddybear. -TheHugMonster

This is to the hottie in locker E2 073. Damn you fine girl! If you want write back in the grapevines to CmC or e-mail me: corvette2002au@hotmail.com I can make all your fantacies cum true ;-) -CmC

TO OLGA'A LOVER(S)...Wow, I always wanted a fan club!!!...Can I be President?? So how many of you are there?? See, this is funny, cuz I'm taken, but if I wasn't...well it wouldn't matter... P.S- I'm not into kinky threesomes, in case you were gonna ask this next week...I have a feeling I know who you are...I'm watching you...but I'm sure not in the bad/nasty way you're watching me...sick sick sick...ahhhh!!!

To the amazing, talented, and beautiful Jolynn in RTA: I LOVE YOU!-Aguytoo afraid you'll say no

Okay, what the hell? Don't you just hate it when there is always this ONE person in your class that always complains about everything...For example, I'm in my Accounting class, and this one girl ALWAYS complains to the whole class and the teacher whenever she doesn't do so well on a test. Ohhh and what pisses me off even more is that whenever she thinks that she did realllly great on a test, she's always got this f*ckin smirk on her face cuz she feels so good inside knowing that she'll be expecting a high mark on it. Not only that, omg, I hate it when she's like "well, I could have had a higher mark if only I did " Holy shit man, "I could have, should have, would have" BLAH BLAH BLAH. You didn't do it so shut the hell up. And if you did DO it, you'd still have that smirk on your face, and we'd all STILL be on the same boat. -so what

MOM are you out there? if you think you know who this is...write back.

To Girly Devil Come on by the office anytime you want for a tour. My "office" is always open. Nathan

Hey hawt gurl I just wanted to let you know that I am available and that if you could so some action when I am next to you that way I would know who you are and I would come talk to you instead. Baby I don't bite so please don't be shy -Tall Azn Guy

Some people at NAIT are REALLY stupid. For instance, there was two times when I was on the elevator and we stopped to let someone off-and there was two different people on two different occations who said-oh is this elevator going up? Well c'mon are you THAT FRICKIN BLIND that you cant see the triangle that lights up, depending on whether the elevator is goin up or down? It's not fu(kin rocket science to figure out which way the elevator is goin. And I thought we were supposed to be getting smarter by goin to NAIT!!! -With Caution

What's with the f*cking millions of smokers outside the tower. Like do you need a smoke after every class?? Here is a piece of advice...GET ON THE PATCH -Non-Smoker

To the guy who told all students not taking courses in the HP center to stay out...learn to share. By the way, I am one of those fine tower chicks you guys are always asking to come over there, so which is it, come on over...or stay away? -HP computer user

To Allen in business, Dude, you ARE the clumziest receiver ever! Thanks for unplugging the compactor for us gals! -The Best Produce Gal Around

I am "the 3rd OLGA"...Who are you??...I think the 3 OLGA's would like to know...I have a feeling that your declaration of "love" wasn't m e...*sob*...riiiight...P.S-The feelings you talk about...I have no feelings for something I know nothing about P.P.S- I have a nice ass, but I'm no "voluptuous" as you put it...Now be a man, and get some balls!!!-the 3rd OLGA

Bit, You suck learn how to use a computer. Get it together SON!!!
-Your Mom

To Susie Nickels and Stacy Nickels: YOU GIRLS ROCK!! luv Sandy Nickels

My little cons. eng: Seeing as how I have given you some time to think this over and you haven't written back it must mean you are thinking it over. Just to let you know, I will wait for you to write me back and hope you do. I still see you in the hallways and will always treasure that time we spoke and hope we will speak again soon. I hear the guys in your class talking about my notes but you don't seem to be into it. By the way, I loved your hair a little longer like you had it before although it looks just as sexy short and spiky, but I'd love to run my fingers through it when it's longer. It'll give me something to hold onto when we, eh hem, get to know each other better. mmmmm

Ya! I paid \$430 smackers for this ski trip...Im sayin, it better be damn well worth it.. i scraped out every pennies left under my couch and sacrificing many weekends for this trip.. i mean with an ASS FACTOR

To the cocky asshole who is a U of A Masters student that took up 50 lines in last week's grapevine...get over yourself. I'm going to be out of school in two years, pay way less for tuition, and have a couple years of work experience before you are done your education. Being a technologist sure sucks hey. By the way, your fiancé still owes me for the other night. Later douche bag.

Sk8boys, Thank you for the compliments, but sorry guys, my voracious appetite is more than completely satisfied by my one and only.:) Sk8gurl

To the guy in the annex, stop flirting and ask me out already!!!! -wanting you!!

This is a weak attempt at a pick up line, and it goes out the the Lovely BRUNETTE, who wore BLUE MITTENS on the route 130 last friday around 2:30. You got a fine assed bell girl, let me see you jingle it baby. Yeow! Seriously though, lets get outta here and have some fun? I was the dood with the flavored shirt, and redish hair. -Ano nstalkingInterestedsingleguy

To the real Hos Pos...
Glenna, Roch, Dev & Beck...
You girls rock! I'm so glad we get
to hang out all the time.
Love J. Bear!

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Esks Win Grey Cup



JUSTIN Huculak

It's been a long ten years without a championship in Edmonton. But that all changed this past Sunday in Regina where the Edmonton Eskimos defeated the Montreal Alouettes 34-22 in the 91st installment of the Grey Cup.

The MVP in this year's game

was a surprise for most fans. It wasn't Ricky Ray, Mike Pringle, or Terry Vaughn. It was Jason Tucker, whose efforts usually go unnoticed, but yet always contributing. Tucker shined in this year's Grey Cup gathering 132-yards on seven receptions, two of which went for touchdowns.

The game itself saw Edmonton jump out to a commanding 14-0 lead and Ray and company seemed to be in cruise control. But, the high octane Alouettes were not going to be blown out and Anthony Calvillo rallied his team and tied the game at fourteen apiece. By

the end of the first half the entire crowd of 50,000+ at Taylor Field were on the edge of their seats with the score 24-21 Edmonton.

After allowing 21 points in the

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second quarter the Eskimo defence knew they had to step it up if they wanted to hold on to their lead, and step it up they did. The Edmonton "D" allowed only one point the entire second half and all but shut down Calvillo and his explosive receiving core.

The 34-22 victory was even sweeter for Mike Pringle who was unceremoniously dumped by Montreal last year, thinking he was washed up. Pringle proved the "Don" wrong this year and especially in the Championship game as he scored the first touchdown of the game and added 70-yards on only seven carries.

The Eskimos now must face reality and start looking ahead to next year, as a few key players may not be returning. Pringle who is 36 years of age said he always dreamed of going out like John Elway, as a champion so in other-words he's contemplating retirement. Then there's the 24-year old quarterback phenom Ricky Ray, who in all likely hood has played his last game in the CFL. For the ladder part of the season Ray has been seriously scouted by many NFL teams and will most likely be playing ball (or holding a clip board) south of the border next year.

The win marked the 12th Grey Cup victory in franchise history and should also silence those "city people" who wanted to change Edmonton's slogan: "City of Champions" to something else or at least for the time being.



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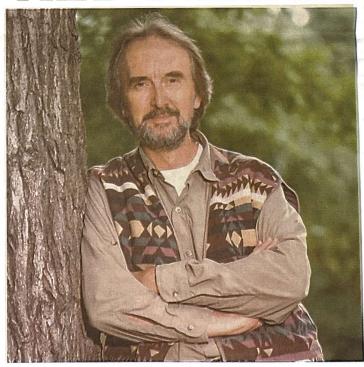
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