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# Better safe than Sorry



DANI Kent

Do you know what lurks around that next corner at NAIT? Apparently, nothing! According to NAIT's liaison officer Const. Vogan, NAIT is one of the safest campuses around. However, this doesn't mean that you should start walking alone at night in the parkades without a second thought. It's very important to consider the fact that every neighborhood in the city changes at night and you need to be more aware. This especially concerns students when going out for a night of merriment. "Everyone has the right to act and dress as they want and have a good time, but know that not everyone will respect that and will try to take advantage, so you have to ensure that you are smart and assess your

surroundings." states Vogan.

It's important to remember that when under the influence, the decision process is greatly altered. The best course of action when going-out, especially for women, is to make a plan. Know who and how you're getting home, and remember that there is safety in numbers. If you are alone at closing time, generally you can find a bouncer or other staff member who will escort you to your car or cab.

If you run into any trouble at NAIT, security is on-call around the clock and can be reached by the yellow-box help phones or by dialing 7477 on any beige internal phone. Security would rather show-up to a false alarm than have it reported later. The biggest factor to be aware of for your own safety around NAIT or anywhere is to be careful at night and know the neighborhood changes. "It's the times we live in, not the neighborhoods." says Vogan.



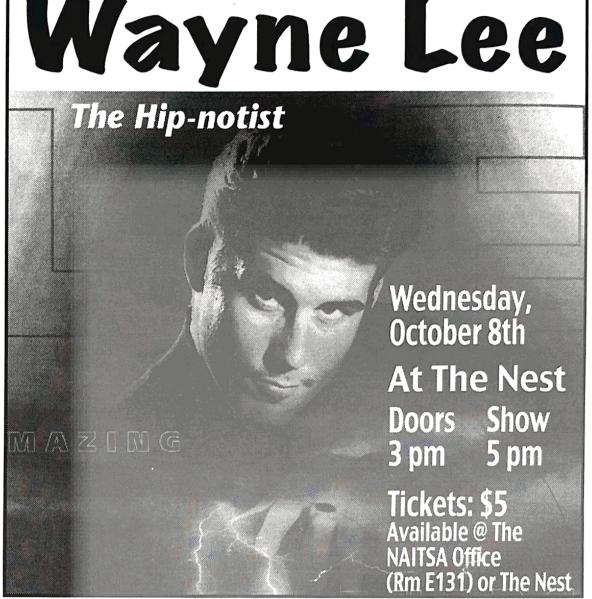
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# Let's Hear It!



DWAYNE Johnson

Once more I've decided to help change things up a bit this year for the ol' Nugget. Spawned from the idea of the brains in the Nugget office; I shall be bringing you a new feature every now and then, which brings YOU the people of NAIT from simply words on paper...to FACES!

Yuppers. The powers that -monkey's with cigars really-have allowed me to take the trusted Nugget camera out and about. I was allowed to ask the people of NAIT some questions that I could pick out myself...as you shall soon find out...we have some very interesting characters in our community. So I decided to hit up the 8th floor of the business tower. Known for its sweet view of downtown Edmonton, and attractive ladies...who better to ask my first "Let's Hear It!" question.

The question this week:

"What is the grossest thing that has been in your mouth?"



Name: Alina Course: Marketing Experience: "Expired milk with my cereal"



Name: Cody Course: Bus. Admin. Experience: "A pocket full of pennies!"



Name: Jamie Course: Bus. Admin. Experience: "A Blueberry Nutrigrain Bar"



Name: John Course: Bus. Admin. Experience: " A 'Swamp' mix of Alcohol"



Name: Mike Course: Bus. Admin Experience: "Gas...when I was siphoning gas"



Name: Nicole Course: Finance Experience: "Wet cat food"



Name: Paula Course: Finance Experience: "Dry cat food!"



Name: Sherard Course: Bus. Admin. Experience: "A Big Mac from McDonalds"



Name: Tamara Course: Bus. Admin. Experience: "An accidental sip from my BF's chewing tobacco cup" Online Student Submission

# The Need For Speed

STAN D.

Well, to start off I suppose I should tell you that as I sit in front of this monitor, the song Fast Cars by Craig David shakes the walls around me... So tell me what is it about automakers that think that today's modern drivers thirst for fast cars?

Yes I do drive a fast car, but hey I'm talking about the people who can afford the new cars. I mean lets face it, I go to NAIT, I'm only 18 years old, and I'm a guy. So after I pay off school, settle my debts, invest in a new car, pay the insurance, I'll have enough money to buy a pin that says, "I'm a Safe Driver", and never see the road again, (atleast legally).

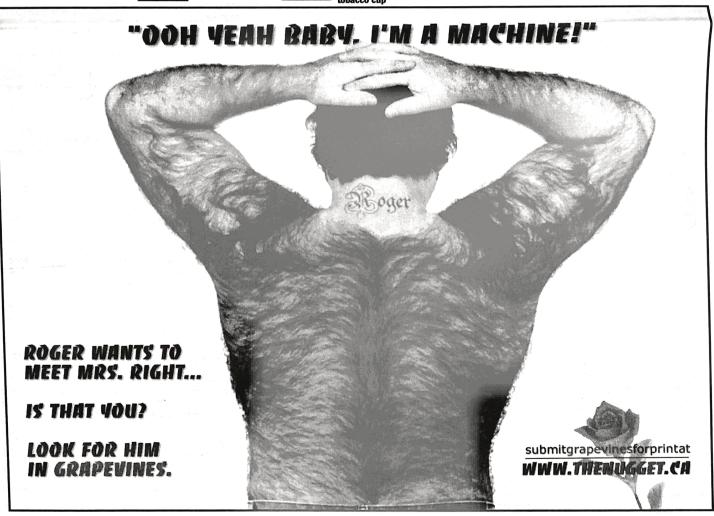
So why do all the (old) people who can afford new cars, need so much power under the hood? For example, the Mercedes SL 55 AMG, with a maximum top end speed of 300 Km/Hr is a family sedan? Or the Lexus 2003 IS 300 Sport Sedan powered by the 3.0 litre, in-line 6 cylinder 24 valve VVT-I, which pumps out

a quick 6.8seconds 0-60 range. "Quick mom! We'll never get to Wal-Mart in time for the sale!".

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How about this one, the standard 3.0-liter SOHC 24-valve V6 engine in the Sebring Coupe LXi pumps out 200 peak horse power at 5,500 rpm. Which—without a doubt—leaves all us Honda and Toyota drivers inhaling dust from the now reminiscent beast that once rode infront of you.

Although, on the brighter side, I suppose that this why we are all here today at NAIT furthering our education... in order to one day (many years from now) understand the mentality of this generations automaker.





# OPINION



# From The Ladies...



#### Dear Dr. Stu,

I'm thinking of ending my relationship of 2.5 years. I'm realizing that my boyfriend's just not the guy I want to spend the rest of my life with. As I've been thinking about breaking it off for awhile, I've been checking out the men here at NAIT. There are quite a few potential men but I'm not sure how I would go about approaching them. In fact, I have a hard enough time approaching men at the bar when they probably won't even remember the next day. Have any tips or suggestions for me to pick up some new and interesting men? - Shy Girl

#### Dear Shy,

Sure I do, take your shirt off and wave at them. No, just kidding. If it's a relationship you're after, guys don't like women (as girlfriend material) that are too forward at first. We'd rather be the pursuer, it's in our blood to be the hunter. Guys love the challenge, it makes the reward better. If it's some quick ass your after, it is totally safe to approach the men you want to get with and let them know your

intentions. All single men will be open to forward advances, trust me (see letter below). You need to somehow get over your shyness, and that could be something that is tough to rectify. Good luck. *Dr. Stu* 

#### Dear Dr. Stu,

I'm a first year who's been looking for a man. I see many hotties around our beautiful campus, but I never have time to talk to any of them. How do I get to know (if you know what I mean) one of them between classes? Please help me Dr Stu - Lookin'

#### Dear Lookin',

I'm not sure if I know what you mean. You can get to know me (if you know what I mean) between classes any day. Hell, you can get to know me (if you know what I mean) at any time of any day. The trick is to be straight with a man. I promise you, there isn't a single guy on the planet that will say no to a hot chick that's looking for someone to get to know (if you know what I mean).

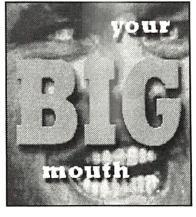
#### Dear Dr. Stu,

You see, I have this problem. I've have this great boyfriend for 2 years. BUT....I found out he likes to cross-dress. I don't know what to do. At first, I cried, I yelled, I even almost broke up with him. He says he will never

cross-dress again, but my trust for him is lost because he's promised me over 20 times that he would not cross-dress again but I keep catching him. I don't want to break-up with him, but he keeps hurting me with this C.D. thing. Other than that, he is just awesome. I think I understand why he wants to C.D. (He was raised in a family with no male, but 6 females). I want this relationship to last, but I can't marry him if i don't trust him. Please teach me how to rebuild my trust towards him. - Candy

#### Dear Candy,

If your "man" hasn't already dicked around on you with another man, he will soon. He's experimenting now, and his sexual fantasies will grow and grow and grow. That's normal human behavior. Unfortunately for you though, his fantasies are growing farther and farther away from heterosexualism. He's not going to stop, so you either join him or run away. Those are your choices. Asking him to stop won't work; he'll simply improve his concealing methods. Let's face it anyways, Candy; it wouldn't be all that bad if you let him dress like a chick. You'll be able to borrow his make-up whenever you want and your wardrobe will double when you move in together! Dr. Stu.



What the hell is with the printing credits in the tower? \$7.50? What happened to \$50? Was anyone told there was going to be a change? Where is my \$40 balance from last semester? WHAT IS THAT ELEARNING FEE FOR? OOKMAIL? That piece of crap doesn't work 40% of the time for me. I feel like I'm being held upside down by my ankles and shaken for every penny and never getting any value added. I never thought I would ever experience road rage while sitting at a desk. Thanks NAIT!

## Restroom habits of normal people:

1) Take dump. 2) Flush toilet.

Restroom habits of NAIT students:

1) See someone else's shit floating in toilet. 2) Flush toilet. 3) Take dump. 4) Leave your shit in toilet for others to see.

My point: FLUSH THE FUCKIN'
TOILET AFTER YOU TAKE A
SHIT!!

Side note: ever wonder about the toilets that have logs floating in them but no toilet paper with it? Hmmmm.

#### LIFE and LOVE

I'm not a writer or a philosopher, but I feel the need to share what I've learned about life in the 2 decades that I've been on this, at times, miserable planet. I hope to use this article to show people things about myself that I haven't even shown the closest people in my life, nor do I want them to see. Which is why I remain anonymous.

We all know how it goes: we go to the bar, we have to many drinks, and we end up in the same place you were the week before; telling some girl that you love her, when all you really hope is that she is already gone when you

wake up, right?

I have only one friend that I can talk to about anything, and I have. I've told her things about myself that I would never tell anyone. I'll probably even send her a copy of this article if it makes the paper. She's one of my best friends, which is why we've agreed never to date. We're the same person just trapped in different bodies. I love her but I'm not in love with her, if that makes any sense. We've talked for hours and hours about men and women and how things really are. This is what we've both agreed on.

- 1) Both men and women are shallow, just in different ways.
- 2) A nice ass is essential; man or woman
- 3) Sex almost always screws things up
- 4) Stereotypes are accurate up to 99%, (ie. She looks like a whore, therefore she must be a whore)
- 5) In general, people are retarded when it comes to love. The most important agreement,
- 6) True love exists

The question is where do we find it? With odds of 1 in 6 billion to find our soul mates, most people give up on true love and dive into relationships out of fear. Fear of being alone, being considered a freak, who knows? I know people who cant be single. If they breakup with their girlfriend they have someone else already in line, Why? I write not out of fear but, for the hopes that I will learn where I will find her, and how long she is going to keep me waiting, before I feel complete. I know I sound completely retarded and pathetic, but I need to know these things, Why? Who Knows?

If this makes the paper, and I hope it does, you can reach me online, rockheadsucks@yahoo.co m. Keeping in mind that I want to remain anonymous I won't reveal anything about myself. So all you will know me as is rockhead. Next time a more grime topic.

P.S I am a firm believer in true love, but am yet to find it. I know that she's out there and I know that I will find her. Until I do, I'll just get drunk and meet random, and often very friendly women, until she appears. I hope to find her soon. – Rockhead

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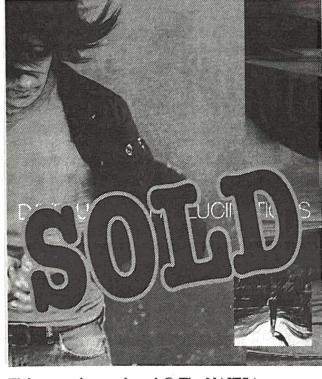
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# OPINION



# How To Be Successful Sup? in Math Courses

MARGARET Marean **NAIT Student** Counselling Centre

Post secondary math courses generally go at about twice the pace of high school courses so you are expected to absorb new material much more quickly.

Math is learned mostly doing problems, not by memorizing. Therefore, most of your math study time should spent on working through problems. Many students need to spend 2 hours of study time for every class hour of math. The by memorizing. good news is that by regularly doing problems you won't have to study extensively for math your math study time exams. To make your study time most effective try following these tips:

Attend class every day and take complete step-by-step notes.

- New material builds on what you have already learned. Take responsibility for studying, recognizing what you do and don't know, and getting help with concepts you don't comprehend.
- The best way to learn a topic is to teach someone else. If you can explain a concept to

a classmate you know that you really understand it.

Apply Pólya's four-step process to problem solving:

2. Understand the problem. Read through the problem to get an overview. Reread it to identify exactly which quantity the problem is asking you to find a solution for. It sometimes helps to underline key parts. It is

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always a good idea to guesstimate an answer.

3. Devise a plan - Convert word problems into mathematics find equations which describe relationships among the variables and describe the goal of the problem). Use one of the

- Think of every formula or definition that might be relevant to the problem
- Work backwards; ask "What do I need to know in order to get the answer?"
- Look for a pattern
- Draw and label a picture, diagram, or table
- Solve a simpler related problem
- Guess and test
- Relate the problem to similar examples in your notes or text
- As you progress in your course many problems will require several steps. Break these problems down into smaller pieces and solve each piece.
- Carry out the plan
- When you work homework problems write out complete solutions as if you were writing a test answer.
- Try to do your homework without looking at your notes. Referring to your notes only if you get stuck will make test taking easier.
- If your answer is wrong rework the complete problem. Don't just convince yourself that you know where you went
- 5. Look back. Always check that your solution:
- looks "reasonable" according to your guesstimate
- is in the proper form
- is answering the question you were asked to answer

If you're having trouble get help

- Set up an appointment with your instructor.
- Form a study group brainstorm solutions to difficult questions together.
- Use the Tutorial Centre on campus (Room A133) or hire a peer tutor (sign up at the Student Counselling Centre, Room



**FURIOUS** George

If you have spent the last 5 years in a closet, you may not know about this thing called MSN Messenger. Like most of us, you've heard of it, or if you're like me, you use it on a daily basis. It's a rather cool way of communicating world wide in real time via your computer on the Internet. You used to be able to simply chat with friends, but they've improved on things like file transferring, video conferencing, singles profiles, and more.

It's a very powerful and influential tool for today's computer users both young and old. It's even created it's own language. It's like a new easy version of English. First, to save time on a keyboard, we started using acronyms for certain phrases like lol, brb, or fu, Your tone can even be in print, like FU! or LOL! (capitals are considered shouting in the cyberworld).

It's always evolving though. now wrds r shortned & capitals are omitted so we don't have 2 type 2 much, the oza day, my nefu sed 2 me, "sup?", when i went onine. Of course cuz i wuz bisy at da time, i didn't reply... zen he says, "uncle, that means how are you?". "yeh i no", I sed. "I 'stand da jargin".

i know he onle gave me the heds up cuz the langwadge is changing daylee online. he's 14 yo ryte now and i wonder if he'll lern to spell corectly or not. i ges da onle way 2 find out if msn is gonna hurt da gramer we all wuns cherished is by w8ing it out. we'll just hav 2 c. at leeced they're becoming reely gud typers. LMAO

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# FEATURE



# The Ghosts of E-Town



KRISTEN DiRocco

In a city that has been developing for 200 and some years, you have to expect that there is a surprise around every

to have seen the apparition of Archie, it doesn't happen often. He's much more likely to let you know he's around in a bit more of a creative way....

Heading into the downtown area, we have the Hotel MacDonald - the Hotel on the Hill. If you don't know what I'm talking about, you can find it at 10065 - 100 Avenue, right off of

history also, having previously been a fire station, and then being revamped almost 50 years ago to what it is today. Apparently the theatre is home to some very active apparitions, witnessed by many people at many different periods of time. It is also not uncommon to hear the clicking of a horse's hooves, or the ringing of the fire bell.

Down a little ways from the theatre, just off of Saskatchewan Drive, there is a replica of the old train station which houses a nightclub and bar now. The windows give patrons and staff

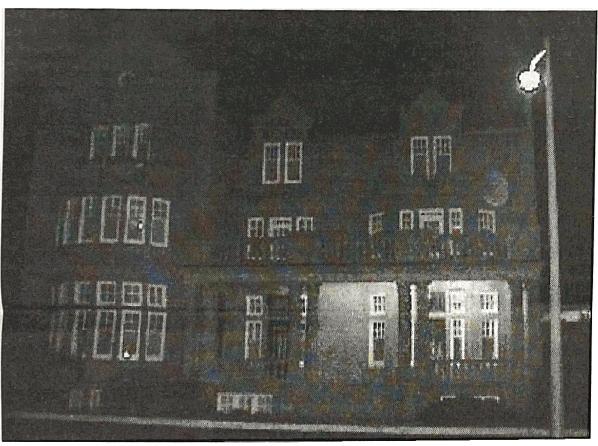
Sometimes in the hallways the clip-clop of hooves is heard walking by you, but no one has actually ever seen the horse.

a pretty good view of the railroad tracks, and it is said that some nights you can see the figure of a lady standing on the tracks, swinging a lantern, looking for something that she will never find.

The final stop on our tour is on the corner of Fox Drive and the

Whitemud. That's right, good old Fort Edmonton Park. I don't think that there is a building on that site that isn't haunted, but more so than the others is definitely the Firkins House. The house was built in 1912, and again the ghost is believed to be a former tenant of the home. He is apparently a young man, who doesn't hide his presence one bit. The house itself is beautifully preserved, and the ghost has decided that it is his home. When the house was donated to Fort Edmonton Park, and moved from it's previous location, the ghost went with the house. Staff now see him from time to time (visitors of the park do too) but he doesn't bother anyone, he'll simply appear in the distance, and disappear before you can get too close.

In fact, no one that works in or around any of these buildings seems to be too disturbed by any of their ghosts. There has never been any problems with any of them - if anything, they are more a form of entertainment to us than a hindrance. Plus, they are history. Some of the buildings that they occupy are some of the oldest and most important landmarks that Edmonton has had as it has grown up and changed over the years. But with a history behind you like Edmonton has, what else do you expect?



Government House has been said to be haunted by a ghost named "Archie."

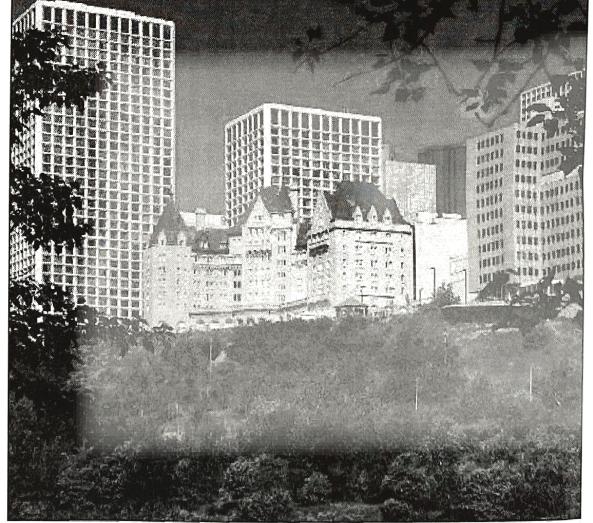
corner. Places you go every day have their hidden secrets. For example, did you know that The Globe downtown used to be a morgue? You wouldn't believe the amount of people who have been in and out of some of these old buildings downtown - generation after generation. Some went to work, some to live, and over the years some died. The story goes that some of these spirits have been slower than usual to leave the earthly world. The beginning of fall is the best time to go on a ghostly tour, and I've got the dirt on some of the most infamous hauntings in the city!

Let's start with the Government House, which is a building on the grounds of the Provincial Museum of Alberta. The address is 12845 - 102 Ave. The house itself is where the Lieutenant Governor used to live a long time ago. The ghost, who the staff has named Archie, is said to have been a former tenant of the house. He is known to to travel from building to building on the grounds, rattling chandeliers, and making loud noises. Although there are witnesses who claim

Jasper Ave. The staff don't like to admit to the presence in their hotel, but it is felt. During the construction of the hotel, horses were used to do much of the transporting of materials. It is said that one of the horses died, but continues to monotonously do his duty in the afterlife. Sometimes in the hallways the clip-clop of hooves is heard walking by you, but no one has actually ever seen the horse.

A few blocks away from there, at 10425 - 99th street, you'll find the McKay Avenue School. This building was constructed in the early 1900's, and was the home to the very first session of Alberta Legislation. The ghost, who's name is Peter, is said to be one of the workers who constructed the building, who fell to his death on the job one day. This guy has a reputation for being feisty, letting you know he's around by presenting himself, or playing with the lights or shuffling paper, things of that nature.

Going across the bridge now, we arrive at the Walterdale Playhouse, 10322 - 83 Avenue. This building has an extensive



Hotel MacDonald has been said to be haunted by a "ghost" horse galloping in the hallways.



# Battle

#### Cold Virous Relentless



DANI Kent

A nasty cold virus seems to be running rampant on the NAIT campus. While desperately surfing the Internet to find ways to defend myself, I came upon some interesting points I thought might be useful to everyone.

It seems that cold symptoms follow a pattern:

- 1. Symptoms will appear 1-3 days after the virus has taken hold in your body,
- The first indication of the infection is usually scratchiness or tickling in the throat,
- After a few hours your nose will become stuffy and you will experience general feelings of discomfort.
- Within 48 hours the cold is fully developed and will last between 4-14 days.

While suffering this viral attack, McKinley Health Center recommends doing the following to help alleviate your symptoms. REST - Rest and sleep more than usual during this time. This is especially important in the first 72 hours. Getting 8-10 hours of sleep each night gives your body a better opportunity to combat the

FLUIDS - Drink plenty of liquids. To be sure you get enough each day, drink at least one ounce of water for every 1 kg. or 2 lbs. of body weight. Fluids help to keep the mucus more liquid and easier to clear out, and help to prevent complications such as bronchitis and ear infections.

Broth or chicken soup are excellent when you have a cold because they soothe your throat, or you can try juices. Alcohol and drinks containing caffeine in large quantities are not the best fluid replacement since they can mask dehydration.

STOP SMOKING - Smoke irritates the bronchial passages, prolonging the cold symptoms. Refrain from smoking if at all possible.

If this cold has not caughtup with you yet, there are a few preventative measures you can take. The first and best defense is to wash your hands frequently. Also avoid coming into close contact with anyone who has a cold, including sharing drinks, cigarettes etc... Eating properly and getting enough sleep (if these things exist for a typical NAIT student) will help boost your immune system. More in-depth information on colds can be found at http://www.mckinley.uiuc.edu.

# A Constant Textbook Theft

#### Cris Basualdo Reads & Needs

Let's face it, post-secondary education is expensive. With tight budgets, the loss or theft of textbooks can be a very hard pill to swallow. Unfortunately, this is something that occurs on many campuses and NAIT is no exception. Criminals try to return the books to the bookstore or sell them to other students for financial gain.

Students can protect themselves from textbook thefts. Here are some suggestions:

- Do not leave your books unattended, even for a short while. You should always keep them with you. Even in a classroom there is potential for theft.
- Never leave your backpack out of your sight. In a crowded place, it could be taken very easily. Make sure you carry it securely so that no one can grab it and run. In the washroom, make sure you take it into the stall with
- Do not leave your books in your car unless you lock them in the trunk
- If you store your books in a locker, use a high-quality lock suitable for the purpose. Campus

Reads & Needs sells locks recommended by NAIT Security. Double check the lock to see that it is secure before you leave your locker.

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- Book theft should be immediately reported to NAIT Security at 471-7747.
- You should report the theft to the Customer Service Supervisor (Cris at 491-3110) at Campus Reads & Needs as well. As long as there are identifying marks on your books, if someone should try to return them, we will attempt

rightful owner.

Keep checking with the Lost and Found at NAIT Security on a regular basis.

Campus Reads & Needs is committed to reducing of textbook theft. We monitor our refunds closely. Students should know the following details of our refund and security policies:

- Students must present the entire original receipt and a valid student ID when returning books for a refund. Refund transactions are electronically recorded and we monitor them on an ongoing basis.
- We do not require receipts for our book buyback. However, the student must still produce a valid student ID.
- The store is under video-Video images surveillance. have been successfully used to prosecute shoplifters and fraudulent refunders. The store also employs undercover security.
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NOTE: Our office is currently located in Room E133, but we will eventually be moving into Room E125 sometime in September.



## **SHINERAMA 2003**



# Shinerama 200

#### JEN Grundke

Well, thanks to all the tremendous support of all you NAIT students, Shinerama 2003 is starting to wrap up for this year...all that's left to do is sell those Shinerama VIP Cards (which by the way are only \$20, good for many clubs around town, and you can pick one up in the NAITSA office...) and a few bar nights.

So, lets rewind life a couple weeks or so... okay stop... Shinerama Week was September 8-13 2003. Now I look back and say, "hummmmm, what did we do?" Well, we parked a dunk tank outside of the business tower and dunked many 'important' officials such as the program head of TELECOMMUNICATIONS Reg Westley, the COMMUNICATIONS Terence Fitzgerald, VP OPERATIONS Francisco Sarango, the NAITSA ACCOUNTANT David Veilleux, DIRECTOR OF STUDENT LIFE Al Morrison, and the list goes on... a new and successful event for Shinerama.

Fast-forwarding a bit we all went down to Cowboys for a Shine party on September 9, 2003. The NAITSA crew: Jeremy Coules, Francisco Sarango, Jaimy Cloutier, and myself sold suckers to raise a little extra dough. It was an excellent night that will be added to the memory bank of good times.

The next event was on the Thursday at Rum Jungle, again the NAITSA crew, with the addition of David Veilleux, and Terence Fitzgerald sold suckers in support of Shinerama 2003. This event, unfortunately, was not as well attended, but still smokin'.

Saturday was the big day. Seventy-seven volunteers showed up at the crack of dawn to enjoy a free pancake breakfast in the Nest, and then to do a shoeshine blitz across the city. On that single day NAIT volunteers managed to raise \$4,500 through shining shoes and washing cars. At the end of the night, we went on a pub-crawl to celebrate. I would like to send a special thanks to all of you volunteers that came out, hugs n' kisses to each and every one of you.

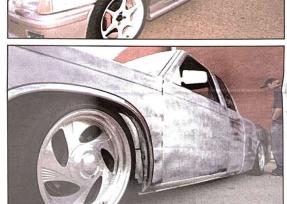
Friday, September 19 was the date that we rescheduled the First Annual Shinerama Show and Shine. The 22 cars and trucks that participated were parked outside the Nest for your enjoyment. The cars were placed into different classes based on body appearance, engines, suspension, hydraulics (and yes we did have rides with

hydraulics), loudest loudest sound system, and the list goes on... and on... and on... well, a mini-van won the sound competition and a hot pink t-bird received the peoples choice award. A big thanks goes out to our sponsor GC Customs and V8 Less for their support for the show and (of course) Shinerama. Also, the show featured an X-Box road rally tournament (sponsored by Presentation Services Audio Visual) where visitors to the beer gardens could race a few laps around the track. Another highlight to the event was an old car that was used in a car smash to raise a little extra money for charity. In the end, the car was completely compacted by the students at NAIT.

Well, in the end, we just have to keep pushing those VIP Cards and we will, without a doubt, reach our grand total of \$60,000!

Thanks again to all those who helped out, and we will do it again next year!







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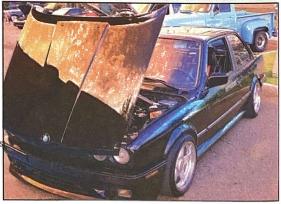
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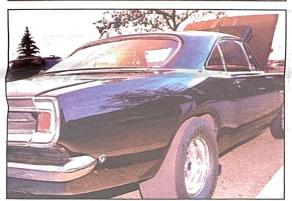
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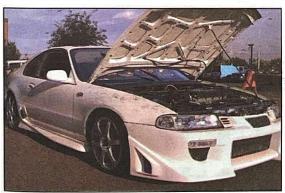
















Kaylan is a Scorpio, she is majoring in Marketing and works a beer tub at The Joint.

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# FEATURE



# JUST SHOVE IT DOWN THE THROAT!



## DWAYNE Johnson

My goal for this year is to try and have the Nugget TRULY be the voice of the students. So, this week being Health Awareness Week; I figured why not interview someone who is training to be in the health profession? Thankfully I met a very attractive lady who volunteered her time to answer some questions. The prefers the nickname Black Widow; and shall be referred to as such. Enjoy!

Johnson: What is the full name of your Program? Widow: Mini course of Doco-logy... actually Respiratory Therapy

Johnson: What exactly will you be trained for when you graduate?

Widow: Oh my what a long list. There's just so much, where do I begin? Well we intubate people that can't breathe on their own. That is, stick a tube down their throat. Work in emergency, in the OR, in the ICU, NICU, PICU, We administer drugs (ooohhhhhh yeah baby...) to help ease the stress in the airway so someone in distress can, you guessed it, breathe easier. There's also the home care side of things where if people are at home with a disease the compromises their ability to effectively breathe, we can give them home oxygen to help them out and we examine them there without them having to leave the comfort of their own home. As you can see there is a definite theme going here...it all centers on breathing. Although my favorite part of it that I see so far is the sleep studies. Meaning all the disorders and pathologies that can effect a persons breathing (there it is again!) when they fall asleep. There cool things like brain waves you have to observe and computers you get to play with. But in the end you

are helping people out that need you and it makes it all worth it.

Johnson: What made you choose

Widow: I'm just not a person cut out for the big "U". I'm not one for studying books and "taking the prof's word for it, and that's how it is" I wanted to see for myself on how the job will be when I get out there. Coming from a mechanical back ground. Its great to be able to "utilize" the machines we'll be "utilizing" and getting to know them and how they work. And I love the idea of getting trained how to do a job but then there are so many roads you can choose because it all "depends". Because the field is so diverse, I see myself going a long way in the RT'ing world. "At the end of the day," I just want to help people... NOTE: All fore going quotes are favorites of our instructors.

**Johnson:** Does it seem like a lot people complain about the course?

Widow: Who doesn't complain about their course. Aren't you the one that said they have been here too long? And you were only here for a year? Well Respiratory is three years long...try that on for size Dwayne. Betcha you couldn't hack it. Be too distracted by all the hot girls...<wink, wink> But the instructors are great and they have a lot of diverse experience behind them. They all bring a little something different to the classroom... now if we could only get them to agree on one idea, it would so much easier for us to learn!!!! hahahhaa

**Johnson:** Is it true you hate being referred to as "the Nurses"?

Widow: Hate is such a strong word...OK let's get this straight.... WE ARE NOT NURSES!!! Is that clearer? We know a lot more and deal with nothing below the waist, as the saying goes. We are much better: the superior race of health care professionals you could say... hahhaha. No it's a team and we all work together in the hospitals and work places. Just because we

wear scrubs doesn't mean we are nurses.

**Johnson:** What do you most dislike about your course?

Widow: Uuuuhhhmmmm, how about, the course. Nah... the workload is huge but that just makes the reward of doing well so much more sweet. I found it so amazing that when we walked in a year ago, sat in the desk and began to learn how much one could actually absorb. Even after a month, 2 months, we knew so much and all the instructors had to encourage us because we were learning so much. I don't even think we knew we were learning it all. It was all so new and foreign but we were getting it. Now being the second year and actually be able to apply the knowledge we gained last year, it's a great feeling. And it'll only be compounded when we get to use our power on the unsuspecting public in the hospitals... MMMMUUUUUU НАНАНАААА **AHAHA** AHA AHAHAHAAA!!! I mean...

Johnson: What are some

misconceptions you feel people have regarding your course?

Widow: Misconceptions? How about the one I had. Ok respiratory, what does that tell you, breathe in breathe out. Nice little course I'll take that please. And then you get into it and you have to learn everything short of creating the human body from scratch. K yeah I'm exaggerating for effect but that's the essentials. We have to learn soooooo much because all the body systems relate and I had no idea how much until I took the course... and the deadline to backout and get a full refund had passed.

Johnson: If your technology could have a cage match with another technology. Who would it be?

Widow: Dwayne come on...have you seen this body? Who would like to take me on? Or the women and men in the class? Sheens would break anybody's knee caps. T Wong and Chris would do the tag team Kung Fu on anyone. The Ukrainian would talk you

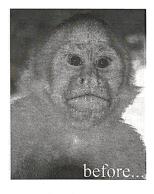
to death. Luke would have the Polish mafia all over them. Prit would have all of Millwoods down in a phone call. And me? Well, you know where I'm going with this. We're a force to be reckoned with, you dig daddyo? We're not square, cat. We're hip, we're with it... taca taca taca taca aaaaaaaa. (Austin Powers)

Johnson: All in all, would you recommend the program to friends / family?

Widow: NO!... hee hee. Actually... yeah I think it's a great program. Now only if they could find a way to take out the whole "work" and "learning" aspect and just give us the huge high paying jobs right away, I'd be happy.

There you have it folks, wise words from a lovely lady taking Respiratory Therapy. I hope to be able to interview a person from a different technology every couple issues or so...to give everyone else in the school a good idea of what crazy stuff is taught here.

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# General Counsel Meeting Do YOU have



#### KRISTEN DiRocco

General Council held it's first meeting of the year on Tuesday, September 16th. Giving that it was the first meeting of the year, and that it had a delayed start, it did not go too badly. First, the Tech Heads were introduced to everyone that works in the NAITSA office, and given a brief rundown of what NAITSA does and why GC is important. Then they got down to business. Margaret Marean briefly attended the meeting to tell us a little bit about Open House. They are looking for volunteers to help this year's event run smoothly. Open house will run Friday, October 17th, and Saturday, October 18th. All volunteers will receive tech charity points for their time. To sign up, go to the NAITSA office, or e-mail Margaret at mmarean@nait.ab.ca.

Kim Munkler was introduced to all of the students present as she made a presentation about her plan for the Volunteer Center. The program will be budgeted by fund raising and the annual NAITSA budget, and will hopefully be up and running sometime in October. The center will have hours available for volunteering to suit everybody's needs, from 8 hours a week to 8 hours a month. Although the center will be based out of

NAIT, it will serve the whole city. Some of the organizations that will be serviced by the center (besides NAIT related ones) will be the Edmonton Food Bank and the Big Brother Big Sister organization. Tech charity points will be available for all hours put in at the volunteer center

NAITSA is looking for people to sit on Academic Council for the 2003-04 term. Academic Council is held once a month for about two hours. It consists of students. teachers and administrative staff. Lunch is served at the meetings, and the council discusses matters that help to shape the face and the future of NAIT. If you are interested in being a part of Academic Council, let Jeremy know at 471-7608. The election will be held at the next General Tuesday, Council Meeting, September 30th.

General Council was given a brief rundown of how things work in the NAITSA office, and who does what job. They showed the students how the VP Activities position was an overlap of the positions they already have filled, and the students agreed. After a vote it became official, there is no longer a VP Activities at NAIT.

There is, however, going to be a VP of Academics. The by-election is gearing up as we speak. Nominations opened at 8 a.m. Monday, September 22nd, and close on Friday, September 26th. Campaigning begins on October 2nd and runs until the 8th. The election will be held on October 9th, at 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Get involved with the candidates (if you haven't decided to be one yourself) and get familiar with what they are all about. They will be representing you, the student, for the rest of the year, and you have the power to choose the best person for that position.

NAITSA also proposed GC the possibility of joining ACTISEC, a lobbying organization for colleges and institutes technical across Canada. It is a very powerful group, representing over 100,000 students at 14 different colleges of technical institutes. They are fighting Bill 43 with a vengeance, and NAITSA wants to be on board for that, and other reasons. Last April GC approved NAITSA's wish to attend the conferences this summer. Our executives liked what they saw ACTISEC doing, and are now proposing to become members. The cost is \$10,000 and the result will be that NAIT will have a vote within this powerful organization to try and keep education affordable, and to help shape the future of post secondary education in Alberta. This issue will be brought back to GC for a vote on September 30th.

# what it takes?



**TERENCE Fitzgerald** 

471-7607 terencef@nait.ab.ca

Well. Health Awareness Week is wrapping up and I hope everyone took some time to come down to the Naitrium yesterday and explore the HAW Fair. Many different retailers and societies came down and offered their time and information for you to check out. Karate demonstrations, free massages, pet adoptions, drug and alcohol information, it was really a lot of fun!

In case you haven't heard vet, there is another interesting opportunity available to all the students as well. The position of Vice President Academic for NaitSA is currently up for grabs. The nominations are only open until 4:30 tomorrow afternoon, so if you are considering it, HURRY

What does the VP Academic do? She/he would be mainly

responsible for assisting students in academic related matters. Acting as a "moderator" between the student and program head/instructor, they would help resolve problems that sometimes arise. The elected person would also be designated as the NaitSA representative to the municipal, provincial, and federal government bodies. If there were matters that involved speaking to official government personal, it would be the job to speak on behalf of NaitSA, and the students. The VP would also be designated as the chair of the Shinerama committee. This privilege alone makes it all worth it. The fight to raise money for cystic fibrosis research begins with the VP Academic, and we are proud to say that we at Nait always kick "butt" every year during this campaign.

There are other roles and responsibilities for this job as well...and every one of them are fun and worthwhile. Come down and talk to any of the executives about running in this election, we are here to answer any questions you may have. Jeremy, Francisco, or myself are always willing to hear what YOU have to say!

## How would you like to have the best student job in the entire world?

## Vice President Academic

Has a nice ring to it, eh?

SA is having a "By-Election" to find candidates for this "paid position." Students Association Being a student Vice President is very demanding but also very rewarding. If you are interested in finding out more go to the NAIT Students' Association office (Room E131) and talk to one of your current NAITSA Executives.



Nominations Open... Monday, Sept 22nd Nominations Close... Friday, Sept 26th Candidates campaign... Oct 2nd - Oct 8th Students Vote... Thursday, October 9th

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# NAIT Mens Soccer on Mini Streak



**IUSTIN** Huculak

past weekend the men's soccer team defeated both Concordia and SAIT by scores of 2-1 and 2-0. The Ooks now have a mini winning streak of three games going and are 3-1 on the season.

On Saturday NAIT visited local college Concordia and didn't wait long to get on the scoreboard. Just one minute into the game Scott Eschuk bolted by a Concordian defender and made an "oh so sweet" pass to Bret Chartrand who tapped in the first goal of the game. After that early score, both teams tightened up and played a solid first half of soccer. Not that the Ooks weren't tested, because when they were, they counted on goalkeeper Chris Gowing, who made two spectacular saves in the half to keep the Thunder off the board. Late in the first half Branko Culo broke free through the middle and blasted a shot past a sprawling Concordia goalkeeper to give the Ooks a two goal cushion heading into the break.

In the second half the Ooks were unable to lite up the scoreboard and had one defensive breakdown that allowed the Saturday, Sept 27 against MRC.

the Ooks clamped down and held off Concordia and preserved a 2-1 victory. The game ball went to striker Scott Reynolds.

On Sunday the boys headed south to Calgary to play SAIT. Aside from being a little exhausted from the travel and Saturdays game, the Ooks played a very strong first half and controlled most of the play. They were unable to capitalize in the first half, despite a valiant effort from Jeremie Corpuz who rifled a shot just past the post.

Finally, twenty minutes into the second half NAIT striker Scott Reynolds opened the scoring after zig-zagging through numerous defenders and then letting the ball rip from twenty yards out. Ten minutes later Revnolds was taken down in the penalty area but the incumbent referees missed the call and let play continue. The Ooks got revenge though in the sweetest way as eight minutes later Mark Dargatz fed the ball to Jeremie Carpuz, whose shot caromed off the Trojan's goalkeeper and right into the feet of striker Baj Manku who cooly stroked home the goal and sealed the deal in a well-deserved victory. Also getting the shutout was goalkeeper and player of the game Chris Gowing.

NAIT's next action is this

# **Esks Find Themselves Alone Atop the West**



**IUSTIN** Huculak

With last weekends' win over the Ottawa Renegades the Eskimos now find themselves alone atop the West Division standings for the first time this season. It seems this Edmonton crew is finally playing to their ability and clicking on all cylinders.

Ricky Ray had another stellar game as he was nearly flawless completing 21 of 24 passes for 339 yards and three touchdowns. Ray had a completion percentage of 87.5% during his three quarters of work, tying him for third on the all time completion percentage list with Joe Paopao. Backup OB's Bart Hendricks and Jason Maas replaced Ray in the fourth

Despite Ottawa scoring first,

1:14 into the game on a 44-yard field goal by Lawrence Tynes, the Renegades would not hold the lead long as the Eskimos replied with a Ricky connection touchdown, giving the Esks a lead they would not relinquish the rest of the game. Edmonton ended up outscoring the Renegades 35-7 in the first half.

In the second half, Ottawa seemed determined not to give up and make the score respectable, which they did by outscoring Edmonton 26-10 in the second half and had many Eskimo fans biting their nails in the final minutes of play. But the defence stepped up when they needed to and stalled the late comeback attempt by Renegade QB Kerry Joseph and his offense.

Last Friday it seemed every offensive player on the Esks touched the ball at least once as Ray completed passes to eight different receivers. Terry Vaughn hauled in the biggest load with eight catches for 94

yards. Mike Pringle and Troy Mills collectively ran the ball 17 times for 69 yards on the ground. This combined attack seemed to keep the Renegades guessing and were never really able to establish a consistent defensive scheme against the potent Eskimo

On the offensive side of the ball, Renegade QB Kerry Joseph passed for nearly 300 yards and 2 TD's, but was consistently pressured by the front four of the Eskimos, which turned into three sacks as well as three interceptions by the secondary.

Around the rest of the league, the B.C. Lions beat the Winnipeg Blue Bombers 26-20, which gave the Eskimos sole possession of first place. Sadly for all of us Rider fans out there, Saskatchewan dropped their second straight game 28-23, this time at the hands of the East Division powerhouse Montreal Alouettes.





#### **Students Curling Club Begins New Season**

Avonair Curling Club Every Monday, 4:30 - 6:30 pm \$40 for season (appox. 20 games)

Inquiries: See Jules at 471-8531 Room S105D

Wednesday, September 17 • 12 - 2 pm in the gym Wednesday, September 24 • 12 - 2 pm in the gym

For registration and practice ice:

Monday, September 29, 4:30 - 6:30 pm @ Avonair







# From rINgSIDE

GOLD-berg, Hart wrestles for ROH, and your chance to win "Peeps" Memorabilia



MIKE McGuire

It's the day after Unforgiven as I pen this week's installment. and while the PPV was alright, I can't help but remember how much better the free Smackdown was last Thursday.

Since we were last in touch, the Raw and SD Tag titles changed hands, Brock and Kurt gave an incredible hour of wrestling, (well, a good 55 minutes anyway), and HHH's super-glue on the World title finally gave out.

Across the border, Calgary's Teddy Hart and TJ Wilson made their debut in "Ring Of Honor". ROH is one of the best independent promotions running in North America right now, and early reports confirmed that Wilson and Hart fit right in. To give a quick history lesson for those unaware, Hart has been back and forth from WWE developmental stints a few times now, and Wilson recently spent some time working for New Japan Pro Wrestling, one of the biggest promotions in the world.

Speaking of NJPW, that will be the new home for Hulk Hogan... at least for one match. Hogan will be making a special appearance for the promotion next month, as he takes on the legendary Masahiro Chono.

Time to talk rINgSIDE

Radio. If you check the archives at www.ringsideradio.tk, there is an opportunity for you to win some classic Christian merchandise. It's pretty easy to enter, so get those e-mails in. Also, this Tuesday, we will be featuring our interview with the "King Of Belts", Reggie Parks. Parks has made title belts for all the big companies (and hundreds of smaller ones) around the world, and he gave us thirty minutes of great memories. Be sure to check out this amazing interview on Nait's own radio, nr92.

The Rock's latest Hollywood stint, "The Rundown" is getting some great reviews. It will be interesting to see what the response from the mainstream audience will be, considering that wrestling isn't as popular as it was a couple of years back. Not to take anything away from the People's Champ, but I think Stifler and Christopher Walken will be huge help in this one.

Locally, there will finally be some indy wrestling back in Edmonton, and the best part is, it's all close to NAIT!

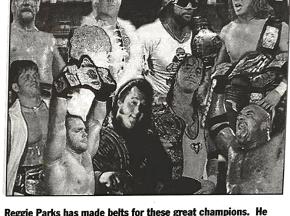
Monster Pro Wrestling is first on deck, with a show on Thanksgiving Sunday (October 12) at 1:30 pm. The show, titled "Thanksgiving Thunder" takes place at the Alberta Avenue community hall (9210 118 Ave), and ticket info is available at www.monsterprowrestling.com

The Prairie Wrestling Alliance will be returning to our own NAIT gym on Friday October 24 with a bell time of 7:30. This show is called "Fright Night," and will have a Halloween Theme. I will be on hand, serving as Ring Announcer, and ticket info is available at www.pwawrestling.ca Early card announcements show TJ Wilson and Harry "Bulldog" Smith on the card, as they team up against Greg Pawluk and "Dirty" Duke Durrango.

Last but not least folks, for those that saw it... how sick was Shane's bump? That's it for me this week, any questions or comments can be sent to ringsid eradio@hotmail.com. Thanks for



Reggie Parks has made belts for these great champions. He will be on NAIT's own rINgSIDE Radio this Tuesday. For more, visit www.ringsideradio.tk



# **NAIT Golfers Qualify**



**JUSTIN** Huculak

This past weekend the Lac La Biche Golf and Country Club hosted the ACAC golf North Regionals. The NAIT golfers faced a tough task as the weather conditions last weekend were not ideal. The Ooks confronted chilly and windy conditions all weekend on a course also known as the "little monster." Overcoming the poor conditions the men came out in first with an amazingly low score of 319, beating their closest competitor Concordia by

21 strokes. Craig Compton won the individual men's title with a score of 77.

Pam Henderson, who also finished first in her qualifier with a score of 92, will be joining the men's team in Ft. McMurray, who will be competing against three schools from the south and two more from the north for the Provincial Championship this weekend.

NAIT's team representatives at Provincials will consist of: Scott Wissler, Craig Compton, Mike Danko, Devin Leoppky, Randy Petryk, Justin Boureois, Dana Cooper, and Pamela Henderson.

Good Luck this weekend in Fort Mac.





# ENTERTAINMENT



# Want to make a movie?

## You can have a life like Spielberg too



KRISTEN DiRocco

If you have ever driven down 109th Street to 104th Avenue, you've probably noticed a big brown brick building across the street from Grant MacEwan and Harvey's. That building belongs to the National Film Board of Canada, a corporation that has produced over 9000 films, 3000 or which have received some kind of award, and 10 that have been nominated for Academy Awards. They offer a variety of services professional filmmakers, helping to guide them through the filmmaking process, and most importantly, investing in the film with both time and money. They also offer services to amature filmmakers. Through a program called the Filmmaker Assistance Program (FAP), the National Film Board actively supports the filmmakers of the future in

The FAP program for the prairie provinces is overseen by a lady by the name of Kelly Isaac. She is the Production Supervisor need. Basically, this means that with the NFB, and one of the nicest and most helpful people I have ever met. She took the time to sit down with me and explain a little bit about FAP, and also let me take home some videos that FAP has supported, so I could see what it was all about. It works a little something like this: first and foremost, each filmmaker who is eligible to receive assistance through FAP must be an amature.



That means that film students are not eligible (until they are done school), nor is anybody who has done more than 3 films. The assistance granted cannot exceed \$3,000, and is intended to be used for such items as film stock, processing and printing, film to video transfer, and other post production services that budding filmmaker might

if you and your friends have been working on a production at home using your own video camera, and you would like to see it edited and made into a real film, the FAP program is exactly what you have been looking for! You simply need to get a hold of Kelly Isaac, who will take the time to sit down with you and discuss your material needs, the desired outcome, and how much assistance you will be needing. She will then set you up with all of the required paperwork (there isn't that much... but a proposal is necessary for films that are funded at a pre-production stage), which will be reviewed by the Board as often as is necessary.

If you receive assistance through FAP, the NFB in no way, shape or form has any rights to your film. They are simply a service to help young filmmakers develop their passion, and make a name for themselves in the filmmaking community, so when they go to make their first professional film and are asking for assistance, they can say that they have experience behind them. It's another one of the wonderful services brought to you

by the National Film Board, one that not very many people know about. If you are interested in participating in the FAP program, or just want to know more about it, contact Kelly Isaac by phone at 495-5460, or fax at 495-6412.



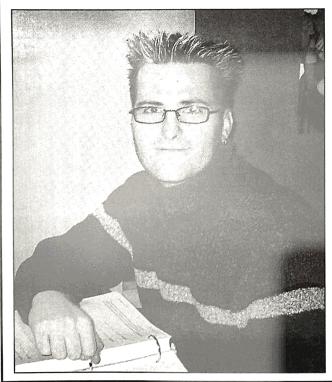
Movie Review

## **Underworld:** Wait for Dollar **Theatre**



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Leather-clad Kate Beckinsale is a nocturnal huntress in an immortal underworld harboring feud between Lycans (werewolves) and Vampires. Underworld is a mix of The Matrix and Blade 2 but with more gunplay, a little too much maybe. The movie as a whole was enjoyable to watch though, there were some glaring omissions to well known myth. For example, we know vampires shouldn't have reflections, yet in this movie they did. Underworld has an interesting concept, but it just wasn't done justice. This film was definitely not a waste of time, just don't waste too much money



Wayne is a Leo, he likes hiking, camping, and long walks down Alberta Beach









To the brunette hoochie in first year ORA, pull up your damn jeans, I'm sick of looking at your ass cleavage!

To Mr. Shaggy in the mechanical building, you stink!

To the hooker/student I met in the bus, I want my money back!

SGBM looking for same. Sgbm1000@hotmail.com

To the asshole that keeps parking in two spaces at once to save your 300ZX from dings, next time I'm keying your car.

To my red headed angel: what a fantastic year its been, i'm looking forward to another. - J

To the Christina Aguilera lookalike I shared an elevator ride with: Just wanted to know if you wanted to get DIRRTY -Taras

Hey to the sexy blonde girl in office and records, your one hotty! i see you around all the time with two other girls! - missjellybean

Why do so many people decide to smoke weed out in the courtyards. Pretty obvious what you're doing when your passing a "smoke" around in a big huddle. Tards. -Anti-Hippy

To the guy from the Annex that talked to me at Ezzies last Tuesday. I was simply using you for the free drinks, quit talking to me now! - The Business Blonde

Here's some crazy shit that some of you might have seen already: "Aoccdrnig to a rscheearch at Cmabrigde Uinervtisy, it deosn't mttaer in waht oredr the ltteers in a wrod are, the olny iprmoetnt tihng is taht the frist and lsat ltteer be at the rghit pclae. The rset can be a total mses and you can sitll raed it wouthit porbelm. Tihs is bcuseae the huamn mnid deos not raed ervey lteter by istlef, but the wrod as a wlohe. Fcuknig amzanig huh? " - Dwayne.

I was wondering what the views were on the Nugget Girl and the Nugget Guy that have been added to the Nugget this year. Someone recently suggested that I should be a Nugget Girl. It turns out that all hair and make up are done professionally for the picture, and it can be a fairly conservative picture. I think it would be an interesting thing to do. I mean, we're in college right, it's a time to try new things. Let me know

your opinion. - Suggested Nugget

To my cool partner in tower 2. We kicked butt at the lockin, are you coming to the halloween one? When are we doing lunch? Come to floor 1 (in tower) at 11, and hang out with us cool kids. - LQ

To the D.A. chix, please notebeing orange is not cool and do you think the world needs more than 1 britney????-(Brenda is lame)

to the hottie wit da body who chills in shitty P. we will always have bytes.-forever yours, - the blue crew

To all of the students in bus. admin year 1 group 44/45 who keep talking during each and every class, SHUT UP!!! I didn't pay good money to come here to listen to you. Try having some respect for the people who are actually trying to pay attention. If its so important you need to talk about it, do it somewhere else. - ready to snap.

I am here to talk about something all of us business students have encountered at one time or another. LAZY students on the elevator. That's right, I am talking about those students that believe they NEED to take the elevator to ascent /descent 2, even 1, floor. Is this some sick joke? Unless you are wheelchair bound, have crutches or a physical ailment that makes stairs a challenge, you have no need to waste everyone's time. Whenever you lazy students get off do you realize the remainder of students on the elevator are just shaking their heads, laughing or making comments about you? The elevators get congested enough between classes. Save us all the time and hassle and learn what stairs are all about .- Eh See

If you would like to reply to any of these, or submit your own grapevine, you can go to www.thenugget.ca and follow

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