

BCIT UPDATE

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BUDGET REVIEW PROCESS REACHES CLIMAX

The detailed budget review process, which started April 11, ends this week. On April 28 President Murray and senior managers will begin working on a Reduction Plan that must trim approximately \$4m. from this year's budget.

During the week of May 2 the plan will be presented to the three staff union presidents, the Board of Governors and finally, on May 6, to the provincial government. Staff will be officially notified of the plan during the week of May 9 to 13.

During the past few weeks, all budget managers on campus have defended their budgets and tried to come up with innovative ideas for saving money. During meetings with all staff on April 13 President Murray also extended an invitation to anyone with money saving ideas to forward them to him.

Those responsible for reviewing the budgets and coming up with solutions are President Murray, Clayton McKinley, Len McNeely, Drug Svetic, Paula Pick, Nora Andrew and Jose Stockdale. Student reps and staff reps from the three unions have had unrestricted access to the meetings with budget managers.

PUBLIC SUPPORT REVEALED IN VU13 INTERVIEW WITH MARK ANGELO

A videotape of Staff Society president, Mark Angelo's recent interview with Laurier La Pierre on the effects of the budget cut, is now available in Film Bookings in the Library. VCR's are also available to view the 25-minute segment. A Library card is necessary to borrow the videotape.

"The amount of public support shown for BCIT during the phone-in portion of the show was so overwhelmingly positive, we thought it should be shared with all staff," says Angelo.

EMPLOYEE SEEKS HELP

HELP! I need a person with a small truck or van, who lives in the Maple Ridge area, to move a two seater couch from Upholstery to my home in north east Maple Ridge. Usual remuneration offered. Call Mary at local 8656.

Practical Horticulture
presents

A SPRING PLANT SALE

Wednesday, May 11 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. only in Building No. 2

Bargains on summer bedding plants and shrubs like geraniums, petunias, lobelia, fuschia, pieris, etc.



Lots of hanging baskets

Come early for this popular sale

Bring your own basket

Cheques or cash only



STAFF NEWS

Roger Smith of Medical Radiography is looking forward to a promising professional development experience at the Groote Schuur Hospital in Capetown this July.

The hospital is currently being rebuilt and Smith, who will be teaching in the School of Medical Radiography, will be using the latest in CT and MR scanners.

Smith's visit further solidifies BCIT's unofficial twinning relationship with the school. Twinning relationships also exist with schools in Perth, Lagos and New Delhi.

The following new staff joined BCIT during March:

Donna Tarras, junior payroll clerk, Financial Services (temporary until July 31), Earl Brownell, toolroom attendant, Machine Shop, Louise Hurst, junior systems analyst, Computer Resources, Waylim Lee, intermediate systems analyst, Computer Resources, Robert Guest, intermediate systems analyst, Computer Resources, Steve Messamore, intermediate systems analyst, Computer Resources, Jeanine Jones, junior systems analyst, Computer Resources, Joseph Liddle, machinist, Physical Plant, Peter Wong, senior systems analyst, Computer Resources, Amanda Hill, graduation eligibility officer, Student Records, Kay Uitvlugt, secretary to director, Personnel (temporary until November 4).

SOFTWARE WANTED

If you have any unused software laying around, please contact Tony O'Kelly who is trying to build up the Library's software collection. His local is 8764.

BOARD MEETS

A report from Dr. John Kyle, dean of the School of Business, an update on the budget situation by President Murray, a resolution on Open House and the adoption of some new and revised policies were on the agenda during the Board of Governors meeting April 14.

The Board and approximately 40 guests also stood for a few moments in remembrance of Malcolm Wickson who served the Institute as a Board member from 1980 to 1983 and as Board chairman from 1983 to 1987. Mr. Wickson passed away on April 9.

In recognition of efforts made by staff and students in this year's Open House, the Board passed the following resolution put forward by the Education and Student Affairs committee:

The Board of Governors congratulates the students and staff of the Institute on the success of Open House '88. The Board would like to acknowledge the enthusiasm of all those involved, the creativity of the displays and the commitment of the coordinating committee in accomplishing this outstanding success.

During a brief presentation on the School of Business, Dr. John Kyle discussed a proposal with the Board that would see a restructuring of the School's program delivery system. If adopted, the system would incorporate a generic core of business subjects.

Among the policies passed by the Board was a much revised policy on Cheating and Plagiarism stating the following purpose:

Honesty is expected and required of all students. This implies fairness, straightforward conduct, academic integrity, adherence to the facts and trustworthiness. The purpose of the

following policy is to deal with academic honesty in the conduct of all examinations, essays, reports and other projects or forms of assessment prepared or completed by students pursuant to the requirements of a BCIT program or course.

The whole policy can be accessed via PROFS by calling up the Policy Manual (type Policy next to arrow at bottom of screen, type Cheating in section marked A Word in Policy Name, press PF2).

A new policy extending Library privileges to BCIT retirees was also passed, along with one on gifts in kind donations.

BCIT's Co-op programs featured on KNOW

BCIT's Co-op Education programs will be featured in a Knowledge Network telecast on Thursday, April 28 at 7 p.m.

"Bridging the Gap," an exploration of Co-op Education programs in B.C., is an hour long program that portrays the benefits and expectations of Co-op

students and employers interested in participating. A panel discussion by those involved in Co-op Education and a phone-in from viewers will answer questions about this practical approach to education.

BCIT began selective Co-op Education programs in the technologies in 1984. In 1987, trades programs began with a mandatory Co-op component. Placements occur year round in the technologies and at selected times in the trades. In 1987 a total of 227 students were involved and 147 placements were made. In 1988, 210 placements are expected, involving 300 students. The Aviation Co-op program will begin in fall 1988 and other Co-op programs are being planned. Co-op placements cluster in southwest B.C. but range throughout several provinces, the Territories and occasionally, overseas.

MAYOR'S WALK FOR AFRICA

The following details have been made available from Mayor Gordon Campbell's office for those BCIT staff members

interested in participating in the Mayor's Walk for Africa on May 7:

Starting Time: 7 a.m.
Location: Plaza of Nations, old EXPO site
Route: 20 kilometre circular walk through the West End, Stanley Park, CPR yards, Chinatown
Features: Special entertainment at Plaza of Nations at end of walk; Mayor Gordon Campbell, Stephen Lewis, Canadian Ambassador to UN and other local personalities
Purpose: To raise money, through pledges, for a number of African relief agencies. For every dollar raised, the Canadian International Development Agency will donate \$3.00.
Information: Muriel Honey, Vancouver City Hall, 873-7410

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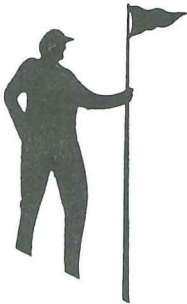
LOCATION: MYLORA EXECUTIVE GOLF COURSE
(Par 3 Course)
9911 Sidaway Road
Richmond

HOW TO GET THERE: South on Highway 99 to Steveston
East on Steveston to Sidaway
North on Sidaway
(Allow 30 minutes from BCIT)

DATE: SATURDAY, MAY 28

TEE-OFF TIME: 12:30 p.m.

ESTIMATED COST: \$30.75 PER PERSON (includes Green Fees, Steak Barbeque)
\$15.00 PER PERSON (if unable to stay for barbeque)



SPACE IS LIMITED TO FIRST 100 REGISTRANTS!

The Par 3 Course will be suitable to ALL so come and support us. Make up your own foursome if you wish, or we will do it for you.

Information and registration forms to:

MARK ANGELO or BRIAN CURTIS
Fish, Wildlife and Rec. Operations Mgmt Tech
Local 5711, Room 1A-253 Local 8850, Room 1A-396

PLEASE ENCLOSE PAYMENT WITH YOUR REGISTRATION FORM. ALL ENTRANTS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR PRIZES EARNED ON GOLF COURSE. Please make cheques payable to the STAFF SOCIAL CLUB. We have booked the golf course and are committed to play rain or shine. Hence, regrettably, NO REFUNDS.

CLOSING DATE FOR SIGN-UP FRIDAY, MAY 13, 1988.



PLEASE REGISTER ME/US IN THE FORTHCOMING GOLF TOURNAMENT:

NAME: I am able/unable to stay for BBQ. NAME: I am able/unable to stay for BBQ.

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