

The Family Campaign

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Country Hoe Down '92

For BCIT Staff & Friends

♫ ♫ Saturday, May 30th
♫ ♫ BCIT SAC ♫ ♫

★ Saloon Opens - 6:30 p.m.

★ Chuck Wagon Chow

♫ Dancing 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. ♫

♫ Live Entertainment ♫

Wear your country best!



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Tickets \$ 20.00 each

For tickets call 432-8398
(group reservations available)

Fundraiser for BCIT's Family Campaign

The Lowdown on the Hoe-Down

Sharpen your spurs, polish your boots, grab that ol' cowboy hat and mosey on down to the biggest, wildest barn dance you've ever seen.

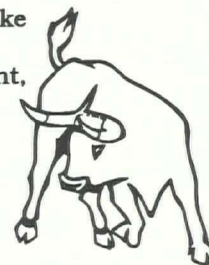
On Saturday, May 30, the Family Campaign Committee is hosting "Country Hoe-Down '92" in the SAC gym. Volunteers are busy preparing to transform the gym into a frontier town with a saloon, corral, chuck wagon, trees, rolling hay fields and much more.

Enjoy a fabulous feast of country food and foot stompin' country music all night long. Test your skill with a turkey shoot or try your luck with crown and anchor and other games of chance.

Tickets @ \$20 each go on sale Friday, April 24 and tables of eight can be reserved. Join us at the Rix Club for a special Friday at Four on the 24 for our kick-off celebrations and a few surprises. Y'all come down now y'hear.

Western Props, Volunteers Wanted

Wagon wheels, bales of hay, western memorabilia - do you have something western that would spruce up "Country Hoe-Down '92"? We are also seeking volunteers for decorating and ticket sales. If you have a donation or would like to join in the fun preparing for this event, give us a call at 432-8792. We look forward to hearing from you.



The BCIT Family Campaign - Questions and Answers

As more and more people get involved in our campaign through the Drive for 500 lottery and barn dance, I'm hearing a few recurring questions I would like to try and answer.

Is the Family Campaign just for people with families?

NO! We called it the Family Campaign because working at BCIT can be likened to a family. As faculty, staff, Board of Governors, and Advisory Committee members we share a common goal - to provide first class advanced technology and trades training for BCIT students.

What's this campaign all about?

It's about people working together to raise funds for BCIT.

How does it fit in with the High Tech, High Promise capital campaign?

The goal of the High Tech, High Promise capital campaign is to raise \$10 million for priority areas identified by the Institute. Most of these funds are coming from corporations who hire our graduates. The Family Campaign goal is to raise funds on our campuses in support of that goal.

Where does the money go?

Of the \$10 million goal, \$7.5 million is earmarked for equipment on the priority capital equipment list. Keeping equipment current is essential to our continuing success.

\$2 million is designated for the completion of the Campus Centre Complex. Consisting of the new Technology block, the renovated Food Training Centre and the Campus Centre, this complex will truly be the heart of BCIT and will enhance our ability to attract students in a competitive environment.

\$250,000 will go to the President's Enterprise fund for faculty development and \$250,000 will go to scholarships and bursaries for students.

Can I direct my gift to an area of my choice?

Absolutely! Your gift can be directed to priority needs in the School, program or area of your choice. If you have any questions on what are priority needs, call the Development Office at 432-8792 for further information.

How can I give to the Family Campaign?

By participating in our activities and events, you are supporting our campaign. You can also make a personal gift to the campaign. Our goal is to provide an opportunity for everyone to give to this campaign and have a great time doing it.

Will my gift be matched?

YES. All cash funds raised through this campaign are being matched by the B.C. Government approved matching fund of \$5 million.

How can I help?

Call me at 8613. Your enthusiasm, energy and ideas are welcomed and greatly appreciated.

I hope this answers some of your questions. Please feel free to call me if there is any other information I can provide.

Sincerely
Jim Mitchell
Family Campaign Chair

This is one lucky lady!

Meet Lynn Duncan, Registration and Admissions, our first two-time winner of the Drive for 500 Lottery. On Friday, March 20 Lynn won \$1000 on our bonus draw. This brings her combined winnings to a whopping \$1500. Congratulations Lynn, and what's your secret?

Our two other bonus draw winners were Iris Williamson, Medical Radiography Technology -- \$500 and Danelda Johnston, Diagnostic Medical Sonography - \$250.



Family Campaign Nearing \$30,000 mark

Together we have raised \$27,676.90 (including matching) for BCIT's \$10 million capital campaign. My sincere thanks to everyone who has supported our efforts to date, through purchases of the Drive for 500 Lottery tickets, the poinsettia sale and personal gifts to the campaign. With the upcoming barn dance and auction, 1992 should be a great year for our campaign.

Mother's Day Hanging Basket Sale

Would your Mom's special day be brightened with a beautiful hanging basket? Then keep your eyes and ears open for news on the Family Campaign Committee's "Mother's Day Hanging Basket" sale on May 8 at BCIT. We're still finalizing the details and will get that information out to you as soon as we can. If you think the poinsettias were great, wait until you see our baskets.



Drive for 500 Winners Circle

Kathy Decaigny, Print Services; **Warren Laine**, Electronics Technology
Shirley Freistadt, Materials Management; **Trevor Williams**, Mechanical Technology; **Florence Makowski**, Admissions; **Lynn Duncan**, Admissions; **Jeanine James**, MIS/Development; **Ron Evans**, Mechanical Industries; **Noreen Garrity**, Financial Management; **Doris Dean**, Operations/Production; **Allyson Butt**, Curriculum Services/Team Personnel;
Earl Scott, Athletic/Recreation Services;
Dawna Mackay, Registration; **Carol Dion**, Special Events; **Brenda Mason**, International Education; **Iris Williamson**, Medical Radiography; **Danelda Johnston**, Diagnostic Sonography; **Michele Becket**, Client Services