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## Premier to open new BCIT hangar

THIS IS AN EVENTFUL WEEK FOR BCIT. ON MONDAY, APRIL 27, THE NEW SEA ISLAND CAMPUS HANGAR WILL BE OFFICIALLY OPENED BY PREMIER BILL VANDER ZALM DURING A GALA CEREMONY ATTENDED BY 500 GOVERNMENT AND AVIATION/AEROSPACE INDUSTRY GUESTS.

The new hangar, which is roughly the size of two office blocks, will allow BCIT to house all training aircraft under cover and develop new programs and resources for industry.

## Murray returns from Morocco

PRESIDENT ROY MURRAY IS BACK ON CAMPUS THIS WEEK AFTER A BRIEF VISIT TO RABAT IN MOROCCO.

The main purpose of his visit was to give a talk on 'The Economics of Technical Education and Modern Technology' to the Arab Federation for Technical Education.

## Ed. structure amended

FOLLOWING INSTITUTE-WIDE DISCUSSIONS ON THE RECENTLY UNVEILED EDUCATIONAL ORGANIZATION, THE FOLLOWING AMENDMENTS HAVE BEEN AGREED UPON:

1. The proposed name of the School of Engineering Trades and Technology will now be the School of Engineering Tech-

2. The Building Technology program will now be part of the Civil Department
3. Marketing of the technology and trades programs will be done in such a way as to preserve the unique and outstanding qualities of each.

John Leech, president of the Alumni Association, played an active role in discussions leading up to these changes and is particularly pleased at the outcome. Graduates, he says, feel it is imperative to maintain the strength,

integrity and distinctiveness of the technology and trades programs. "Industry's ability to readily recognize the distinct qualifications and skills of BCIT grads is a key factor in grad placements."

"We're impressed with the new and innovative activities and programs at BCIT and support these initiatives. The new organization is a step in the right direction. Bridging between the trades and technologies is a commendable objective and should be achieved wherever possible, but not at the expense of either the trades or technology programs."



MRS. JARINE JAGO OF COQUITLAM PRESENTS PRESIDENT MURRAY WITH A CHEQUE FOR \$50,000 ON BEHALF OF HER DECEASED AUNT, MRS. SYLVIA SANDSTROM.

MRS. SANDSTROM, WHO PASSED AWAY NOVEMBER 6 LAST YEAR, BEQUEATHED THE AMOUNT TO BCIT BECAUSE SHE WANTED TO HELP NEEDY STUDENTS AFFORD AN EDUCATION. SHE HAD APPROACHED V.P. FINANCE, DUNCAN MACPHERSON, SEVERAL YEARS AGO WITH THE IDEA OF MAKING BCIT THE BENEFICIARY.

THE ANNUAL ACCRUED INTEREST ON THE SYLVIA SANDSTROM MEMORIAL BURSARY WILL BE DISBURSED AT \$1000 PER AWARD TO STUDENTS "IN NEED OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE".



JAMES MORROW, R.N., CHECKS ELECTRICAL INSTRUCTOR KEN KAJIWARA'S BLOOD PRESSURE DURING THE MEDICAL SERVICES SPRING HEALTH FAIR ON APRIL 8. AMONG THE MANY ORGANIZATIONS DEMONSTRATING AND HANDING OUT FREE SAMPLES AT THE FAIR WERE: AIDS VANCOUVER, CANADIAN COASTGUARD, RED CROSS, B.C. CYCLING ASSOCIATION, CANADIAN INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND, B.C. HEART FOUNDATION, THE B.C. LUNG ASSOCIATION AND ICBC.