

THE GOD SQUAD

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**Did You Know There Are
 Chaplains On Campus?**

*If so, who are they?
 How many are there?
 Where are they to be found?
 What do they do?*

If you answered all five questions correctly, I personally give you an 'A'. If not, read on, find the answers, and you get a 'B'.

I didn't know there were any such people as Chaplains anywhere near Dalhousie-Kings until one day when I was walking by the Dal Men's Residence. As I was poking by, a bearded head popped out at me and asked "Is this the Men's Residence? I said "I think so" and then he introduced himself. "I work out of the Chaplain's Office". I had never heard of the Chaplain's Office before.

And this is how a lot of people get acquainted with the Chaplains - by happening to bump into them somewhere on campus. And this isn't so unreasonable - they spend a lot of time on the campus meeting people. So if you'd like to meet your Campus Chaplain, they are:

Don MacDougall is the United Church Chaplain at Dalhousie and has been since 1965. He was born in

Fredericton, N.B. and has adopted Nova Scotia and Halifax as his home. He is married with two children. He is a graduate of Mount Allison, the Atlantic School of Theology, Yale Divinity School, and has studied at Edinburgh University for one year. If you missed seeing him last year, it was because he was on study leave - studying in the Boston area at the Episcopal Theological School and M.I.T. on the general subject of man and his environment.

Don is interested specifically in the religious,



Don MacDougall

ethical and political question of modern man's relationship with nature, and the role of the university in helping our industrial society evolve a more creative relationship with nature. To that end, he is working on the development within Dal of an



Fr. Joe Hattie

ongoing interdiscipline forum on the question, of 'Man and the Biosphere'.

Father Joe Hattie, O.M.I. is the full-time Roman Catholic Chaplain at Dalhousie. He belongs to the religious order, the Oblates of Mary Immaculate. Joe arrived on Dal Campus this fall from Ottawa, Ontario where he was involved in teaching at a High School. He has returned to Nova Scotia where he grew up in Digby. His main interests are adult religious education, marriage preparation, marriage encounters, marriage counselling and youth programs, (a lot of which taught in Ottawa). He is also involved in the folk mass Sunday's at 7 p.m. in the S.U.B.

Bob Petite is Dal's Anglican Chaplain. He received his B.A. from Dalhousie-King's College

and his Masters at Divinity Trinity College, University of Toronto. He served as Priest Assistant at All Saints' Cathedral from 1972 to 1974. He is now Priest-in-charge at King's Chapel, but as Bob has said, he likes to be looked upon as a Minister of the whole campus.

David Pfrimmer is the Lutheran Chaplain at Dal. He was born in Montreal and raised in Connecticut. For the past six years he has lived in Ontario. He is an Economics graduate from the Waterloo Lutheran University. David is now at Dal on a one-year intern program from Waterloo Lutheran Seminary. His interests lie in residence life discussion groups, residence worship and "Plugging into" existing communities on campus. David is also interested in forming an informal student group for discussion groups, study groups, retreats, etc.



Bob Petite

So there are four Chaplains. Their office is on the third floor of the S.U.B. - (you've probably passed it on your way to Grawood.) If they can't be found there, their secretary, Anne, would be glad to take a message. David Pfrimmer also has an office in the Transitional Year Program House where you'd normally find him in the mornings.



David Pfrimmer

What do they do? They provide day-to-day counselling services - if you have a problem and need a good ear and sound advice, maybe they can help. They also provide religious leadership and worship experience on campus.

The Chaplains are hired by their various denominations and paid by them, with a supplement from the Student Union.

Now that you know all about them, go out and meet them.

CARLETON CAMPUS

by Cheryl Burt

The first meeting of the Task Force was held Tuesday, October 1, 1974, in the Pharmacology Building. It was scheduled to start at 7:00 p.m., but did not start until 7:15 due to the late arrivals of the dentist representatives and several others.

Lorne Richardson, fourth year pharmacy, headed the meeting and started things rolling by saying that the Task force had been designed last year due to the dissatisfaction of the people on the lower campus or Carleton campus. The problem, he stated, was that we must know what has to be done in order to get something accomplished.

Introductions followed.

The Medicine representative then preceded to state three existing problems concerning bookstore, recreational and social facilities. He expressed hopes for a permanent bookstore as the one in the Tupper Building is only temporary. This would require joint effort. He also said that he believed John Graham was not keen about these branches of bookstores and wished for a central one. The other representatives then discussed how disappointed

they were with the temporary bookstore with its lack of goods and how poorly its existence had been advertised. The general feeling was that many required books that were in short stock or not there at all, and the bookstore's size itself was not adequate to serve the students and that it should offer year round items such as lab coats and other things sold in other bookstores after the initial rush is over.

Lorne suggested the developing of a bookstore committee to deal with these existing problems which has been met with endless frustration by many students not being able to purchase the required books.

The dentist representative stated that the dentists were planning to buy supplies in kit form. A discussion on how other universities handled its book situation was held with some universities having co-ops run by students and some contract stores. It was then decided that a meeting to discuss the bookstore situation would be held October 8, 1974, in the Pharmacology Building at 7:00 p.m. with representatives from the various schools.

Lorne then brought up the subject of social events and how we had forty dollars of our tuition in the union. It was commonly felt that the lower campus was uninformed about many of the functions. Suggestions were made to have a ticket seller down in the Tupper Building for Entertainment, and at convenient times, also more publicity and promotion.

The medicine representatives complained about the fact that their school was only allowed two full nights at the McInnes Room and how difficult it was to obtain the McInnes Room.

Rick Haugen read from the Handbook how a society could book for certain dates.

People complained about how other people from outside Dalhousie were booking the McInnes Room.

The Dentistry representative then preceded to talk about how for three years they had been trying to get a skating party together and had met with continual frustration at finding out it had been booked and how it would cost out of money even if they could get it. Could it be said "PAYING FOR UNAVAILABLE FACILITIES"?

Lorne then said that an

"A" society was a society directly sponsored by the Student Union and what priorities it has. He said a society was allowed to get grants to be used specifically for that society's various expenditures. Bruce Russell and Peter Costwell are on the Grant Committee. The society's representatives were told how there were openings in the S.U.B. operations still and more input from the societies could be beneficial. There is a meeting, Thursday night, October 3, to lay down the recommendations for the S.U.B. use by the community - to bring the community in.

The Medicine and Pharmacology representatives complained about the liquor prices, i.e. wine at their wine and cheese party.

Refreshments were then served for about half an hour.

Lorne then started things up by saying how on October 19 a seminar is to be held in the Tupper Building. All societies are invited and this workshop will enable the students to learn how and what they can get. There will be co-ordination and management heads there. The representatives were told how this would be the

perfect opportunity to put things on the referendum list, to list priorities and to perhaps eventually get events put on for our benefit such as dances held for the health professions. The workshop would let us know what we are up against and then enable us to set up our own committees to deal with different areas.

It was decided that the Task Force should have some type of skeleton constitution to allow for continuity. The society's status was wondered about - whether a representative from the group could be on Council. It was decided by Lorne and everyone to have a meeting again Tuesday, October 8 to discuss things again besides other representatives discussing the bookstore situation.

Several graduating students discussed the possibility of an interhealth graduation definitely not held in the Rink.

There was a feeling of concern to have course evaluation on all courses even if the course is not an optional one in the school - just to give the incoming student an idea of what he or she will be dealing with.

The meeting was then adjourned at 9:30 p.m.