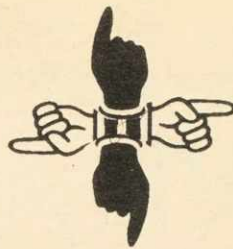




Calendar



Thursday March 8

Alan Ruffman, environmental activist, will be at the Halifax City Regional Library with a look at the political side of the harbour clean-up at noon today. For more info, dial 421-7673

At 4:30 PM Tiyambe Zeleza will talk about "The Social Costs of Structural Adjustment in Africa" in the multidisciplinary centre, at 1444 Seymour.

The Life Officers of the 1990 Dalhousie University Graduating Class invite all potential grads to attend the Grad Committee meetings held every Thursday at 6 PM in the SUB Council Chambers. Get involved in one of the best moments of your life!

Dr. Paul Schenk will be speaking at the March meeting of the *Nova Scotia Mineral and Gem Society*. His topic will be ancient and modern carbonate/evaporate depositional systems. The meeting takes place in the Public Archives at 7 PM, and you can call Vic Altheim at 435-7852 for more info.

Representatives of the World University Service of Canada will be in room 306 of the SUB at 7:30 PM to discuss overseas job opportunities. Call 424-2364 for more information.



Friday March 9

Want to give your writing hand some exercise? Drop by the Gazette offices (room 318 of the SUB) and we'll find you something to write about — or bring us your ideas for stories, and we'll see if we can get someone to cover them.

Know how the Gazette's supposed to be full of radicals? Learn about radicals of a different sort in Dr. L. Ross C. Barclay's lecture on "Free Radicals in Phospholipid Membranes", at 1:30 PM in Chem 215. Or drop into Chem 231 for coffee and doughnuts beforehand.

The African Students' Association announces their General Elections. The association's annual general meeting takes place at 5 PM in room 224 of the SUB.

The Maritime School of Social Work, at 6420 Coburg, is having a month-long used book sale. Lots of older textbooks on sociology, psychology, economics and social work are up for grabs, as well as some fiction.

Saturday March 10

The third annual Sea Cadet Ropework Competition takes place today at 1:30 PM in the Maritime Museum of the Atlantic at 1675 Lower Water Street.

CKDU's *Multicultural Airwaves* takes place in the McInnes room of the SUB from 7 PM to 1 AM. A variety of gourmet cultural dishes and performances, along with great tunes, will entertain you throughout the evening. Tix are \$12 for adults, \$10 for seniors, and \$6 for children under 12. Call 424-6479 for more info.

TUNS is hosting a multicultural night from 7 PM to midnight, in the F.H. Sexton memorial gymnasium. The evening will feature exotic cuisine and cultural performances from around the world.

JazzEast's support of Jazz in the maritimes continues tonight with The Floorboards at the Italian Club on Agricola, as well as Lennie Gallant and band at the Dunn.

Sunday March 11

Montreal photographer Cheryl Simon is the featured artist this month at the Nova Scotia Photo Gallery Co-op. Simon's exhibition, "Gravity", will be on display until the end of the month. For more information, call the co-op at 429-8348.

For all you musical types, there will be a reading of works by Gabrieli and Schutz. All singers and instrumentalists are welcome in room 121 of the Dal Arts Centre from 3 PM to 5 PM. Call 455-2474 for more info.

JazzEast comes through again, with a concert at the church, 5657 North Street. Tix are \$10 to see JazFx. The concert will be taped for play on CBC.

March is Red Cross Month

Monday March 12

The Women's Studies Faculty presents a session on student advising for those interested in Women's Studies from 4 PM to 6 PM in the Multidisciplinary Centre lounge, at 1444 Seymour. Refreshments will be served.

Author George Elliot Clarke will be at SMU to review your literary works until March 23. For more info, call 420-5715.

Checked your exam schedule yet? Schedules are up in the lobby of the A&A, with times and places of finals.

Feel like reliving those Shakespeare-ridden days of High School? The Wormwood's showing a down-to-earth rendition of Henry V.

Dr. Brian Garvey, whose family spent 5 years restoring the ketch *Polaris*, will be talking about sailboat restoration in an illustrated talk at 7:30 PM in the Maritime Museum of the Atlantic.

Today is the start of a three-day conference on journalism at Kings. The symposium, entitled "Eight Good Reporters (who just happen to be women)", features prominent Canadian journalists. For more information on times and places, call Ian Wiseman at 422-1271, ext. 167.

Wednesday March 14

George Elliot Clarke will read from his works at SMU in the Loyola Building at 8PM. For more information, call 420-5514.



Tuesday March 13

The YWCA, at 1239 Barrington, is offering a seminar on "Achieving a Healthy Weight". Karyn Dougherty will speak in the YWCA multipurpose room at 12:10 PM. Admission is \$2, and for more information, you can call 423-6162.

Tuesday's Brown Bag lunch series on international development at the Lester B. Pearson institute features Dr. Wayne McKay of the Law School, speaking on the monitoring of the Chilean Elections.

The Dal art gallery will be screening the Ken Russel film, *Isadora: The Biggest Dancer in the World* at 12:30 PM and 8 PM, free of charge. Further information may be obtained by calling the Gallery at 424-2403.

The Champagnes, a Mike Cowie / George Alphonse band playing a mixed bag of music with some Motown-style R&B will be at the Middle Deck until March 17.

Gazette layout goes on from 7 PM to the wee hours. Drop by for pizza, tunes, and the chance to get your hands full of wax.

Father Andrew Mead will be giving mission addresses at 8 PM on March 13, 14 and 15 in the Haliburton room of King's. For more information, drop by the Dalhousie Chaplain's Office, room 310 of the SUB, or the King's chapel.

The Centre for Art Tapes celebrates International Women's Day with four films opening today at 8:30 PM at Rumours, 2112 Gottingen. Just Because of Who We Are, Night Visions, International Sweethearts and Hairpiece: A Film for Nappy-headed people. For more information, contact the Centre for Art Tapes at 429-7299.

Thursday March 15

The Department of Biology is presenting Paula Mabee, from the Biology Department, in a seminar on the development and evolution of fish bones at 11:30 in the fifth floor lounge. Come at 11:15 for munchies.

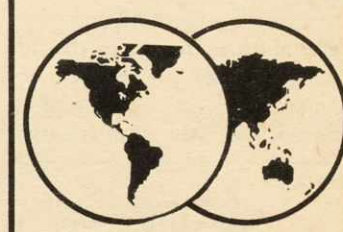
Aaron Schneider will discuss the politics and economics of the forest industry at noon in the Halifax Main Library, in a lecture entitled "If a tree falls".

TESL Nova Scotia targets the needs of students of English as a second language in their March 15 meeting in the Loyola Building of SMU, at 7 PM. For more information, call Margaret at 422-2207.

Brian Mackay-Lyons will give a slide presentation of his architectural work and practice at 8 PM in the Dalhousie Art Gallery, where there is an exhibition of his work currently underway. More details may be obtained at 424-2403.

Announcements

The Dalhousie University Computer Users' Group is seeking nominations for its upcoming annual elections. Nominations may be sent to the secretary of DUCUG, Lesley Brechin (LESLEYB@AC.DAL.CA) or to the president, Victor Thiessen (THIESSEN@AC.DAL.CA).



The Metro Immigrant Settlement Association is looking for volunteers to help welcome newcomers to Halifax and Dartmouth. People with teaching skills, a second language, or just a desire to help are invited to call Nancy O'Donnell at 423-3607.

The Coalition for a Nuclear Free Harbour is organizing protests of NATO nuclear warships starting March 9th. If you're interested in helping, call them at 435-6165 or 457-0481.

Don't forget to cast your vote for president and vice-president of the DSU, on March 13, 14, and 15. Don't be a slouch — get off your hiney and vote!