

Forestry Association 'disgusted' with vandalism

Dear Sir:

We would like to express our disgust at the vandalism of October 22 in the name of Forestry Week by unknown persons. The UNB Forestry Association puts on Forestry Week for the benefit of all Foresters and as a responsible student organization we are naturally very upset that certain individuals have used it as an excuse to damage university property.

Since these people were not apprehended by security in their

traverse of the campus we have no way of knowing who they were or what faculties were represented.

We regret that this sort of thing has occurred giving the entire student body a bad impression of Foresters and Forestry Week. We are working to prevent its recurrence in the future.

Yours truly,

Executive
Forestry Association

Artsman thanks 'children' for stylish green artistry

Dear Sir:

Again, Fall has officially arrived. How can one tell? Well, around this time of year, on campus, this palace of higher learning, an event occurs known as Forestry Week. My complaint? No, perish the thought. I have no jibe with faculty weeks. However, it seems that it is also the occasion for certain children in the faculty to express what they have learned in the past year. I see this year that they have even learned to print simple phrases, instead of merely smearing orange paint on anything that resembles a building or security car. They have even adopted a stylish green (no doubt

in honor of our wonderful UNB woodlot). Isn't university wonderful? We should be thankful to the clean-up staff for their patience in this expression of artistic talent of these certain individuals.

So, as Forestry Week, winding its way to a drunken close, collapses for another year, I would like to thank all those involved in the artistic embellishment of our fair campus and wish them good luck in their applications to kindergarten next semester.

Sincerely,

Paul Haining
An Arts Student



Photo by Ron Ward

University maintenance staff begin the tedious and expensive job of cleaning green paint off campus buildings. Security Chief Charles Williamson says the damage is "in the thousands." Because the paint was oil-based, the brick will have to be sandblasted and then re-coated to prevent water leakage, he said.

STU pubs terribly organized

Dear Sir:

Congratulations to the fine money making venture the St. Thomas SRC put on this past weekend. Perhaps it was a success capitalistically speaking but as far as I could see, very little

organization was involved to please the students.

Tickets were sold in advance. Tickets used to be a binding contract. Money was paid for a ticket, in return the deal was you could use your ticket as a reservation for a place. Apparently

some people think tickets do not mean this.

When the capacity of a room is known, only enough tickets should be sold to accommodate that number of people.

As many of the players from the visiting rugby clubs found out if they didn't get there when the doors opened, their tickets were useless pieces of paper. If the SRC had wanted a first come first serve basis why did they sell advance tickets.

Unfortunately, many with tickets had to have their money refunded and were turned away because an excess number of tickets were printed.

Since I am this far I may as well comment further on the fantastic job of organization.

This was a university affair, was it not? Nevertheless, not one person in line was asked for I.D. or proof of age. While in the lav I heard two girls commenting that they didn't recognize many people because they were from high school. I'm sure they weren't the only ones.

The facilities for the tri-campus are far from being adequate with just university kids let alone Fredericton High school students. Many students from up the hill and the visiting University rugby clubs were turned away because there was no identification requested at the door.

Pubs are usually a great success and people really enjoy them. Too bad ones like this have to happen.

I'm sure the teams from Dalhousie and St. Mary's wouldn't give a very favourable opinion when asked how the facilities were this past weekend.

I sure wouldn't if I had been a visitor.

Cynthia Dionne
Business II

Victims get poor attention

Dear Sir:

For anyone wondering what happens if you have an accident on campus you will be interested in this.

Monday night about eleven or so there was an accident in front of

Ludlow Hall. It was reported to the Fredericton Police and to Campus Security.

The guy on the motorcycle had apparently run into a parked car and smashed his leg up. The police arrived promptly and security sometime later. Twenty five minutes later the ambulance arrived. All this time the guy was lying in the road.

Now it can't take more than five minutes to drive from the campus to the Hospital. So how come it takes an ambulance twenty-five minutes? If the accident were twenty miles out of town then that time might be acceptable but for the mile or two actually involved the time is ridiculous. Had the accident been more serious that guy could have died on the street.

The campus has an infirmary, the city a hospital maybe if you have an accident you should consider dragging yourself to one or the other.

If there's another accident or something else requiring an ambulance it'll probably be a repeat performance. How about an ambulance on campus or at least some noise about how fast ambulances are dispatched.

No one wants to have an accident and even more to the point no one wants to die lying in the street.

SUB pubs pull prize rip-off

Dear Sir:

My congratulations to the SUB Pub committee. They have pulled the prize rip off of the year. I was walking out of the SUB yesterday and I noticed that you must produce proof of age before entering a pub in the SUB. What about most of us Frosh (and there are quite a few) that are not 19? Don't we have a right to hear the bands that play at the pubs also?

I mean couldn't something be arranged that we can get in and then produce proof of age when trying to get a drink.

Yours truly,

Laurie Richards, Arts I

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Yours truly,
P.L. Fraser



Photo by Mike Carr

The blood donor clinic had a large turnout, but it could have been better says the Pre-Med club. See letter below.

Blood clinic turnout high

Dear Sir:

On behalf of the UNB Pre-Med Club I would like to convey our thanks to all those who made the Blood Donor Clinic a success.

Despite the rather poor showing of the residences, 804 donors were recorded; certainly the largest turnout in years.

The Inter-House trophy, awarded the residence with the highest percentage of donors, is retained by LBR. The results were as follows:

LBR - 72.1 percent
Neville - 71.2 percent
Jones - 43.0 percent

Aitken - 38.6 percent
Neill - 23.4 percent
Bridges - 21.6 percent
MacKenzie - 16.7 percent
Tibbitts - 16.7 percent
Harrison - 15.5 percent
LDH - 13.3 percent
Murray - 13.0 percent
Maggie Jean - 5.6 percent

Mean - 29.2 percent

Sincerely,

Robert Patersen
Secretary Treasurer,
UNB Pre-Med Club