

A RUFFIAN'S GAME FOR GENTLEMEN'

U of A RUGBY CLUB

INVITES YOU TO:

'RUGBY NIGHT'

Thursday, March 13, 7 PM, in Dinwoodie

- Introduction to the game
- Rugby films
- Socializing

PRACTICES: To Be Announced

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Alumni provide new scholarship

A new scholarship for U of A students was announced by the Alumni Association last week.

The Maimie S. Simpson Memorial Scholarship, dedicated to the memory of Maimie Simpson, will be awarded for the first time at the beginning of the next academic year.

Miss Simpson served the university for twenty-five years. She began as a professor in the Education faculty in 1945, and was named the first Dean of Women in 1950, a post she held until her retirement in 1960. She remained interested in the university until her death in 1977.

The scholarship will emphasize students' contribution to student and community life, and their academic standing.

Recipients must have been enrolled as full-time students at the University of Alberta for at least the past two years, and must be returning as full-time students the following year.

Applications for the award should be submitted no later than March 15, and transcripts, an outline of contributions to the university community, and three letters of reference from non-relatives should be included with the application.

Applications can be picked up at the U of A Alumni Office.

Canadian University Press

National Notes

More students get it on

NEW YORK (ZNS) — A series of new studies has found that more and more college students are engaging in sex these days.

Researchers report that surveys taken during the early seventies indicated that about 50 per cent of both male and female students had engaged in sex while undergraduates. This figure climbed to 78 per cent for men and 72 per cent for women by 1977, they say.

What's more, this greater sexual freedom is said to have reduced the so-called "pre-occupation with sex" suffered by many males of the past, and increased women's enjoyment of sex.

These are just some of the findings of surveys conducted during the decade of the '70s by professor Joseph Katz of the State University of New York and Denise Cronin of Queens College at City University of New York.

Katz and Cronin add that between 1970 and 1975, the number of students who believed in having sex before marriage also increased dramatically, from 50 per cent to 90 per cent. And the number of women who described their sexual experiences as "highly satisfying" reportedly increased from 50 per cent at the beginning of the decade to 66 per cent at the end.

Save time, scuttle democracy

WINNIPEG (CUP) — What has a thousand chairs, fourteen people and usually lasts an hour or so?

The annual general meetings of most student unions, that's what. So the University of Manitoba student council is considering giving themselves the annual veto on the event.

Council could save a few hundred dollars and some preparation on the AGMS, the committee presenting the motion argued. The motion was tabled until the March 11 meeting.

But some students are angry that the democratic option of the general meetings may be decided by student council.

Less than 20 people turned out for last year's AGM at the U of M, and the previous years have had only slightly better turnouts since the sixties. The AGM is the only place where any and all students can make motions.

"This removes the only direct input students have into the process of student government," Andy Coyne, a U of M student said.

"It's the only constitutional safeguard we have against completely irresponsible student councils," Coyne said.

Coyne and other students are circulating a petition that opposes the motion and asks that the guaranteed annual general meeting remain.

Stand by the students

MONTREAL (CUP) — McGill University students who feel they have been penalized by the effects of the recent support staff strike can turn to the McGill Student Defense Committee.

The committee, the creation of the Strike Support Committee, will aid students who encountered academic problems because they respected picket lines during the strike. McGill vice-principal Eigil Pederson stated in a letter to students that they should be allowed to respect picket lines without penalty.

The committee believes students' rights should apply to deadlines and exams during the strike, and up to February 29. The strike ended February 28.

"The Strike Support Committee took a radical stand during the strike, and quite a few students stood by us," said committee member Caroline Proulx-Trottier.

"Now we have to stand by the students."

Political Science Undergrad Assoc.

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Friday, March 14

3:00 p.m.

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