

Inside Track by Allan Patrick

J.F.W. TAKES TO THE ICE AGAIN!

A few years ago a group of concerned off-campus students decided that we had been left out of the intramural program long enough, and took it upon themselves to convince the Athletics Dept. to form a new Off-Campus Recreational Hockey League. This was from the beginning a league for those interested in hockey, fun, and not violence.

This is only the second year for the league and we already have 12 teams, and believe me, the accent is really on fun. The J.F.W. team, the founding members of the league were pleased to set foot on the ice for another season last Saturday, with the UNB Red Bombers as our opponents. Contrary to what some of us thought before the game, it was quite clean, and a good time was had by all. With the exception of one puck that slipped between my legs when I was napping [sorry guys] the J.F.W. team showed great promise.

It's nice when these days people can come out for a good time on the ice and not hurt each other. To any new teams in the league, KEEP THIS IN MIND! We've worked hard to get this league; don't screw it up.

BOGIE COMES TO UNB?

A friend of mine talked to me the other day about what he feels is a valid financial venture - having a Humphrey Bogart Film Festival at UNB in the near future. I think it's a good idea, but it suggests a broader issue of movies on campus in general.

A few years ago, Campus Films was set up to bring recent movies to the students at a price of \$1.00 a head. This was a great idea, and went over big. Later the SRC took it over and besides the price increased to \$1.25, it has remained virtually the same in 3 years.

But with the increasing number of current movies on TV these days, it often happens that a movie shown on campus was on TV the week or month before. One solution to this may be in the showing of film festivals, like the one mentioned. This and others like a Beatles fest, Marx Bros., W.C. Fields, etc., may be in order here now.

Think about it. If you would like to see such film fests, spread the word, and it should eventually get to where it may do some good. After all, it is up to you.

AUDIOPHILES REJOICE

Anyone who has been here for the past four years has seen the rise and fall of the true discount record store in the SUB; the store has changed management twice, and various persons have quit in disgust at the change in policies displayed by the new owners.

Well, something good may have come of all this. Rick Bastado, one of the persons longest associated with the store, and one who quit, has taken the matter into his own hands and has opened up his own store. It's called Magic Forest Music Store, and is located at 395 King St. Rick is busy building up his supplies now, and promises a return to the old days of Little Records, with regular prices being the lowest in town.

I wish Rick all the best, and hope you all will drop in the new store to check the place out.

REPLACING COURSES

It seems that many students are not aware of the details regarding the replacement of courses on their academic record. Well, for those of you who have a "black mark" or two on your record, namely D's or F's, there is something that can be done. It is well described in the calendar, but briefly, all you have to do is fill out a form at your respective faculty office, and you can replace the sore spot with another course. There is a restriction on the amount of courses you can replace according to the total credit hours in your program, and it takes a full year for you to get it replaced. Therefore, you cannot replace courses in your final year. The courses still appear on your transcript, but with an [R] after, and they are not averaged into your GPA. So if you feel you'd like to replace a course or two, talk to your Dean and do it quickly.

CORRECTION FROM LAST WEEK

In this column last week, I spoke of a few things that were invented in the great province of New Brunswick. I talked of a soft drink invented by Sussex Beverages and sold to Coca-Cola Ltd. The name of the beverage should have read "SPRITE", and yes, it was sold for a song. We may be smart, but I guess not enough to realize when we are being smart.

Brunswickan politically biased?

Dear Editor:

I am writing to protest the gross bias you demonstrated in your last issue.

When the Leader of the Opposition was on campus during

the month of October, speaking to university students among others, you managed to ignore him.

Mr. Clark made an excellent speech on campus, and in a meeting with young Progressive Conservatives expounded on

some of his policies. Yet your paper not only kept him off the front page, but, I was unable to find a single reference to the meetings in the entire paper.

But when the Prime Minister, God save us, slips into town to rehash material which could have been equally well dealt with by a telephone call or, since he is not in a hurry, by a letter your response is to provide front page coverage.

I could understand this if he had said something, instead of ducking questions, or if he had by some accident come on campus.

While students appreciate the efforts made by the staff of the Bruns, I am sure they deserve balanced coverage of events not blatant partisanship as this appears to be.

Yours sincerely,
Peter Dobbelsteyn

Fans - where are you?

Dear Editor:

I appreciate your concern but I hope the situation is now clarified. I can be reached at 453-4983.

Sheenagh Murphy
News Editor

I have been reading the Brunswickan for the past three years and I must say I look forward to Fridays. Congratulations.

I do have one thing to complain about. I am a UNB Red Devils fan and it really hurts me to see not one write-up about their games.

They started off their season last weekend beating Acadia 4-3. I think they deserve a little congratulations.

These guys put in a hell-of-a-lot of hard work and valuable time to represent UNB in this great game. They have a young team year

who are really enthusiastic about playing for UNB. Please don't let them down. Why not keep up their spirits by getting someone out at

the games and putting in write-ups. These are a great bunch of guys, who are giving it all they've got to better the Red Devils record. I really respect all of them for this.

Let's show them that the rest of the student body are behind them all of the way. Thanks for your time.

Sincerely,
A concerned fan

P.S. If possible could you please congratulate the boys in the next issue for starting off their regular season on a winning note.

else is interested, to submit an article to the paper, we are grateful to receive them. It's extremely difficult to cover a campus with three people.

In addition, some time ago I assigned one writer to contact all the young political parties on campus for information on their views, and the degree of activity they maintained. He enquired into the groups using the only information we had and was informed that young political groups of any type were no longer in existence.

Thus, I would suggest that you contact me, and perhaps we could give your group a little more coverage. This of course, also includes any of the other political groups on campus.

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Sheenagh Murphy
News Editor

Dear Mr. Dobbelsteyn:

I felt compelled to answer your accusation in that I do not feel the Brunswickan has displayed bias.

I regret that Mr. Clark did not receive any coverage, this was not a case of prejudice or of disinterest. The reasons are simple. Primarily, I do not recall receiving any information pertaining to Mr. Clark's appearance on this campus, I usually receive some type of public relations ditty informing me of who and when certain people appear on campus. In this case I did not.

I can assure you if I had I would have done my best to send someone to cover the meeting. The political views are varied on this paper and I insist on unbiased coverage on every issue. I should mention here that I presently have three writers, each of whom does more than their share of writing. If I may suggest, if you or someone

Student aid

Students well off

To Ms. Wakeling:

The Student Aid Committee is down for only one reason; the students of UNB are generally well-off economically, those who aren't usually don't have anything to do with student aid, and as for those who receive some aid they receive a justifiable amount to make it through. Not all of the students of this (F'ron) campus are from N.B. (about 73 percent are). Some students come from far away and, therefore, have their own personal problems, if such a case arises. An example of this would be the amount of support given in the last confrontation of the subject two years ago (Jan. - Feb. '76).

The Student Aid Committee (here on referred as SAC) was set up to look into a new student aid plan, but the same spring the gov't had decided to revise an old plan and use it-the same is being used this year. Some work was accomplished in searching for possible modifications, but the way that demands had been brought up at the time by the Moncton students was completely out of place. Some students thought themselves at Berkeley: they had planned for such terrorist actions, such as kidnapping (temporarily removing somebody), and sabotage, not to forget harassment. Their approach towards the treasurer was disastrous, in fact, humiliating in the face of students who needed help at the time.

What happened in 1976 was not a big occasion for students; it was a joke for some, and wasted time for others. Incidentally, I worked quite a few long hours on the subject and even saw a few openings on the situation but thanks to some fat-headed, ego-searching conservatives these holes were quickly closed. Those people will probably recognize this.

This year, and probably the next few years, the student aid issue will probably come up again. If it doesn't hit a big enough body, only concerned people will be able to react and probably do so on their own. The SRC president's function also includes helping individuals in matters of Student Aid, as long as such problems don't get too big.

If a problem seems to reach a few people too many, then action will have to be undertaken but in a group. This would not take place as a demonstration, as seen before, but in the form of a committee whose experience and knowledge on the subject will be able to meet the right people in the right fashion. This isn't a far fetched idea but common procedure. It is the method to be used on a campus of our type. As long as somebody does the work for somebody else everything seems to be alright. It's just a question of apathy, and what to do with an apathetic crowd. It's asking a lot of people, but you would be surprised on the number of people who would like to get organized for a fellow student.

Thank you, for reading
Kevin Orpen

Abuse of responsibility

The Brunswickan:

This letter is our comment upon what we feel is an abuse of responsibility. Our residence participated in the Labbatts-Oland Challenge Cup tug-of-war organized by the Phys. Ed. Society and held at half time during varsity football games. We, as did other participants, paid a ten dollar entrance fee to the society. We were happy to engage in what we thought was an effort to a) promote attendance of residence students at football games; b) encourage the friendly rivalry between men's residence and c) provide some income for the

Phys-ed society.

The event occurred and we were fortunate enough to win. As well as having our team name inscribed on a trophy, we were informed that our "prize" would be delivered to us. When the prize arrived we found it to be one-third of the quantity donated by the sponsor (value of what we received \$9.60). Questions about this discrepancy in quantity brought replies about the "discretionary consumption" of two thirds of our prize by a few members of the society. We don't mind