

Disabled Awareness Week



President James Downey will be spending next Tuesday in a wheelchair as a part of Disabled Awareness Week.



A Disabled Awareness week will be held at the UNB and Saint Thomas campuses September 21 to 24. The week's activities aim to acquaint students and faculty with the experiences faced by the disabled student, as well as informing the public about disabilities in general. The week is being sponsored by the York Sunbury Regional International Year of Disabled Persons. Following is a list of events:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Focus 81 - Employment seminar at SUB. Guest speaker is Gordon Fairweather, chief commissioner, Canadian Human Rights Commission.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

President James Downey and Dr. Noel Kinsella will spend the day in wheelchairs.

Panel discussion at STU, Edmund Casey auditorium at 12:30 p.m. entitled "Awareness of Disabled Students."

Film "A Different Approach" to be shown on both campuses. Time and room TBA.

Goal Ball - UNB gym at 12:30 p.m. A team of sighted students with blind folds vs. team of legally blind persons.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

Four student teams, from STU's Vanier and Harrington Halls and the faculties of forestry, engineering and nursing compete in front of STU's main building at 2:30 p.m. Events: slalom using wheelchairs, obstacle course using blindfolds and a final event involving receiving instruction by means of charades (students wearing ear plugs).

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

Wheelchair basketball game - Elm City Sparks vs. UNB Red Raiders and STU basketball team.

Library Day
Harriet Irving librarians take turns working from wheelchairs, following a set course and tasks. Panels regarding general awareness at 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. for

library staff, to be held in the Nan Gregg Room.

For further information contact Rick Price at 455-9607.



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Consider a Human Relations Communication Workshop. For information, come to a coffee-orientation meeting, Room 19, Alumni Memorial Building. Sept. 22nd., 7-9:30 pm.

If you can't make the meeting or if you want more information first, call 453-4820 or drop by Counselling Services.



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