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## Zoomer News and GSA Happenings

# Graduate Students Association 1993-94 Proposed Budget

Revenue	48,000.00
Student Revenue	
Savings Account	150.00
Short Term Investment	140.00
Coke Sponsorship	2,960.00
TOTAL REVENUE	51,250.00
Expenses	
Trust Fund	12,000.00
Media Support	8,000.00
Day Care Fund	4,000.00
Handbook (94-95)	3,000.00
Conference/Group Support	3,000.00
Social Club Membership	2,500.00
Entertainment	2,000.00
Travel Grants	2,000.00
Newsletter/Promotions	1,800.00
Orientation (94)	1,000.00
Audit	535.00
Id Cards	500.00
AGM/Meatings	300.00
Telephone	350.00
Banking Fees	125.00
Photocopies	100.00
Elections	50.00
Office Supplies	25.00
Miscellaneous Expenses	200.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	41,485.00
NET PROFIT	9,765.00

Current balance in Grad House Trust fund \$88,593.17
Balance in savings remaining from last year \$22,000.00

### News From Our Fearless Leader (Karen J. Matthews)

The GSA got off to a slow start this term, as many of the executive positions were vacant. These vacancies have serious side-effects: a breakdown in good communication results in the wishes of your group not being fully represented, and the functioning capability of the executive is limited. We will continue to represent you to the best of our abilities, and we hope these positions well be filled promptly. At this time the following faculties still do not have representatives on the

GSA executive: ARTS, EDUC, ENG., and FORESTRY. Also, there is a seat open on the Student Union, and on the Standing and Promotions Committee. Get involved! If interested, please contact the GSA office at 453-4700.

Given serious under-staffing, the executive still managed to organize a successful Halloween Social. A good time was had by all those who attended.

have representatives on the For those of you who are feel-

ing rather un/mis-informed about GSA activities, we are looking into setting up a direct mail system. However, at present members are requested to be "proactive":

1. To get all the announcements, sign on to the listserver. Send mail to Listserv@#unb.ca, no subject. Message should read SUB GSAL your real name.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank those of you who took time from your busy schedules to attend the Annual General Meeting on November 4, 1993. The following is a recap:

— A new cap for blanket Social Club membership coverage was approved, therefore, again this year your graduate student ID acts as your membership card to the Social Club.

 A new constitution was not approved again this year.

To date, your executive is:

#### approved again this year.

President
Karen J. Matthews

1st Vice-President Jian Xu

2nd Vice-President Tim Buskard

Secretary Collin Abernethy

Treasurer Daryell Nowlan

Comp. Science Rep Jaime Marquez-Velandia

MBA Rep.
Peter Cashin

Physical Educ. Rep Mike Aube

> Science Rep. Ruth Hoffmeir

THE EXECUTIVE
MEETS REGULARLY
ON MONDAYS AT
5:30 PM AT THE
GSA OFFICE (UPSTAIRS OF FAMILY
VIOLENCE CENTRE
- WINDSOR ST).
PLEASE FEEL FREE
TO DOME AND
PRESENT AN ISSUE.

#### Zoomers

On the weekend of November 12th, 13th, 14th the mature and part-time student groups from several iuniversities representing the Atlantic provinces attended their second annual OPTAMAS conference. The agenda for the weekend included discussions on issues, concerns and 0possible solutions relebvant to mature and part-time students, organzzational needs and group empowerment.

The weekend was a great opportunity to share ideas and experiences with representatives of other atlantic universities. We all made a lot of progress in the area of group dynamics as well as personal growth.

This meeting was also attended by delegates from:

Saint Mary's University MSA (Mature Student Association), UNBSJ OPTIMUS (Organization for Mature and Part-Time University Students), MSVU MANUS (Mount Association of Non-traditional University Students), University of PEI - MAPUS (Mature and Part-Time University Students). We would like to thank MAPUS form UPEI for being a great host for this event—Job well done!

#### Forging Ahead

We have discussed involvement in the Christmas sponsorship program for needy families and are working on some fundraising ideas. We are open for help and suggestions, please contact the C.A.M.P.U.S. office at 453-3596.

The C.A.M.P.U.S. Christmas party will be held at the Faculty Club of the Old Arts Building, 3rd floor, December 2nd from 8:00-11:00pm. We are looking forward to seeing you there.





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