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York is "very accepting" for handicapped

By Lawrence Knox
York University has the most accessibility and best atmosphere for handicapped and disabled students in Canada. Fact or fiction? General consensus around the Keele-Steeles campus is that it is fact.

"I think the fact that York integrates its handicapped students is fantastic," said Mona Moreau, first year student at York. I think over all York is a people university more than others."

York is the only university in Canada where all colleges and residences are accessible to wheelchairs and disabled students. "Most people find this university very accepting," said Judy Snow, an employee at the centre for special services for handicapped students attending York.

York University has a lot to offer to the physically handicapped student. The university offers a disabled student a chance to get an education without being separated from the regular education system. It also gives them a chance to show that they are capable of coping, working and enjoying life at a university.

York has a population of approximately 40 disabled students. Disabilities ranging from temporary handicaps such as broken legs or arms to permanently

handicapped paraplegia, quadraplegia, multiple sclerosis, cerebral palsy, epilepsy, visual impairments and deafness to walking restrictions due to heart conditions.

Socially, there doesn't appear to be a paranoia or ignorance among students attending York and the disabled. Snow agrees.

"I don't know of any situations where people came to the centre to discuss problems of discrimination or generally not fitting in."

"I think York is very socially inclined," Moreau remarked. "I know a girl that can't see too well that goes here. And, even though she might not see too well, her hearing probably is much better

than mine and she could go farther than myself."

The Centre for Handicapped Students at York is the most unique service of its kind in Canada. But the \$31,000 project, which began in January 1977, may go under if the university does not give the CHS additional money or a grant to extend the program.

Snow, who co-ordinates CHS, says the organization was hoping the 20 month program would receive funds from the university but, "because of educational cutbacks, it may not be possible."

The CHS received a small grant from the Ministry of Community and Social Services for the amount of \$440 a month for 13 months.

Snow says CHS is counting on the community development officer at York to find additional funds. She fears the CHS might have to charge for its work, "through taxes and vocational rehabilitation, not clients," she emphasized.

The CHS offers a number of different services. People can walk into the centre between 9:30 am and 5 pm Monday through Friday, if they have any questions or as Snow put it, "just shoot the breeze."

Last year, CHS set up a program in which they sent people to talk to grade 13 students to tell disabled and handicapped students about the conveniences and relaxed atmosphere at York.

Snow hopes the CHS will be allowed to continue through to April 1977, even though, the deadline for the program ended in August.

"People must realize that there is no other centre like this in Canada," she said. "I don't think we would try to hold a fund raising event to support it. The money should come through the university channel — the government."

For disabled students who are unable to get to and from York University by a regular mode of

transportation, the Toronto Transit Commission and the provincial government sponsor a service called Wheel-Trans. This service runs between 6:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. The cost is 80 cents two TTC tickets each way.

There are also private van services that run after 7:30 p.m. But, the fare is \$6 or \$8 each way, depending on which one is used.

One of the service vans is operated by the Physically Handicapped Independent Advancement Committee Services, or more commonly known as PHACS.

In attempt of lowering their fares and improving service,

PHACS is holding a Dance-A-thon at York's Winters College tonight beginning at 6 pm until midnight tomorrow.

"We hope to raise enough money to take care of operating costs of our vans," said Glenn Kerkes, executive assistant at PHACS."

The list of celebrities who will be in attendance for the 30-hour dance is an impressive one. Some of the personalities include; Dini Petty and Nicky Moore from City-TV, Pete McGarvey, Eddie Luther and Jim Paulson of CKEY radio, Paul Rimstead of the Toronto Sun, members of the Toronto Argonaut football team and four Argo cheerleaders or more commonly known as the Sunshine girls.



Judy Snow, employee at the centre for special services for handicapped students.

been straightened out, and McLaughlin activities will continue as usual...except this Friday, the Mac Pub won't be held due to the Winters' Phiacs dance.

The by-election for social representative is today...voting is in front of the JCR...

The college council wishes to welcome new treasurer, Blair Ruelens...

Osgoode

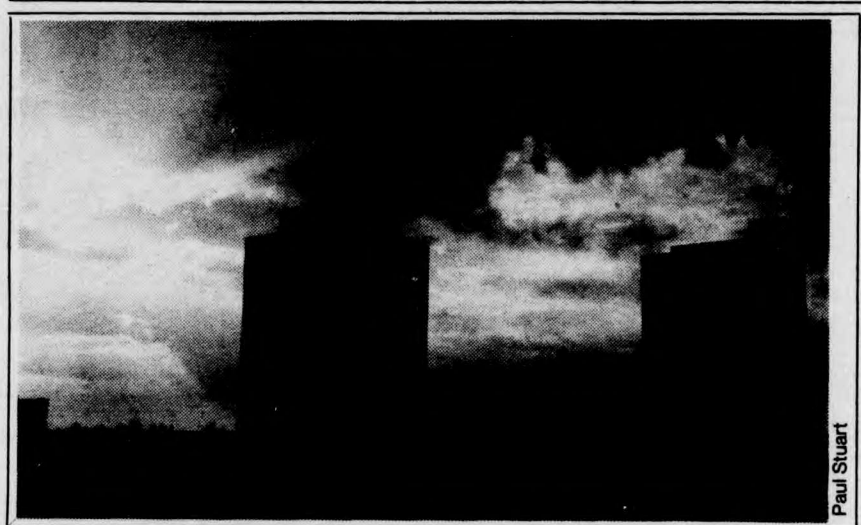
The Osgoode Women's Caucus is sponsoring a conference on September 30 and October 1...feminists will spar with the legal experts on the proposed amendments on rape and prostitution...in support of the YUSA strike, the conference will not be held on campus but has been moved to O.I.S.E.

The John White Society presents...Lynne Gordon, chairperson of the Ontario Status of Women Council, lecturing on *The Female Professional: Breaking Down the Barriers*. Wednesday October 4, 12 to 2 pm at Osgoode's Moot Court. Stong

The newly-renovated back room of the Orange Snail will be opening October 3...

This week *Our Town* was assembled by Laura Brown with the help of Arjen Boorsma (Osgoode), Rick Linley (Stong) and Brenda Paterson (McLaughlin).

MacLaughlin
All administrative tie-ups have



Bethune
Check out the Bethune movies held every Friday and Saturday night. See notice boards for details...and remember Tap N' Keg on Wednesday nights in the Bethune Dining Hall.
Calumet

Once the strike is over, Vice-president Bill Farr will be meeting with the Calumet Steering Out Committee and The Council at the York Student Federation to discuss Calumet's withdrawal from CYSF. At this meeting, all parties concerned will have an opportunity to reiterate their positions, add comments and answer questions. Almost immediately thereafter, Farr will

hand out a decision on Calumet's position.
Founders

There's a trip to Stratford this Saturday to see *Candide*...the bus leaves the Vaner circle at 5:00 pm...the show starts at 8:00 pm...tickets cost \$4.50.

Founders college student elections today...election is for positions of social representative, 3 general council members and 2 1st year reps...voting takes place in room 121, Founders college.

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YORK 78 HOMECOMING

Relics from York's bygone days will be doddering back to the campus once more, as the university hosts the first annual "Homecoming" for the alumni of York.

In between the hours of 10 am and 1 am on October 14 various barbecues, receptions, movies, dances and varsity games will be sponsored by the colleges and the men's and women's athletic councils.

The objectives of the day, according to Steve Dranitsaris, one of the coordinators of the event, is to make the alumni an integral component of the university, to make undergrads aware that there is an alumni and to promote varsity sports both with the students and the alumni.

York Unions An appeal from the faculty

The York University Faculty Association regrets the disruption in teaching and other University services to the students during the legal strike of the York University Staff Association, and sympathizes with their frustration in not being able to carry on normal learning activities. But we appeal to the students to view the strike in a broader perspective, and understand that we are all fighting to maintain the quality of academic life in this University.

All members of the York University Community including the students are faced with two basic problems:
There has been a considerable decline in the provincial government's support for universities (after allowing for inflation).
The resource allocation within the York University of the limited funds made available by the Province.

The students and all the Unions at York had occasion to jointly organize protests against the provincial government cut backs last year and we should carry on government and the Board of the Government and the Board of Governors has not only precipitated this strike but is also creating labour relations problems for the Operating

Engineers, Local 796, and the Graduate Assistants' Association.
Of all the Universities established in Canada in the sixties, York University is unique in the way it has expanded and created a reputation in many fields of learning and scholarship. What is at stake is the integrity of this university and its ability to maintain quality education. We are at the bottom among the Ontario universities in the salary of faculty members and other employees.
Ontario is among the very bottom of provinces in Canada in its support for education. The comparatively low wages are certainly one of the factors affecting the quality of education and other services offered by this university.

The weapon of last resort that a trade union has, to maintain the interests of its members, is a strike. Unfortunately, when a union is forced to the use of this weapon, a lot of people who are not party to the dispute become innocent victims. At any given moment, people not conversant with the entire situation may not realize the dangerous downhill slide resulting from the failure of authority to provide adequate university funding and proper treatment of its employees.

As our statement at the outset

of the strike indicates, we believe the York University Staff Association was forced to resort to this strike in order to achieve improved job security and a wage settlement better than 4%

While this legal strike is going on, the faculty members and librarians can, at best, offer only second rate service. This is one of the reasons why many individual teachers have felt obliged to postpone and or and or reschedule their classes. We assured students that we will do everything possible to see that you receive a full education and a full use of the other support services once normally is restored in the university.

Please bear with us till then. In the meantime, let us jointly express our concern and impress upon the administration and the Board of Governors the imperative need to settle the strike justly, protecting the morale of the support staff whose services are an essential part of the university functioning, and restoring harmony and efficiency in the university operations.
We want the university back to work.

York University Faculty Association

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