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UNB STUDENT UNION



Safety Issues on Campus

Many people are concerned with the degree of safety on campus. As Student Union Campus Safety Coordinator, I have been made aware of many areas of concern regarding the safety of students and visitors to this campus. A campus wide safety audit was performed at the beginning of this academic year to search out those areas on campus that needed improvement. Issues such as lighting, accessibility, location of public phones, and isolated areas were inspected. A report is being compiled at the moment to be handed to the university administration in order to begin with the necessary improvements.

A comparison made between the issues addressed through the safety audit and the issues which are prevalent among students at UNB, allows for the conclusion that lighting is the foremost security issue on the UNB campus. There are many areas on campus that are already lit, however, the danger lies in the majority of these areas not being lit well or properly to lighten the targeted area. It is for this reason that the concern for lighting on campus has not only included a demand for more lighted areas, but for an improvement in existing lighted areas.

In order to increase lighting on UNB's campus, a major obstacle must be overcome, namely the cost of such a project. It also must be made clear to the university administration that all students feel the necessity for this improvement, thereby making it a priority with them. A proposed, initial solution on behalf of the Campus Safety Program is to create a campus safety fund that will raise money to be first used for this safety improvement, and others thereafter.

The results of the safety audit have also suggested other necessary improvements, such as the installation of emergency phones on campus. These phones, also known as Blue Phones, would be stationed outside, among the buildings on campus, and be used by anyone on campus who finds themselves in a dangerous situation. The phones are directly linked up with campus security so that the situation can be answered and helped immediately.

Other student suggestions have included posting hours of operations signs on buildings, extending library hours, and having washrooms made accessible to wheelchairs. Ideally, all of these concerns will be addressed in the upcoming year. Yet, in order to do this, ample support must be found from the student population. If you have a suggestion or simply want to complain about a safety problem on campus that you feel needs to be improved, stop by the Student Union and talk to me. If you prefer, you can call the Student Union instead, at 453-4955.

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Lady Dunn Dance-A-Thon



Lady Dunn is holding their 4th annual Dance 'til your Dunn-a-thon. This year their dancing for 24 hours to raise money for Aids New Brunswick and S.W.A.T. (Students Without Aids Today). The Dance-A-Thon starts at 7:00P.M. on Friday January 27 and ends at 7:00P.M. on Saturday, in the Lady Dunn Cafeteria. During the 24 hours there will be a D.J., Karaoke, and dance lessons as well as prizes given out every hour that have been donated by many businesses in town. Please sponsor a participant or donations will be collected at the doors.



WANTS YOU

General meeting of the Team Smart Pace (alcohol education) Committee will be held on Room 117 of the SUB on Thursday, February 2 at 6:00P.M.

Everyone Welcome!

If you have any questions, call 453-4955 ext 6900 for more information

STOP



The UNB Student Union has organized an information session which will be held on Wednesday, February 1, 1995 at 12 noon, in the SUB cafeteria. All members of the University are invited to attend and discuss the impact of the proposed Axworthy reforms and the Student Union's efforts to counter post-secondary education.

Feel free to address any questions to the Student Union. Ask for Pat FitzPartick or Paul Estabrooks

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HEY GRADS



116 DAYS LEFT

Grads be sure to pick up applications for graduation in Room 117 SUB

We're going to the Dominican
Come along!

Hey Grads of 1995

Deadline for submission of yearbook photos is January 31, 1995. This includes graduate students and those who graduated at Christmas.

Please check with your photographer for arrangements.