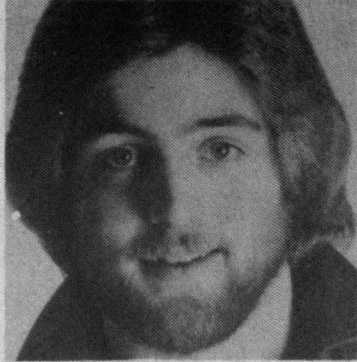


CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION '83

Martin Schug (Independent)

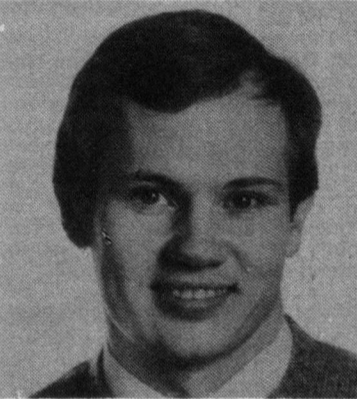


My platform focuses on the perennial problems facing the University primarily with respect to the generation of finances. I believe these problems can be remedied in many ways, primarily by,

- Seeking an increase in government funding through proper channels of lobbying;
- Extending the interest-free period on student loans from 6 months to one year (graduating students have difficulty finding employment and carry the burden of compiled loans);
- Generate capital through monthly casinos sponsored by the S.U. (with government approval).

Being an independent candidate I hope I have demonstrated my devotion toward the progression of advanced education. I am counting on your support.

Andrew Watts (GT)



The Greenhill Team is committed to addressing all the issues concerning external affairs decisively, both in relations with the provincial government and the university administration.

We need a better student assistance program, we have to effectively lobby against cutbacks and we must be responsible and realistic in our assessment of FAS.

Not to diminish the importance of external/provincial relations, Andrew Watts stresses that more attention must be focused on problems in our own backyard.

In recent investigations into Housing and Food Services, Andrew Watts has discovered a number of problems that must be dealt with now.

The conditions in Lister, HUB and Garneau are deteriorating badly. Andrew Watts is committed to working with students to improve conditions in all areas of housing. The rents in new Garneau must come down. Rents in other university run housing must be held in check. Students should be allowed refunds on scrip and be assured that prices on food remain constant during the year.

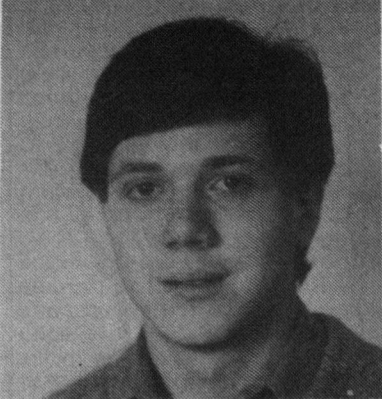
In addition, all students must be afforded increased opportunities to obtain parking spaces. The Greenhill Team's proposal to open up Windsor Community Streets to students is an excellent way to improve parking around campus. Andrew Watts is adamant on making that proposal a reality.

Andrew Watts has the skills needed to effectively communicate with all levels of government. The Greenhill Team is committed to improving Students' Union services and voicing student concerns effectively. Please vote for the Greenhill Team February 11.

V.P.

INTERNAL AFFAIRS

Peter Block (TS)



The Vice-president Internal is concerned primarily with meeting the needs and demands of students by supplying Students' Union services and space to students and student groups. I will highlight briefly some of my concerns with and solutions for the problems facing my portfolio.

A cabaret policy fair to both large and small clubs is needed. The Therrien Slate believes that if a club can manage its own cabaret without co-sponsorship, it should be encouraged to do so. It should not be forced to comply with administrators who demand Students' Union involvement.

The Therrien Slate also believes in a strong, independent, campus press. We will therefore hold a referendum on the question of Gateway autonomy from Students' Council. This will result in the Gateway collecting an annual fee directly from students rather than from the Students' Council and will make the paper accountable to students, not to student politicians. The Executive and Council will no longer be capable of influencing Gateway policy.

With funds from our Executive salary rollback, the Internal portfolio will be allocated money to establish a typing service on campus. The service will be an obvious convenience for students because of its accessible location in SUB and low cost (proposed 80¢ a page). The service will run on a break even basis, as it does on other campuses.

A Clubs Manual that details what the Students' Union expects from clubs and what services clubs are offered in return must be made readily available. The current manual has been "unavailable" from the administration since last October.

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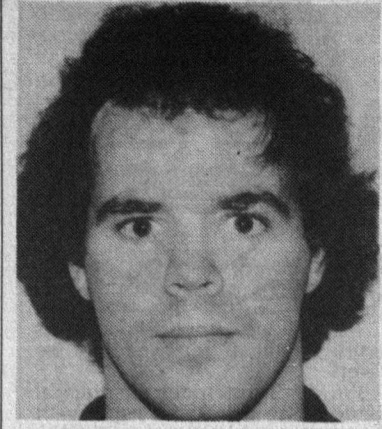
For the sole reason that I am a repressed right-wing extremist, I am forced into being the token Fascist on the slate. As I am the perfect personification of swastika-bearing scum of the worst kind, many people have difficulty identifying with my ideals. If elected, I would disband all minority groups and force all students to integrate with the campus population as a unified organic entity. Further, the university would endow all foreign students with Canadian citizenship. Not only would the above measures effectively eliminate all foreign students, but there would be no need to go around crushing minorities, a most distasteful chore. Please do not misunderstand me, I do not wish to impose conformity, but rather to topple the existing hierarchy of discrimination. By this means, all "regular" students would be discriminated against equally by the administration and the Students' Union executive.

If elected, I shall do the following:

- Investigate the allegation that Gail Brown is not the biggest slum landlord in Alberta but is in reality a Soviet spy, trying to demoralize students with unpalatable food and impossible living conditions
- Enforce a ruling that all employees of Housing and Food Services will be paid only in scrip.

3) Force all campus cafeterias to post lists of the ingredients of their food. These lists will be made in accordance with the IUPAC nomenclature.

Justin Hardwicke-Brown (HB)



Throughout this campaign my fellow slate members and I have tried to stress the importance of "student involvement and awareness". It is this philosophy I would wish to incorporate into the office of internal affairs.

The Students' Union is a body of elected representatives. Thus, it is my feeling that the general student populace has the right to be informed of council activity. I suggest that a bi-weekly column in the Gateway be assigned to this purpose.

At present, the many clubs operating at the University provide an excellent opportunity for students to both grow socially, and pursue extracurricular interest. These clubs must receive full financial support while being allowed to administer their own affairs. The Students' Union should serve as the liaison between the clubs and the students.

During this campaign the issue of terminating financially troubled programs and facilities has arisen. I feel that all possible measures must be taken to retain present student union services. All full time students at the university are required to pay equal student union dues. Therefore, the student union must be dedicated equally to helping all students explore their interests. Students cannot be denied services in order to compensate for the poor financial position of the Students' Union.

It is very easy for our slate to suggest to you that there is a need for student involvement. However the onus is on everyone. The first step we all can take in pursuit of this goal is to get out and vote on Friday.

"Vegreville" Wes (UP)



My many years experience as explorer, adventurer and freeloader have prepared me, "Vegreville" Wes of the Utopian Pragmatists, to blaze new trails and boldly trek through the bureaucratic jungles of the University administration. I have ventured far and wide across this land, from Lloydminster to Grande Cache, and Wild Horse to Grimshaw. For many days I have prepared - and I am ready.

After being elected, I intend to revitalize and upgrade our many SU services. You have heard of revolving restaurants. I instead propose to create a revolutionary advance on this concept: a stationary restaurant with SUB revolving underneath, giving SU Executive a reason to go round in circles. Such an awesome technical advance will not only attract tourists' dollars, it will also allow us to eventually serve REAL food.

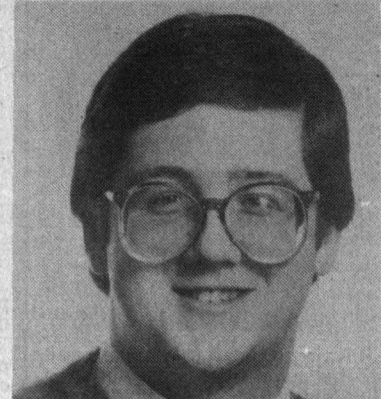
Until such time as we can serve edible food in the new RATT (which will be renamed J.R.'s, after the reigning God-King), an alternate source of pseudo-nutrition must be available to students. I therefore also propose a MacDonald's franchise in our defunct Curling Rink. I have never heard of a Big Mac losing money, so all proceeds will return to the SU defense budget.

Clubs are important aspect of my upcoming portfolio. To counter this

miscarriage of justice, I will form a Tactical Weapons and Internal Tricks Squad from defunct Spy vs. Spy members to oversee the democratic reaffirmation of God-King.

Remember: UP, UP with people.

Sterling Sunley (GT)



A new Dinwoodie policy, clubs space, SUB rejuvenation and many other concerns will make the 1983-84 term a challenging year for the Vice-President (Internal). Sterling Sunley, a member of the Greenhill Team, welcomes that challenge and has the experience to get the job done.

As the current Clubs Commissioner and member of both Building Services and Administration Boards, Sterling Sunley will turn his first-hand knowledge of Internal Affairs into action. Policy will be written in areas where none exists or in areas such as cabarets and RATT, where present policy is unacceptable.

The next year will also see the arrival of the Universiade to our campus, and Sterling Sunley intends to provide Students' Union assistance to the organizers and competitors of the Games. A third-year Arts student, Sunley realizes the importance of co-operation between the University and the S.U. His defense of the Assassins Club's right to exist, however, has proven his willingness to protect the Students' Union jurisdiction.

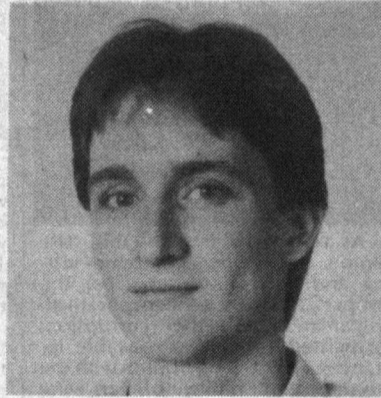
Having worked closely this past year with the present V.P. Internal, Sterling Sunley knows well the expectations and rigours of the job. He understands the need for a fair, well-informed hearing of internal concerns, and has the experience to deal effectively with problems facing the Internal Office.

The Greenhill Team is committed to providing valuable Students' Union services responsibly. Sterling Sunley has the experience and enthusiasm to serve the Office of the Vice-President (Internal) with efficiency and fairness. We seek your support.

V.P.

FINANCE

Greg MacLean (TS)



My primary concern as next year's Vice-president Finance and Administration will be the elimination of the Students' Union debt. Students will unfortunately not be able to receive the full benefit of Students' Union membership until this debt has been paid off.

The autonomy of the Students' Union is also threatened by our financial situation. The agreement between the University (our banker) and the Students' Union will force us into receivership in 1985 unless we have turned our finances around completely by then.

The Therrien Slate has sound financial plans to make this turnaround. Our planned sale of space for the bookstore to the University could net the Students' Union up to \$750,000. This sum would pay off the debt immediately and would provide some funds for summer operating costs. The University would benefit from such a purchase by saving money on rental payments.

The Therrien Slate supports a "yes" vote on the fee referendum. If the sale of the bookstore space is negotiated quickly enough, however,

we will not need the extra five dollars for debt reduction and will not have it added to Students' Union fees.

The Therrien Slate also opposes the automatic indexing and increasing of Students' Union fees that was passed by this year's Council. Students should have the right to decide on any fee increase in a referendum.

As Vice-president Finance and Administration, I will work with the other members of the Therrien Slate and with the Students' Union administrators to provide effective student services without a budget deficit.

Tiffany Twitchen (UP)



So, like, I'm running for V.P. Finagling and Armstwinging, so, it's like totally obvious that I'm the best one for the job. Like, I got a 7 in my Chequebook Balancing 100 class, so I'm sure I'm qualified.

So, for that really grody SU debt those idiots before us managed to pull off, we're gonna get rid of it by putting casinos in RATT, and bingos in Dewey's.

For everyone who's worried about those big payoffs that you sometimes get in casinos, like, don't worry. We've got this real bitchen plan, so, like, nobody ever wins big, OK? Hey, God King, what does "Not for public consumption" mean?

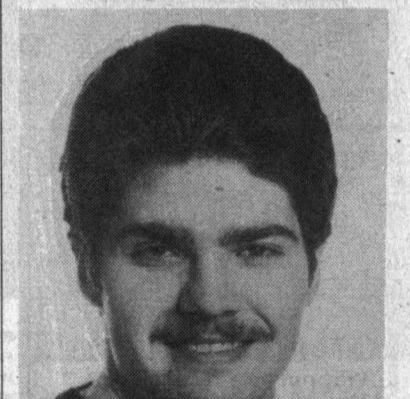
Also, in the bingos, there'll be, like, no problem. We're gonna have people working for the SU, who'll always win. And, like, they'll turn over the money to us, and get a certain cut, so we won't have to give out much money - only take it in. Tubular!

For all you people who got ripped off on scrip, we're gonna put it on the international gold standard, or something, so, like, it'll be worth something finally.

Like, all you unemployed people (what's that?), could get jobs begging for the SU and get a commission (gag me), but money's money, right? When people find out how tubular Utopian Pragmatists are, they'll like, donate all their money, fer sure!

So, like, get UP and vote UP, 'cause we make the totally impossible POSSIBLE! I'm sure.

Brian Thomas (GT)



Managing SU finances and implementing the Greenhill Team's innovations will make 1983-84 a challenging year for the vice-president (Finance). Brian Thomas, a member of the Greenhill Team, looks forward to that challenge. Thomas has the experience and the ambition to do the job.

Currently the Business councillor and a member of the Administration Board and Nominations Committee, Brian Thomas has an extensive knowledge of the Students' Union. Combine this with three years of business education and you have the perfect combination for a V.P. (Finance).

Strict financial control is vital: to this end, Thomas proposes more detailed and more frequent variance reports. In the interests of an improve financial position, the Greenhill Team favours the SU fee increase. The increase is essential for the SU to remain liquid enough to maintain its banking agreements.

Brian Thomas and the Greenhill Team will not allow student services to be reduced. The proposal for the information centre will cost only \$20,000. Due to the high cost of renovations, the club space expansion will have to be done in phases - BUT IT WILL BE DONE. The Greenhill Team will make major renovations to SUB

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