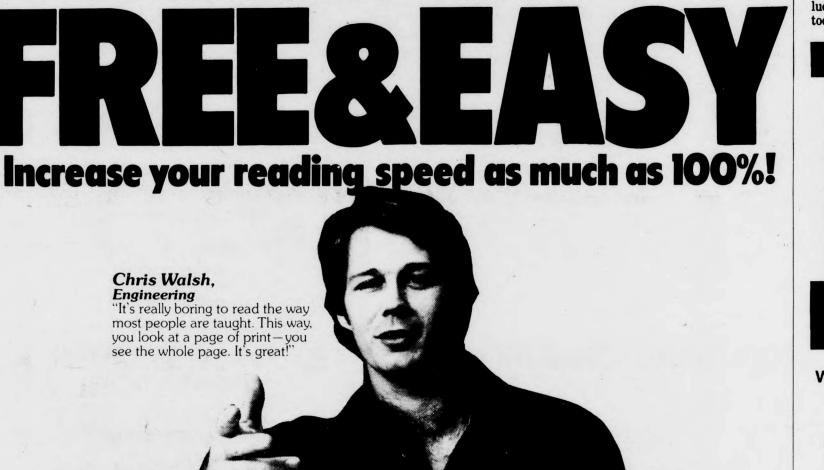


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## An invitation to join Excalibur

Usually newspapers don't publish articles about their operations but then Excalibur is a rather unusual newspaper.

With only three full-time employees - a business manager and two editors - we're dependent on voluntary, part-time student labour to get this rag on the stands. Writers, photographers and artists can always drop by the office and pick up an assignment. If you don't have much experience, we'll start you off with a short news article.

Excalibur is the solution to that age-old dilemma: where do you start if you don't have any experience? This is the first rung on the media ladder and remember: joining the Excalibur staff entails no comittment. You hand in an article, a photo, or a drawing and if you want to keep at it, that's up to you.

This year we hope to be featuring interviews with prominent York faculty types and to squeeze in some features about interesting things that are going on downtown (suited to the student pocketbook).

If we can persuade some of the local high-powered intellects to read new Canadian books, our entertainment page will be bristling with book review. Something tells us that more

women writers will be coming around, following the demise of York's (and Toronto's) only feminist magazine, Breakthrough, last year. College news, particularly inter-college athletics, is another area which the editors are committed to make room for.

Now to a point which is not always understood: a large chunk of Excalibur is fashioned by rankand-file staffers who come up with ideas of their own. So to a certain extent, not even the editors really know what's in store for 1979.

Whatever happens at Excalibur this year, the backbone of the paper will, as usual, be the parttime student editors. Specializing in news, sports, entertainment, college affairs and photography, the "sub-editors" will be chosen by the staff in early October.

The sub-editors organize assignments and do lay-out for their own sections on Monday and Tuesday nights when the paper is produced. If you don't know layout, we can teach you the basics in about a month.

Excalibur functions according to a democratic, staff constitution. Editorial policies are determined by staff vote.

To sum up, we're hoping that Excalibur's 13th year will be a lucky one. First staff meeting today at 2 p.m. 111, Central Sq.





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