

## Introducing....

### The Computer Science Association (CSA)

#### Press Release

Most faculties on campus have an associated organization that plans social events for its student, staff and faculty. The Computer Science Association (CSA) is the group that performs this function for UNB's Faculty of Computer Science.

The "Welcome Back" BBQ, Christmas Social, movie and pizza nights and nights out at local pubs are just some of the things that we offer. The CSA also sells computer science clothing and puts together a group of delegates to attend the annual Atlantic Provinces Interdisciplinary Council for the Sciences (APICS) Conference.

What makes the CSA work is involvement—we need you to get involved! The CSA is an organization of your peers. Each year we hold elections for the positions of President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, Grad Class President, and other student representatives. This year's executive has been meeting throughout the summer to make plans for this year.

You may not have time to help organize our events but we really hope you will make time to attend them. Events are open to any student, staff or faculty member of UNB. If you plan to attend CSA events you can save money by purchasing a CSA membership. Membership is \$6/term or \$10/year. Half-year memberships are great for Co-op students who may only be on campus for one term.

A CSA membership entitles you to a reduced entrance fee at CSA events. Some of our events are even free to members!

Check out our bulletin board in Gillin Hall to see what upcoming events the CSA has planned. The board on 'D' level, just outside the Student Consultants' office (room D69), across from room D7. We hope you'll come out, get involved and have some fun!

## Welcome to the Caribbean Circle

by Aurelius Gordon

The executive and membership of the Caribbean Circle hereby extend warmest greetings and best wishes to all new and returning students for a wonderful 1993-94 academic year.

Some of you may be asking, "What is the Caribbean Circle?"

Well, in a nutshell, the Caribbean Circle is an organization of students from the Caribbean, South, Central, and North America, and the general Student Community of Saint Thomas University, and the University of New Brunswick. Founded in 1972, 'the Circle', as the organization is affectionately known, has as its aim the enhancement of the academic, social, and cultural environment at UNB and STU.

Our heartbeat is the *Spirit of the Caribbean* which transcends linguistic, cultural, social, geographic, political, academic, racial, and other boundaries.

We do invite all students of both universities to register as members of the Caribbean Circle. A membership registration, and information booth will be open from 11 a.m. on Wednesday, September 15 and Thursday September 16 in the SUB Blue Lounge.

The Caribbean Circle will hold a Welcome Social on Saturday, September 18. Venue and time to be announced.

For more information on our program of activities for this year and membership registration please contact the following persons: Kaye

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## Join Shinerama Day 1993

by Doug Saunders

September is here again and UNB is gearing up for another exciting Orientation Week. Orientation means lots of new faces, crazy stunts and of course, the annual Shinerama Campaign.

Shinerama is a fund raising event that is held on college and university campuses all across Canada to raise money for the Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Cystic Fibrosis is the number one killer of children and young people in Canada and a cure is not that far away. But, your help is still needed.

Shinerama Day is held every year on the last Saturday of the Orientation Week Activities. Freshmen from UNB run out around the city shining shoes, washing windows and cars, and going door-to-door. The cool thing about this is that they have fun doing it. Usually car washes end up into water fights and such, but the Freshmen are there to raise money and that is what they do. Last year, UNB raised over \$19,000 and that kept us as raising the most money per capita than any other Canadian

University for the seventh year in a row.

Shinerama is not only a one day event, but there are also events held after Frosh Week is over. This year the first one is being held on Sunday Sept 12, 1993. This event will "kick" off the '93 Season for the Varsity Reds Soccer Team. They will be hosting the Mount Allison Mounties. It is sure to be a fantastic game and the Shinerama Committee is hoping that everyone will come out to see this match.

As well, there is an event where the Residences can get involved. On Saturday Sept. 18, 1993, UNB will be hosting its fourth annual Bucket Bonanza in the Main Gym at LBR Gym. Teams will consist of 6 people and in order for them to participate they must raise funds by collecting donations. Then they come down to the Gym and shoot baskets. The house that raises the most money and gets the most baskets is declared the winner. Last year, Neill House was the winner.

Have fun this Frosh Week and PARTY SMART but also remember to "GIVE THE BREATH OF LIFE".

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