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ALTERNATIVES

No one denies that change is needed, but a more rational approach in terms of spending and design is needed. The vacant top floor of the SUB should be usable during the day by providing reasons for students to go there. A television could be put in the empty meeting room, and portable electronic games, ping-pong tables or billiard tables could be set up in the Ballroom and Foyer areas. Acoustic improvements are also needed for the Ballroom.

Immediate expansion of the Social Club should be undertaken with a 50% increase in size this year (see diagram) and further growth next year.

The Blue Lounge must be preserved and improved at a minimal cost for maximum use. Signs could be put up to direct students to service locations such as the Radio Station, SRC, and print media.

CONCLUSIONS

The need for renovations definitely exists, but the proposals put forward by the SUB board are too expensive and don't solve the existing problems. Furthermore the imposition of a new \$15 surcharge on our fees is not needed to accomplish the Alternative proposals suggested by "CAUSE". If the present available money shown in the SUB board budget was spent on actual renovations instead of on postcards, chances are that students wouldn't have to pay more for a better, more usable Student Union Building.

Therefore "CAUSE" appeals to all students to use their votes wisely in the upcoming referendum and election. The money to be used belongs to all of the students -Please don't let it go to waste on a plan that is not in the students' best interests.

MacAlinden Announces Candidacy

On Tuesday, November 3rd, 'Cause' Vice President Stephen MacAlinden declared his candidacy for the Arts Seat on the SRC. If elected he promises to continue to fight for the interests of the students by calling for the repayment of the Thorbourne loan and by continuing his opposition to SUB Board or SRC plans that do not consider the students as the number one priority.