

# N.B. universities to fight increases

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VP External

Representative ...  
New Brunswick universities will be putting their heads together this weekend here at UNB to plan strategies to face off impending rises in tuition, residence fees and materials.

The meeting will take place in SUB room 103, Saturday Feb. 11. Saint Thomas and UNB Saint John have confirmed that they will be sending several people from their campuses to the N.B. caucus meeting being hosted by our SRC, and it's hopeful that delegates from U de Moncton and the various community colleges will

also be arriving to give their views and help come up with some strategies to face-off impending rises in tuition, residence fees and materials.

The caucus, or general union of New Brunswick students, has its counterparts in each of the other Maritime provinces. The Nova Scotia caucus, is an extremely active and vocal group of representatives who have already begun a co-ordinated campaign against tuition increases and cutbacks on Nova Scotia campuses.

The general idea of a caucus is to get students who are involved in what's happening on campuses across the province together so that they can exchange ideas, give each other help on things that are common problems, and plan activities that can happen.

One of the main priorities on the agenda at the caucus meeting is what to do about the probable tuition increase that we're now facing with the recent announcement by the Premier that our university operating grant will be only half of what we need. The

feeling expressed at this point by the people coming on Saturday is that students in New Brunswick just can't handle higher costs.

The caucus meeting on Saturday is expected to be a high-powered, high-spirited effort to come up with some reasonable demands that the provincial government and the university administrations come up with some clearer ways to improve the situation that we are in.

Interested people are welcome to attend. That's this Saturday, beginning at 10 a.m. in SUB 103.



Winnie the Pooh and Tigger the Tiger appeared at the Marshall D'Avary Pre-school centre to the delight of the children there. The two famous characters put in their appearance courtesy of the Sears Infants Dept. where they are the Heroes of that department. The appearance was arranged by Mr. John McGratten, Division Manager of the Infants Department.

The parts of the characters were played by Mr. David Hall, as Winnie the Pooh, and Mrs. Linda Brown as Tigger the Tiger.

## Unionization to come?

By SHEENAGH MURPHY

February 15 and 16 the applications for certification for three individual unions on campus will go before the New Brunswick Federation of Labor Certification Board.

The Association of University of New Brunswick Teachers (AUNBT) is applying for certification to act as bargaining agent for the entire group of professors and librarians on campus.

UNB Law Faculty Association is applying for certification to act as bargaining agents for the 13 members of their faculty. The Faculty of Engineering and Forestry is applying for certification to act as bargaining agent for the members of their faculties.

Spokesperson for the AUNBT Gary Chaizon said that the organization has signed up over 64 per cent of the entire group of people involved, and there are representatives from every faculty except for Law.

He said that probably more than 80 per cent have opted for some form of collective bargaining and what is to be decided is on what basis they wish the bargaining done.

The upcoming hearings will determine which basis that is according to Chaizon.

He said the AUNBT has been in existence since 1956, and has been acting as a professional association which represents the faculty.

He said the UNB Law Faculty Association wants to represent its thirteen members and the UNB Engineering and Forestry Faculty Association wishes to represent approximately 103 faculty members of engineering and forestry.

Chaizon said it is up to the N.B. Federation of Labor Certification Board to decide what unit is the appropriate bargaining unit for this campus.

"We want to represent the whole" said Chaizon who said the other two organizations wish only

to represent their own faculties.

Chaizon said should the AUNBT receive certification, then the NBLCB decides which groups on campus are involved.

In order to receive certification, a 60 per cent vote of the entire group is needed, if the vote is between 40 and 60 per cent it would be necessary to hold an election.

Chaizon said the hearings will include three associations mentioned, the university administration and a brief which will be presented by the students.

The student brief will be concerned with what ramifications unionizing the professors will have on students. Student Union Vice President External Susan Shalala declined to comment on what the brief will say.

The UNB Law Faculty Association is applying for certification to act as a bargaining agent for the 13 full time members of the staff

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## Education Candidates



RUTH ANN STEWART

Running for education rep., Ruth-Ann is interested in student politics because she feels that the SRC funds are not being equally distributed. She said that it's time that education students get adequate representation on the SRC.

Ruth-Ann also intends to do her part in eliminating student apathy. She says that anyone wishing to express an opinion is welcome to come see her at room 205 in McLeod House.

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JUDY BUNTING  
BED III

Running for education representative, Judy is interested in becoming involved with the SRC.

She has been somewhat involved already in that she has worked for two years as copy editor on the yearbook, been a member of the orientation and carnival committees, has been a member of the education society for some time, and involved with high school relations.

Judy feels one of the main issues this year is the fact that education students in fourth year are compelled to pay both tuition and SRC fees despite the fact that they are often away practice teaching for half the year.

She feels those students shouldn't have to pay full fees. "I'd like to be the voice to represent my faculty" said Judy. She encouraged people to get out and vote, no matter who they choose to support.



PETER FULLERTON  
BED III

Peter Fullerton, is running for education rep. His list of previous

activities reads: photo editor for 1976 yearbook editor of 1977 yearbook, and co-editor for 1978 yearbook, on winter carnival committee for 1978, on orientation committee for 1976 & 1977 and being an active member of the education society.

Peter is concerned with 4th year education students paying full SRC fees and tuition and only being on campus for about half the academic year. He believes that if you want a job done you have to do it yourself, a principle which he would apply in such a job. He believes he could be a strong voice for education students and urges everyone to vote.

This Saturday CHVW (seen on Channel 10) presents:

- 12:00 CHVW In Depth News
- 12:45 Geo-Weather Watch
- 1:00 College Bowl - Unknown Savants vs Bruns Red Herrings
- 1:30 Reveen Exclusive
- 2:00 Game of the Week - Varsity Hockey - UNB Red Devils vs St. F.X. Axemer.
- 4:00 SRC presidential candidate forum

CHVW in-depth news will be offering local, national and international news with emphasis on the local. In-depth news will include interviews and reports taped on campus and CHVW Viewpoint.

This week the Geo-Weather Watch will be having a look at computer and satellite maps, the how and why.

CHVW will be among the UNB College Bowl this Saturday at 1:00 featuring the Unknown Savants and the Bruns Red Herrings. This is filmed live in the SUB ballroom.

The internationally renowned Reveen is CHVW's exclusive of the week, and proves to entertain viewers as always.

Upcoming election candidates for SRC president can be viewed at 4. For an idea on what these people are like, tune in to CHVW.

Incidentally, CHVW tapes could be seen Tuesday night on National News with live coverage of Premier Hatfield receiving a pie in the face. Congrats to the member who taped the show.

## SRC Positions - Candidates

These are your candidates. Please come out and vote next Wednesday, February 15. We need your support.

THESE POSITIONS HAVE BEEN FILLED BY ACCLAMATION

Arts Rep Deana Ketcheson Arts 2  
Business Rep Andrew Secord BBA 2  
Nursing Rep. Sheryl Hardwick Nurs. 1  
Phys Ed. Rep Bev Doherty Phys Ed 2  
Law Rep Michael Rubenstein

PRESIDENT SRC

Steve Berube BBA 3  
Mark McIntyre-Kelly Educ 3  
Paul Martin Arts 4

COMPTROLLER SRC

Jamie Robertson BBA 2  
Geoff Worrell BBA 4

ENGINEERING REP. PICK TWO

Carol Ann McDevitt Eng. 1  
Robert Blue Eng. 2  
Neil Toner Eng. 1

EDUCATION REP. PICK TWO

Peter Fullerton Educ. 3  
Judy Bunting Educ 2  
Ruth Ann Stewart Educ. 3

REPS AT LARGE PICK TWO

Sandy McRuer For. 3  
Paul Meyer For. 4  
James Brock Science 1  
Lynn Wentworth Arts 3

SCIENCE REP.

Andrew Wawer Science 3  
Barbara Clerihue Science 3

GRADUATING CLASS VICE-PRESIDENT

Carla Milligan  
Brian Langille

GRADUATING CLASS VALEDICTORIAN

Matthew Penny  
Allan Patrick  
Mike Gange  
Al Thibeault

SENATE PICK THREE

Joan Clogg Arts 2  
Tom Best Phys Ed 3  
Danny David Eng. 3  
Andrew Wawer Science 3  
Lori Hungate Arts 3  
Sheenagh Murphy Arts 3  
Tierney Ness Nursing 3  
James Haley Educ 1  
Allan Eddy For. 3