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# Winter carnival snowballs through Shirreff Hall

Erin Steuter

"Competition" has been the catchword at Shirreff for the past two weeks. Floors battled each other, Shirreff societies rivalled their campus opponents, and Residence Council elections loomed ahead for the nervous campaigners on February 11th.

Battle of the Floors was a great deal of fun. Girls tore around frantically searching for an October 1980 Seventeen magazine and underwear with "Thursday" written on them, while others put together "Shreddies" prizes. All culminated with a rousing Caps tournament. 1st Newcombe was established as the most spirited floor but everyone participated in the competition, keeping a sisterly tone.

"Super Societies" was new to many girls but the excitement generated by those who had experienced those in previous years was contagious! Assassins wandered our halls armed with

water pistols while searches continued for treasure and profs. The campus crawl was the highlight for many Shirreffers. The Blushing Brides Super SUB was a welcome blast to build the spirit for Winter Carnival, and Arthur Night is attracting a great deal of attention as a way to end the festivities in grand style and fun.

A more serious competition at Shirreff, though greeted with equal spirit, is the Res Council elections. Positions for President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Student Union Rep are open for nomination this week. Good luck to all campaigners!

Two activities now regularly

attended are Folk Dancing in the Shirreff games room on Mondays at 7:30 and Rhythmic Activities in the dining hall on Thursdays at 7:30.

Self-defense was a topic last Thursday, where many girls realized their exposure to danger and learned some helpful skills to save themselves from rape and death. The talk was disturbing, but necessarily so, to alert everyone to the frequency of assault. Escort services and a rerouting of the bus to reach Shirreff's doors are two planned aids which will ensure the Shirreff girls keep their freedom and their security.

## Columnist tries it solo - still a bit Rusty

Dear Rusty:

I was shocked to read last week that Rusty & Dave had decided to go their own ways. One relief though is that I can still enjoy your writing, albeit in separate columns. I am still wondering about one thing though and since you, Rusty, are my favourite I thought I would ask you. Though you are not working together do you two still think the same?

Sarah MacIntosh

I'm only people wood give me a opportunity. To answer your query sarah; yes, I believe the too of us still think very very very, very much alike. Our differences. Are purely professional. but anyways lets move on with this anasyllis. Analysis; I hope all my readers!!!!

Enjoy this weeks counn column. So, and if you don't please please give me a chance

sincerely yours,  
the Rusty Column

thanks. keep the fire burning. And to answer your query yes I believe the 2 of us still think very alike and send your letters and questions and comments to Rusty's Column at Dal and till next week!!!!!!

*Typesetter's Note: I am appalled at your idea of good taste. Drinking and journalism just do not mix!!!! Personally, I don't drink very much when I work.*

*Dave's Note: I agree.*

*Typesetter's Note: Thanks Dave.*

dear sar Sarah; I am so happy you make this leeter to me as I never realized howlonely. it can be righting alone, Oh sure David was the individuel who went over the colem and fixt the spelling and punutcuationbut I am positive I can be sucesful on my own... My quote of the the week is "be obscure clearly, by E.B.White"; just a minute I have to go to the bathr

I am going to work very very very very hard onmy colm and after tonight and I'm going to quite drinking ak alk alcohol, too

## The "...& Dave" Column

Dear Dave:

I was shocked to read last week that Rusty & Dave had decided to go their own ways. One relief though is that I can still enjoy your writing, albeit in separate columns. I am still wondering about one thing though and since you, Dave, are my favourite I thought I would ask you. Though you are not working together do you two still think the same?

Sarah MacIntosh

Dear Sarah:

No.  
The thinking of Mr. James and myself is light-years apart, and has always been this distant. I never wanted to say all those silly things; he made me do it because he owned the typewriter. Now however, I am free and I intend to

make it up to our readers through the inauguration of a bold new project. I, in collaboration with the Dalhousie Arts Centre, have devised a premise for a new and exciting play, authored by yours truly. In weekly installments I hope to provide in serial form, my fifteen-act play entitled, "The Life, Times, Struggles, Torments, Desires, and Drinking Binges of Lawrence Welk," and I...

Stop blowign your own horn, David!

Get the hell out of my column, Rusty! You are embarrassing me in front of my readers!

Well if that seems to the The way you seem to thinkIM; takin away with my typewr

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