

The Gateway

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Letters

Some Tact...please

Dear Editor,

Since I entered the university in September 1984, I have been reading the *Gateway* on a regular basis. I'm delighted to see that there is a good staff of dedicated people that puts out a good product. Unfortunately, I have to make a negative comment. The name of God is frequently used in vain. Since our university is a secular institution where everybody should feel at home, something has to be said about this. There are a fair amount of Christians on campus judging from the number of denominations that are represented. These people, like me, try to live in accordance with the Bible. In Deuteronomy 5:11 it states: "You shall not take the name of the Lord your God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless who take his name in vain." (R.S.V.) Each time I read a misuse of the name of God, e.g. in the issue of March 4, 1986, which reads: "Oh God, it's happening again", I feel bad, because the name of the Lord is dishonoured. Many other Christians will feel alike. On the other hand, when you yourself are a non-believer you have to realize that you are held responsible for each misuse.

I hope that you will listen to this request and use the name of the Lord only in an honourable manner. Christians, and above all God, would be very pleased with this.

Wim Van Winkoop

Of Male Interest

To: All males
 From: Revenue Canada
 Date: March 1, 1986

Dear Taxpayers:

The only good thing that Revenue Canada has not taxed is your pecker. This is due to the fact that 40% of the time it is hanging around unemployed, 30% of the time it is pissed, 20% of the time it is hard-up, and 10% of the time it is employed, but it operates in a hole. Furthermore, it has two dependents and they are both nuts.

Accordingly, after **April 1, 1986**, your pecker will be taxed on its size, using the "Pecker-Checker" scale below. Determine your category and insert the additional tax under "Personal Use Property", Schedule 3, line 530 of your T1 General Income Tax Return for 1985.

PECKER-CHECKER SCALE

10-12 inches - Luxury Tax: \$30.00
 8-9 inches - Hole Tax: \$25.00
 6-7 inches - Privilege Tax: \$15.00

4-5 inches - Nuisance Tax: \$5.00

NOTE: Anyone with a pecker under 4 inches is eligible for a refund.

DO NOT APPLY FOR AN EXTENSION

Males with peckers in excess of 12 inches should file under "Capital Gains".

Very truly yours,
 J.D. (SCI. III)
 G.K. (SCI. II)

Nu-Vinyl in the Big World

Thanks for finally taking your readers into the big world of adult illustrated stories. Nu-Vinyl is a great new idea with fascinating potential, unlike those silly three-panel jokes. I don't understand how Nu-Vinyl can be so subtle and so blatant all at the same time! More (please, please).

J. Ryckborst
 Home Economics III

Body Odour and Frying Fish

Dear Sir or Madam,

I have recently quit smoking and am dying to report my findings. In the first place, I find that many people have bad breath and weird body odours. I find that the air around SUB smells like frying fish. I find that I have a chronic, incapacitating pain in my right bicep which seems to be associated with the stress of not smoking. I find that I enjoy second hand smoke. I find that I don't find it necessary to dump on smokers. I find that people who do ought to be charged with assault.

Isabelle Foord

Hugs, Kisses, etc.

PP86' would like to thank all those people who helped us on our campaign. Many of you took time away from your studies and personal lives, and for this we are very grateful.

We would also like to thank the 5100 students on campus who participated in this year's election process.

Sincerely,
 Dave Oginski
 Barb Higgin
 Tim Boston
 Craig Cooper
 Michael Hunter

Editorial Elections

The 1986-87 Editorial Elections for the following positions will be held on Thursday, March 27, at 4:00 p.m. in *The Gateway* office.

- Photo Editor
- Production Editor
- Entertainment Editor
- Circulation Manager
- Gateway Advocate

The following are eligible to vote in the election of *Gateway* editors for 1986-87. If you have made three or more contributions (photos, articles, layout help, etc.) this year, please notify Dean Bennett.

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| Carolyn Aney | Ann Grever | George Onwumere |
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The Gateway's 75th Anniversary Party!!

For Ex-Gateway people
 April 11, 1986

6:00 - 11:00 pm

Eat, drink and be controversial
 (like the good ol' days)

For more information phone 432 - 5168

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Gateway Election Procedures

The following motions pertaining to the March 27th editorial election were passed at *The Gateway* staff meeting on March 13.

- Questions put to editorial candidates must adhere to the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedom, the Alberta Human Rights Act, the CUP Statement of Principles, and *The Gateway* Constitution.
- All questions must pertain to the portfolio and *The Gateway*.
- Each candidate may give an introductory speech not to exceed 3 minutes. He or she will then be questioned by staffers for a period not to exceed 15 minutes.

Short story 3,000 words max
 Short poem 16 lines max
 Long poem 100 lines max

First prize all categories \$100
 Second prize all categories \$65

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The Gateway would like to thank the poets and writers who submitted entries to *The Gateway* Literary Contest

Selected entries will be featured in *The Gateway* Literary Supplement (March 27).

Thanks to our contest sponsors for their generous support for the Arts in Alberta.

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