

SP- what are they?

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The UNB/SP are an organization for all students to participate in UNB/SP started with the formation of the CAUSE committee on the UNB campus. The members of CAUSE produced a shocking image to traditional UNB. This image was to gain them attention by making UNB aware of their actions. In the present academic year, the SP have modified their philosophy and image to attract a wide cross section of students who have contributed many new ideas to the SP, but all share a common political ideology.

UNB/SP have a collective leadership of a five man executive. This year's executive are Political Director - Randy Brodeur, Organization Director - John Bosnitch, Information Director - Furey Oduaran, Finance Director - Oliver Koncz and the Social Director is vacant.

Some of the branch organizations of UNB/SP include UNITY, SOLIDAR-NOSC/SP, Modern Students/SP, UNITY/SP and CAUSE/SP. Other organizations will soon be organized by UNB/SP.

Members of organizations with SP after their title are automatically members of UNB/SP. The UNITY organization is also UNB/SP organized, but only for election purposes. All UNITY candidates have been endorsed by UNITY, but they do not have to be a member of UNB/SP and are voluntarily independent of all UNB/SP organizations.

The candidates running under UNITY/SP also belong to UNB/SP and concern and affiliate themselves with all UNB/SP organizations.

In the fall election UNITY candidates were successful in winning eight out of ten seats. In the February by-elections four out of six UNITY candidates were successful. In the upcoming March 30 elections there are

seven UNITY candidates and two UNITY/SP candidates.

UNB/SP have begun to organize the SP in New Brunswick high schools. UNB/SP also plan to run candidates in future municipal, provincial and federal elections or in any area where the interests of students need to be protected. UNB/SP plan to hold a convention before the end of the academic year. This will be open to the public and delegates will be selected from all SP organizations. They will decide long term policy and goals to be used in future election campaigns.

The SP plans to branch out to other universities. In the present academic year, UNB/SP was the parent organization for all SP functions. As UNB/SP continues to branch out, a new SP organization will have to be introduced as the parent organization, with UNB/SP becoming a branch organization overseeing all UNB/SP activities.

Civil engineers conference upcoming

By Randy Blakely and Kevin Wilkinson

The fourth Civil Engineering Senior Report Conference is to be held on April 6th and 7th. There will be three sessions held over two days with reports being given simultaneously in rooms H-C11 and H-C13 at Sir Edmund Head Hall.

The conference consists of graduating civil engineering students presenting twenty minute oral and visual presentations of their senior reports. Many aspect of civil engineering will be

covered. Although the more technical topics will be of special interest to engineering students, there will be a number of reports presented which will be of general interest. These include:

"Condensation in the Home" by Michael McDermid.

"Propane Vehicles" by Susan O'Connor.

"Energy Retrofitting for Older Homes" by Ken Amos.

"Principles of Management" by Keith Bonnyman.

"Direct Shear Strength of Discontinuous Rock" by Scott MacDonald.

Schedules will be posted throughout the university in the next several days.

The conference will be held in the form of a competition, with the reports being judged on their presentation as well as their engineering content. Prizes will be awarded, for the top three presentations, at the conclusion of the conference.

People in attendance will be requested to register in the lobby, but there will not be any charge. Refreshments will be available throughout the conference.

Student wives tea to be held

The Student Wives Organization of the University of New Brunswick and St. Thomas University, will be holding its annual Graduation Tea from 2-4 p.m. in the Tartan Room of the Alumni Memorial Building.

The Student Wives' Organization was founded in 1955 by Mrs. Norma

McAllister, who is now the honorary president of Student Wives. The Organization was created after realizing the need to make the wife of a student feel welcome on campus and to provide strength to each other by sharing a common bond. Over the years Student Wives' has grown to include not only the students

of the University of New Brunswick but also St. Thomas University and the Maritime Forest Ranger School. With approximately 400 married students on campus this year alone, there is the opportunity to meet people from the four corners of the world. Through socials and swapping of ideas Student Wives

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by T. Brewer

"Never man spake like this man." (John 7:46) These words were spoken of a carpenter's son, a young man barely over the age of thirty.

The inquisitive mind would ask "what would cause a band of officers to make such a statement?" The answer to this question may be discovered by looking at the life and teachings of this humble man from Galilee-Jesus Christ of Nazareth.

Yet what teachings of Jesus caused such observations to be made by the people who heard and were affected by his ministry? A study of the gospels would show us that there were many of Jesus' teachings that left his audience in wonder and amazement. However for the purpose of this article let's consider Jesus' words concerning the "the living water". This living water was Jesus' topic of discussion just prior to the multitude realizing that "never a man spake like this man."

The Bible records that "In the last day, that great day of the feast Jesus stood and cried saying, "if any man thirst, let him come unto me and drink. He that believeth on me, as the scripture hath said, out of his belly shall flow rivers of living water". (John 7:37,38). This was not the first time Jesus had spoken concerning "the living water", earlier he conversed with a Samaritan woman concerning this water that would quench a man's thirst forever.

Consider who it was that was speaking with such authority concerning this water which Jesus claimed only He could give. This was not merely a carpenter's son or a young teacher trying to accumulate a large gathering of followers for his own personal gain. He was rather the God of all eternity who had come down to earth in the form of man. Matthew records "Behold, a virgin shall be with child... and they shall call his name Emmanuel, which being interpreted is GOD WITH US" (Matt. 1:23). It is important that we recognize Jesus for who He is - the Almighty God. Paul states "...God was manifest in the flesh..." (I Timothy 3:16). So it was that the God of heaven, manifested in flesh, took time from ministering to the multitudes, to let a Samaritan woman know that she could drink of the water which he had to offer.

In John 4, Jesus requested of the woman that she give him drink. This eventually led him to reveal to her that had she known to whom she was speaking, she would have asked him for "living water". Later, in this same passage, Jesus stated that the water he would give would be a well of water springing up into everlasting life.

You may ask what is a person in today's world supposed to make of these passages which include such phrases as, "living water", "shall never thirst again" and "water springing up into everlasting life?" Is it possible for a man to never thirst again? Spiritually, yes.

Once a man has drank from the wells of salvation he finds himself fully satisfied. Peter in his epistle refers to the joy that comes from believing in Jesus as "joy unspeakable and full of glory." (I Peter 1:8) A joy and peace which may be gotten from no other source may be found in knowing that you have had your sins remitted, (through repentance and baptism), and have received God's spirit.

Jesus' living water is still available today. He still supplies the well of water that springs up into everlasting life. The words he spoke to the Samaritan woman that day: the words he spoke to the multitude, are still applicable today.

Truly "never a man spake like this man".

has become part of the university community.

Each graduating member of Student Wives' will receive a silver spoon as well as a PHT degree (Putting Hubby Through). Dr. Downey has been approach-

ed to present the PHT's and the spoons.

It is interesting to note that this is the only existing formal tea in Fredericton.

All student wives, past and present, are encouraged to attend.