UNBSJ enters new era of expansion

UNBSJ Press Release

James Rowan photo

The Saint John campus of the University of New Brunswick enters a new era of expansion this fall with the construction of a new multi-purpose academic building.

"This is going to be a very exciting year for UNBSJ," says Dr. Doris Ryan, Vice-President (Saint John). "It is very gratifying to see construction of our new academic building finally underway."

Funding for the new building, in the amount of \$4.2 million, was announced by the provincial government last fall.

The new building will be composed of 23,350 square feet of assignable space and will house the School of Business, the Nursing Program and all administrative offices (including the Registrar's Office, the Business Office, the office of the Dean of Faculty, Student Services, the Vice-President's Office and Community Relations). There will also be nine new classrooms, including a large audiovisual theatre, a business class room with four break-out labs, a micro-computer lab, and health labs for the nursing program.

This will be the first academic facility to be

constructed on the Tucker Park campus since it was opened in 1969, although temporary annexes have been built to house engineering, nursing and some business faculty offices. In 1975 the athletics centre was added to the physical plant; the Canada Games

Stadium was constructed in 1985; and the Thomas J. Condon Student Centre was opened in 1986.

Enrollment at UNB Saint John has increased from about 500 students in 1969 to a projected 1400 full-time and an equal number of part-time students for 1991-92. The faculty complement has increased from about 40 to

"The new building will allow the campus to accommodate the growth it has experienced over the last 20 years," says Dr. Ryan. "It was also allow the university to expand and improve the facilities in the Library and in Hazen Hall.

"We are eagerly looking forward to the opening of the building, which we expect will take place in the fall in 1992."

Highlights of the Student Union Meeting

by Shane MacDonald

Bi-Election Called

Wednesday night, Greg Lutes officially called a bi-election. This is to fill the positions of V.P. external which was held by Greg Bradly who resigned for unknown reasons during the summer recess. Jeff Blackburn also resigned from his one year senate appointment due to other commitments.

The Bi-election will be held on October 16th, nominations will be accepted by the student Union Office between September 18th and 22nd.

If you are interested in these positions, or any others, contact the student union offices

Terry Fox Needs You

The Terry Fox run will be held on September 19th.

The student Union needs volunteers to assist with registration, students are also needed to distribute water to the winners as well as direct them as to the route.

See this weeks feature for more details. Help keep Terrys dream alive!

Money Misspent

This wednesday evening, tempers flared over money spent during the summer months.

Governor Williams claimed that the football feasibility study was plagarized to a certain extent and that the three thousand dollars spent on the report was a ridiculous waste of money.

Governor Bourque also claimed that the Heritage report which is due soon was another

example of poor management of money by the union. Council decided to withhold the final wages of the summer employees for the Heritage project.

Further update on this controversial issue will appear in The Brunswickan.

Crime of the week

Call 1-800-222-TIPS



Sometime between 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday afternoon, September 3, someone removed a male mannequin from a display in the front foyer of McConnell Hall. The Mannequin was clothed with a red orientation sweatshirt and white shorts. The mannequin had been borrowed from Sears Canada Inc. by the Orientation Committee.

Crime Stoppers will pay up to \$2,000 for information leading to the arrest of the person or persons responsible for this Crime. If you have information about this or any other crime in New Brunswick, call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222 -(TIPS)8477.

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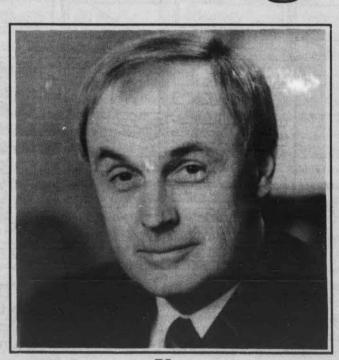
"As Minister of Advanced Education and Training, I have come to know the successes achieved by our universities and the challenges faced by the university community."

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