

# Closing The Gap!

## Between Ability And Disability

### Support Disability Awareness Week at York University October 13-16

Do not miss this spectacular opportunity to learn more about disabilities and issues surrounding disabilities.

ABLE, a student group for people with disabilities at York University is organizing events to heighten awareness of disability issues for everyone (disabled and non-disabled) on campus during October 13 - 16.

The United Nations Decade For The Disabled will come to an end this year. During this decade much had been done to raise awareness of the rights of people with disabilities in Canada and around the world. There is still plenty to do. ABLE is organizing Disability Awareness Week to continue the struggle to ensure that all students with disabilities have the right to be equal participants in society. Students with disabilities have the right to access all services on and off campus!

As well, ABLE-YORK in conjunction with Calumet College will pay tribute to DAVID CONRAD on October 13, 1992 at 1:00 pm. at a memorial service commemorating his contributions to the York community. The service will be held in the Calumet Common Room, Room 100, Calumet College. The service will last approximately 1 hour with a short reception to follow.

Donations can be made to The David Conrad Memorial Bursary at that time.

Please R.S.V.P. for workshops and indicate special needs/accommodations required by calling 736-2100 ext. 20492 or TDD 736-5263 and speak to Laurie Alphonse, President, ABLE York, John Mossa, External Rep., ABLE York. Events are FREE and open to the public.

### **Tuesday October 13, 1992**

- Day Event:** David Conrad Memorial Service  
**Place:** Calumet Common Room, Room 100  
**Time:** 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
- Evening Workshop:** Physical and Occupational Therapy to assist persons with physical disability.  
**Place:** Student Centre Common Room, Room 307  
**Time:** 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

### **Wednesday October 14, 1992**

- Day Event:** York University Services Day  
**Place:** Student Centre Colonnade (main floor)  
**Time:** 10:00 am - 4:00 pm
- Evening Workshop:** Violence Against People With Disabilities  
**Place:** Student Centre Common Room, Room 307  
**Time:** 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

### **Thursday October 15, 1992**

- Day Event:** Disability Simulation - York Administration  
**Place:** Senate Chamber Room, N. Ross Building, 9th Floor  
**Time:** 10:00 am - 12:00 noon
- Evening Workshop:** Employment Equity And Disability  
**Place:** Student Centre Common Room, Room 307  
**Time:** 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm

### **Friday October 16, 1992**

- Day Event:** Disability Simulation- York Students  
**Place:** Student Centre Common Room, Room 307  
**Time:** 10:00 am - 12:00 noon
- Evening Event:** Closing Ceremonies, Wine & Cheese Reception  
**Place:** Student Centre Common Room, Room 307  
**Time:** 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm