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Students could benefit from involvement in VTR

During this past week many students were entertained by a humourous videotape recording called "Groove Tube". The SUB brought in this hilarious spoof on commercial TV and ran it continously all week. For those of you who missed it you can still catch it today in room 103 of the SUB anytime until midnight. It's certainly worth seeing.

The company that produced this show has a brochure listing many other similar shows on countless topics, not all of them humourous.

This sort of media, called VTR, is something that could probably be utilized much more at UNB. At present our Audic-Visual Dept has all sorts of equipment and know-how to do a myriad of things with videotape. (They even taped Xaviera Hollander's appearance here in the fall.) At the last Leadership Conference VTR was one means suggested to better publicize various things around the campus.

Videotape is an entirely new concept here for the students. It is now being used quite extensively for academic purpose but quite obviously its uses have not been developed to any greater extent by the students. Why don't the students, or the SRC, get a little more interested in this sort of thing? We now have a radio station and a student newspaper. Aside from being services to the general student body both these organizations have been training grounds for future radio personalities and newspaper reporters. Why not have some sort of a student video station? The possibilities here are endless. We know of at least one person on this campus who was involved quite extensively in VTR at the University of Winnipeg and there



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If anyone is interested in this sort of thing why not drop in to see your SRC President (both UNB and STU campuses can benefit mutually with this) or other Council members. Perhaps if enough people think it might be a good idea something might get started.



Our janitors are still; having problems. Now the employees of Modern have joined together with those of Cutodial Services in presenting petitions. They are hoping for some student support in their bid for better conditions. We think they deserve them.

We're the ones who suffer if the buildings aren't cleaned properly, not the cleaning companies. If we want clean buildings we'll have to pay for it.

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