

AIDS NB hosting 'Walk for Life' fundraiser

Press Release -- The Small Craft Aquatics Center will be the starting point for the first annual "Walk for Life" occurring on October 7th in Fredericton. The "WALK FOR LIFE...because AIDS affects all" has as its primary goal to demonstrate support for persons living with HIV/AIDS and their families within the community and to show that it affects everyone not just those living with the virus.

Sponsored by AIDS New Brunswick, a provincial organization involved with AIDS prevention, education and health promotion, "Walks" will be occurring in different communities during the second two weeks of October. Primarily geared as an AIDS Awareness Week activity (October 4-10, 1993). The Walk falls in line with this year's theme "Strong lives - strong communities: promoting health for everyone".

For Ronald Totten, a member of the Board of Directors of AIDS New Brunswick from Fredericton, it's an opportunity to do more for the community he lives in. "It's a great time of the year to get outdoors whether it's for exercise or whether it's the beauty of the fall season", comments Totten. "More importantly, it's a chance to get out and show people in the community that you care about something that is affecting everyone not just a select group."

"Walks" are currently held by approximately seventy percent of the 92 community based AIDS organizations which form the

Canadian AIDS Society. Originating from the United States, the walks have served as a mechanism to educate, increase awareness and sensitivity, and raise funds for related AIDS services and programs.

Although, individuals are also able to assist in raising funds for continued HIV/AIDS prevention, education, and health promotion services provided by AIDS NB, it's to be noted that individuals are not required to raise funds to participate. A participant's involvement provides a physical sign that the community cares.

With the theme *Walk for Life...because AIDS affects all*, the campaign offers an opportunity for everyone to participate. "It hits us all", states Kurt Weber, President of AIDS/SIDA NB "whether you're a mother, a father, a grandmother... we have to be aware of the issue in order to help

protect our families and ourselves as well as to offer support to those who really need it." Participants have begun to line up to show support such as St. Thomas University's AIDS

Advisory Committee, local nurses, other community groups, and concerned individuals.

A "Walk for Life... because AIDS affects all" will be held in Fredericton on October 7, 1993 beginning at 5:00 PM. The Walk will begin at the small Craft Aquatic Center (behind the Victoria Health Centre) and encompasses a walk to Morell Park on Waterloo Row and back.

The primary purpose of the Walk is to provide a physical symbol of support for those living with HIV/AIDS and their families

within the community and to increase public awareness of this health issue. Individuals are also

able to assist in raising funds for continued HIV/AIDS education, prevention, and health promotion services of AIDS New Brunswick. Please note that it is not a requirement to raise funds to participate; everyone is welcome to come and show support.

Further information can be obtained by contacting Joseph Gauthier (459-75218 or 1-800-561-4009).

UNB Alumnus to offer business seminar

The Fredericton Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a seminar by Bill Reddin on September 30 concerning managerial and organizational effectiveness.

Bill Reddin, a resident of Fredericton for 30 years and with UNB full-time for 21 years, will conduct the session on managerial effectiveness. He is well known in the Boy Scouts of New Brunswick for 30 years. He is one of the world's most prolific management authors, seven books published with McGraw-Hill variously translated into 14 languages. The London Times has called him the "Management guru of the Year".

This seminar has been conducted by Bill Reddin in more than 10 countries over 20 years.

The seminar is intended to get

managers of organizations, small or large, to come to grips with how they want to change their organization in order to improve managerial and organizational effectiveness, then to make plans to do so.

The session will be held at the Sheraton Inn from 8:30 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. with participants responsible for making their own lunch plans from 12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. The session will be offered again on December 7, 1993 for those who are unable to attend the September 30 session.

The seminar is open to anyone in managerial or administrative position. The ideal group of participants is the full Top Team - participants should attempt to have more than one of their management team in attendance. There will be 3 morning

sessions and 3 afternoon sessions. The morning sessions consist of a presentation of the basic ideas. Topics include You and your Managerial Effectiveness, You and your Managerial Style and

You and your Organization Effectiveness. The afternoon sessions consist entirely of questions and answers concerning application.

Prof starts sound company

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Dr. Don Lyon, a professor in mechanical engineering, and his wife Janet have started a professional sound company: *pro-tech sound and consulting*. Pro-Tech specializes in providing high quality professional music gear at discount prices.

Don and Janet have a variety of experience in the music industry. Don has a Ph.D. from Purdue University specializing in Signal Processing. While at Purdue Don

ran a recording studio, ran sound for a major road band, and produced several musicals. Janet has a double degree in music and education from Wheaton College. Her work at Wheaton specialized in composition and voice. Other interests include piano and violin. Janet is currently active giving voice and piano lessons.

Pro-Tech is currently under contract to Bethany Bible College to supply their sound production facility.

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Workshops: A number of low-cost workshops are offered during both terms that address a wide range of academic issues. Pre-registration for these, at the Department of Extension is required. The following workshops are scheduled for Fall Term 1993:

Study Strategies for Adults Returning to School	18 Sept. 93	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	\$7.
Note-Taking	25 Sept. 93	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	\$7.
Time Management for Students	02 Oct. 93	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	\$7.
Critical Thinking	16 Oct. 93	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	\$7.
Problem Solving for Math Students	16 Oct. 93	1:30 pm - 4:30 pm	\$7.
Improving Reading Skills	23 Oct. 93	9:30 am - 4:30 pm	\$14.
Essay Writing and Library Research	30 Oct. 93	9:30 am - 4:30 pm	\$14.
Clear Writing	30 Oct. 93	1:30 pm - 4:30 pm	\$7.
Seminars and Oral Presentations	06 Nov. 93	9:30 am - 12:30 pm	\$7.
Improving Examinations Skills	14 Nov. 93	9:30 am - 2:30 pm	\$14.

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