



Monte Carlo Night

Forestry is a relatively unrecognized profession at UNB. We are fortunate to have professors leading in their fields. We not only study the history of forestry but also current practices and new practices to be used in the future. Since the environmental movement has evolved foresters have had the task of creating new methods of management. Foresters do not just harvest trees!

There are many areas of specialization such as wildlife management, silviculture, tree improvement and soil science. With knowledge in such areas of specialization we, the future professional foresters, can manage our forests in an environmentally and ecologically responsible way.

The Forestry Association is responsible for representing the Forestry student body to the University and to the public. Although there are many social events that the Forestry Association supports it is also an important link between students and the forestry professionals.

Saturday night is the UNB Forestry Association's 38th Annual Monte Carlo Night. An admission charge of five dollars will get you five thousand dollars funny money to try your luck at Blackjack, Roulette and Crown and Anchor. And to keep you in the gambling spirit there will be several beautiful bunnies and handsome chippendales to make sure that everyone is enjoying themselves (and spending lots of money!). Also, depending upon your luck at the cards and wheels, you will be able to bid your newly acquired millions on some of the many items generously donated by Fredericton merchants. The auction for these prizes takes place at the end of the evening. Everyone is welcome to this annual event and we hope that you come. We know that you will have a good time - that's why it has lasted this long!

This is the last social event of the year to be hosted by the Forestry Association. Another event that is of interest is the Annual Cornboil. This event takes place early in the year, at night, somewhere within the UNB woodlot. There is always an extremely large bonfire, freshly boiled corn-on-the-cob, and people hanging out of trees. If you can remember this event, then you probably were not really there! It's a great way to meet people, and a superb way to start a new school year. Another activity that has just recently been started is the Halloween Party. This affair occurs somewhere around, you guessed it, October 31st. There are prizes for best costumes and also a pumpkin carving contest! It was a pretty scary gathering to go to this year, and promises to be equally ghoulish next year. Don't forget to bring your tricks and treats!

The ever famous Woodsman's Competition is probably the biggest event of the year for the Faculty of Forestry. This competition takes place in the fall and includes competitors from all over eastern Canada,

Ontario, and the eastern United States. This is a different type of sport which is not often seen. It keeps old logging traditions such as axe-throwing, pole-climbing, and log-decking alive. Following the competition there is the traditional celebration called Hammerfest. This again occurs in the woodlot around a big hot fire. This is when some of the less recognized sporting events such as fire-walking, and stumbling-around-blindly-in-the-darkness-trying-to-find-the-fire-again-after-you've-gone-to-take-a-pee-in-the-woods-and-can't-find-your-way-back occurs. Hammerfest is very similar to the cornboil, only this time there's no corn, and it's usually a lot colder. A good pair of boots are recommended.

During Forestry Week things usually get a little more formal and everybody gets dressed up for the Bushman's Ball. No fire here (not intentionally at least), but there usually are lots of those tiny sandwiches made out of white bread, fruit, veggies, and a dip to match. This event has been getting better and better. The music is great and you can dance all night! Dancing all night, however, will probably have to be done at home because the hall is usually only rented until 1:00 am. A movie night, pub night, and various sporting events also occur during Forestry Week.

Another event that is happening in the Faculty is a great Christmas Pub at one of the local establishments. We've been lucky in the past and have been visited by both Santa and Mrs. Claus. The Sleigh Ride occurs during the coldest part of the winter, but this is compensated for by great quantities of delicious home-baked beans and weiners. This is the sleigh ride that beats all sleigh rides, but just be careful about where you light a match!

That's a quick rundown of some of what has been happening with the Forestry Association for the past 40 or 50 years, and what will be happening in the years to come.

Everyone is always welcome at every event, and don't forget that you are especially invited to the big event tomorrow night: The 38th Annual Monte Carlo Night at the Capital Winter Club, Rookwood Ave. (Beside Lockharts Beaver Lumber), Saturday, March 28th, 8pm-1am.

To Whom it May Concern: NURSES!

We have your mascot - Flo Nightingale! In our possession she will receive no harm - unless Chinkascook gets hold of her, he has not had a girlfriend in over a year! Ha! Ha! However, if our demands are not met, then Flo's safety can no longer be guaranteed. Our demands should not be taken lightly. These demands are as follows:

- 1) At least 10 of the top 10 nurses must attend Monte Carlo night (date and time to be disclosed later).
- 2) One box of freshly baked chocolate chip cookies delivered to the Chapman Field parking lot (date and time to be disclosed later).
- 3) One gallon of milk to go with the cookies.
- 4) To finally get Flo back: She will appear heavily guarded with axes and saws at 12:00 midnight on the night of Monte Carlo. She is to be auctioned off to the highest bidder. Nurses you must win much money at the tables so you can assure a high bid on your beloved Flo. (This means that the more nurses present the more money you can win to attempt to buy her back!)

Only when our demands are met will she then be let go! We are very serious so do not notify the authorities. Otherwise, Flo gets it. (Woodchips draw a good market value today!)

If there are any questions please feel free to respond to us at Monte Carlo.

Yours Truly & Sincerely
The abductors of Flo
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PS - Flo is having a good time with us! Especially with Roscol
PSS - Flo is not a very good pole climber or chopper but in time she will improve.
PSSS - Chinkascook has initiated good conversations with Flo on sexual education.