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liberal-minded university population.

WELCOME BACK

from the Office of Student Affairs



(From L to R) Director of Student Affairs Cora Dusk (in front of the counter), Ian Bailey, Elaine Ozon, Shirley Wiley, Manny Bagnarol, Graham Caswell, Olivia Heichert, Foreign Student Advisor Brenda Hanning, Brian Callen. ABSENT: Brian Mitgang, Joan Jenkinson.

The Office of Student Affairs extends a warm welcome to returning Fall/Winter students and newly arriving Winter Summer students. We wish you the best of luck in your academic efforts throughout the coming months.

Student Affairs uses two approaches to help students at York. From our Central Square office, we can point you towards answers to your questions about life at York. Information is provided informally, either over the counter at our Information York desk or over the phone. We also liaise with student clubs and groups through our management of such services as the tables in Central Square and our maintenance of a club registry. The Off-Campus Housing service and Brenda Hanning, the Foreign

Student Adviser also maintain their offices here.

The role of helping students is not only limited to our Central Square office. It's played out across the campus through our association with a wide range of offices and departments. These include the Canada Employment Centre, the Career Centre, the Office of Financial Aid, the Convocation Officer, Health Services, Athletics and Recreation, the Handicapped Student's Centre, the Counselling & Development Centre and York's Colleges, all of whom belong to our division.

In addition to extending help across the counter and through divisional offices, Student Affairs

takes issues to the policy level through our association with Professor Thomas Meininger, the Provost. Professor Meininger, a senior officer operating on your behalf, is a member of the President's Executive Committee and in that and other policy committees seeks to express the concerns and needs of students.

In the coming months, we'll be working to help you through several new initiatives such as a renovated Career Centre, a streamlined Off-Campus Housing operation, more information on the colleges and streamlined administration of Central Square.

Feel free to drop by with your questions or comments.

**Papers,
Pamphlets
and
Periodicals**

A new feature of the Office of Student Affairs now in place to greet the new year is our expanded Resource Centre.

What kind of resources can you find here? How about a large collection of student newspapers from York and other universities including McMaster, the University of Toronto and Wilfrid Laurier. The centre also offers a colourful collection of international publications such as the CUSO Forum, the (Singapore) Mirror, the Australia Weekly News Bulletin, the UNESCO Bulletin and the Thailand Foreign Affairs Newsletter.

Also included in the Resource Centre's collection are calendars from York and other universities, official publications and documents from York itself including Deans Reports and College handbooks and literature on studying abroad.

The materials are neatly ordered for your perusal. Drop by, relax and take a look at the collection.

**Lost
something?
Found
something?**

Have you misplaced a personal item in a hallway or classroom at York? Have you found something? In either case, there is a new twist to Lost and Found procedures on campus that you should keep in mind.

The twist is a new, more open location for the Lost and Found office as a result of a shift of responsibilities in the Department of Safety and Security. You will be able to search for a mislaid item or drop one off in Room 120B South Ross. Office hours are:

Monday & Wednesday 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Tuesday 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Thursday 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.
Friday, Saturday & Sunday CLOSED

**Information
Please!**

You can pick up answers to your questions about such topics as convocation, student clubs or services, the colleges and Off-Campus Housing at the counter of the Office of Student Affairs.

Our Information Desk is open along with the Office from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. from Monday to Thursday and between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Fridays. If we don't have an immediate answer for you, we will either find the proper information for you or refer you to someone on campus who can help you.

**We Want Your
Comments,
Complaints or
Suggestions!**

We want to hear your suggestions or questions about life at York.

There is no suggestion box for queries and comments to pile up in. Instead, we encourage you to either drop by with your ideas or comments or to write directly to us. Simply send your letter through Inter-Campus mail. Address it to:

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Help us to help you!