

UNB Dept. of Extension and Summer Session - Life as a parent

Press Release

Karen and Matt have been happily married for six years. They have both committed a great deal to their education and careers, and to each other.

Life is generally very satisfying for them both--but lately a new concern has crept into their relationship, and is becoming a major preoccupation. Do they want to become parents someday, or to remain childless? They each blow hot and cold on the

matter, and are tormented by their indecision.

It's becoming difficult to plan any part of their future with this question unresolved, and their anxiety is heightened by the fear of making the wrong choice.

They reassure themselves that they can defer the choice for another year or two, but are very much aware of the relentless ticking of the biological clock. They each have moments of feeling that a year of two of this kind of

uncertainty would be unbearable. And the flood of advice from friends, relatives, and the media only makes matters worse.

Deciding whether or not to become a parent is one of life's most significant and irreversible decisions, and unresolved, the issue can become a source of great conflict and frustration.

A new UNB evening course acknowledges this, and seeks to provide participants--individuals and couples--with

practical insights into what their lives would be like with and without children, and to equip them with valuable communications, problem-solving and decision-making skills to aid in resolving this and any of life's other major decisions.

If you'd like to find out more about this course or any of our other non-degree offerings, contact the UNB Department of

Extension and Summer Session in the University Continuing Education Centre on Duffie Drive, just inside the new Montgomery Street gate of the Fredericton campus. You can reach the Department by telephone at 453-4646. Business hours are from 8:30 to 9:00 pm Monday through Thursday, and 8:30 to 5:00 pm on Friday.

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"Parenting Solo"

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In the general upheaval of separation and divorce, it can be difficult to tune in to children's needs and to maintain effective communications with the younger members of your family. It can also be hard to know where to turn, as a parent, for support, reassurance, and advice.

The UNB Department of Extension is offering a new course this fall on "Parenting Solo", designed to provide a helpful, caring and positive climate for discussion. Effective communications will

be a major focus of the course.

Some time will be spent examining the various issues which arise at different stages of children's development, and the impact of the child's age at the time of the initial separation of divorce. Topics to be addressed will include joint custody, sole custody, and visitation, as well as the more general issues of self-esteem and role models.

Emphasis is on strengthening the relationship between parent and child, and on preventing or reducing common difficulties experienced by children as they

move through the reconfiguration of the family structure.

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Taxi

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cent discount. This is completely unproportional to what it was before. It doesn't make sense," Bourque states.

"They don't believe the student market is important enough to give them a discount and they do not understand the needs of students. So we will find a cab company who do feel the market is important enough," he adds.

Bourque admits it has been

difficult dealing with the taxi association.

"They don't want to cooperate. They are totally ignorant to students and their needs...Try contacting them, but I'll tell you what you are going to get, no comment," he says.

The Fredericton Taxi Association was contacted, but were unavailable for comment before press time.

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Few of us think of ourselves as story tellers. It is usually spontaneous which we most often do with friends or family.

But when a story teller is your special man or woman, her special may become a powerful instrument of a valuable way of life, a hereditary way of life, a comforting, respectful, and chuckle at our little bit of story just waiting for circumstances to occur.

Whether you have anecdotes with grandchildren, reinterpreting community history, your perspective and human

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