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Quit HUB whining

I am sick and tired of all of the whining over the renovation of HUB mall. A bunch of bleeding-hearts have taken it upon themselves to portray HUB's renovation as some sort of gross act of discretion of a sacred student hang-out. Let's face it — anyone with a sense of economic reality could see that the place was a dive and badly needed cleaning up. I don't want my tuition fees going to subsidize businesses that don't make the grade. And if anyone doesn't like A & W et. al. being there, then don't buy from them. Putting a few tiles down and some nice railings is hardly akin to turning the place into West Edmonton Mall anyway. Berry et. al — find a more serious cause to fight for!

Tony Norris

Article overcritical

Re: Gentle George (Jan. 26)

A lot of Canadians today are less critical of the Soviet government than of the American government. They would change their minds if they lost their freedom under a communist dictatorship. But then it would be too late.

Peter Englefield
Science II

SU fund worthy

Re: Put SU excess to use (Jan. 24)

Martin Levenson raises some valid points in his editorial, but I must speak out against his proposal to skim off the interest generated from the building reserve fund to establish an SU scholarship fund.

I do not dispute the fact that scholarships are of great assistance to students who achieve excellence based on various criteria; they are both a source of motivation and an honourable compensation for hard work. Nevertheless, it is only on the surface that this proposal seems to be for the good of all students.

Allocating funds towards the eventual replacement of the Students' Union building demon-

strates great insight on the part of our SU executives. The value of the SUB is quite irrefutable: the University Bookstore, the Dinwoodie lounge, the club offices, the copy centre, the restaurants and lounge area, the Exam and Housing registries, as well as the SU and Gateway offices are all conveniently located in one building for all students to use. Inevitably, however, this building will age and must be replaced. Fortunately, our SU has foreseen that need, and has acted to ensure that funding for such an effort will be available.

Granted, 1.4 million dollars does seem like an outrageously gross sum of money for a building. Or does it? In today's economic terms, 1.4 million might, and I am liberal in my estimates, build a one-storey complex for the SU. In twenty or thirty years, however, I wonder if it will be enough to buy a few tables and chairs.

I believe that the SU building reserve fund will prove to benefit the entire student population, rather than serving a few worthy candidates on an annual basis.

Tom E. Kalis
Faculte Saint-Jean III

In-school hours essential

Many of us in Elementary Education have recognized a need for increased in-school experiences. The few chances we do get in our current 13 weeks of practicum is enough to whet our appetite for the teaching experience, but not enough to satisfy our curiosity. Consequently, we feel additional in-school experiences are essential to our growth as professionals.

As two concerned students, we have presented our ideas to faculty members, the A.T.A. and the E.S.A. We have outlined a general principle of having additional in-school experiences throughout our program, and have shown how these experiences could be integrated with course material, thereby increasing the collaboration between the schools and the university. One proposal deals with the existing Generalist program; the other is based on the proposed 2+2 quota program cur-

rently being discussed by the faculty.

Regardless of which one looked at, the point is still clear: We can increase the amount of in-school experiences in the Generalist program without deleting any courses or extending our degree program to 5 years. Best of all, we've shown how the in-school experiences can be related to course material, thereby increasing the ties between the theoretical and practical world of teaching.

Our next step is to come to you, the students. We need your input on this, and are trying to gather student support. If you feel that practical experiences (i.e. working with kids in a real classroom) is just as important to our education as the theories learned on campus, please show support. To do this, walk through Main Lounge in the Ed. Building around lunch and sign our petition. The more people that sign, the better our chances at having changes made to the Generalist program.

Lisa Hart, Education III
Marcia Penner, Education III

Shameless plug for IVCF!!

The Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship (IVCF) Used Book Exchange, which held its January sale the first two weeks of this new term, was again a large success. I would like to stand up and cheer for all the wonderfully fun and hard-working volunteers!! Thanks a million as well to all of the students who took advantage of the Exchange to sell and buy your texts!

As the Book Exchange Co-ordinator, I would like to apologize to those students who came in on Wednesday, January 11 to claim their money or unsold books and were told they had to come back later. I apologize for the confusion and understandable frustration it caused. It was an unfortunate problem that we will correct in future sales.

The IVCF Book Exchange is held at the beginning of every semester in SUB 034 and is a service for all university students who have encountered that amazing "lack of money" phenomenon (which includes almost everyone!). Used texts are sold on consignment, with 20% going towards student work on campuses in Canada and overseas.

Heather Challoner
Secondary Education I

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Mr. Israel Gur-Arie

On: The New Israeli Government, The Intifadah and the Peace Process

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