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FINAL LIST OF NOMINEES FOR THE SRC ELECTIONS

The Following Seats Have Been Acclaimed:

NURSING: Debbie Belliveau, BN 1, No Party
LAW: Faisal Joseph, LAW 1, No Party
GRADUATE ST.: Jeffrey Fryer, MSc(CS)2, No Party
SCIENCE: Suzanne Mills, BSc 2, Unity
BUSINESS: Paul Wentzell, BBA 2, No Party
ENGINEERING: one half Larry Fox, CE 3, Ind.

The Following seats are contested:

REP-AT-LARGE: half Hugh Brown, BBA 2, TP
(2 seats) Michael Dubruie BA 1, SP/Unity
(pol. st.)
Brant Drewery, BEd 2, TP
Shelley Snow, BA 2, SP/Unity

ENGINEERING F Jane Cunningham, EE 1, Ind.
(pol. st.) Grant C. Smith, SE 5, TP (ind.)
(2 seats) Brian Tingley, EE 4, Ind.

ARTS: David Mogilevsky, BA 1, No Party
(no pol. st.)
Alex Stairs, BA 1, Unity

EDUCATION F: Wendy Dickinson, BEd 2, No Party
(no pol. st.)
Leonard Green, BEd 2, TP
Kenny Roberts, BEd 2, Unity

EDUCATION half: Beckie Leaman-Ackles, BEd 4, Unity
(pol. st)
Kevin Mackie, BEd 2, No Party

The Phys-Ed seat on the SRC will remain vacant.

The following are contesting three seats on the UNB Senate:
(pol. st.)
Wendy Alexander, EE 3, No Party.
Kent Guptill, CE 5, No Party
Oliver Koncz, BBA 5, Unity
Terry Morrison, CS 3, Unity
Shelley Snow, BA 2, SP/Unity

Polling Station Times: SUB9:15 a.m. - 7 p.m. Tuesday March 29 (all students may vote)
All faculty Buildings 9:15 a.m. - 3:45 p.m. Wednesday March 30 (students must vote with their faculty)

Kenny Roberts
Education

Being a student of UNB in the Bachelor of Education program for 2 years (going on 3), I am aware of things which many students of the Education faculty encounter throughout their years in university.

There are three main ideas I have which I would like to suggest as the reasons why I am running as the Education Rep. They are: a Federation for the students, entertainment, and student services. If these ideas are carried out, which I plan to do to the best of my ability, the faculty of Education will finally be recognized a part of UNB.

The Federation is an idea in which a percentage of all student fees that we pay annually will be put back into each individual faculty. This means that the students of Education will at long last have a budget to work with - something we have not had in recent years.

Entertainment: with the budget mentioned above, we can carry out many activities that Education students don't have, for example, an Education week, Education pubs-in-the SUB, movies, social events, seminars and many other events.

As present these events are not taking place. I can promise that many of these events shall take place if I am elected. Right now, a UNB Education Club is in the process of being formed. Memberships are being sold by the cafeteria in d'Avray Hall. This club will aid in many of the functions we hope to carry out.

Student services are something that many of us can use, other than the few we presently have. Such things as suggestion boxes in the Education building (d'Avray Hall), as well as in the Student Union, will help the Student Union see how students other than those on council feel. Another thing is to get rid of the pay phones in some areas around campus (such as the SUB and d'Avray Hall) and to put in phones which do not cost anything to use. These come in very handy, especially if you don't have a quarter.

To sum up, my main purpose for running for Education Rep is to make sure that the students of the Faculty of Education are recognized around campus as a part of UNB.

If I am elected, the Education faculty will be a much more enjoyable faculty to belong to, and can be remembered as some of the best years you had in school.

So to the people of Education, your vote can make a difference. Make it worthwhile. VOTE Kenny Roberts in the March 30 election. Thank you.

Kevin Mackie
Education

A major problem that I feel plagues the SRC now is the lack of respect that councillors have for other councillors which leads to very childish behaviour. A lot of time is wasted by immature remarks being tossed back and forth.

This council has been rocked by enough resignations and backstabbings. I feel that it is about each meeting could last longer or else call additional meetings throughout the year to supplement the regular weekly meetings.

How should a councillor remain knowledgeable about the issues affecting students? There must be constituency meetings. No one can deny the fact that monthly constituency meetings are essential in order to have a strong Student Union. I realize, however, attendance for these meetings is usually quite low. With the proper publicity I am confident that this problem will be rectified. Since students may find it inconvenient to attend some of these meetings I believe that a councillor should post periodically a report of his actions in the SRC.

One of my first actions on the SRC would deal with the finances of the Student Union. Should not the SRC transfer any extra funds to the contingency account so they could then be used by students? For example, The Student Directory still has $870.99 even though the Directory has already been published this year. We should take these extra funds and reallocate them to the contingency account. Surely by having all our extra money in the contingency accout we will be able to (1) get an accurate measure of how our SRC is really doing financially and (2) permit these extra funds if the need should arise to be redistributed to student groups.

In this brief commentary I hope I have proven to you that I know how the SRC works, how it does not work and how it should work. On election day will you give me a mandate to represent you?

Dave Mogilevsky
Arts

Having been present at most of the SRC meetings during the past seven months I have drawn a number of disturbing conclusions. One of these is that the SRC is failing to transact the business of the Student Union at a satisfactory pace. The long list of old business items (things which should have been dealt with at the preceding meeting) that are left dormant on the agenda is a testimony to this fact. The amount of such items on the agenda must be kept to a minimum because the SRC must deal with the issues affecting students today rather than always being a step or two behind. Councillors should either get meetings called earlier in the day so that

Beckie Leaman-Ackles
Education

In running for re-election, I have not come to the students of the Education faculty empty-handed. I promised an EDUCATION CLUB. This club now exists, its constitution was passed by the SRC, and it has for the past week been recruiting a voting membership. We are determined that Education students shall get a direct return on their fees -- something we have been denied for too long.

During the past six weeks, in which I have tried to serve the interests of Education students, the word UNITY has taken on a new meaning for me. The divisions within our faculty are destructive; there is no excuse for the sort of isolation experienced in particular by Vocational, Physical Education, and Home Economics students. Education students must present a united front in order to win our rightful place among the other faculties which are together "down the hill." Every group in our faculty has something valuable to contribute to this university, and we must make ourselves visible!

I have been listening to the concerns expressed by Education students, and it is evident that ENTERTAINMENT heads the list. It is our intention that the Education Club answer this need. Films, lectures, seminars, contests, special events, road trips, pubs -- these are only a few of the possibilities of what can be accomplished by joining forces and making your views known.

One last item -- STUDENT SERVICES. Why shouldn't our student cards be more than pub I.D. and library cards? Student discounts and services on a par with other universities should be the goal of every member of a Council intended to represent students. It can be done. (Radio stations arrange contracts with the business community to provide benefits to their listeners). The UNB student body is a potentially influential group of consumers, and, as such, is entitled to the same considerations as are received by others.

Very simply, I believe that the duty of an elected representative is to learn the needs and wants of the constituents, and to serve these to the best of his/her ability. I ask the students of the Education faculty to support this ideal. On March 30, re-elect Beckie Leaman-Ackles.

Wendy Dickinson
Education

Greetings fellow students. My name is Wendy Dickinson and I am a second year Secondary Physical Education student. I am running for a full year term in the SRC as an Education representative.

Prior to University, I have had experience in student government, debating and have maintained a genuine interest in student affairs at UNB. Therefore from a technical standpoint, in relation to student government, I believe I have a stable background. However, the most valuable charactertistics one can bring to the SRC are sanity, maturity, intelligence, a genuine concern for the students one is representing and independence from forces other than the voices of the students one is representing. These are the characterisitics I would like to take to the SRC for you!

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Alex Stairs
Arts

As one who has attended every SRC meeting since the 24th of January, I have become increasingly interested, aware and concerned in the running of OUR council. I fail to see why repeatedly the meetings end when quorom is lost, instead of when the business is finished. I also fail to see why some councillors never speak. I they are there to represent a constituency and they never so much as offer to second a motion, let alone debate one, then that constituency has no effective voice.

Students should be involved in external affairs. There should be no reason why society cannot accept students as citizens. We should be involved in such activities as political lobbying and demonstrating (i.e. actively campaigning against unreasonable tuition hikes). We have an opinion, we have a voice, let's use it.

I am on the History Liaison Committee, the History Club, and the P.S.S.A. (Political Science Students' Association). I endorse the Unity Platform and I will remain active, as I am now, in as many clubs and organizations as my academics will allow. Vote for an active voice, vote Stairs on March 30.

Leonard Green
Education

And the Lord said unto me, in a revelation which was both ambiguous and confusing - "NO MAN CAN SERVE TWO MASTERS." This was, of course, a veiled and didactic parable. What the Lord actually meant, was that no person can successfully fulfill the aims and desires of two separate and opposing organizations - the Student Party and the constituents that s/he has been elected to represent. The aims and desires of the two groups can never wholly be in agreement, and thus the interests of one must necessarily be sacrificed for the interests of the other. John. . .

It is my belief, and the belief of the T.U.P.P.E.R.W.A.R.E. Party, that no one individual can perform her/his responsibilities to her/his