

Blood needed at UNB

Dear Editor: Try as I might to curb my tongue, I fear I cannot withhold comment on this serious matter any longer. Yes, I'm referring to the serious lack of blood sports of any type on the UNB campus! The physical education department is sorely amiss when they do not include the beloved sports of fox-hunting or bear-baiting in their intramural programs. And let's not forget cock-fighting! Lord, how I love to see the feathers and gore fly! Nothing is more exciting than a

handsome pair of cocks duelling to a bloody end. I feel that blood sports are desperately needed on this campus, especially in view of the fact that the number of pubs has been reduced. The sight of gore broadens the mind, heightens the senses and whets the appetite for studies. No education is complete without a well-rounded study of the finer points of bear-baiting or on the lighter side of gladiatorial combat. I hear via the "grapevine" that

other universities are taking the progressive step of introducing the bloodsports into their intramurals. Is UNB to be left behind agin??? Just think of the enticing smell of gore drying into the sand of an arena; imagine the lights, the cheers, and the honest-to-god purity of the sport! What have we been missing all these years??? It's time UNB was innovative for a change instead of being slow-to-follow like is usually is! How does one go about approaching the intramurals

committee about adding these popular activities to their schedules? I have grand visions of all the members of the various residences gathered around a finely constructed bear-baiting pit cheering lustily and thoroughly enjoying themselves in an exciting afternoon of this sport of valour! It is indeed a sad reflection of our times, when one considers the dismal lack of availability of these noble pursuits. Let's all band together and demand their re-introduction to

the varsity intramurals! I can already hear the screams mingled with the sound of hunting horns. And just think of the fresh-faced, eager spectators how can the intramurals committee allot so much time for the boring, pointless sports of hockey or basketball and yet blatantly ignore the desperate need of bloodsport on this campus? Something must be done!

Sincerely
Joe (just call me "Blood'N'Guts")
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Brunswick politicized

Dear Editor: As predicted by last week's Brunswickan editorial, I must respond. There is a problem with finding interested students to join various Senate and S.R.C. Committees. I know this from first hand experience because when I was on Senate, one of my Senate Committees was the Nominating Committee. (By the way, a student senator, as part of his/her duties, should expect at least one major and one minor committee. All Senators expect committee work as part of their position). At that time there were a large number of vacancies and where there were not vacancies there were certain names which could be found over and over again. My job as I viewed it then and now is that some student representation is better than none. Since that time I have worked hard to find interested and in my estimation competent people to fill the vacancies.

The complaint that the average active student at U.N.B. is from L.B.R. is male, and is in Business is only indicative of the fact that I was, and that these were obviously people with whom I came in contact. It is absurd to suggest that I, as president, should walk up to total strangers and ask them to join committees. This is not to suggest that I believe the system that I used is perfect. Clearly there is room for improvement and advertising openings for committees in the Bruns is going to be one new mechanism. From the above paragraph you can see that there is a need for constructive criticism. However, there is often little constructive criticism in the Brunswickan. I believe that the Brunswickan subscribes to philosophers like J.C. Mill who wrote "...the only stimulus which can keep the ability of the body itself up to a high standard is liability to the watchful criticism of equal ability

outside the body". This is the rule of the Brunswickan as I perceive it, but lately, it has too often not been a watchful critic but rather a political organization. I cannot, in good conscious, meddle with the affairs of the media but I pointedly ask you to question whether you are working at arm's length from other media and whether you are becoming dangerously similar to a political organization. I make the above points, on the premise that good constructive criticism is needed by any organization whether or not it is political.

Sincerely
David Bartlett
President

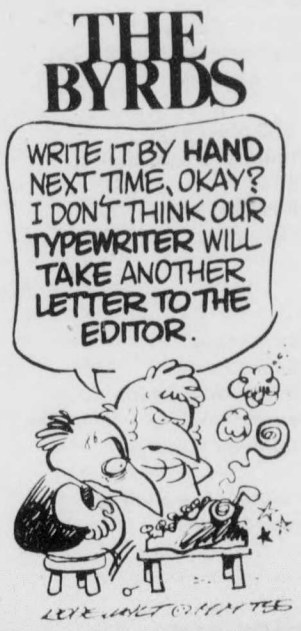
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Engineers get revenge

DEAR EDITOR: We, the Engineers of UNB are currently involved in a new toothpick manufacturing process. Production is to begin by the end of engineering week (Nov. 5 - Nov. 10 in case you have forgotten). Now due to a delay in the shipment of our latest wood supply, we have been forced to gather our own wood. Lo and behold, in our little search we stumbled across some interesting items of organic nature. If you wish that we not use these items in our production process would you kindly forward a cheque payable to the appropriate engineering faculties in the amount equal to the cost of our recently destroyed engineering anniversary sign. Should you not comply with these demands - have a careful look at the contents of your next box of toothpicks. This is no Joke!

The Engineers of UNB

Incidentally, the Brotherhood of Gladiators (Local 214) will be holding an informal seminar next week. Come and have your swing analyzed! Mulled wine and chilled goat entrails will be served. Bring a friend!



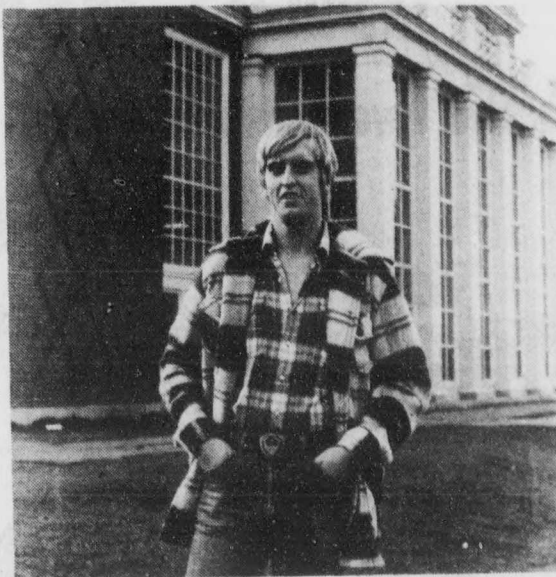
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