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# JENKINS S.U. PRESIDENT - UNOPPOSED

### Wheels, wheels, wheels

Slate, to date, of Students' Union candidates, 1962-63. President—by acclamation—Dave Jenkins

Ken Young was also nominated, but has withdrawn. Vice-President—Anne Dodds; Louise Calder

Secretary-Treasurer-by acclamation-Iain MacDonald

Co-ordinator of Student Activitites—John Burns; Branny Schepanovich

President Men's Athletics—by acclamation—Owen Ricker President Women's Athletics—by acclamation—Wendy Dalgren Vice-President Men's Athletics—by acclamation—H. R. Lynch-Staunton

Wauneita President—by acclamation—Sonia Kulka Wauneita Secretary-Treasurer—by acclamation—Cathy Whelihan

#### Hyndman has own theories on acclamations

The large number of acclamations for Students' Council positions is explained by as many theories as there are persons discussing the topic. However, one thing is clear: the increasing realization of the past few years that several positions particularly those on the Students' Union executive—are increasingly hard desk work and decreasingly public prestige may dampen the enthusiasm of many. Nonetheless, there were a large number of likely prospects who had been manuevering to run if they wished; as it turned out, they didn't. This fact points up the need for a long hard look at a week long, exhausting, campus-wide campaign through 7,500 students.

While the results in terms of student interest would decline, perhaps necessity will soon dictate a turn to the system of many large campuses, which chooses new executives from the returning members of outgoing Councils or Boards.—P.S.H.

#### I. macdonald to contribute imaginatively

The secretary-treasurer of the Students' Union not only is responsible for a great volume of important routine work—he is expected to contribute imaginative leadership to campus affairs as a member of the students' council executive committee.

In the past year, a highly efficient and ambitious council has set new policies and realized long-standing plans for expansion. Throughout, it has been characterized by an atmosphere of friendly, co-operative relations with the Administration while preserving autonomy of student government.

As secretary-treasurer for the coming year, I shall work towards completion of the projects begun by previous council while looking for new or better ways whereby students might better enrich their University years. I shall do my best to bring new ideas into council while maintaining the high standards of effective administration set by my predecessors.—I.T.M.



DAVY JENKINS

#### Young explains his withdrawal

I appreciate the opportunity to explain the reasons surrounding my withdrawing from candidacy for the position of President of the Students' Union. With a great deal of work remaining for Varsity Guest Weekend and the time required to organize a campaign I felt that there would not be enough time to do justice to either.

justice to either. It was due to the urging of several supporters that on Tuesday morning I let my name stand for nomination. I would like to thank these people and those that had started work on my campaign and to urge all of them to support Dave Jenkins as he assumes his duities.—K.G.Y.

the "X" system.

a spoiled ballot.

DOE, Jane

**JONES**, Sally

(See sample Ballot below.)

Please note sample ballot.

#### **ELECTION WEEK SCHEDULE**

Following is a schedule of this week's activities to give you a chance to get acquainted with candidates for next year's Students' Union Executive. Main rally: Con Hall, Tuesday, 11:30 to 12:30. Other rallies: Men's residences, Wednesday, 5:45 p.m.; Nurses' Residence, Wednesday 7:45 p.m. Education Auditorium, Thursday, 11:30 a.m. Kick lines will enliven all four rallies.

Voting is on Friday, March 2, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. except at SUB where the poll is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

### Jenkins wins by acclamation

U of A Students' Union president for 1962-63, by acclamation, is David E. Jenkins: native Edmontonian, world traveler, model Conservative, father of two, law student, and Gateway editorin-chief. The last Students' Union president by acclamation was Lou Hyndman in 1958-59.

Last summer Jenkins was a World University Service scholar to Sweden. While overseas he also saw Moscow, Leningrad, East and West Berlin, Paris, London and New York. In Paris he attended a university North Atlantic Treaty Organization conference at NATO headquarters. His qualifications for the scholarship included an academic average over 80 per cent.

This year he is a member of Students' Council and Gold Key Society.

Jenkins has sat in Model Parliament for five years. A member of the Campus Conservative Club, he was vice-president in charge of policy last term.

He has represented U of A students at several student conferences: the NFCUS seminar in Vancouver, 1960; and Canadian University Press assemblies in Toronto, London, Ontario, Saskatoon and Edmonton. Until Christmas he was Western Region President of CUP. Since then, he has been on the national

executive. Jenkins is a member of Phi Kappa Pi fraternity.

During his years on campus he has participated in intramural sports such as hockey, golf, curling, and cross-country. His favorite sport is golf.

His first two years on campus, Jenkins covered university sports for the Edmonton Journal. His weekly column was titled "Inside the Bearcage." He has worked at The Journal each summer, and stayed out of school one year to work there.

"I think it should be mandatory for D. J. Wesley Oke every university student to work a President 1927-28.

years," he says. "It jolts any boy." During the 1957-58 term, his second year, he organized and was president of the mixed bowling club.

TWO PAGES

His main activity has been The Gateway. In the past he has been managing editor, sports editor and advertising manager.

Mrs. Dreena Jenkins is from Wilkie, Saskatchewan. She majored in English at U of A.

Asked for comment, Jenkins urged students to elect hard workers as faculty representatives to Students' Council.

"The friendliest guy is not necessarily the hardest worker. I have a few ideas in mind that will require workers to carry them out, not people along for a free ride."

people along for a free ride." The incoming president thanks all those who supported him, particularly his campaign manager John Lauder, Eng. 2.

As near as can be determined by searching through dusty Gateway files, only one other Students' Union president has been a Gateway editor: D. J. Wesley Oke was Editor 1926-27, President 1927-28

#### **Ricker to run men's athletics**

I wish to take this opportunity of sincerely thanking those who nominated me for the position of President of Men's Athletics. The job ahead is a big one, but it is one to which I look forward very much. In carrying out the required duties, I shall do my utmost to prove worthy of the confidence which has been placed in

In an effort to ensure that students receive greater value from their athletic fee dollar, I will advocate

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G. D. HARLE

**Returning Officer.** 

STUDENTS' UNION NOTICE

**Re: Voting** 

marking an "X" opposite the name of their choice.

signified will be considered valid. Numerals, check-

marks, initials, etc. placed on the ballot will constitute

BALLOT

Mark X opposite candidate of your choice.

PRESIDENT

Due to the small number of candidates contesting Students' Union positions, voting this year will be by

Voters will signify the candidates of their choice by

Only those ballots marked with an "X" placed as



OWEN RICKER

several policies:

1. Establishment of a suggestion box so that student views may be brought to the attention of their representatives. 2. Support of an ever-increasing

Support of an ever-increasing intramural program.
Consideration of possible methods to enable intercollegiate

methods to enable intercollegiate sports to become more self-supporting.

4. Greater publicity for sporting events through an active, effective Promotions Committee.

5. Continued efforts toward a Western Canada Students' Athletic Association to ensure a strong student voice in intercollegiate activities.—O.R.



**KENNETH YOUNG** 

IAIN MACDONALD

# Candidates on hustings for two contested posts

#### **Burns** offering campaign program

The duties of the co-ordinator of student activities as set out by the by-laws of the students' union are that he is to act as the main liaison between campus clubs and the stu-dents' union and as head of the

scheduling and awards committees. The platform upon which my policies are based is one that is quite simple and fundamental, containing

but three parts. May it be pointed out at this time that a guarantee is something ab-solute, and therefore the only thing which can be guaranteed by this candidate if chosen to serve you as co-ordinator, is diligent application to the job at hand. Using diligence then as a means, the end is threefold:

(i) it is desirable that a permanent co-ordinating committee be estab-lished; this committee would be composed of representatives from clubs and groups with related interests, and would, thereby, more effectively strengthen the links between the students' union and student activities.

(ii) it is desirable to further de-velop Freshman Introduction Week in order to better orientate the freshman student to the university community in general, and student act-

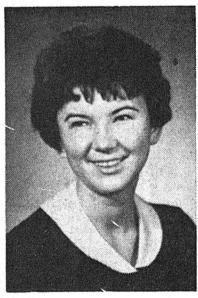
ivities in particular, and (iii) it is desirable to schedule social events in conjunction with the week-end athletic program so as to increase student interest and campus participation.

#### Kulka kops wauneita presidency

It is a great honor to be serving as President of the Wauneita Society for next term. I am very grateful for this privilege and will work hard to live up to the high standard of leadership what has been set by my predecessors.

Friendliness and loyalty of one Wauneita to another is the basis upon which this society rests. Wauneita, then, is what we make it, and with participation and enthusiasm can be a very potent influence

in the spirit of our campus. For the support and encourage-ment I have received, I would like to extend my sincere thanks to the people who nominated me for this position, and also to Bernie Harvard, my campaign manager.

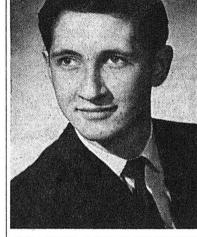


SONIA KULKA



JOHN BURNS

## Burns, schepanovich vie for co-ordinator's position



**BRANNY SCHEPANOVICH** 

#### Pre-doc, pre-nurse beginning campaign to pick-up vice-presidential ticket

One of the chief problems facing a student body and its representa-tives is a lack of good communication with others in the university com-

munity. Because of the vice-president's duties of an executive character and as liaison with a number of important u n i v e r s i t y organizations (notably the World University Ser-vice, the Friends of the University, the Wauneita Society and others) she is in a particularly opportune position to promote better communication. Most important is establishing matters with the administration. I will attempt to accomplish these

ends. The vice-president has important



#### LOUISE CALDER

executive duties. Not only must she represent the more than 2,000 women students on the four member execu-tive committee, she must bring to that body a sincere knowledge of student life and an understanding of its problems. I feel that my greatest contribution can be made in this area.

Louise Calder has an outstanding extracurricular career at the Uni-

versity of Alberta. She has been active in the Women's Athletic Association, as secretary and then as president. She has served on the executive of two undergraduate societies, and as a year book section editor. She was a member of Students' Council.

This year, Louise is on the executives of the World University Service, the Medical Undergraduate Society and the Gold Key Society. She is studying medicine.

anne dodds louise calder Vice-presidential candidate, Anne Dodds, will stress continuity, time, and the development of a Student Volunteer Service in the forthcoming

campaign. As few former council members As few former council members are seeking election or re-election, continuity becomes a problem. Someone in a responsible council position should be re-elected to a s s u r e continuance of programs started this year. Anne Dodds can supply this liaison between old and new council

new council. Valuable experience gained as nurses' representative on this year's council, and by serving on the PEB Scheduling Committee, the Awards Revisions Committee, and Student

#### Schepanovich on five point platform

Branny Schepanovich worked this year on the Varsity Guest Weekend Committee. He sat in Model Parliament for two years, this year as a cabinent minister. These, combined with organization and streamlining of The Gateway news department as News Editor, have given him the understanding necessary for the heavy job of co-ordinator of student activities. Here is his platform:

New problems must be faced next year. A rapidly expanding student body will place additional stress on already overtaxed student facilities. Here are some specific issues the co-ordinator and students' council must deal with in the next term.

• Publication of an activities bulletin and revitalization of the Pro-motions Committee—in order to make information concerning stu-dent activities more accessible. This will include increased publicity for athletics.

• Homecoming Weekend should be scheduled much earlier in the fall term, when weather conditions are more favorable. The two held so far have been snowed under.

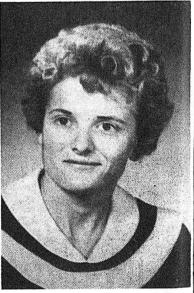
• Thorough investigation of the proposed semester system and its implications for individual students and all student activities.

• Continued co-operation with the administration, to ensure maximum realization of student potential. • Ensure fullest possible student

penefits from new residences, SUB expansion, and the new education building. For example, adequate lounge, cafeteria and recreation space.

#### WAA post grabbed off by dahlgren

It is a great honor to be given the opportunity to serve as President of the Women's Athletic Association for the coming term, and I promise to uphold the high standard that has be en set by my predecessors. Women's athletics are holding an in-creasingly more important function on this campus, and I will try very hard to insure that this continues. I would like to take this opportunity to thank those who nominated me and also Donna Wilson, my campaign manager.



WENDY DAHLGREN



Volunteer Service Committee, and the STET/MARCH Organizational Committee has familiarized Anne with the functions and objectives of council.

In four years at the U of A, Anne has been active in a variety of camus activities She was awarded an intramural "A" for athletic participation and this year is a member of the Nurses' Macleod Club executive.

A primary consideration for any executive position is whether a candidate will have time to fulfil the duties entailed. Anne would have ample time in her final year of B.Sc. Nursing to attend to the duties of campus hostess, which is one of the more important aspects of the vice-presidential position.

As a main part of her programme, Anne hopes to further work begun this past year towards developing a Student Volunteer Service which would enable students to participate in social work extra-curricularly.

THE GATEWAY

This is a special election week edition of The Gateway. Opinions expressed are those of the individual candidates and The Gateway takes no respons-

ibility for said opinions. In accordance with noble Gateway tradition, Friday evening loyal staffers will man the office telephone and shuttle back and forth to the counting chambers. Callers may obtain election results by calling GE 3-1155 anytime after 7 p.m.



