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If you've wondered how prehistoric man went about fashioning his stone tools, or how biofeedback works, or how rats are used in psychological research, the Cariboo College 10th Anniversary Open House on Saturday, September 27 can provide you with answers.

The College's Social Science Department activities for the day-long event include demonstrations in Archaeology and Psychology and displays and informal lectures featuring History, Political Studies and the Social Service Worker program.

The flaking of stones to make primitive tools will be demonstrated by George Kirszenstein of Vancouver, an expert whose visit has been arranged by Dr. Arnoud Stryd, Archaeology instructor. The demonstrations will continue through most of the 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Open House.

Displays organized by Dr. Stryd and his students will feature "The Archaeologist and the Antropologist at Work" and "Man and His Cultures from Antiquity to Today".

In the Psychology lab, students working under the supervision of Dr. Fred Madryga will show how they conduct behaviour experiments with rats. The use of biofeedback mechanisms in psychological testing will also be demonstrated.

History buffs can browse through a selection of books and other materials set up by Dr. Andrew Yarmie, and can view a slide display of the highlights of British Columbia and local history.

The Political Studies presentation, a discussion of how the electoral system leads to over-representation in some regions of Canada and under-representation in others, is entitled "The Returning Officer Can't Count".

Instructor Bryce Babcock will be on hand with some of the Social Service Worker students to discuss that program and give out pertinent material.

The Open House, the first held at the College since 1976, is expected to attract thousands of visitors who have not had the chance to explore the recent additions to the College facilities and to learn about new course and program offerings.

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