

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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Here is a sample of the upcoming event, lecture and film presentations on campus.

September 25

Film Society presentation

8 pm, Clocktower Theatre

"Tom Jones" - Oscars for best picture, director, and screenplay.

September 16

English and Modern Languages lecture series

noon, A218

Connie Brin speaks on "Rearranging Bookshelves."

September 24

Cultural Event

12:30 - 1:30 pm, Clocktower Theatre

Garnet Rogers, folk singer.

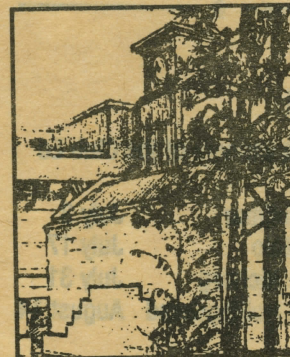


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Student Survey

Advanced Education Minister Tom Perry has released a one-year study of the expectations students, apprentices and employers have of the post-secondary system in the province.

The survey of more than 5000 high school graduates, post-secondary students, apprentices and employers concluded that:

- students expect post-secondary education to supply fulfilling, well-paid careers as well as promote intellectual development.

- Two-thirds of all first-year university and college students expect to enrol in at least one credit program even after completion of their current program.

- Three-quarters of all students view their current program as a step toward further education.

- Students whose parents have lower education are significantly under-represented among students entering post-secondary programs.

- Most employers were satisfied with the quality of university and college graduates hired, and stressed written and oral communication, problem solving skills and computer skills as important assets.

Janitorial Services

Janitorial services are now performed under contract to the college on a five day per week schedule. Additional cleaning required after special events has to be scheduled in advance, and a cleaning charge may

be levied.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding clean-up, call Phil Hanmer, Manager, Building Services at 5395.

Club Ed

The latest winners of the Club Ed Lottery are:

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| Barb Chilmar | July 3 |
| Sally Maio | July 17 |
| Valerie McHarg | July 31 |
| Wayne Hollingshead | August 14 |

Welcome Back BBQ

It's becoming a tradition. The 5th annual Welcome Back BBQ will be serving up thousands of burgers and drinks, free to all students, faculty and staff.

Friday, September 11, (please note it's the second Friday of the semester) starting at 11:00 am in front of the Cafeteria, the BBQ's will be hot, and the 'chefs' on deck.

Once again, local community sponsors will join UCC Board members, Deans, Directors and others to cook up the estimated 4,000 burgers.

Local radio station K97 will be live on location, at least one live band is planned for entertainment, and a fashion show of merchandise from the Bookstore will feature students and staff.

Watch for more details of the

Welcome Back BBQ in upcoming issues of the Communicator.

Extension '92

Look for the annual fall brochure of extension services courses to hit the streets on Wednesday, September 8. The Fall '92 brochure will feature 48 pages of extension courses for the local area.

Fall course brochures are also being published for Williams Lake, Merritt, 100 Mile House, Clearwater and Ashcroft/Cache Creek. All of the design, development and camera-ready artwork is produced by the Public Relations staff, and four of the six brochures are being printed internally at the Printshop.

Overseas Friends

The twinning arrangement between the City of Kamloops and Uji, Japan and the recent exchange agreement between UCC and Kyoto Bunkyo College in Uji has brought several visitors from overseas to our campus this summer.

A group of junior high school students, from our 'twin' city, were here for a week, builleted with local families and visited the sites.

As well, two English instructors from Uji, who are presently touring the province, spent a few days in Kamloops and at UCC getting informa-

tion for their students at home.

It looks like the twinning arrangement has already opened doors of opportunity for both cities.

Associate Degrees

Recent changes to the College and Institute Act have cleared the way for UCC and other colleges to award Associate of Arts (A.A.) and Associate of Science (A. Sc.) degrees to students completing a two year, 60-credit program of study.

Course requirements are clearly defined, with a minimum 'C' grade in all courses, and they will be standardized across the province. Only courses weith approved transfer credit to one of the three provincial universities are acceptable.

It's also open for individual institutions to raise the minimum requirements for their associate degree. At least three other associate degrees are now under consideration, and details on proposals for associate degrees in applied arts, applied science and business are now being discussed at the institutional level.

In making the official announcement August 10, Advanced Education Minister Dr. Tom Perry said the 'two-year program of academic study addresses the needs of many students in terms of personnal development and career preparation, and will allow stuydents to enter the workplace with a recognized province-wide credential.'