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First Steps 6; Jim Wright 1

Shopping carts, that is.

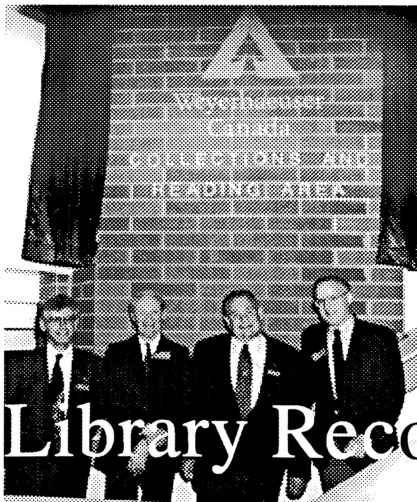
On May 9 this year, UCC joined the Kamloops-wide Trash Bash, cleaning up the top half of the Summit Connector in addition to on-campus litter pickup.

About 35 UCC employees met with their friends and co-workers for a one-hour cleanup campaign that saw about sixty bags of litter and seven shopping carts picked up from the area surrounding UCC.

Iris Rich-McQuay and her First Steps students dragged six shopping carts out of the deep gully across Summit. Jim Wright pulled one cart out of the ditch by the Science Building.



L-R: UCC President Jim Wright, Corporate Campaign Chair Don Andrews, UCC Board Chair John Harper, and Weyerhaeuser General Manager Bob Ryan.



Library Recognition

The corporate section of the Chapter 2000 Library Campaign wound up with the installation of a bookcase holding mock books displaying the names of major corporate donors on the first floor of the library, and the dedication of the Weyerhaeuser Canada Collections and Reading Area, acknowledging the company's generous donation.

The public campaign is now well underway, with a phone-a-thon completed in April and a raffle featuring prizes donated by corporate sponsors, including an all-expense paid trip for two to Disney World, a diamond ring, a chandelier and more, to begin soon. Tickets are one for \$10 and three for \$25. For more information, contact Laurie Clarke at 5267.



Bike Bursary Blitz

B.C.'s Inter-College Bike-a-thon wrapped up last week, but UCC Team Captain Carole Hebden is still receiving (and accepting!) donations for the Erik Thompson Memorial Fund, to provide financial support for any recently bereaved person entering a program at UCC. So far, Carole has collected \$1500. If you would like to add to this total, please send your donation to Carole at Co-op Ed. Cheques should be made payable to "Erik Thompson Fund, UCC Foundation."

HIRE a student.

Our on-campus student employment centre is operating out of the Counselling office at present. If you have any summer job postings for students, please contact Kymm Ducharme at 5663.

The Canada Employment Centre for Students is now open downtown, at 10 Seymour Street. The Centre offers a variety of services for students, including Group Information Sessions, part time and full time job postings, a casual work program and resume writing assistance. The Centre also offers employer services such as job postings, follow-up contacts and casual employment placements. For more information, call Kate Zahir at 374-5627--that's 374-JOBS.



L-R: Canada Employment Centre for Students staff Melanie Nagy, Coby Fulton, Kate Zahir, Brandon Bell and Debbie MacKinnon.

Hire A Student Week June 3 - 7



L-R: Erica Long, Tyler Underwood, Dr. Andy Liu, Marshal Wong, Dr. Jim Totten (UCC sponsor), Russ Sharpe, Brook Glanville.

BC Colleges High School Math Contest Winners Announced

On April 29, UCC was one of seven BC colleges to host the final round of the 2nd annual BC Colleges High School Math Contest.

After writing the final round in the morning of April 29, the students writing at UCC were given demonstrations of some of the departments and facilities at UCC. Following the tour, Dr. Andy Liu of the U of Alberta treated the students to some very interesting problems and solutions from a Russian organized mathematics competition called the Tournament of the Towns.

After the evening banquet, the following students were declared winners: Junior Competition, 1st place, Shawn Harrison (Sahali); 2nd place, Russ Sharpe (Westsyde); 3rd place, Erica Long (Williams Lake). Senior Competition, 1st place, Brook Glanville (Williams Lake); 2nd place, Tyler Underwood (Valleyview); 3rd place, Marshal Wong (Columneetza). The students received book prizes and scholarships for their outstanding performances.

PROUD OF OUR PEOPLE

Respiratory Therapy instructor **Les Matthews** had his book, *Cardiopulmonary Anatomy and Physiology*, published recently. Well done!

Irene Uyeda recently achieved her Occupational Health Nurse Certificate. Congratulations!

CLASSIFIEDS

Governance

The next public meeting of the UCC Board of Governors is scheduled for 1 pm on Saturday, June 22 in the Clocktower Boardroom.

Instructional Skills Workshop

The next Instructional Skills Workshop will be held June 24-27. For more information, or to register, please call Judy Wilbee at 5186.

Science Summer Camp

Registrations are now being accepted for UCC's Science Summer Camp, open to children aged 10 to 14 years. Each camp is one week long, to be held throughout July and into the first week of August.

Cost is \$120/week, and space is limited, so sign up early by contacting: Ashley Robertson (828-0236) or Linda Uyeda (374-5442).

Schedule Change

The 1996/97 Schedule of Events will be changed as follows to allow for the required 13 teaching weeks: April 11 (Not April 4) "Last day of instruction for Winter semester and to withdraw from a Winter Semester program."

April 14 (Not April 7) "Winter semester examinations begin."

April 26 (Not April 19) "Last day for Winter semester examinations."

Since the incorrect dates appear in the 1996/97 Calendar, an addendum will be printed and every means will be used to inform students about correct dates.

Internet Workshops

The Educational and Instructional Delivery Committee (EIDC) have been holding workshops on internet/intranet, multimedia computer-aided instruction and various other types of presentation tools.

Eight sections of this course have been totally sold out so far, with about 40 people on a waiting list, so sponsors are trying to either increase the section size, and/or run more sections in August to try to meet the demand.

For more information, or to register for upcoming sections, please e-mail

Doug Baleshta at

dbaleshta@cariboo.bc.ca

On Monday, June 17, Doug Baleshta hosts Introduction to HTML, a workshop for participants to learn what it takes to create a WWW Home Page, from 1 to 4 pm. To register, e-mail DBALESHTA

One Monday, June 24, Lois Rugg hosts a workshop on Classroom Overhead Presentations called Introduction to Powerpoint.

Participants may choose to attend either the morning session (9 am to noon), or the afternoon session (1:00 – 4:00 pm). To register, e-mail LRUGG.

Club Ed Lottery

Congratulations to the recent lucky winners of the Club Ed Lottery: Bob Clark, Mel Galloway, Peter Nielsen, John Feller, Sally Maio, Wayne Hollingshead. For your chance to win in the Club Ed Lottery, contact the Foundation Office at 5264.

Nature Courses

The Friends of Wells Gray Park are sponsoring a number of weekend field courses led by local naturalists and scientists. The Wells Gray Education and Research Centre, located 25 km up the Wells Gray Park road, is the starting point for the lectures and hands-on courses which run from Friday night to Sunday afternoon, and include the following topics:

May 24-26—Wells Gray Animals and Their Signs

June 7-9—The Secret Life of Birds

June 21-23—Exploring Wells Gray Park

July 6 (Saturday)—Nature for Kids (@ \$15 per child or adult)

July 12-14—The Ecology of Wells Gray's Forests

July 19-21—The Wondrous World of Wildflowers

July 26-28—Ethnobotany: Medicinal and Edible Native Plants

August 9-11—Everything You Wanted to Know About Insects

Cost: \$80 per course, \$15 refund for first 6 registrants, Saturday dinner included. Accommodation can be arranged. For more information, or to register, please call (604) 674-2155.

Summer Sports Camps

The UCC Summer Sport Camp and Mini-University brochure and registration form came out in the May 29 issue of *Kamloops This Week*. A Summer Camp Parent's and Participant's Open House will be held in the UCC Gym on Sunday, June 16 from noon to 3 pm.

Instructors will be on hand to describe program content and explain camp displays.

For information, please contact Tracey Bilskey at 5273 or e-mail: tbilskey

Treasures Wanted

Your trash could be a treasure for a child in the UCC daycare. Currently, the daycare is looking for half-used pencils, old typewriters/calculators, highlighters, pieces of wood, nails, screws, tools, old kitchen appliances (blenders, etc.).

Items can be sent through Interdepartmental Mail, dropped off at the Daycare or picked up. Call Marilyn at 5160 for information or pick-up of donations.

Summer School of Music

The Kamloops Summer School of Music will return to UCC for Summer Session, from July 7 to 26. Approximately 300 young musicians and 20 KISSM faculty will be learning, giving free concerts and using various UCC facilities at this time.

In particular, they will be using most of the instructional spaces in the Arts and Education Building and the Clocktower Theatre. Please ensure that you do not leave any valuable materials unsecured in these rooms, and ensure that any activities you may be planning during this time do not conflict with the KISSM, which has priority access during these 2.5 weeks.

Please try to make the KISSM participants' short stay on campus a positive experience for everyone. This is a tremendous opportunity for us to showcase our campus and to enrich the cultural vitality of our Summer Sessions.

Summer Educational Technologies Workshops

A series of three-hour basic introductory workshops in a variety of educational technologies will be offered this summer.

On Monday, June 17, Bob Clark will host a workshop on Audio/Visual Equipment Survival Skills from 9 am to noon. To register, e-mail RCLARK

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Dropping in to Home-coming Celebrations, Sept. '95

Career Fair Photography Workshop, April '96

Education Cutbacks Protest Rally, Jan. '96

HIGHLIGHTS 95/96

Chapter 2000 Corporate Campaign tops \$2 million, Feb. '96

Fine Arts Open House, April '96