

Cariboo College

Communicator



Graduates of the Long-Term Care Aide/Homemaker Program include (left to right) Back Row: Instructor Judy Wilbee, Allen Procure, Leasa Desmet, Lorna Otsik, Peggy Kirk, Becky Zagwyn, Joanne Walley, Maryanne Gardner, Eleanor MacLean, Anne Bonter, Marilyn Olsen, Instructor Maria MacIntosh,

Instructor Joan Frazier. Middle Row: Judy Robinson, Lennea Harker, Dawn Papraskar, Colleen Holmes, Vicki Evans, Gwen Bigsby, Janet Pyle. Front Row: Shannon Hanna, Linda Marston, Jackie Jones, Missing: Bruce Hinton

Long-Term Care Aide/Homemaker Program

Cariboo College's Nursing Department is justifiably proud of its tradition of top quality training. The Nursing Department has a total complement of 30 full and part-time instructors in the Diploma Nursing, Registered Nurse Refresher, Registered Psychiatric Nurse Access and Long-Term Care Aide/Homemaker programs.

In recent years, the changing aspects of students in the Nursing Program have been noticed. There are now more mature students as well as more male and native students.

Future issues of the "Communicator" will feature

some of these programs and their instructors.

During College Week, the Long-Term Care Aide/Homemaker Program held a ceremony for its 22 graduating students. Certificates and lapel pins were presented to the graduates and representatives from the Overlander, Ponderosa, Kamloops Home Support, Medical Personnel Pool and Mt. Paul Extendingcare facilities also participated in the ceremonies.

Instructors Judy Wilbee and Maria MacIntosh say, "It is a very challenging program to teach but it is satisfying to note the recently reduced attrition rates".

Holiday Message From The President

I would like to take this opportunity to wish our staff and students a happy and festive holiday season. May you all find much joy and contentment in spending time with family and friends during this special time of year. The new year offers many challenges and opportunities and I look forward to working with you to further the interests of the College, the communities we serve, and each other.

Faces On Campus

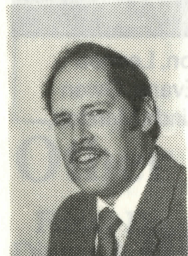
Faces and Places

BARRY WEAVER, Educational Advisor — is no stranger to those of us from the Kamloops campus. Barry says he and Linda and sons, Josh and Linsay, are enjoying living in Williams Lake. Barry hopes to be a landowner soon and is in the process of buying a new home on 10 acres.



DAWNA REID, Instructor, Office Administration — Was at the Kamloops campus for nearly 9 years and says she is now really enjoying working and living in Williams Lake.

BETTY MORBEN, Administrative Assistant — Has been part of Cariboo College since October, 1971 and has seen many changes in the Williams Lake campus in that time. Betty and her husband Tom are avid skiers and have 5 children and 7 grandchildren.



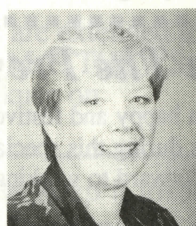
JERRY McKEE, Director, Williams Lake Campus — Has been at the Williams Lake campus since 1972. Jerry is very enthusiastic about the new campus and says due to increased enrollment they are already short of space. Jerry and his wife, Neila, have 2 daughters.

JUDI BAKER is the new Records Clerk, working primarily with Extension Services registration. Judi and husband, Earl, have a 4-year old daughter Kelly, and a son Shayne who is 2.



PAT WERKMAN, who has been at Cariboo for four years, has transferred to the Admissions Clerk position. Pat and her husband, John, are enthusiastic cross-country skiers.

WYN BAKER-HAUGEN has been at Cariboo for 11 years and is now the Vocational Divisional Secretary.



JUDY WILBEE, Coordinator of the Long-Term Care Aide/Homemaker Program is also coordinator of the Instructional Skills Facilitator Workshops. Judy has been at Cariboo for seven years and she has two children, Rose aged 14 and Jeff who is 11. Judy and her children enjoy skiing and camping together.



GEMMA GOWLING is the new Admissions Clerk taking over from Debbie Aeichele, who is now working in the Science Building. Gemma has worked in various departments at the College for the past seven years. Gemma and her husband, Ron, have three children, Heather 12, Angela 6 and Steven 3. Welcome back, Gemma!

MARIA MacINTOSH, has been at Cariboo for five years and is an instructor in the Long-Term Care Aide/Homemaker Program. Maria and her husband, David, have a 14-year old daughter Jenny, and a 12-year old son Andrew. Maria and David say they devote a lot of time to Minor Hockey.



College Week Report

College Week was a busy time for many people at both the Kamloops and Williams Lake campuses as well as at the various centres. The mayors of Kamloops, Williams Lake and Merritt proclaimed November 16-22nd College Week in those cities and several board, staff members and students participated in media and community activities to mark the occasion. Two students, one from Kamloops and one from 100 Mile House, were awarded free tuition for one semester by Radio NL and Radio CKWL-CKBX. The Merritt, 100 Mile House and Allan Matthews Centres hosted receptions for members of the community and the media was most supportive in increasing community awareness of Cariboo College in the region.

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Campus News

A Request to Our Staff

In communicating with one another, we all have the need to identify "groups" of College people. For example, we use words such as "faculty", "staff", "administration", and "support staff". Many of us use these categories loosely and inconsistently; and we all make different assumptions about their meaning. People variously consider "staff" to mean "support staff" or "all College employees" or "administrative staff" for instance.

The recent work most of us have done with Tim Seeton and Rob Newmarch has underscored the need for clear and unambiguous communication. But we will never achieve this unless we agree on some basic definitions.

I am convinced that the labels we give ourselves are vitally important. A label carries with it an identity, an image; and it can silently reinforce basic beliefs we hold about ourselves and others.

Everyone who works at the College is first and

foremost just that - "someone who works at the College". It is my belief that all of us who work at the College have close to our hearts the goal of providing excellent educational opportunities. This is our primary focus, and this is what binds us together. Whether we belong to this or that sub-group is secondary. Although we are all technically "employees" of the College, our relationships go far beyond those of traditional employees and a traditional employer.

I request that in our conversations we use the following labels for groups on campus:

STAFF - Everyone who works at the College; all College employees

SUPPORT STAFF - The sub-group of staff who are covered by the College/CUPE Collective Agreement

FACULTY - The sub-group of staff who are covered by the College/Faculty Association Collective Agreement.

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF - The sub-group of staff who are excluded from coverage under a collective agreement.

David Cane
Vice-President

Second Annual Conference On Computers In The Language Arts

The Communication Arts Department announces the Second Annual Cariboo College Conference on Computers in the Language Arts to be held at the College on February 13 and 14, 1987. This year's theme, "Changing the Ways we Communicate: Implications for the Learning Process", will be developed through an effective combination of stimulating lectures, hands-on workshops and equipment displays. For more information, contact David Ranson, Local 2222, or Laara Atley, Local 2205.

SSSS Invites Participation

Judy Wilbee, Coordinator of Instructional Skills Workshops, reminds Cariboo College staff that Sessions for Staff Stimulation and Satisfaction (SSSS) are being developed. These sessions are presented by Cariboo College staff and everyone is invited to participate.

Individuals have volunteered to lead sessions on creative thinking, the adult learner, Myers-Briggs Personality type inventory, and many more. Many of these sessions will fit into a lunch hour and Judy Wilbee would like to hear from you regarding your ideas and areas of interest. Call her at Local 2626 for more information.

Native Student Drop-In Centre

A Native Student Drop-In Centre has recently been established in the area formerly occupied by the Bookstore in the Food Training Building. This centre is intended to be used by native students as a place where they can meet for personal and academic support. For further information on the centre, contact Jackie Jones at Local 2435.

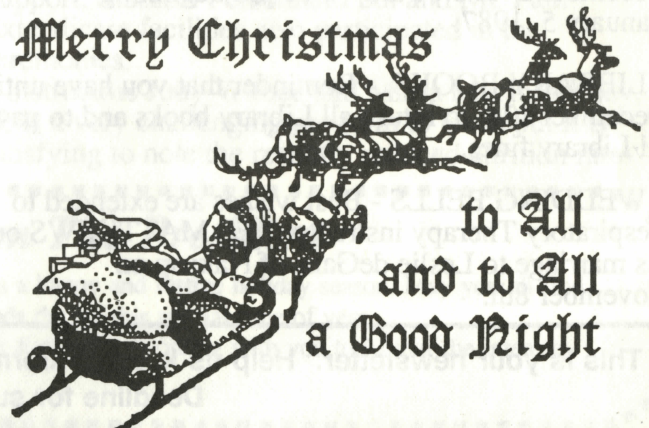


Let's Talk

Beginning on Thursday, January 8, 1987, between 3:30 and 4:30 pm,

President Jim Wright will be pleased to meet privately, over a cup of coffee, with staff and students to discuss suggestions or concerns. This hour will be set aside each week for this purpose and everyone is encouraged to take advantage of this informal opportunity to meet with the President.

Merry Christmas



to All
and to All
a Good Night

Campus Calendar December 1986

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5 8:00 pm Film Society "The Trip to Bountiful"	6 9:00-5:00 pm Math Competition Room #139 9:00-4:00 pm Computers in a Day
7	8 10:00-2:00pm Computers in Business Open House Room #134	9 8:00-Noon Boardroom Automated Office Graduation	10 Noon Boardroom SSSS-Creative Visualization	11	12 2:00-5:00 pm Boardroom Thompson-Nicola Man. Assoc. Graduation 6:00 pm Cafeteria Staff Christmas Party	13 8:00-6:00pm G.E.D. Exams room #103
14	15 9:00-4:30 pm Boardroom Therapeutic Touch Workshop	16	17	18 7:00-10:00 pm Boardroom Office Administration Graduation	19	20 Alumni Hockey Game
21	22	23	24	25 Merry Christmas	26 Boxing Day	27
28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve	Happy New Year		

Other Dates

Friday December 12 - Reminder of Staff Christmas Dinner & Dance.

CHRISTMAS CLOSURE - The College will be closed from 4:30 pm, Wednesday December 24th until 8:00 am, Monday January 5, 1987.

BOOKSTORE HOURS: 8:00 am - 4:00 pm until December 24th 8:00 am - 8:00 pm beginning January 5, 1987.

LIBRARY BOOKS - Reminder that you have until December 17th to return all Library books and to pay all Library fines.

WEDDING BELLS - Best wishes are extended to Respiratory Therapy instructor LES MATTHEWS on his marriage to Leslie deGans of Nakusp on November 8th.

Beefs & Bouquets

Hearty congratulations to 'MAC' MACLEAN who has received a Masters of Business Administration degree from Northland Open University.

The Cariboo College community sends congratulations to Board member DONNA BARNETT on her recent election as Mayor of 100 Mile House.

Oops! Apologies to GRACE SIMPSON and her husband JACK. In last month's "Communicator" Jack was listed as a son! Apologies to all concerned.

Horticulture Lab Demo DALE WILKIE is leaving Cariboo at the end of December to set up her own business in the lower mainland. Good luck and best wishes, Dale!

Special thanks and recognition are extended to the many people who contributed so greatly to the events and activities connected with College Week, November 16-22nd

This is your newsletter. Help us keep it informative. Please send submissions to Margaret Russell. Deadline for submissions is the 15th.