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Belindance dancers perform a traditional belly dance routine at International Night.

## The E-spot

by Cindy Cook, Employment Centre staff

I am impressed with the number of students in the know this year. I have been so busy in the Centre these past few weeks answering your questions that I could not find the time to write the Spot. I am sorry you missed it, but thankfully you came to see me in the flesh and I was able to put you at ease. For those of you who are missing the boat. Opportunities are passing you by, deadlines are firm, and employers are coming to campus. Did you know there is an upcoming summer job fair? Get the details from the Employment Centre, or look on bulletin boards around campus. Also, remember to monitor the SMU job postings on WorkopolisCampus.com. If you haven't already registered, you can do so anytime. Note that there are always more jobs posted on our boards than there will be on line (my little way of keeping the one on one alive).

This week's selected questions:

**Q.** My part-time job includes many nighttime social events (i.e. drinkin') with clients, and other company contacts. Since I am hot (and I mean smokin') I inevitably get hit on a lot by men who my company is trying to impress. It makes matters worse that I have to wear promotional merchandise such as skimpy outfits. My question is...how do I tell these clients that I would rather have a flesh eating disease than date them without causing problems for my co-workers and my company?

-Too Hot For My Own Good

**A.** You pose an interesting set of questions. Let's talk about a few things. First, does this company have a sexual harassment policy? Find out. They should. Also, you should check with the Human Rights and Labour board for standards and get

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## Central Asian experiences

by Michael Enman

When I chose Global Business Management (GBM) as my major, with a minor in IDS to supplement my Bachelor of Commerce degree, I had no idea where it would take me. Of all the choices in the Saint Mary's business program, GBM was the only one that truly appealed to me, mainly because I could study a wide variety of business courses, Italian, and other non-business courses as part of my business degree. I graduated in May of 2003 with no serious job prospects. It is hard being a recent university graduate, with no related work experience, especially when job searching in the graduate-saturated municipality of Halifax. So, when my mother handed me an edition of The Coast, advertising international internships through Saint Mary's, I took the opportunity to apply for something pertaining to my education and international interests.

Two months later I sat in an interview answering questions like "Could you handle eating the same thing, every day, for 6 months?" Answer: "I am a recent graduate and have experienced long stretches of

diet, so yes I can make do." Thankfully, questions regarding experience were not seeking long answers because the purpose of such internships is to gain experience, making me a perfect candidate. To my

cities in the world. My immediate response was yes, but after I hung up the phone my mind loudly inquired "You're gonna go WHERE?" So I checked Armenia on the map, did a little research, and discovered that although it is in the oft-feared Middle East, Armenia seemed like a reasonable starting point for my international experiences. Then another call, "Sorry, the Armenia internship has been cancelled", and another call, "Would you like to go to Kazakhstan instead?" Again, I cheerily agreed and upon dropping the receiver my mind, and my roommate, again asked "You're gonna go WHERE?" I had just agreed to go to Kazakhstan, to Central Asia, on the other side of the world, for six months, alone. This decision was made about five weeks before my first unaccompanied departure out of the country.

Now I am once again five weeks from departure, this time from Almaty,

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schooling that included monotonous eating for weeks at a time, including the stereotypical Kraft Dinner

delight I received a phone call shortly afterwards, asking if I wanted to go to Yerevan, Armenia, one of the oldest

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# The SMUSA Page

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February 4 - 10, 2004



## Students working For Students

### Candidates Forum

**Thursday, February 5th**

The Candidates Forum is being held at 3:00p.m.-6:00p.m, on February 5th at the McNally Auditorium. Come out and see what your candidates have to say about SMU, SMUSA and you! Make sure your vote on elections day is an informed one.

### Hats Off to our Volunteers!

The Volunteer Centre at SMUSA would like to thank all the staff and students who bought AND sold toques in support of Raising the Roof. We raised a "fanTOQUEtastic" \$1000 to help the homeless.

### SMUSA Referendum

**Question to be voted on February 11th and 12th**

Question: "Are you in favor of the proposed amendments to Article 8 of SMUSA's Constitution which, if passed, will require 2/3 majority to pass future referenda on fee introductions, increases, or decreases?" This referendum question will be on the ballot during the Executive Elections on February 11th and 12th.

### Woman of the Month

The Saint Mary's Womens' Centre is seeking nominations for Woman of the Month (Starting in January and running until June). Do you know a fabulous female professor? An outstanding SMU/SMUSA staff woman? A marvelous female friend making a contribution to the SMU community? We are looking to recognize and honour the women of Saint Mary's that give a little more and inspire us all. If you know them... then let us know! You can pick up nomination forms at the Saint Mary's Women's Centre (room #526 of the Students' Centre) or acquire more information by contacting [womenscentre@smu.ca](mailto:womenscentre@smu.ca).

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**Bursary Workshops are not required**

However, any incomplete (including missing documentation, illegible writing and missing student loan assessment forms) and late applications, will not be considered for a bursary this semester.



If you have any questions about the bursary applications, information sessions will be held in room 411A, 4th floor of the O'Donnell Hennessy Student Center on February 6th at 2:30pm - 4:00pm and on February 13th at 10:30am - 1:00pm and 2:30pm - 4:00pm.

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**SMUSA Elections 2004**

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## the Journal

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## My school of choice

I have been at Saint Mary's for a while. Some would say too long. Over the years I have formed lots of opinions about this school and have had many opportunities to become involved with the school. The Journal would like to hear your opinion of Saint Mary's. It doesn't matter if you have only been here for a few months or if you have been here for years. We want to know what you like, dislike, and think needs to be improved. Send your opinions on Saint Mary's to [journal.editor@smu.ca](mailto:journal.editor@smu.ca) and please try to keep it under 500 words.

When I came to SMU, I was enrolled in sciences and thought that I wanted to major in engineering. My first semester here was hell. I hated my classes, struggled through physics and calculus and eventually gave up. Christmas break that year was very stressful as I have no idea what to do. I ended up registering for a psychology course because my friend was

taking it and I didn't know what else to do. That one course changed my entire outlook on SMU. I declared a major in psychology and didn't look back. In my second year I got involved with the psychology society and began to really enjoy school. With my positive attitude towards school, I noticed that my profs were all very helpful and not as intimidating as I once believed. The staff I have worked with here are wonderful and really take pride in the fact that they work for this school.

If you take all the politics and push them aside and just look at the school as it is, you will see many faces of dedicated, fantastic people. It is a shame that we easily get caught up in the politics of an institution. Although they are integral in the functioning of an institution, office or institution politics can sometimes be vicious and ugly.

I really like Saint Mary's as

an institution and I think it is a fine and well respected university. My father and sisters are all graduates of Saint Mary's and we have all had good experiences here. Maybe the school likes the Nixon name and strived for our approval, but I highly doubt it. If you want to make your university experience at SMU a good one, get involved, learn about your school and talk to your profs. You will find so many interesting and fun people out there, you are destined to enjoy yourself more.

### Election mania

We all know that election time is here. There is only a short period of time for you to learn about the candidates running before the big vote arrives. Since I have been at SMU the voter turn out has not been significantly high. I don't understand why that is. The people who are elected into office will directly affect the next academic year. If you are going to be a student sure next year, you should have

some concern about who is governing your student association. And if you are graduating, do the remaining students a favour and vote. This is the time that you as students can actually have a say in what goes on at your school.

Many people believe that student politics are simply a popularity contest, and perhaps this is true. It doesn't have to be though. If the candidates are really serious about the positions they are running for, I would hope they will partake in the activities to voice their political position with SMUSA and Saint Mary's. So before you go and vote, find out who these candidates are and what they want to achieve next year. Don't just vote for someone who's name you have heard before. We are all adults and since the information is available to us, it is our responsibility to make educated decisions when we vote. Think about what is in the university's best interest, and what is in your best interest as a student.

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## Huskie students

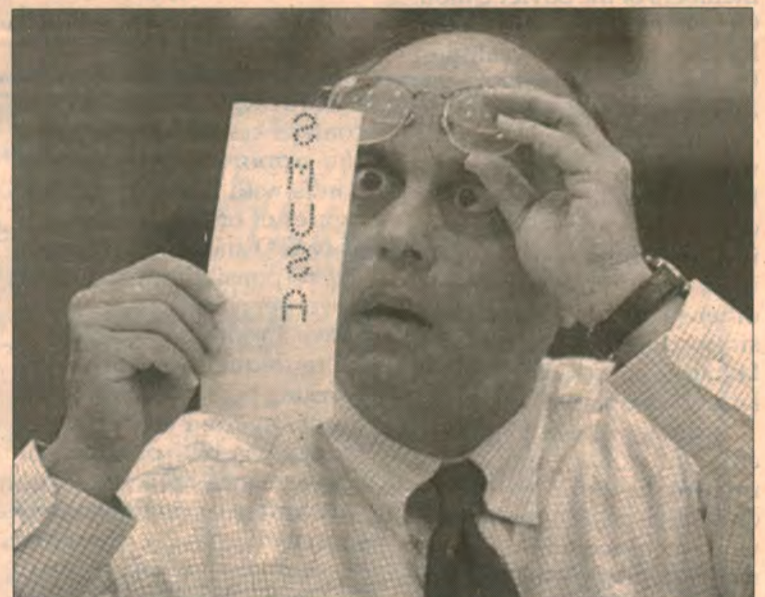
by Susan Symonik

For most students who venture inside the university ivory tower they may expect a dimension where a multitude of variants present itself to stir up the mind and wring out the creative juice. By now, and for most youngsters, hasn't it been fifteen years constant drilling and student portrayal, that could it be possible that a new kind of classroom is in store?

In the 60s and its predation, it was the one-room classroom where the teacher was invisibly gifted to teach from Grades 1-8 all at on in a wait-on manner. Then in the 70s, the classroom expanded to open-concept and the gold shag rug. While some teachers saw this as a move forward others took too many liberties, for example, when Johnny was misbehaving in Grade 2 he was sent to the Grade 4 because that was where the "corner" was. The in the 80's, it was "rotation" in high school where both teacher and group of students goosed to different areas of the building and thus popularized the "back-pack" and "hand-bag". For a Christmas gift I was given a medium briefcase. I was

hoping a woman using a briefcase would look acceptable at some point in my life. I tried using my briefcase when I was eighteen years old while I was in the army reserves to hand in an unauthorized travel expense claim to an Italian Master Corporal. Unfortunately, he blew his head, crumpled the paper very slowly in my face and said "don't come around here much anymore".

So I ran, and I traveled further beyond the constraints of doors, walls, ceilings, stairs, floors that could come collapsing down if it is not roof tight, constructed without a blueprint, or thrown hap-hazardless together and said "This is it". As students, several questions should come to mind, "what is this building here for?", "why am I occupying a seat in this classroom?", "when do I vacate the classroom?", "do I really know what is happening?". Deep questions, maybe, to ponder over when getting physical about the building where the future lies in education. What is the 00's classroom? Can anyone find it? Does anyone know/ Anything that expands the mind where it has jamais been before in a lump of fate.



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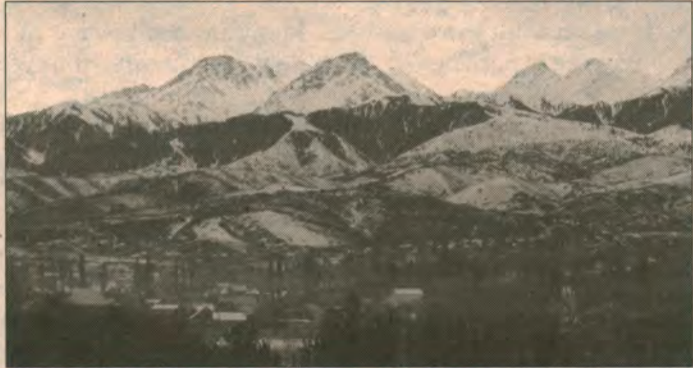
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Central Asia

Kazakhstan, knowing much more about the region, the country, and myself than I knew when I hopped on a plane headed for Montreal. Kazakhstan is not to be confused with Afghanistan, and your immediate thoughts of it are likely as ill-educated as mine were; I do not ride a camel to work, know any terrorists, nor have I adopted



the use of a turban. Many people associate any country whose name ends in "stan" with Afghanistan and assume it is a war-torn place in the middle of a desert. To explain, "stan" implies "land of" so Kazakhstan is land of the Kazakhs, and I can assure you this country is not war-torn or in the middle of a desert. Contrarily, Almaty is probably the most westernized city in Central Asia, which includes Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, and Turkmenistan, all former members of the Soviet Union. Of these five countries, Kazakhstan is the wealthiest thanks to its rich oil and gas reserves sought by many developing countries, including Canada. In Kazakhstan, I live next to one of the most beautiful mountain ranges in the world in a city not completely different from Halifax (though sidewalk surfing is now a favourite sport of mine due to lack of road salt).

Although there is much to enjoy in Almaty, mountains included, there are many difficult aspects of living and working abroad. For me, the most daunting element has

been the language barrier, as people in Kazakhstan speak Russian, Kazakh, and little English. This poses no problem at work, as all my colleagues speak English, but life outside work provides ample challenges for one not accustomed to struggling with verbal communication. I did not take language lessons before I came, something I regret not doing and recommend to anyone moving abroad, so my

interactions with people outside of friends and colleagues continues to provide challenging and interesting dialogue. As a result, work has been a place of comfort during the internship.

I work for the Almaty Education Network (EdNet), a non-profit NGO, which focuses on improving post-Soviet secondary education in Central Asia. In the past few months I have written much and edited more while developing project-proposals, business surveys, letters of invitation, and other material relating to written word. I also attend various EdNet events, including international conferences which grants me the opportunity to shake hands with many prominent figures of organizations such as NATO and UN. Although my responsibilities at EdNet have been limited (interns move in and out of EdNet quite frequently) I do enjoy working here and am gaining much needed experience. Huge gains, both professional and personal, are to be made through an international internship and I strongly recommend international

internship programs to anyone interested in gaining international work experience.

At the end of my post-graduation summer I was bewildered at my intended destination, but have no regrets about moving to the other side of the globe. I missed Christmas (not celebrated in Kazakhstan), the World Series, and am about to miss the Super Bowl, yet my gains while here far outweigh missing a near Red Sox vs. Cubs World Series. I have learned how to stand up for myself, even in the face of a large, mean looking Russian. I have managed to communicate without speech, even with a wee bit too much "yorsch" in my system. Most importantly, I have learned to have an open mind, to respect the culture of others while upholding my own, and that the world is a place big enough to be insignificant, but only if you choose to be.

Michael Enman works as a Development Assistant at the Education Network in Almaty, Kazakhstan, on a six-month internship managed by Saint Mary's and funded by the Canadian Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade.

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the facts. As you probably know, the facts and reality sometimes have nothing in common. You have to figure out your parameters and then how much, and if, you are willing to compromise or not. Secondly, a set of classic excuses: you could be "driving" and therefore unable to drink, you can nurse a beer all night, you could create a fictitious boyfriend (works like a charm, especially if "he is in the room"), you could simply smile and say, "Dude, I am just not interested in you." Remain professional and never flirtatious which, I'm sure, brings us to your clothing issue. Honey - You can be appealing without being revealing. Find ways to wear the merchandise with your own pieces.

Q Many of the jobs that I see related to my field ask for at least three years of experience. I don't know if I should apply or not bother. How firm are employers on this type of thing? It is a lot of work to apply for a job.

-Don't Want To Waist My Time

A. Beautiful question. I get this one all the time because it is a common source

of frustration surrounding the job search. First the reality (but keep reading), I believe that employers are firm on their qualifications. If they ask for three years of experience and they cannot determine that from your resume at a fairly quick glance, they will probably cast your resume to the 'no pile.' If you learn anything from these articles, learn this - do not try to hide the fact that you don't have the qualifications in your resume by making it longer, repeating information, or trying to confuse the reader. Here is the key - apply to the company but not to the advertised position. Cold call the company; get the right person on the phone, mention that you have been researching employment opportunities and are interested in this company. You noticed they were hiring and although you are not qualified for that particular position, you would like to send them a resume for consideration. You can say this in your cover letter as well. This is an honest, no nonsense, I respect your time, please notice me anyway, approach that will catch the employers attention at the very least. So the answer is yes, apply to the company but be upfront about your lack of required experience and promote the skills, knowledge, and experience you do have.

ahead." "Candidates will certainly have their work cut out for them to set themselves apart from the rest, but a successful campaign should demonstrate that a candidate is experienced and responsible, but also full of new perspectives and ideas."

The campaign runs this week and next and wraps up with two days of voting on February 11<sup>th</sup> and 12. A candidates' forum will be held Thursday February 5<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm in McNally Theatre Auditorium.

## High hopes

The Saint Mary's University Students' Association has recently reported that the number of nominees for next week's executive elections is the highest turn out in recent years. In total, 21 students were nominated for the four elected executive positions with most of those students also seeking appointment to the University's Board of Governors and Academic Senate.

SMUSA attributes the turn out to a couple of factors. "We have attempted all year to get more and more students involved in the Student's Association," noted SMUSA President, Tyler MacLeod. "I think this is a signal that more people are taking ownership of SMUSA and want to get involved to make a difference

themselves."

This election also marks the first time in a number of years that no incumbent SMUSA elected executive will re-offer. The four current elected executives will all graduate this spring. The resulting wide open race has generated a sense of excitement around campus.

"With so many people involved, the outcome of the election is hard to predict," says MacLeod. "So much of the voting is going to come down to who has the best campaign and puts forward the best ideas to move SMUSA

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# Business

## Let the games begin

by: Ian Burns

I had the opportunity earlier today to talk to Jonathan Ballot about the upcoming Undergraduate Business Games. Jonathan is the coordinator of this year's UBG team and he, along with 35 other delegates, will be participating in the Games, which start this Thursday at Dalhousie.

The Undergraduate Business Games started in 1992 and has since grown to include 24 schools with more than 900 students participating in the event. Recruiting for this year's team started in October of last year, and Saint Mary's made the final cuts during the last week of November. Aside from the students who will be participating in the different events, every team has one ambassador who is exempt from competing and who, among other things, act as judges during the games.

Saint Mary's has not recently participated in the games making this a new experience for everyone involved. As a first-time participant, the Saint Mary's team had to literally start from scratch to build a team to participate in the games. The Saint Mary's team has been working hard to get ready for the games by meeting for practices and holding social

events. Having no idea what to expect may be a challenge for our team, but one that can surely be overcome.

Schools from all over the country will be coming to Halifax later this week to compete in the games which test both the athletic and academic abilities of the different teams. Last year the games were hosted by Carlton, and this year Halifax is lucky to be hosting the event. As one of the top business schools in the country, it is a must that Saint Mary's attends this year's UBG because no one comes into our house and tries to push us around.

There are plans to send a team from Saint Mary's to the games in future years, and this year is a good opportunity to make students and members of the community aware of the event. As I was talking to Jonathan, he told me a story about a conference he attended where people asked him, "Where is Halifax?" This event is a great opportunity to let people know we're kicking ass on the east coast and to let students from all across Canada know that Saint Mary's is the best business school in the country.

Unfortunately the events in the UBG are not open to the public, and students will have

to wait patiently to find out how our team performs. With more than 900 participants it would not be easy to make the UBG a spectator event. However the UBG is scheduled to coincide with the Dalhousie Business Conference, which is open for all students to attend. There will be several speakers coming to Halifax for the event, and for a small fee, any student can attend the conference being held at Dalhousie. The keynote speaker will be Julia Dublin, Senior Legal Counsel for the Ontario Securities Commission. Ms. Dublin will be speaking about the OSC's new "Fair Deal Model".

The events run from Thursday to Sunday during which time our team will be tested athletically in events such as Basketball, hockey, and volleyball as well as a series of events testing academic performance, which accounts for 70% of each team's overall score. At the end of the games, performance in the events and school spirit will be evaluated and an overall winner will be declared and presented with the UBG cup.

I want to wrap up by wishing our team good luck in the upcoming games and I hope they bring home the gold.

## DBC 2004

### OSC to unveil new model at Dalhousie Business Conference

If you are a student in the Commerce program at Saint Mary's University, I highly recommend that you check out the Dalhousie Business Conference being held this Friday. The DBC will bring together an estimated 1000 business students, educators and professionals to one of the premier business events in Atlantic Canada. This year's DBC is being held in conjunction with the Undergraduate Business Games to allow students from all across the country to attend DBC 2004.

The Honorable Myra A. Freeman, Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, will open this year's DBC. Mrs. Freeman is an alumnus of Dalhousie University and also the first female appointed Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia. Mrs. Freeman will be a special guest of the DBC executive committee.

DBC is an annual student-organized event that examines timely issues in today's highly competitive and ever-changing business environment. The theme of this year's conference is Business and Government: The Question of Regulation.

Among the speakers to share their wisdom and insights at the DBC is Julia Dublin. Ms. Dublin is the

Senior Legal Counsel for the Ontario Securities Commission (OSC). On January 20 Ms. Dublin announced that the 2004 DBC will be the first public event in which the OSC's new "Fair Dealing Model" will be discussed. The model was officially made public on January 29 and it is a great honor for the DBC to be among the first public forums to discuss the new model.

DBC is the OSC's first stop in a series of nation-wide discussions about the new model. The Fair Dealing Model is designed to guide relationships between investors and industry professionals by introducing a new set of principles. This new model has the potential to be a very influential in future relationships between investors and industry professionals.

Ms. Dublin is just one of thirteen distinguished guests who will be speaking at the DBC on February 6. The event will be held at the Casino Nova Scotia and Hotel in Halifax and will last from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm. If you wish to buy tickets for the DBC you can call (902) 494-2446, or purchase by visiting this website [www.dal.ca/dbc](http://www.dal.ca/dbc). You can also find a complete schedule of event and times on the Dalhousie website.

## Junior Team Canada

by: Ian Burns

If you have an interest in business, like to travel, and wish to make important contacts both locally and around the world, there is a program you should check out. The program, put on by non-profit organization Global Vision, is called Junior Team Canada. Member of Parliament Terry Clifford started Junior Team Canada in 1991. It was Mr. Clifford's goal to get young people interested in the global market place and to make business connections around the world.

The program is open to anyone ages 16-25 and there will be a training session at Saint Mary's later this month. At the training session potential team members will meet with local businessmen and women to talk and interact in a business setting. Members from the Junior Team Canada program will also be at the training session and will use it as a chance to recruit individuals to travel abroad as part of the team. 55 young people from all across Canada will make up the Junior Team Canada.

If you are chosen to be part of the Junior Team Canada after the training session, you must contact businesses locally to sponsor your trip with the team, and in turn you will be an ambassador for

your company and represent them when you travel abroad. You can be sponsored by as many companies as you wish, and there is an award for the individual who receives the most sponsorship.

Every year Junior Team Canada travels to a different country around the world and each individual is given a list of possible contacts within their sector (i.e.: Agriculture, IT etc.). You will then spend three weeks in a different country, making appointments to meet with members of the international business community, and attending networking dinners. This is an excellent opportunity to meet influential business people and make important business connections. When you return home from the trip, you will be required to prepare a report for your sponsor companies detailing what you experienced, how you feel about the foreign market, and what potential there may be for your sponsor company in a different market place.

Junior Team Canada has traveled to many countries including: Germany, Australia, Singapore, and last year, Mexico. Business people from around the world are very eager to meet with young people who have shown an interest in traveling and making international

connections. Furthermore, if you do well as part of Junior Team Canada you may be selected to be part of a group that has an opportunity to meet with the Prime Minister for a question and answer session.

I had a chance to speak with a former member of Junior Team Canada and his story of how connections are made surprised me. During his visit to Ottawa he spoke with a gentleman by the name of Charlie Coffey following his question period with the Prime Minister. As you may know, Charlie Coffey is the Executive Vice-President of Government and Community Affairs for Royal Bank. Needless to say it makes a nice reference on his resume.

This Friday there will be an information session at 4 p.m. in SB 265. Anyone who wishes to find out any additional information about the program is encouraged to come out and ask questions or just sit back and listen. The training session will be held on February 27 at 8:00 am in SB 260. It is not necessary to attend the information session before you attend the training session, but anyone who is interested is encouraged to come out and see what the program is all about.

If you have any questions you can also call Dave Gordon at 425-8438

## Not a pub crawl

### Historical Tour leaves Commerce students on the floor

This past Friday saw the second installment of the Commerce Society's Halifax Historical Tour. Aside from being an educational experience the tour was an excellent opportunity for Commerce students to get together and have a little fun.

The night started quietly enough at our very own Gorsebrook pub, but it was still early in the day, and this gathering proved to be the calm before the storm. It didn't take long for the tour to get rolling, with stops at some of Halifax's most historical locations, and the city soon became a sea of maroon and white shirts.

The next scheduled stop was The Planet where pool and pale ale were the flavors of the night. Following the Planet, there was a steady flow of students moving to the Seahorse. Getting back to bars that start with the letter "P", the tour continued to gain momentum at Peddler's.

I can't speak for anyone else, but it seemed like everyone was enjoying their drinks as much as they were enjoying the tour. Clean shirts quickly became canvases to display the artwork and best

wishes of fellow students. Autographs and crudely drawn penises were among the most common works of t-shirt art. I am responsible for many people receiving magic marker nipples.

The last two stops on the tour were two more bars that start with the letter "P": Pitchman's and Pacifico. These stops were highlighted with giant pitchers of beer and packed dance floors. Despite the end of the tour drawing ever closer, there were no signs of slowing down from any Commerce students. There is no doubt that people were walking and talking a little slower but the school spirit was still there. I saw one resourceful student getting around the Pacifico with the aid of a bar stool walker. You have to respect the never-give-up attitude of Saint Mary's students.

As all good things tend to do, the second installment of the Halifax Historical Tour had officially come to an end with the closing of Pacifico. As the lights came on and my eyes slowly adjusted to the brightness, it was clear that most participants had

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# Arts & Entertainment

## Bounce away from this movie

by Colin MacKenzie

All the signs pointed to this movie being terrible. Not only was it released in January (which is regarded as a month studios release their left over crap that wasn't good enough to be released the year before), but on the same weekend as the Super Bowl. This weekend is generally regarded as the worst weekend of the year to release a film, with so many people focused on the Super Bowl (Great Game). Previous movies released wide include *She's All That* and *Spice World*. Naturally, when I saw the release date for *The Big Bounce* I became very aware that this movie would be really crappy. Elmore Leonard novels have been turned into some real great movies. Much like Steven King and Michael Crichton, producers, directors and actors all want to say they were part of an Elmore Leonard adaptation. The results speak for themselves. *Get Shorty* (its upcoming sequel is *Be Cool*), *Out of Sight*, and *Jackie Brown* have all featured A-list talent. The one common denominator in all these movies is "cool". These movies were sleek and just plain cool. Regardless of how many times you've seen these movies you'll always have a smile on your face at the end. When I first saw the cast and subsequent trailer I realized they were going in a different (wrong) direction with this movie. This movie is more of a slapstick comedy than a cool comedy. Not really what you want from an Elmore Leonard novel.

The director George Armitage (*Grosse Pointe Blank*), and the very funny but very uncool Owen Wilson

are the main targets of my disappointment. Owen Wilson is one of my favorite actors to watch on-screen. His performances in movies like *Bottle Rocket*, *Armageddon* and, the upcoming *Starsky & Hutch* (looks amazing), are all quite funny. I'm not really sure he is ready for leading man status; I don't think he can carry a film. In all of his hit movies he's a supporting character. It's just bad casting though; this movie needed more of a James Bond like character to work. Christian Bale or Guy Pierce would have been money in this role, but even a Mark Wahlberg or Ryan Phillippe would have been better suited than Owen Wilson.

The movie starts off as some locals are protesting the construction of a new high-rise hotel and the construction workers are playing baseball. Needless to say this upsets the foreman (the under-used Vinnie Jones) he and Jack Ryan (Owen Wilson) have a little rumble involving a baseball bat and a video camera. After a quick trip to jail, Jack begins working for Walter Crewes (Morgan Freeman, doing his best Samuel L. Jackson impression) who is the local judge and runs his own little resort. The movie's obligatory bad guy is Ray Ritchie (Gary Sinise) who plays the developer, and his assistant Bob Jr. (Charlie Sheen, with a moustache). The female lead is Nancy Haynes (Sarah Foster, you'll be seeing her on a Maxim cover very soon) as Ray Ritchie's mistress, who seduces Jack into breaking into houses and ultimately to try to steal \$200,000 from

## Super Bowl entertains

by Richard Woodbury

It is broadcast in 230 nations, and watched by an estimated 800 million people worldwide. No, I'm not talking about some dumb reality TV show. I'm talking about the Super Bowl. This past Sunday marked the 38<sup>th</sup> edition of the annual event.

The Super Bowl has evolved into one of the most exciting events of the year. Once upon a time, it was just a football game. It has since grown into the largest watched event in the world that is often remembered more for the commercials and entertainment than the game itself.

According to Yahoo News, numerous surveys have found that over a quarter of Americans tune into the Super Bowl just to watch the

commercials. The price of these commercials doesn't come cheap; CBS charged \$2.3 million USD this year for a 30 second clip. Advertisers are willing to pay this amount as viewers usually tune in for the whole broadcast and don't channel surf. An ad in 1967 cost a mere \$42,000.

In the beginning, 1967 that is, the halftime show at the Super Bowl consisted of the school bands from the University of Arizona and the University of Michigan. Over the next few years, the show continued to consist of school bands. It wasn't until 15 years ago at Super Bowl XXII that individual performers or groups became the halftime show. The halftime entertainment featured then was The Rockettes, and

Chubby Checker. After this, the stars started lining up; The New Kids on the Block and Michael Jackson were just a couple of artists who took to the stage.

One further evolution in the halftime show took place. No longer was one star handling the halftime duties, but rather an ensemble cast of the hottest groups and artists became the entertainment. This year's show featured a titillating performance by Janet Jackson, Nelly, P. Diddy, Kid Rock, and Justin Timberlake.

The Super Bowl has become the biggest event of the year. It is no longer just a football game. It is now the biggest day for consumers and advertisers, which just happens to have a football game thrown into the mix.

Ritchie. Foster steals this movie; she is absolutely beautiful and nails every all aspects of her character. It will be interesting to see where her career goes from here. She reminds me of Rebecca Romijn-Stamos. Only time will tell if her career goes the way of a typical model turned actress, or if she will blossom into a Romijn-Stamos or a Cameron Diaz.

This movie is not good. Wilson delivers a few of his trademark one liners. It is harmless fun, and a year from now when it's -30 degrees and you want to look at sunny beaches and surfers it may be worth a watch on DVD for any big Owen Wilson fans. However, it is not worth going to the theater to see especially when there are movies like *Big Fish*, *Monster*, and *Return of the King* that can still be seen.

## The Vaginas are coming

by Erika Shea

On Thursday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, Friday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, and Saturday, February 14<sup>th</sup>, a talented and dedicated group of SMU students and staff will present Saint Mary's first-ever Benefit Production of Eve Ensler's "The Vagina Monologues", as part of the V-Day 2004 College Campaign. Hailed by The New York Times as "funny" and "poignant" and by the Daily News as "intelligent" and "courageous", "The Vagina Monologues", first performed off-Broadway by Ms. Ensler, dives into the mystery, humour, pain, power, wisdom, outrage and excitement buried in women's experiences.

V-Day generates broader attention for the fight to stop worldwide violence against women and girls including rape, battery, incest, female genital mutilation and sexual slavery. V-Day is a catalyst that promotes creative events to increase awareness, raise money, and revitalize the spirit of existing anti-violence organizations. The 'V' in V-day stands for Victory, Valentine, and Vagina ([www.vday.org](http://www.vday.org)). In 2003, nearly 1,000 V-Day benefit events were presented by volunteer activists around the world, educating

millions of people about the violence against women and girls. The 2004 Saint Mary's Production Team has selected Bryony House, a local non-profit agency, as the beneficiary of the three shows. Bryony House is a 24-bed shelter for abused women and their children. Last year, the organization helped 250 women and 146 children by providing them with a safe space where they have the freedom to make their own choices and improve their quality of life. Due to compounding funding cutbacks, Bryony House must raise \$221,000 this year to maintain its current level of services.

Come find out why Sam's Vagina is so angry, what Alana's Vagina Workshop had to teach her, and why Erin's Vagina has been closed for business since 1953. Tickets are \$10 in advance and \$12 at the door. Tickets can be purchased in the Loyola Colonnade weekdays between February 4<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>, or reserved by e-mailing

[chickenbut007@yahoo.ca](mailto:chickenbut007@yahoo.ca). Penises are welcome. Performances begin each night at 8pm in the McNally Theatre Auditorium; doors open at 7:30.

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# International Night

by David Miller

Combining international cuisine, music, performances, and a multi-cultural dance, International Night opens International Development Week with a great party.

Organized by a large committee, including the International Student's Society, and with the help of many volunteers, the night is always a success and this year's was no different.

The night kicked off with a variety of international foods including tabouleh, Greek salad, chick-pea curry, samosas, spring rolls, jerk chicken, and rice. The more than 350 people there ate well before the main event started.

The entertainment was a mixture representative of the campus population. Gaelic singing led by Joe Murphy of the Irish Studies Department was mixed with piping and fiddle tunes. Chinese Lion Dancers performed a traditional dance in costume with drum and cymbal accompaniment. Brooke Miller performed a song from her recent CD, and a SMU student, ? ? ? ? ? ? , performed a mixture of eastern and western music on guitar. A local break-dance crew,

Armada, put on a short set after which a single dancer performed an Indian dance, while a group of African women performed their own. Caribbean, belly, and flamenco dancers completed world tour of dance styles. A Brazilian mixture of martial arts, music, and dancing called capoeira with a conga, singing, and a unique instrument called a berimbau. This mixture of performers was chosen to represent the diversity of the world music that can be found in Halifax. All of the formers volunteered their time and put on a show with very few snags and great sound. The performances were followed by a DJ dance that went to 1:00am.



# Rocking in Halifax

by Travis MacRae

The first time I heard the cry of independence from a vocalist in a small band at an under-lit club in Halifax, I was liberated. Through this one experience at the age of sixteen an entire sub-culture opened its doors to me. I began investing much time, and little money supporting these musicians that play music solely for the sake of playing music. Perhaps this is a foreign concept to some, but an experience no

one should miss.

There is an amazingly big "indie" music scene in Halifax; a scene that I'm sure many of you reading has never been aware of. The indie scene can be enjoyed at such venues as the Marquee, the Attic, The Seahorse, and Reflections, to name but a few. In fact, the indie scene can even be enjoyed at our very own Gorsebrook. Each Wednesday at 10 p.m. students gather around speakers while musicians gather around microphones, simply to listen and play

music. Once in a while independent musicians will even give information as to when they will be playing at another local pub.

For those who wish to begin enjoying honest local music, from hip hop to punk, folk to reggae, they can pick up a copy of the Coast ([www.thecoast.ns.ca](http://www.thecoast.ns.ca)) and check out some upcoming shows. There is also a great online resource called Halifax Locals at [www.halifaxlocals.com](http://www.halifaxlocals.com).

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**President***Andrew Arbuckle*

Hey, what's up guys, my name is Andrew Arbuckle (Arbookla to some). I am a third year Arts student here at the fantastic ST Mary's University. I've been involved with SMUSA for 3 great years as a Residence Rep, Gorsebrook staff, and frosh facilitator/leader. I have a great feel for the in's and out's of the association. My main focus is to enhance student life here at St Mary's. I want to find out the real issues facing students, increase student involvement with the Students' Association, and last but not least furthering and increasing the student services provided to all of us by the Students' Association. I, along with all the other members of SMUSA, will work our hardest if given the opportunity to bring these ideas and others to life. Feel free to contact me at [Andre.arbuckle@hotmail.com](mailto:Andre.arbuckle@hotmail.com)

*Paul Hickey*

Hi, my name is Paul Hickey, and I am running for President. I am a third year commerce student majoring in accounting. Since I have been here, I have worked for the students of Saint Mary's in several ways: I was a frosh leader, coordinator of a nationally known charity called meal exchange, currently sit on the fiscal advisory committee, and I am a commerce society executive coordinator. I volunteer on average 30 hours week for the students of Saint Mary's.

I plan to focus on important issues such as increased communication between SMUSA and students, lobbying the government for increased university subsidization, and increasing all inclusive events. Increased communication will be accomplished by mandatory executive office hours in the colonnade each week to discuss

student comments and concerns, as well as restructuring the website to include updated, useful information. Vote Paul Hickey for a better student life!

*Brian Kelly*

Hello fellow students of Saint Mary's University, my name is Brian Kelly and I am seeking your votes as President of SMUSA. I am currently enrolled in the Sobey School of Business majoring in Human Resources and Industrial Relations. I feel that I have the experience, currently holding office as the Commerce Rep on the SRC and an outgoing, cheerful personality that is best suited to lead you into the most important years of your life. As a current member of the SRC, I have a firm grasp on how SMUSA is governed and the time and effort, which I am willing to put forth, that goes into making our university community a better place for you to develop the skills and knowledge that you need to excel post-graduation. As President I will work my hardest to make the "best years of your life", truly the "best years of your life."

*Simon Partington*

"Leader": a person who motivates people to achieve more than the already established objectives of an organization. It's someone who doesn't give up until their goals are accomplished. I can honestly say that if elected President, I would have more energy and determination than anyone else to exceed your goals and expectations.

My current goal is a B.Comm. double majoring in Finance, Entrepreneurship and a certificate in HR. My studies in finance will help me to be knowledgeable with budget concerns and provide sound financial decisions. Entrepreneurship has improved my innovative abilities. I plan to

improve communication with students through means of a better website and the implementation of a radio station that broadcasts events. Also, I wish to form a lobby group of universities to fight tuition increases and to be able to vote on courses you want next year and to listen to comments students have about professors.

**VP EXTERNAL***Sukriti Arora*

Hi, I am Sukriti Arora, studying computer science and astrophysics. Having acted as VP Communications in my last university representing a student body of over 40,000, I realize Student Government plays an important role in University and I would like to be given an opportunity to address pressing issues from within the student council.

While in the office I would like to work on our current VP External's project of having more food services on campus catered by SMUSA. I would also like to start projects to put St Mary's name at an international level by working with international groups and scholarship societies to open new avenues for SMU students. Besides these projects, I will aim to help resolve the tuition fees issue in favor of the student body.

Vote for me and I assure you I will not let the student body down!

*Zach Churchill*

I am going into my third year of study here at Saint Mary's, I was Co-President of my high school in Yarmouth and am currently serving as the Residence Rep on this year's SRC. By virtue of this position I have sat on various university committees, which include both the Entertainment and Communications Committee. This has given me much needed experience with the workings and undertakings of the organization and an understanding of its functions. There are many issues that need to be addressed federally, provincially, and within our own university community. Through this office I will make sure these issues are addressed and will fight to ensure that our voices will be heard loud and clearly on all governmental fronts and that the needs and wants of Saint Mary's students are the priority at this University. If you wish to contact me, my email is [zachchurch480@hotmail.com](mailto:zachchurch480@hotmail.com)

*Chris Eweka*

The introduction of the UPASS this academic year motivated me to research the work SMUSA has been doing for students over the past few years, and compare it with the other

university student councils.

Filled with inspiration after my research, I became passionate about serving on the SMUSA council, and chose to run for the position of VP External Affairs and have since been preparing for the challenges of this position.

My priorities as VP External Affairs for the 2004-2005 year will be to:

1. Liaise with organizations outside SMU to increase pressure for a tuition freeze
2. Create a more informative web page about scholarships, internships and international exchange programs
3. Link the SMUSA book exchange with other book exchange initiatives at other universities
4. Bring more entertainment to the SMU campus
5. Expand the SMUSA volunteer base and liaise with the community organizations to match student volunteers with community organizations

Vote for me, to better your SMU experience.

*Ryan Foley*

"The future depends on what we do in the present"

The time to make a change is now! Stand up for the future of our university environment.

My major concerns:

1. Improve communication between SMUSA and students through a direct link between the two parties.
2. A province-wide university coalition to fight rising tuition and student fees.
3. Improve efficiency of:
  - Food on campus
  - Husky Patrol
  - Student Book Exchange
  - UPASS
4. Give students the option of using their meal cards at Sobey's.
5. Implement an on-campus radio station.

About Me:

- I have lived on and off campus
- For four years at SMU I have worked, volunteered, and participated through Resident Assistant, Security, intramurals, and social events.

VP External is on position, but it represents the entire student body. The students are the single most important part of this school. Let's do it together!

*Cristine Wright*

If elected Vice President External Affairs, I will work my hardest for each and every student. I will make it top priority to work hard with the surrounding Universities to tackle the issue of rising tuition rates.

I would also like to increase the services that are offered to students and to expand on the services that are in high demand to better meet the demands of the students. By increasing and

expanding services we will increase the opportunity for student employment.

And finally, I want students to feel that they can approach the Executive; with questions, comments or suggestions as to how they would like to see things improved and how we can work together to make sure has the most positive experience while attending Saint Mary's.

**VP INTERNAL***Paul Archer*

Hello fellow students. My name is Paul Archer (aka Archie) and I am running for VP Internal Affairs. I am confident with my abilities to lead SMUSA in a direction that can provide we, the students, with better services and new services. If elected into office, my main goal is to put SMUSA back in touch with the students of Saint Mary's and to find out what we can do for you. Some of my other goals include speaking, debating, and taking action with my fellow elected members to make sure your voice is heard. I will also help day to day operations improve as well as allocate resources to better meet your needs from SMUSA. I'm a student that wants to make your experience at Saint Mary's a great one. Vote Paul Archer for VP Internal Affairs, a person that cares about you.

*John-David Bridges*

His everyone, my name is J.D. Bridges and I am campaigning to be your Vice President Internal Affairs. I am a second year Political Science major from the Halifax area and I am very excited to have the chance to represent the students of Saint Mary's and give you a voice that will be heard. I will work for you to have more and more appealing events than ever. As well, I will strive to increase the communication between the Students' Association and you the student and take it to the next level so that you won't miss a thing all year. Let's together make the 2004/5 school year unforgettable. I hope you will give me the opportunity to make the time you spend here at Saint Mary's University truly memorable.

*Sarah Cunnian*

Hello, my name is Sarah Cunnian. I'm a fourth year double major in Criminology and Psychology, and a Human Resource Certificate student. My goals, if elected VP of Internal Affairs, are to first of all improve the communication between the societies and the general public. I also want to improve the food service options, especially for those who live off campus, who don't have a meal card and for those who have late classes. Being a student isn't a 9-5 job, there's

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survived the night. A flood of Tour t-shirts poured from the front door of the Pacifico, some students stumbled into cabs or stumbled home, but some brave soldiers had decided that the six stops on the tour were simply not enough. These few determined students made their way towards the Citadel, but not for the historical significance of Halifax's most well-known fort, but rather for what was at the bottom of the hill: The Palace. Myself, I chose to make the long, slow, cold walk home. It's not far from the Pacifico to my house,

but I was feeling the effects and had to think twice about where my house was when I last saw it.

In the end the tour was a great time and it was all in good fun. Everyone I saw did a great job representing the best school in the country. I can only speak for what I saw, but I don't think anyone got hurt, and I don't think anyone had to spend the night without his or her shoelaces in that cold gray room up on Gottigen Street. Lastly I have to send some respect to everyone who worked hard to organize a rip-roaring little party for the hard working students of Saint Mary's.

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a vast majority who have late night classes and nothing's worse than not having many food options at your disposal. Finally, I want to improve the communication between SMUSA and the general public; I believe that the students should be aware of what's going on in meetings and upcoming projects.

*Engin Demirel*

Hello my name is Engin Demirel and I am currently in my fourth year at SMU taking Computing Science/Business Administration. I am running for the VP Internal position and would like to contribute to the student body by improving and creating new communication channels for the student body. I am envisioning a SMUSA web portal that will be beneficial to the student body. In this portal I would like to create a resume database that will include SMU student's resumes for employers to view over the internet, a complex feedback system for professors, courses, textbooks, and course structures so that students can inform other students by giving their feedbacks and experiences. I will utilize current students from various programs in building this portal, and try to integrate the pieces of the project into the courses outlines so they can receive credit for their volunteer work and gain valuable experience.

*Will Harvey*

This year I am running for VP Internal. I plan to bring great change to Saint Mary's University. First I want to start with the campus social life. SMU does have a good social life, but no matter how good a social life is it can always be improved. My plan is to have an open door office because some students are troubled or in trouble and don't know where to go. So I can talk

with them and send them to who ever they need to see. I also want to work with the societies in having them known off campus, so they can get sponsored by businesses in the community, so they have equal amount of funding and all societies have the same opportunity to do the same things. I also plan to work with the societies and find alternatives to greater their membership.

*Adam Maher*

I grew up in Halifax, and was familiar with Saint Mary's at a young age. I knew in Junior High I wanted to go to SMU when I went to university. Mostly everyone seems to enjoy themselves at this school. Saint Mary's students take pride in attending this school; I have enjoyed my stay here thus far. I have been at Saint Mary's for four years. I am working towards my Bachelor of Arts degree, with an English major, and a history minor. I was a frosh leader in 2001 and 2002; in 2003 I was a frosh facilitator. I currently am the part-time rep on the SRC. I am also on the Presidential Planning Advisory Committee this semester. I know with my current experience and my ability to learn my role I can be a great asset to the SRC and SMU next year.

*Stephen Slaunwhite*

Hi, my name is Stephen Slaunwhite and I am a third year student in the Faculty of Commerce here at Saint Mary's University. For the last two years I have been involved in the fun and activities of Frosh Week being a frosh leader for one year and then taking the role as a frosh facilitator the following year. I have also been sighted on stage at the weekly Open Mic events on Wednesday nights. The main reason I am running is to become

a voice for the student population and to be able to voice the opinions of my fellow classmates. I also want to expand on the services which are provided to us by the Student's Association and to improve and build upon student life here at Saint Mary's University. If you have any questions feel free to contact me at steveslaunwhite@accesswave.ca.

*Adrienne Taylor*

We all want to be able to say that SMU is the best school ever. This is possible with a few improvements I want to make to student life:

First, entertainment on campus has to be HYPE, HOT and FUN! I want to make SMU the place to be. I will bring exciting events to campus such as Rockin' Bands, chances to win free prizes such as trips to Cancun on Pub night, XXX Hypnotists and the fresh sound of spinning DJ's.

Also, weekly WET/DRY events on campus are necessary to include our under-19 students in the exciting social life at SMU.

Important issues, such as ensuring a Health Insurance Plan with the best coverage for students, and the Metro U-Pass at the lowest possible price for students are also priorities of mine.

I'd love to hear what you want to see at SMU next year. Email me at adriennetaylor@hotmail.com

#### VP Academic

*Hurst Gannon*

#### WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU? ONLINE REVIEWS OF COURSE EVALUATIONS

I will complete Jon Kincade's quest for a more accurate and more effective course evaluation. I will post summaries of the evaluations on the SMUSA website, so students can not only

evaluate the course, but decide which professor best suits their needs.

#### AN EASY-TO-REACH PERSON WITHIN THE SMU STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION

I will provide my email and cell/office number to any student who wants it; 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

#### A SAINT MARY'S UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC FAIR

Rather than having only a few small Expos on Campus, I will push the University to provide funding to host a national Academic Conference - the first of its kind. This conference will encompass all facilities and societies in order to increase SMU's image in the academic community.

*Jeremy Hunter*

Hey! My name is Jeremy Hunter and I am running for VP Academic. I am in the Commerce program and doing a double major in Marketing and Human Resource Management with a minor in Psychology. I have lived in residence for four years and have been an RA for the last two years. I am involved with university activities such as the intramural program and the Commerce Society.

Why vote for me? While living in residence and being an RA, I have developed excellent listening and problem-solving skills, which would be an asset to this position. I am already aware of some concerns that students have and am serious about addressing these questions and concerns. One main goal of SMUSA is to be a voice for the students and I would take this position very seriously for the best interest of each and every student. Make your opinion count!

*Kathleen Lingley*

Hello voters! I'm pleased to be

running for VP Academic. For the past two years I have been the Arts Rep on council-this experience has introduced me to University committees (including Senate), the council structure, countless SMUSA committees, and the office of VP Academic.

I have a firm understanding of the duties and parameters of the VP Academic's office and a clear idea of how it should further develop. I want to empower more students in their academic lives at SMU. I have both the skills and experience to build on the current portfolio of the VPA office and the dedication to see new projects through.

If you want to talk to me about students' safety issues, academic programming, and other student issues please contact me at [kathleenlingley@yahoo.ca](mailto:kathleenlingley@yahoo.ca) or stop me in the hallway to chat!

Vote Lingley on February 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>!

*Ian Smith*

After being scared by Chris Richards, current VP External, and his stories of the incredible amount of work that goes into his job, I must admit I was apprehensive about running for any VP position because I did not want my academics to suffer. When I talked with Jonathan Kincade, current VP Academic, he was so passionate about his position that he left no doubt in my mind that his position was the one for me. Above all, I am a good listener, something that this position requires. I want students to feel free to come and talk to me if they have a problem. I also want to make this position well known in the SMU community. Because this position is fairly new, I want to educate the students on what VP Academic really does. At the end of the day, I am the right man for the job because I want to do what is best for the students. Thank you.

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# Sports

## Shuffled deck

### Carvery big for SMU

by Steve Clow

Head coach Ross Quackenbush didn't have much to say to his team after they dropped two straight home games to division rivals two weekends ago to fall to third in the tight Nelson Division, but that's because he didn't have to. Star forward and team captain Gabe Goree stood up and called out his teammates, looking to get all hands on deck as the Huskies are in the thick of a very intense playoff race. Whatever he said seemed to work as the Huskies got two momentum building victories this past weekend against division rival UCCB. SMU trailed the second place Capers heading into the weekend set, but managed to sweep the Sydney to school to leap frog them into the much desired second position.

Nelson Carvery answered the bell Saturday night as he poured in a game high 27 points for the Huskies, who were in desperate need of a home victory. The dynamic wingman was everywhere in that game and finished with seven rebounds and six assists to compliment his scoring performance. Goree made sure to lead by example as his line of 21 points, six rebounds and five assists were vital in the Huskies posting the 83-80 victory. Starting center Ben McCarthy was tossed from the contest and given a one game automatic suspension after he

picked up two technical fouls arguing the calls of the officials. The win pushed the Huskies to 6-5 and dropped the Capers to 7-5 going into Sunday's contest.

Sunday's match up had the feel of a playoff game, as neither squad wanted to give up any room in the standings. The Capers played the most intense defense of any AUS team and it slowed the game to a crawl early on, evident from the 33-24 SMU lead at half. The Huskies looked in control, but allowed the Capers to climb back within striking distance as the team from the Cape went on a 5-0 run to open the second half. They eventually pulled to within one point of the Huskies only to be pushed back by an 8-0 run by the Huskies that was capped by a Mark Ross 18 foot jumper to put SMU up by nine with eight minutes to play. The Capers came with the pressure defense and managed to capitalize on SMU turnovers to get back within two points. Capers coach Jim Charters was hoping to get the fifth foul called on Goree when Edilson Baradas made a tough lay up in traffic, but didn't get the call. Charters blew up and it cost his team a point as Carvery connected on one of two free throws. Then the real fun began. With SMU up two and thirty seconds to play the

Capers drew up a three point option play that resulted in Ryan Kelliher missing the attempt from long distance. The ball landed right in Baradas' lap and he put it back to tie the game. SMU had one last chance to seal the deal but Carvery was called for a charge with just four seconds to play. Overtime had much of the same excitement as the two teams battled to the final second. Carvery became the hero when he caught Goree's kick out pass and nailed a three pointer from the wing with just fifty two seconds to play to put his Huskies up three. The deal was sealed when Carvery coralled the UCCB rebound at the defensive end. Carvery was huge in the much needed victory as he lead all scorers with 27 points, while super sub Dean Jones added thirteen after finishing the first half with ten. Goree did what the team needed of him to win by hauling in 13 rebounds, handing out 11 assists and only scoring eight. The win puts the Huskies (7-5) a half game up on the Capers (7-6) for second in the Nelson Division. SMU trails the division leading Varsity Reds (8-4) by one game. The Huskies still have three games remaining in their homestand, but will be out of action until next Tuesday when they host Dalhousie.

## Back from Break

by Bill Hughes

The Saint Mary's Huskies women's volleyball team returned

in fine fashion after a twenty day layoff in fine fashion by knocking off the

20, and 25-19 for the road win in Charlottetown. The win was spearheaded by Caroline MacFarlane who recorded ten kills and ten digs. SMU setter Pam Rogers banked 31 assists

New Brunswick Varsity Reds in a quick and painless straight sets victory. The Reds came in hot, having won three straight, including a five set victory over the mighty Acadia Axewomen on January 25th, but ran into a brick wall in the form of the Saint Mary's juggernaut.

The Husky attack was led by Caroline MacFarlane who finished with nine kills to compliment her fourteen digs and Alex Quinn who added another nine kills in the win.

The victory pushes the Huskies record to 9-3, including three straight wins, and sets up Saturday afternoon's first place match up versus the 12-2 Acadia Axewomen at the Tower. The Huskies hope to be leading the conference standings as they welcome the St. FX X-Women (3-9) the following evening for a 7pm Start.

to compliment her three kills and three aces.

The Huskies returned to the court for the second of back to back games and defeated the University of



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University of Prince Edward Island in four sets. The Huskies dropped the opening set 25-19 to the Panthers but rebounded to take three straight by scores of 25-20, 25-

## Nill staying put

by Steve Clow

The Saint Mary's athletic department made sure to lock up the most integral part of their envied football program this past week. It was announced a week ago Wednesday that head coach Blake Nill would be running the gridiron Huskies for at least another half decade. Nill, who has made a home for himself and his family in the Halifax area, turned the team around from a 1-7 record the year before he took the helm to a Vanier Cup berth in 199. Nill's tenure was highlighted by a perfect season culminating in a 42-16 drubbing of the Manitoba Bison in the Vanier Cup of 2001. The 1999 National Coach of the Year gave the south end campus the distinction of being only one of three schools to ever to win back to back Vanier Cups when he orchestrated the Huskies 33-21 defeat of the Saskatchewan Huskies at the Skydome in 2002. Under Nill's guidance, the program has won five straight AUFC titles and competed in a record three straight Vanier Cups. Negotiations have been ongoing since late November, just after Nill and the Huskies returned from their third straight trip to Toronto. The four-time AUFC Coach of the Year has been rumored for many vacant coaching spots, both amateur and professional, around the

country but chose to stay put after he and athletic director David Murphy were able to agree on the terms of the deal. In hiring Nill, Murphy and the school have made a commitment to excellence as their choice for head coach will undoubtedly continue to recruit heavily and get the most out of his players. The Huskies have become the beasts of the east under Nill's tutelage and have been major powers on the National scene each year. Each of the past five years, the Huskies have been the clear cut favorite to win the AUFC and in three of those years the Huskies have begun their campaign as the nation's number one ranked team.

Now that Nill has signed on the dotted line, Murphy will now turn his attention to locking up the mastermind of the Huskies offense, Steve Sumarah. The offensive coordinator has also been mentioned for a couple of coaching opportunities around the nation, but has publicly expressed his loyalty to the school and coach Nill. Under Sumarah the Huskies offense has been one of the most potent ever assembled, amassing over 40 points in 26 of their games and over 50 points in 16 of those games. SMU also holds the record for most lopsided winning margin when they defeated the Mount Allison Mounties 105-0 in 2001.



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# Depleted bench

## Huskies eye first place

by Bill Hughes

The Saint Mary's Huskies men's Hockey team added to their streak before hitting a road block in a first place match up this past weekend.

The Huskies opened the week on Friday night when they welcomed the University of Moncton to the Halifax Forum. The Huskies played well in a tough game that saw them escape with a 5-2 win over les Aigles Bleus. The win did not come easily for the Huskies as the game was still tied early in the third period, before SMU opened the flood gates with three quick goals to ensure the win.

The Husky production came from SMU's top scorers as Keith Delaney and Aaron VanLeusen each chipped in with a goal and two assists, in combination with a goal and an assist from Kurt MacSweyn and a two assist performance from Brad Self. The other goals went to Brad Mactavish and Lindsay Plunkett. Nick Foley recorded the victory in

goal.

The victory set up a first place game against the visiting University of New Brunswick Varsity Reds. Neither club showed any signs of fatigue as they battled hard from the opening whistle on Saturday night, although both teams were playing in their second game in as many nights. Unfortunately the only offence that SMU was able to generate on this evening was a goal from Keith Delaney, to which UNB responded with four unanswered goals to remain atop the standings with a 4-1 victory. The Varsity Reds' goals came from Michael Dombkiewicz and Troy Stonier who each added an assist, plus Denny Johnson and finally Colin Sinclair, on a shorthanded breakaway to put the game out of reach in the dying minutes.

UNB dictated play in the neutral zone, as the fast skating Varsity Reds used their speed to score in

transition, rather than contend with play in the corners against the bigger SMU club. The larger Forum ice may explain why the Huskies are having more success on the road, as they are better suited in the corners than in the open ice. The Huskies home record is moved to 6-5-2 on the season.

Player of the game and backstop Reg Bourcier outplayed Nick Foley in goal, which was the difference. Foley's play was average, while Bourcier got some help from the post and made multiple big saves to keep the SMU snipers at bay and quashed any hopes of a comeback. Saint Mary's outshot UNB 31-20 and were stoned on the doorstep repeatedly in the third. Bourcier showed exactly why he will be considered among the favourites for MVP, as he is the best goaltender in the AUHC.

The Huskies now sit alone in third place behind both

UNB and St. FX and prepare to return to the ice tonight, when they travel to Wolfville to take on the Axemen at 7:30pm. The Huskies will look to avenge a 6-1 home ice blowout at the hands of the

Axemen only two weeks ago. Following the game against Acadia, the Huskies travel to Antigonish on Saturday night for a 7pm start, to open the first game of a home and home against the X-Men.

# Huskies earn point

by Bill Hughes

The Saint Mary's Huskies women's Hockey team suffered the same fate as the Carolina Panthers this past Super Bowl Sunday by coming close, but not coming up with the win they needed.

Their four-four tie against the University of New Brunswick Varsity Reds pushed their point total to nineteen, but was a setback in securing one of the two coveted spots that would assure them a first round bye in the AUHC playoffs.

The morning Sunday affair was a seesaw battle throughout as the teams traded goals enroute to the tie. SMU's goal scorers were Trula Seaward with a pair, and Clara Gaudet and Lindsay Taylor who registered singles. Responding for the Varsity Reds was Sarah Axler, Meghan Ward, Lori MacFarlane and Lisa Dumaresq.

The setback looms large at a crucial time in the season, because SMU will now have to try and recoup that point against the undefeated St. FX X-Women. The tie has the Huskies running the risk of loosing the bye, as the Dalhousie Tigers try and hunt them down in the standings, while having a favourable schedule to do so.

Holding a game in hand, the Tigers now trail the Huskies by only three points

in the standings, and have no games remaining against the top tier clubs. They have the luxury of facing off against St. Thomas, Mount Allison and UPEI, while the Huskies have

2pm at Alumni Arena. The Huskies will renew hostilities with the St. Thomas Tommies in their regular season finale on Valentine's Day at 3pm.



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to contend with the first place St. FX and St. Thomas in the final two regular season games. On a positive note, the Huskies pushed their undefeated home record to 4 - 0 - 1 underlining the importance of the bye and the right to host a home game in the semi-finals.

The battle against the X-Women comes next Sunday

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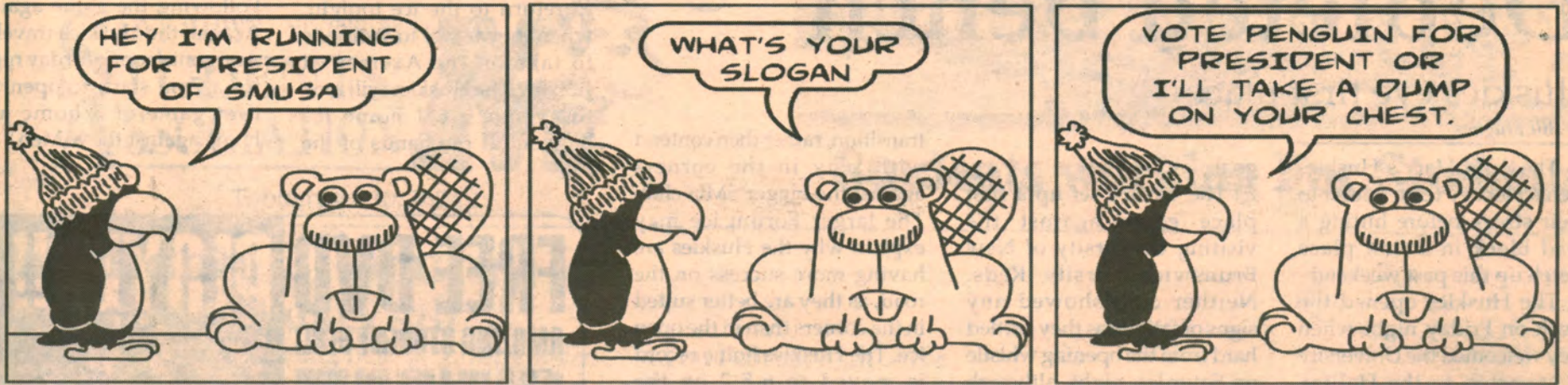


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