

## COLLEGIATE STUDENTS ARE TOPS IN MATH

Three University of Winnipeg Collegiate students took the top prizes at the 25th annual Manitoba Mathematical Contest for Grade 12 students. Hong Qing Tang received the first prize of \$150 while second prizes of \$120 each were awarded to Kyle Chan and Kai Xu.

Another Collegiate student, Hang Cheun Siu, captured eighth place and a \$60 district prize. A total of 13 students from the Collegiate placed in the top 100.

The purpose of the Manitoba Mathematical Contest is to encourage student interest in mathematics and mathematical careers and to discover those with unusual talent in the field.

A total of 362 students representing 56 high schools in the province participated in the contest. The Actuaries' Club of Winnipeg was the major sponsor with additional funds provided by the Canadian Mathematical Society, the Manitoba Association of Mathematics Teachers and the University of Manitoba.

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## BOARD APPROVES NEW SMOKING POLICY

The Board of Regents, following advice from the Workplace Safety and Health Committee, has approved a policy on smoking on University premises. Phase I of the new policy is now in effect.

Based on input from members of the University community, the Workplace Safety and Health Committee made some modifications to Phase II of the original draft published in the April 20 issue of *In Edition*. This phase, effective Sept. 1, 1990, will be somewhat less restrictive than first planned. While most of the campus will become totally smoke-free on this date, the University has agreed to designate two smoking areas.

**The following is the entire policy on smoking on University premises:**

**Title:** Smoking on University Premises

**Effective Date:** Phase I, Sept. 1, 1989

Phase II, Sept. 1, 1990

**Authority:** The Board of Regents on the recommendation of the Workplace Safety and Health Committee

### Purpose

The University recognizes that no individual has the right to pollute the air of others with any substance known to be hazardous to health. Exposure to smoke is a health hazard and all persons on the University's campus, whether students, staff or visitors, have the right to breathe clean indoor air.

### Scope

The restrictions and guidelines outlined herein apply to all University employees, students and visitors to the campus.

### Responsibility

Every University employee and student is responsible for ensuring compliance with this policy. Smokers are expected to show courtesy toward and consideration for others.

### Restrictions

#### Phase I - Effective Sept. 1, 1989

(1) Smoking is prohibited in the following areas, buildings and portions of buildings at the University including space rented or leased by the University:

(a) All classrooms, seminar rooms, lecture theatres, studios, laboratories, study areas, libraries and reading rooms.

(b) All conference rooms and meeting rooms, unless those present agree unanimously that smoking will be allowed.

(c) All public reception areas. A public reception area is defined as any area used for the receiving and greeting of the public, students, employees or patients. This would include the reception areas of gen-

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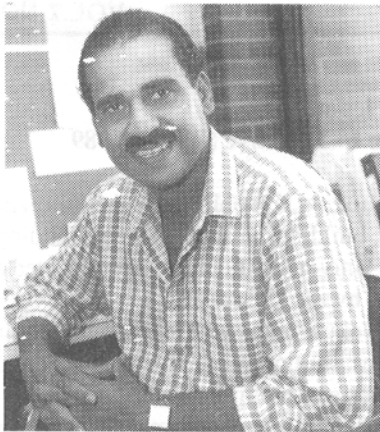


Thanks to Glen Einarson and the rest of the Physical Plant staff, the well-kept grounds of The University of Winnipeg were, like usual, the envy of Portage Avenue this summer.

## AHMED GOMMID PRESIDENT

As President of the University of Winnipeg Students' Association, Ahmed Gommid is the students' representative and voice to the University and to provincial and federal governments. He serves on the University Board of Regents and Senate as well as on the U.W.S.A. Board of Directors and numerous committees.

Gommid is a third-year student in Applied Math and Business Computing. He has served as International Student Director with the U.W.S.A. and last year, he was elected Vice-President Academic.



Ahmed Gommid is the new President of the University of Winnipeg Students' Association.

## CHRIS FERRIS VICE-PRESIDENT STUDENT SERVICES

Chris Ferris, Vice-President (Student Services), takes the role of liaison between the students and the many U.W.S.A. service groups. The service groups that the Association operates are CKUW Radio, Daycare, Mature Students' Centre, Photo Club, The *Uniter* newspaper and the Women's Centre.

This year there is an addition to the service groups. For the first time, the Psychology Students' Association will be offering their services to all students on campus, sponsored by the U.W.S.A. The Psychology Students' Association offers a series of speakers, drop-in lounge facilities, and hosts and sends students to psychology conferences.

## ZANNA JOYCE VICE-PRESIDENT EXTERNAL

The Vice-President External is the U.W.S.A.'s liaison with the world outside the University. This year Zanna Joyce is responsible for maintaining contact with student councils at other universities, with the Canadian Federation of Students and with various levels of government which fund post-secondary institutions.

Joyce sits on the Student Aid Advisory Committee, Youth and Employment Committee, President's Budget Advisory Committee as well as the University Senate.

She is taking leave from her studies in Administrative Studies and Economics to fulfill this mandate.

## KYLE BRIGGS VICE-PRESIDENT ACADEMIC

As the new Vice-President Academic of the Students' Association, Kyle Briggs' responsibilities are to help his fellow students attain their academic potential. By representing the student body on a number of panels and committees, he hopes to get to know many members of the University's administration and faculty.

Briggs will also participate in several U.W.S.A. organizations and manage the tutoring pool, course evaluations, and the department and class representative systems.

### *SMOKING continued from pge.1*

eral faculty or departmental offices, student organization offices and administrative offices.

- (d) All elevators and escalators.
- (e) The Bookstore.
- (f) All day care centres.
- (g) All service lines - e.g. registration.
- (h) All athletic and recreational facilities.
- (i) Shared offices or work areas in which one of the occupants so requests.
- (j) All workshops in which flammable materials are used or stored.

(2) Tobacco products will not be sold on campus.

(3) No smoking signs will be posted in appropriate areas.

(4) Smoking shall be restricted to areas so designated in University cafeterias, food service areas and employee and/or student lounges.

(5) Private offices may be designated no smoking areas by the occupant.



### **Phase II - Effective Sept. 1, 1990**

(1) The University of Winnipeg shall designate two smoking areas on campus. Such areas will have ventilation systems which prevent others from being exposed to second-hand smoke. With the exception of these limited designated smoking areas, all buildings of the University, including private offices and space rented or leased by the University, shall become totally smoke-free.

(2) The University recognizes the need for education in this matter and endorses the concept of supporting employees and students who smoke and who are willing to participate in smoking cessation programs.

(3) All newly appointed employees shall be advised of the existence of this policy.

(4) Statements indicating that the University is a limited smoking environment shall be placed in all University publications intended for students (e.g. the Admissions Handbook, the University Calendar, etc.).

(5) The long-term goal is that The University of Winnipeg is to become a totally smoke-free environment.

If you have any questions about the new smoking policy, please call Steve Coppinger, Associate Vice-President (Admin.), at 786-9217.

## UNIVERSITY STUDENT WINS TERRY FOX AWARD

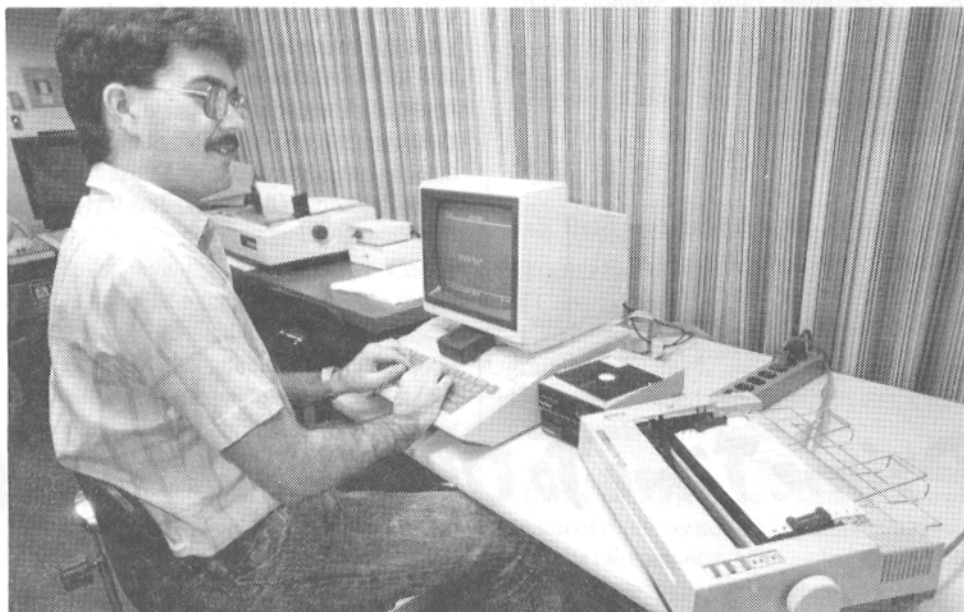
Jim Butler, a legally blind student at The University of Winnipeg, has been recently recognized with a Terry Fox Humanitarian Award scholarship. Butler was one of 44 students selected from over 750 applications from across Canada.

The purpose of the award, worth \$4,000 annually for a maximum of four years, is to encourage Canadian youth to seek the high ideals represented by Terry Fox and his marathon of hope through the pursuit of higher education.

Butler is an active and articulate advocate for all students with special needs.

He has contributed significantly to our campus. This year he was employed as the summer coordinator in the Nathan Micay Learning Resource Centre at The University of Winnipeg, where he taught students with special needs to use computer hardware and software that will assist them in their studies at the University. He is currently organizing a Manitoba chapter of the national association of disabled students.

Butler is in his final year of a three-year B.A. in History and expects to graduate in the spring of 1990. He intends to apply for admission to medical school at McGill University.



*Jim Butler: advocate for students with special needs.*

## SSHRC RESEARCH GRANTS

The Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council has announced the results of its research awards competition for 1989.

The council provides grants in several areas to support research at the universities. The Research Grants program forms the core of the SSHRC granting program and enables researchers to employ assistants, travel to archives, and to purchase equipment and services. In addition, the council provides release time stipends for researchers.

In the recent competition, the following members of The University of Winnipeg faculty were awarded research grants (release time stipends are indicated by an asterisk):

### NEW GRANTS

NAME	DEPARTMENT
D.G. Burley	History
E.L. Forget	Economics
C. Leo	Political Science
H.M. Lips	Psychology
W.J. McDermott	History
C. Meiklejohn	Anthropology
J. Richtik/W. Bell	Geography
D.N. Walton	Philosophy

### CONTINUING FROM 1988-89

NAME	DEPARTMENT
R.H. Broughton	Psychology
B.C. Daniels	History

In addition to these awards, two other applications were judged of sufficient merit to be recommended for funding but were placed on a reversion list due to insufficient funds.

DURATION	AMOUNT
4 yrs.	\$35,317*
1 yr.	\$6,876
2 yrs.	\$15,968*
1 yr.	\$13,900
1 yr.	\$7,500
2 yrs.	\$24,671
1 yr.	\$19,208
2 yrs.	\$31,264*

DURATION	AMOUNT
3 yrs.	\$63,958
2 yrs.	\$14,102

In total, 16 applications were submitted to the SSHRC. The success rate at The University of Winnipeg was slightly above the national average.



## UNIVERSITY PUBLISHES FIRST POLICY MANUAL

The University of Winnipeg issued the first edition of its Administrative Policy Manual in June of this year.

The main purpose of this manual is three-fold: to provide a uniform method of publishing all authorized University policies and procedures; to make these policies and procedures known to employees of the University; and to provide a readily accessible reference to these policies and procedures.

The manual will be continually updated as existing policies are transposed into the new standardized format and as new policies are developed and approved. A copy of the most recent table of contents from the manual will be published annually in September.

There are currently 39 copies of the Administrative Policy Manual in a variety of locations around the University. The number of manuals has been kept as small as possible in an attempt to ensure that every copy is updated regularly and remains both current and useful.

Most department heads were provided with a manual for the use of all employees in that department. In addition, there are several copies available for general reference in key locations on campus: Office of the Dean of Arts and Science, Collegiate Office, Employee Relations Office, Library, and Recreation and Athletics Office.

The first edition of the manual contains a table of contents, a users' guide to the manual, the Order-in-Council which recognizes The University of Winnipeg, the University's by-laws, a distribution list and the following policies:

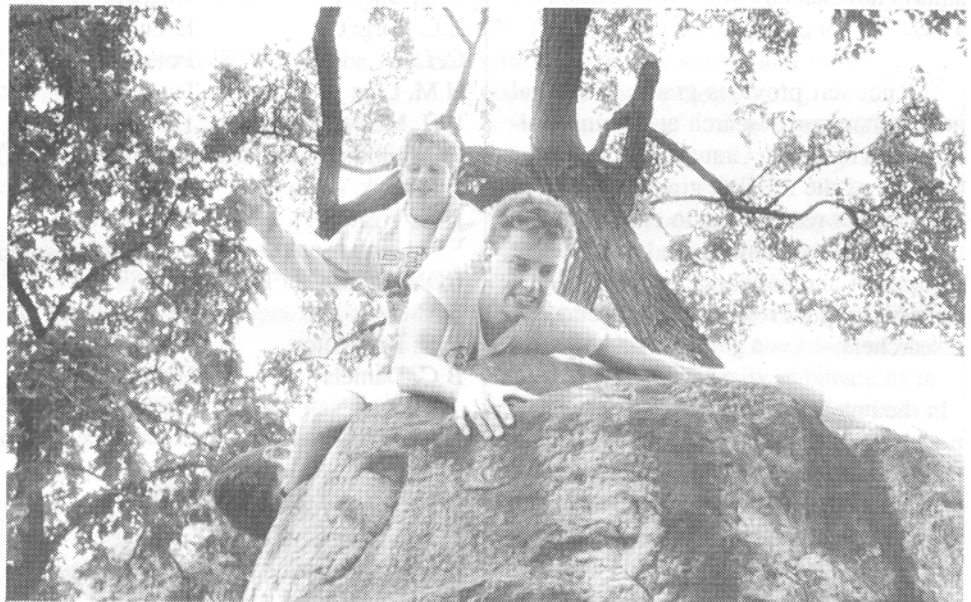
- A-1 Absences from Work for Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units
- C-1 Conflict of Interest
- D-1 Discipline and Dismissal of Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units
- E-1 Employee Donations for Research
- E-2 Employment Policy for Support Staff
- E-3 Equipment Inventory Policy
- G-1 Grievance Procedure for Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units
- M-1 Maternity Leave for Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units

- P-1 Paid Holidays for Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units
- P-2 Personnel Files - Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units
- P-3 Purchasing Policy
- R-1 Reduced Appointments for Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units
- R-2 Reimbursement for Student Expenditures
- S-1 Sick Leave for Support Staff Excluded from Bargaining Units
- S-2 Signs
- S-3 Smoking on University Premises
- W-1 Workers Working Alone

The Office of the Vice-President (Admin.) is responsible for the creation, editing and ongoing review of all current and proposed policies, for the coordination of new and revised policies for insertion in the manual, for ensuring the uniformity of the structure of each policy, and for updating the table of contents. Questions, comments or suggestions pertaining to the Administrative Policy Manual should be directed to Lynn Jones, Assistant to the Vice-President (Admin.), 786-9218.

## Prime Time To Open Your Mind

**NATIONAL UNIVERSITIES' WEEK**  
**SEMAINE NATIONALE DES UNIVERSITÉS**  
october 14 to 22      du 14 au 22 octobre



*The University of Winnipeg's 18th Annual Rock Climb will take place on Mon., Sept. 18 at 12:30 p.m. on the front lawn of the campus. In teams of three, students, faculty, staff and alumni will test their climbing skills as they attempt to scale the 25-ton Centennial rock in a race against time. Last year's winners are shown here.*

## ATHLETIC CENTRE WINS DESIGN AWARD

The University of Winnipeg Athletic Centre received the 1989 Manitoba Parks and Recreation Association Special Achievement Award for Facility Design Excellence. Monica Wood, Coordinator of the Athletic Centre's Community Access Program, accepted the award last June.

Former University President Robin Farquhar said that the award brings well-deserved credit to Athletic Centre personnel as well as to the facility itself.

"We believe that our Athletic Centre meets a level of excellence suitable to our University," he said. "We are particularly proud of the physical appearance of the building, the equipment within it, the personnel who operate it, the quality of recreational programming it accommodates, and the unique and highly successful Community Access Program which we offer as an accomplishment worth emulating by any institution that aspires to become a truly urban University."

The Athletic Centre features a double sized combative room/auxiliary gym, nautilus equipment, racquetball and squash courts, a three-court gymnasium and a 167-metre banked jogging track. The centre is open for membership to University students, employees and alumni. Members of the public may purchase passes to use the weight room or jogging track.

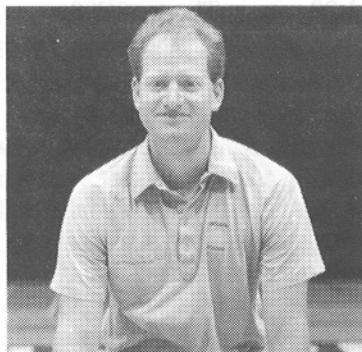
The Community Access Program offers space in the Athletic Centre free of charge to recognized inner city and special needs community groups, agencies and institutions, who can provide supervision, training and development to the participants, plus meet established criteria.

## CAMPUS NOTEBOOK

- The University of Winnipeg welcomes two distinguished lecturers to campus this fall - **Ilya Gerol**, Foreign Affairs Editor of the Ottawa Citizen, and the Right Honourable **Edward Schreyer**, former Premier of Manitoba and Governor General of Canada. Gerol will teach "Contemporary Soviet Union" and "Regional Basis of Conflict." Schreyer will teach a full-course in the "Geography of the U.S.S.R."

- **Doug Reimer** is the new coach of the Lady Wesmen volleyball team. He takes over the position from Mike Burchuk, who left after last season to become head coach of Canada's national team. Reimer, born in Winnipeg, coached the women's program at the University of Victoria and in 1987 was selected to coach the Saskatchewan Canada Games team.

- **Larry McKay** has been named the new coach of the Wesmen volleyball team. For the past two seasons, McKay has served as assistant coach for the University of Manitoba Bisons. Last year he was named the Manitoba high school coach of the year by the Manitoba Volleyball Coaches Association.



*Larry McKay: new coach of Wesmen volleyball team.*

McKay replaces **David Unruh**, who resigned this summer. Since he started with the Wesmen in 1982, Unruh has led the men's volleyball team to two Canadian Inter-university Athletic Conference titles.

Known for his sensitive and supportive style of coaching, Unruh has successfully coached seven players to the national team programs. He was named C.I.A.U. coach of the year in 1986 and the Great Plains Athletic Conference coach of the year in 1983, 1984 and 1986.

- **Burke Toews**, the fifth year point guard on the Wesmen basketball team, has returned from a triumphant 20 game tour of the Philippines with the Athletes in Action basketball team.

Toews, the only Canadian on the squad, led the team in scoring with a 21.8 points per game average. Based in Quezon City, the team played many of the top club and university teams as well as the national squad. They finished with a 19 win, 1 loss record.

- **Leo LeTourneau** has been appointed Executive Director of the Universities Grants Commission. LeTourneau brings to the position 18 years experience in education as a teacher, school principal, education consultant, university professor and most recently, Director of the Planning and Research Branch in the Manitoba Education and Training Department.

- Two University of Winnipeg students, **Alanna Ulicki** and **Brian Finch**, have been appointed to one-year teaching positions offered through the France-Canada Exchange Programme. The competition for positions in this programme is held annually in April.

Ulicki and Finch will travel to France later this month to teach English-as-a-second-language to French junior high school students. Part of their mandate is also to present Canadian civilization and literature in some of their classes.

Finch majored in French this year and is keen to pursue his interests in languages and translation. Ulicki, a double major in Sociology and French since 1988, now holds a B.A. (Hons.) in French. She plans to continue studying for a Master degree upon her return from France.

- **Sohrab Abizadeh**, Economics, and **Alexander Basilevsky**, Statistics, presented the paper "How to Measure the Size of Government" at the Canadian Economic Association meetings in Quebec City on June 2.

## COMING EVENTS

**Tues., Sept. 12**

- Student Orientation '89: Wake Up and Smell the 90's begins with a U.W.S.A. Tea and Information Lounge 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. outside Riddell Hall.

**Wed., Sept. 13**

- Student Orientation '89 continues with the U.W.S.A Tea and Information Lounge 10 a.m. to 12 noon outside Riddell Hall. The official Opening Ceremonies will be held at 12:30 p.m. and comedian Bruce Clark will perform at 1 p.m.

**Thurs., Sept. 14**

- Student Orientation '89 - Magician Steve Webb will be on hand 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Riddell Hall.

**Fri., Sept. 15**

- Student Orientation '89 - BBQ and Games, 12 noon to 4 p.m. in the Quad Area and a Beer Bash with "Jr. Gone Wild" from 4 to 9 p.m. in Riddell Hall.

**Mon., Sept. 18**

- Student Orientation '89 - Live Morning Broadcast with 92 CITIFM "Boom Box" 6 to 10 a.m. outside Riddell Hall and Simon Sez Tournament at 12:30 p.m. in the 4th floor Buffeteria.

- 18th Annual Rock Climb at 12:30 p.m. in front of Wesley Hall.

**Tues., Sept. 19**

- Student Orientation '89 - Psychic Fair featuring cards, tarot, palm and psychometry from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the 4th floor Buffeteria. Readings are free.

**Wed., Sept. 20**

- Student Orientation '89 - Nooner featuring comedian Marty Putz at 12:30 p.m. in Riddell Hall.

**Thurs., Sept. 21**

- Student Orientation '89 - Fashion/Anti-Fashion Show at 12:30 p.m. in Riddell Hall. Clothes courtesy of Blue Moon Emporium and Gilded Lily. Chess Tournament at 11:30 a.m. U.W.S.A vs. University Administration Softball Game at 4 p.m. in Omands Creek Park.

**Fri., Sept. 22**

- The Bureaucratic Olympics will be begin at 12 noon in the Athletic Centre.

- Alice Artzt, classical guitarist, will perform 12:30 - 1:20 p.m. in Theatre 3C00.

- Herman E. Daly, Senior Economist at the Environmental Department of the World Bank, will speak on "Sustainable Development: From Concept and Theory Towards Operational Principles" 2:30 - 4 p.m. in Room 3C01. Sponsored by the Economics Department, Institute of Urban Studies, Environmental Studies Program and Philosophy Department.

- Student Orientation '89 - Tug-O-War, UWSA vs. UMSU in the Green Goop Pit-O-Doom at 12:30 p.m. in the Quad Area. Orientation Wrap-up Social with "The Service" from 8 to 1 p.m. in Riddell Hall.

**Mon., Sept. 25 - Fri., Oct. 20**

- Etchings by Carlos Martins will be on exhibit in Gallery 1C03. Hours from Sept. 25 to Oct. 6: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.; Sat., 1 - 4 p.m. From Oct. 9 to 20: Mon.-Fri., 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.; Sat., 1 - 4 p.m.

**Mon., Sept. 25**

- Peter Vinograde, pianist, will perform 12:30 - 1:20 p.m. in Theatre 3C00.

## RELATE TO US

The University Relations Department wants to help you spread the word on University happenings and accomplishments.

### All you have to do is

- ask us to publicize your events
- tell us your latest accomplishments
- give us news about your research and community activities
- call us with your story ideas on people, research, issues and innovations

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