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York sets res. budget

Julie Ireton

Once again the university administration has set its budget for the 1991-92 school year. Many students who already know the facts have started a protest movement. Whether you are in residence or not you should be concerned. When the administration increases fees or cuts services, no matter what area of the university is affected, all students are needed to take part in a protest. Read through the following facts and form your own opinion. Then act!

The facts are:

- university is increasing residence fees and eliminating services (most important loss is that of the vital security services of Night Porters)
- university is in debt due to new multi-million dollar residence buildings at Keele Campus; construction of which went over budget

(Glendon, of course, does not benefit from any new buildings on the Keele campus)

- increases will mean an 8% price hike on single rooms and a 28% increase on double and single rooms (single room price parity will also come into effect next year)
- kitchen plan will have a kitchen charge of \$500.00, a cafeteria user fee of \$200.00, and scrip charge of \$800.00. This means a total of \$1500.00, compared to this year's total of \$650.00 for services (including \$500.00 for scrip)
- sanitary conditions will worsen as regular pest control will be eliminated and one cleaner position has also been eliminated
- if fees are not competitive with those in Quebec, Glendon will not attract francophone students and



Photo: Frédéric Tremblay
Night Portering is one of the several services that are to be eliminated by the 1991-92 resident Budgets.

- anglophone students will go to Quebec where tuition and housing is cheaper
- Glendon's future is in jeopardy if the budget increases stand and the students do nothing to show their discontent

Maintenant que vous en connaissez les faits...voici quelques suggestions que vous pourriez utiliser en guise de protestation:

- Si vous êtes dépassés... les professeurs peuvent avoir beaucoup d'influence! Parlez à vos professeurs en personne

et encouragez-les à prendre une position, auprès de leur conseil de faculté, contre ces augmentations.

Si vous êtes éternés...
- soyez attentif aux renseignements à venir à propos de la protestation au Conseil des Gouverneurs le 25 mars (à Glendon), et celle à Queen's Park. Participez-y en grand nombre.

Si vous êtes enrégés...
- assurez-vous que tout le monde connaisse les faits; que chaque résident de votre maison participe aux protestations, et que tout le monde que vous connaissez ait envoyé au moins une lettre à M. W. D. Farr et une au conseil des gouverneurs.*

Si vous êtes super, extra, maxi-enrégés...
- téléphonez, ou encore écrivez une lettre à votre député provincial ou fédéral

Cafeteria increases

Julie Ireton

Along with the Residence Budget of 1991-92, Glendon's catering service, Restauronics, has sent out a list of proposed price hikes for food in the coming year. Since prices are proposed to go up for items which are the most popular and the most healthy, students are extremely angry. Students from both residences as well as those off campus, are planning to attend the next Food Services Committee on March 26 at 5pm in the cafeteria. They are going to let the representatives from the Business Office and Restauronics know that students will not stand for more increases. Examples of the next year's proposed increases are:

	1990-91	Proposed 1991-92	% of change
Deli Bar Sandwiches small	\$3.60	\$4.25	18.1
large	7.50	8.95	11.1
Salad Bar (1/2 lb ground)	0.98	1.19	22.2
Soup	1.00	1.25	25.0
Fruit (4 pieces)	0.75	0.89	18.7
Bagel and Cream Cheese	1.35	1.75	29.6
French Fries	1.49	1.89	27.5
Milk	0.79	0.99	25.3
Western Omelette	2.00	2.75	37.5
Muffin	0.90	0.95	5.6

Nursery layoffs

Kate Quinn

The Glendon Day Nursery is facing a time of change. Normally the daycare centre has a waiting list for spaces for new children. This year, however, there are only twelve children enrolled, normally there are sixteen. Unfortunately, because of the empty spaces, the centre is going to have to let go one of the full-time staff. They are hoping that this will only be a temporary measure. The recession and the fact that Glendon is hiring fewer new, young staff and faculty are two of the reasons for declining enrollment with the Nursery. Another, is that full-time daycare is more than many students need or can afford for their children. In an effort to serve the student community

better, the Nursery will be accepting children into the programme on a part-time basis.

The Glendon Day Nursery is considered to be one of the best in the city. It provides care for children ranging in age from 18 months to five years, five days a week, 8:15 am to 5:30 pm. Rather than separating the children into groups by age, the centre does family grouping. This means that there is interaction between the younger and older children which benefits everyone.

Everyone learns things at the Glendon Day Nursery, but this is not a strict school environment. The emphasis is on playing, especially outside when the weather is nice. The

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EDITORIAL

Take action now

The York administration, when implementing new policies, has a habit of believing that the entire student body has undergone a lobotomy. Viewed from the current situation, this might well be true.

Our beloved university plans to service its debt (due to mismanagement) by drastically increasing residence fees and eliminating some of the current services. The students are basically asked to accept this outrageous hike in fees and in return they will obtain reduced security with the elimination of Night Porters, and a deterioration of sanitary conditions with reduced pest controls and the elimination of a cleaner position. Is this not a fair deal?

York tends to believe that its student body is either an interest-free bank or a charity group designed to bail out any debt incurred by the incompetence of its administrators. This belief relies on the inherent apathetic nature of our student body. The administration could increase fees by 100% and the students would still remain passive.

Are you not fed up? By how much must the administration rip you off before you begin to react? Glendon's unique status relies on its community which is a blend of francophones and anglophones. With these new measures the Québécois and other francophone students residing far away, are bound to stay in their region and thus jeopardize the very essence of Glendon.

Alone, students can achieve nothing, but united, they are a powerful force and can shake the whole foundation. Don't forget you are the clients! If you're dissatisfied, do something about it! On March 25, the Board of Governors is meeting at Glendon College to make a decision on this issue. Contact your GCSU President, Eric Dansereau, in order to give these members of the board a welcome that they really deserve. The time for mere complaints is well overdue, clearing the horizon for a future of "Glendon style" action.

Rony Behar

COURRIER/FEEDBACK

Don't get cheated

I know we've all heard about the proposed rate hike in residence fees and the cutbacks that have been planned for next year as well. I remember something I had read about a year ago and thought it applied well to the situation. It was in a piece written by Stephen Leacock called *Oxford as I see it*. I think the administration up at York Campus would benefit by reading it and perhaps substituting "Glendon" for "Oxford". Here's a small excerpt: "The real thing for the student is the life and environment that surrounds him. All that he really learns he learns, in a sense, by the active operation of his own intellect and not as the passive recipient of lectures. And for this active operation what he really needs most is the continued and intimate contact with his fellows. Students must live together and eat together, talk and smoke together. Experience shows that this is how their minds really grow. If a student is to get from his college what it ought to give him, a college dormitory, with the life in common that it brings, is his absolute right. A university that fails to give it to him is cheating him."

York administration is taking residence life away from us by making it impossible to afford. Get informed, get involved, and protest or you will be cheating yourselves as well.

Jodi Armstrong

Chew on this

In the March 5 issue of *Pro Tem* there appeared an article written by Tim Wilshaw under the title "How to have fun in residence." I was impressed to see that someone actually cared about those caged-in recluses who either "forgotten" or "never learned" how to have a good time. What a sensitive guy, I thought. Then I read his accusation against the obviously "jealous" people who create, abide by, and/or enforce noise regulations. I was further dismayed when he criticized the PARDON article condemning hallway partying, calling it "stupid". It's one thing to comment on the complacency of our student body when it comes to student unions and unjust administrative policies, but Mr. Wilshaw crossed the line of respectable journalism into the realm of utter disrespect for his neighbours and the people who attempt to provide residence occupants with a relatively quiet environment conducive to study and sleep,

both of which are essential to an education.

If you want to party noisily and without inhibition, look for off-campus housing elsewhere. You won't have a problem finding loud and obnoxious housemates in Toronto.

If it means having the personality of a tree, I'll sacrifice my "Right to Party" with the beastly boys for the sake of my degree. Maybe if Mr. Wilshaw turned down the tunes and opened his ears and mind to the type of conversation that "real Glendonites" used to have before the trendy image-conscious crowd moved in, he'd realize that good times and fun are possible without the stereo cranked. (What a concept, I know).

The set of simple instructions that Mr. Wilshaw suggested by pinned up on barren walls might be replaced by an even simpler code for living: Everything in Moderation. Chew on that for a lifetime.

Karen Slegers
Wood Residence

Apathy not rampant

The March 5 article by Frédéric Tremblay could hardly go by unnoticed, as there is no reason why it should. I can only do him credit by sending this letter

to prove that apathy is not as rampant as some would believe. Some even think it's the norm at Glendon.

The observations in "Obsessive fear of Women" are clearly an insight into the disgust some males, including myself, feel about the things men do in society. I cannot say I hate myself because I am male, but I realize that the things some males do reflect upon all males in general. This is what I must deal with.

Unfortunately, Frédéric did not provide any outright solutions to the problems of males not understanding females. I do not believe the mystery between the two sexes may ever be completely done away with, but I have a few insights for any men who think the problem is insurmountable.

Is the gap between male and female thinking all that great? No, it isn't. If anything, this may be the first step towards achieving greater understanding. "Do unto others as you would like them to do unto you" is not an out of date line of thought. A second suggestion would be to talk to women concerning women's issues. I know that it isn't regular dinner conversation material, but it is surprising what you can learn. A third suggestion is to take a Women's Studies course. I would be hypocritical if I didn't mention that I am not currently enrolled in one now but I am

planning to take one next year because there is a lot to learn.

Of course, will it make any difference if only a few people try any of these suggestions? It will make writing this letter worthwhile. Although only groups with power can make changes, it must also not be forgotten that groups are made up of individuals who make their own decisions. A single individual may not make a lot of difference, but a group of individuals working for a common goal can.

I hope my response may prevent an unwelcome article by Frédéric Tremblay on BINGO, and opened the eyes of some people at Glendon as Frédéric's article forced mine to open.

Truly,
Derek Allerton

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Mouvement vers la paix

Julie Carbonneau

Dans le cadre de la semaine de la condition féminine, le Collège Glendon a reçu la semaine dernière Sherry McDonald qui est une activiste sur le plan féministe et pacifiste. Elle fait partie de deux groupes, soit "Coalition For Troops out of the Gulf" et "Coalition for Abortion Clinics".

McDonald s'est surtout exprimée sur les vraies raisons qui ont déclenché la guerre du point de vue des Canadiens et Américains. Elle a mentionné son aberration devant la facilité avec laquelle les Canadiens ont accepté les arguments présentés par le gouvernement pour justifier son intervention dans le Golfe Persique.

Elle a aussi abordé la question

de la démocratie au Koweït. Selon elle, la condition féminine est très pauvre puisque les femmes n'ont même pas accès au droit de vote. Elle a aussi déploré la violation des droits humains par les autorités de ce pays.

McDonald pense que le gouvernement américain a lui-même un paradoxe très intéressant. A bord elle a

mentionné le nombre de fois que le gouvernement américain offre même envahi un petit pays (Grenade, Panama etc) et qu'il a fourni des armements aux pays qu'il tente ensuite de neutraliser par son intervention militaires. Le gouvernement américain interviendrait donc seulement lorsqu'il croit que ces intérêts sont en jeu.

Sherry McDonald a aussi

expliqué que notre propre style de vie se déteriorait rapidement et que des dépenses pour l'armement seraient bien plus appréciées dans des secteurs qui assureraient le bien-être des canadiens plutôt que des intérêts égoïstes.

Women's week a success

Keri Johnson
Andre Addario

March 4-6 saw the celebration of International Women's Week at Glendon. Professor Fran Wilson, a long-time advocate for women's rights saw it as "women celebrating women's lives, women's experience, and women's activities." From Tuesday through Thursday the Salon Garigue paid tribute to women and their work here and globally. Films, speakers, plays and discussion groups took place on an ongoing basis throughout these days. The organizers which included Glendon's Women Centre, Student Christian Movement (S.C.M.), the Franco-Ontarian Centre and the Hispanic Latin American association were pleased that several professors chose to bring their classes to the Salon Garigue thereby actively involving themselves and their students in the week's events.

Outside of the Salon Garigue, tables were set up offering free information on women's issues on organizations that offer free services to women, and government documents dealing



photo Raymond Chong

A Toronto men's group participated in a discussion last Tuesday evening at La Maison de la Culture held during International Women's Week.

with a wide range of topics. The topics included racism, women and violence, native women, motherhood, pay equity, women and AIDS, women and the peace movement, women in developing nations and women in education. In addition, books, t-shirts, and buttons

were sold. Karin, who volunteered to help at the tables is an exchange student from Germany. She felt that it was unfortunate that her university does not pay tribute to International Women's Week. "It's the first time I'm celebrating it...the response has been positive!"

Tuesday evening was devoted to a discussion involving one of Toronto's growing number of men's groups. Wednesday night was devoted to readings by Margaret Avison, Lola Lemire Tostler, Marguerite Anderson and Lina Madore. Lina Madore, a mother of fifteen children, began to write and

publish when she "only had nine children left at home". Also, the Coalition for "Troops out of the Gulf" held a fundraising event at the Pub in the evening. Following on last year's success, a potluck buffet took place Thursday evening in the Senior Common Room, and the staff and students of Glendon were honoured by the presence of Mary O'Brien, who along with some of Glendon's professors, has worked diligently to improve the situation of women both within academia and elsewhere.

Women around the world celebrated International Women's Day on March 8. It is important that Glendon's students and staff continue to observe and pay tribute to a long and proud tradition of activists who have fought hard for such issues as equal pay, the right to vote and the right to be educated in the profession of choice. It is hoped that this past week has sensitized both the men and women at Glendon to some of the issues facing women and society, and that they will continue to open their minds to support strength and skill in all people.

Citizen's Forum:

Glendon holds discussion

Sharon Lowry

A handful of politicians cloistered away in lakeside cottages to decide the future of this country? No more! The Citizens Forum on Canada's Future came to Glendon on February 10 to hold one of its many cross-country discussions. The issues the Commission raised included the Quebec question, bilingualism, Native issues, multiculturalism, the environment, Canada's international role, Canadian values, etc. In short, participants were asked to "describe the universe briefly and give several examples." In three groups of about twenty each, we hashed away at the issues for the better

part of the afternoon. Needless to say, the discussion was quite "spicy" (groan - sorry).

La discussion a tout de suite porté sur les autochtones. On a reconnu que les autochtones au Canada sont sujet à l'oppression inhumaine depuis des siècles. La pauvreté dont ils souffrent est une des pires formes de violence. Une des participantes a parlé des enfants Amérindiens avec qui elle avait travaillé en Alberta au nord. Les enfants lui ont demandé de la nourriture car ils n'avaient rien à manger depuis plus d'un jour; leur frigo était vide. Malheureusement, cette histoire est fort commune. On a parlé de l'importance de travailler avec les autochtones

comme étant des partenaires égaux; de se connaître les uns les autres; d'embaucher les autochtones dans les positions de leadership au Canada; et de s'informer à propos des Amérindiens dans les domaines de l'environnement, la justice, la démocratie, etc. Aussi, on a parlé de l'importance de l'éducation. On doit enseigner la communication inter-culturelle et l'éducation anti-raciste à tous les Canadiens.

Many of the participants seemed disappointed with the role Canada played in the Gulf War, as "a corporal in the U.S. army". The media information was also seen as confusing and indecisive. Many felt that Canada had abandoned its

traditional peace-keeping role, and that we should do everything possible to return to our ethic of non-violent action.

En ce qui se concerne la question Québécoise et le bilinguisme, il y avait une diversité d'opinion entre les séparatistes (majoritairement Québécois(es)) et les fédéralistes (majoritairement anglophones et franco-Ontariennes). Les séparatistes voulaient avoir l'indépendance du Québec. Ils et elles ne se sentaient pas appuyés par le reste du Canada. D'autres ont parlé de la différence entre les cultures, et leur volonté de conserver la langue et la culture québécoise. Dans les mots d'une Québécoise, "le bilinguisme est un beau

réve." Les fédéralistes ont reconnu qu'on a besoin de plus d'égalité et de compréhension entre les Canadiens français et le Canada anglais, et ils ont dit qu'on s'enrichit en échangeant les langues et cultures. Le français et l'anglais sont comme deux jambes - avoir deux langues officielles nous donne une balance." Elle a parlé de l'importance de créer des échanges entre anglophones et francophones pour améliorer la compréhension et l'égalité.

The next subject was ethnic and cultural diversity. Respect for diversity was seen as one of the most important Canadian characteristics. One participant

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NEWS

Opposition speaking out



Local residents are planning a meeting for April 11th to oppose the Chedington development.

Carolyn LaBrash

Proposed changes to the Chedington condominium blueprints have revived opposition forces at Glendon. The modifications are by no means minor and those individuals who fought the initial project in '89 are speaking out again.

Two faculty members who were very active in the original debate, professors Ian

MacDonald and Don Wilmott have offered their views on the recent developments.

L'effet dominant de l'édifice sur l'entrée de Glendon sera exacerbé par ces changements. MacDonald nous avertit. Le toit s'élèvera 25 pieds au dessus des arbres et l'immeuble entier se trouvera beaucoup plus près de l'entrée du collège.

Le promoteur soutient que les arbres cacheront la façade. MacDonald riposte par un

rappel au fait qu'en hiver, sans feuilles, nos arbres ne sont pas très efficaces comme barrière et qu'en réalité les condos seront très visibles aux étudiants. En plus, le plan nécessite l'enlèvement de la plupart des arbres qui nous séparent maintenant. Il est bien difficile à croire l'assertion du promoteur en face des faits.

Professor Wilmott finds one of the tactics used by the developers particularly

"deceitful". He is referring here to developers' pictures of balloons allegedly raised to the proposed height of the buildings. The balloons were barely visible. The photos were shown to members of the Bayview Lawrence Rate Payers Association (a community action group), who were told that the structure would be similarly invisible.

The photographs provided a false impression according to Wilmott. Not only were the balloons not high enough, having been at the level of the ceiling of the top floor, instead of at the outside height of the building (15' higher), but the lateral dimensions were also incorrect. The pictures also showed trees in full foliage, which is not the case through most of the year.

MacDonald exprime le souci que parmi les arbres destinés à l'enlèvement se trouve un très grand bouleau, un des trois seuls anciens bouleaux à Toronto. Le promoteur dit qu'il le replantera. Il est peu probable, néanmoins, que l'arbre survivra.

Both express great concern about what can be seen as the most devastating effect for the project: its use as a precedent for other highrise developments in the area. MacDonald reminds

us that the complex approved for construction at I Post Road served as a supporting argument for obtaining permission for the Chedington building. If this trend continues, the beautiful green belt that the original city planners so carefully designed will lose its wilderness feeling and become just another patch of carefully manicured green surrounded by visible concrete blocks. "Bringing downtown North York into the valley" is the powerful image student council Eric Dansereau uses to describe this foreseeable consequence. Eric ajoute qu'il faut considérer aussi le mauvais effet de l'augmentation de la circulation de voitures et de personnes à l'entrée sur l'ambiance de l'école. Il voit un rôle important pour les étudiants dans l'affaire.

There will be a meeting of the Rate Payer Association and certain city officials on April 11 at the church across the street from Glendon. It will be open to all members of the community, and that includes us! More details about the meeting will be published in a subsequent issue of *Pro Tem* when they become available. The movement that was started by students needs our full support again!

Better late than never

Robert Mackey

York University is the newest arrival to the already well established camp opposed to the Chedington development.

"This project is redesigned almost as a sheer wall," warned Peter Struk, Assistant Vice-President of Physical Planning at York, during an interview. "The appearance will be that of

a very large building looming over the campus."

Cependant, il y a à peine deux ans, l'Université York refusait encore de se prononcer pour ou contre le projet. Cette position neutre a diminué, voire éliminé, les objections présentées par le Bayview-Lawrence Environmental Protection Association devant le Conseil municipal de

l'Ontario au printemps de 1989.

Struk a précisé la nouvelle position de l'Université. "Our position has been, with regard to this project, that we wanted the design to honour the previous presentation and commitment which had a modest effect on the campus."

There is fear among all those opposed, that this development will be precedent setting for further building projects along this part of the valley. Echoing these concerns Struk said, "I can't see how any future developer would not use this site as an argument so that they can get, at least, the same degree of freedom of action."

Par contre, il n'a pas désapprouvé de façon catégorique tout développement futur autour de la vallée en autant que les édifices soient cachés parmi la végétation normale de l'endroit.

Il a aussi mentionné l'effet négatif qu'un grand édifice pourrait avoir sur le nombre



Peter Struk, a representative of the York University administration, has joined with professors, students and residents in opposing developers.

des étudiant(e)s qui s'inscrivent à Glendon.

Finally, in response to a question that asked if York's opposition to this project was not unrealistic considering that the college is located only twenty

minutes from the downtown core of Canada's largest urban centre, Struk said, "Glendon is in an extremely unique situation and that is what we are trying to prevent from being destroyed."

No response!

Robert Mackey

Since the beginning of February, *Pro Tem*, following the guidelines of responsible journalism, has solicited the developer of the Chedington property, Edifice Group, for an interview. The purpose of such an encounter would have been to allow the developer an opportunity to present to the Glendon community any positive aspects, as of yet unknown, of this development project.

During one of many attempts to reach an official within this

group, this reporter was assured by an assistant that Edifice Group was anxious to maintain good relations with its neighbours in the Bayview-Lawrence area. However, as the official representatives for the developer have a great many clients they were much to busy to respond to *Pro Tem*'s request.

It is, lightly speaking, unfortunate that Edifice Group could not spare a measly fifteen minutes at some point over a one and a half month period to explain its project to its closest neighbours at Glendon College.

Frédéric Tremblay's column (aka A Poil) returns next week.

Voir qu'avec le coeur

Que l'on soit originaire de l'Afrique, de l'Europe, l'Asie, des Caraïbes, de l'Amérique du Sud, des Etats-Unis ou du Canada;

Que l'on soit noir(e), vert(e), rouge, jaune, gris(e), violet(te) ou blanc(he);

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libéral(e), radical(e), modéré(e), environmentaliste, universaliste, syndicaliste, royaliste ou démocrate;

Que l'on soit musulman(e), bouddhiste, chrétien(ne), juif(ve), agnostique, athé(e), ou autre;

Que l'on soit riche, pauvre, ou quelque part entre les deux;

Quelles que soient les différences qui nous séparent, nous ne devrions jamais oublier que nous avons tous, autant que nous sommes, besoin...

d'être aimés, d'être respectés, d'être écoutés, d'être compris, de nous accomplir, de partager, d'appartenir, de vivre

décèment et avec dignité, d'une grande dose quotidienne de renforcements positifs, d'apprendre, d'estime de soi, d'harmonie

Nous ne devrions jamais également oublier que nous souffrons, à certains moments, tous...

de solitude, d'incompréhension, de l'inconsidération d'autrui, de discrimination, dégoisme, de stress, de frustrations diverses, de dangers, ainsi que de tant d'autres choses...visibles...et invisibles...

La dure période des examens et la tombée des échéances régissant la

production des essais se précipitent sur nous à la vitesse de la lumière. Alors, nous vous proposons à tous un engagement solidaire pour que la période qui nous sépare de la conclusion de l'année académique 1990-91 soit harmonieuse. Nous lançons un appel à la charité, au partage, à l'amitié, à la compréhension et à l'entraide. Nous vous demandons à tous de prendre un soin particulier de vos proches, de vos voisins et de vos amis, ainsi que de ceux et celles pour qui, par moments, vous manquez d'indulgence.

Mettons donc l'accent sur le semblable et non sur la

différence: sur la nécessité vitale de la relation et non sur le cloisonnement. Soyons à l'écoute des uns et des autres, patients et ouverts, et prenons à coeur d'assurer le bien-être de tous et chacun au sein de la communauté de Glendon tout au long des semaines qui nous restent.

Vos dons: Guy, Nathalie, Anar, Helen, Lorraine, Steve, Shelagh, Nathalie, Karine, Dominique, Isabelle

P.S. Nouveau diction: Un sourire coûte moins cher que l'électricité et donne autant de lumière.

■ Lay offs

atmosphere is warm and relaxed. The children are encouraged to explore and appreciate their world and are gently discouraged from destructive behaviour through positive reinforcement of good behavior.

At the moment, the Nursery has three full-time staff members, including the director, Robert Zimmer. They are assisted by parents, who are each asked to contribute two hours of time each week, and by students, who are hired for part-time positions and to replace parents who can't make it. The centre is well-equipped with many toys, arts and crafts supplies, and a playground between the Hilliard and Wood residence buildings. Hot lunches such as soup and sandwiches, chicken stew, lasagna, and of course a variety of vegetables with every meal are brought in by a caterer. Two nutritious snacks are made each day by the staff. Cloth diapers are provided for children who need them.

At the moment the Glendon Day Nursery charges \$615.00 per month for full-time attendance. Priority on spaces available is given to children of staff, faculty, and students of Glendon, then of York, then to the children of parents from the general community. Spaces will be available for children to attend part-time for a minimum of two days a week or half-days, five days a week. Information on the cost of the part-time programme is not yet available, but will be shortly. The Nursery does offer spots for families needing subsidized daycare. It can take close to a year, however, to receive this subsidy, so if you think you may need it, apply well in advance. For more information regarding this and anything else about the Glendon Day Nursery, you may call the Nursery at 481-8523.

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GCSU Elections

Polling will take place from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, March 27, 1991 and from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm on March 28, 1991. The polling station will be located in York Hall just outside the Hearth Room.
Les élections auront lieu le 27 mars et 28 mars 1991 de 9h00 à 16h00. Le bureau de vote se trouvera dans le couloir de faille principale du Pavillon York, dans la Salle du foyer.

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Candidats à la présidence

1) Quelle expérience pertinente avez-vous pour ce poste?

L'expérience est une des plus importantes aptitudes pour devenir Président de l'AECG. Mon expérience administrative à Glendon est vaste et diversifiée. L'année dernière, je siégeais au sein du club des Nations unies (CNU) à titre de Président. Cette année, je suis Président de la Société des Débats. Il n'est pas objectif si je me jugeais, mais je pense que ma participation dans la Société des débats a su renforcer mes qualités d'orateur et de leadership. Durant mes trois années à Glendon, j'ai fait parti de quatre clubs différents et je me suis montré un membre actif du circuit des clubs. Si je suis élu Président, je peux

vous garantir que plus de personnes se joindront aux différents clubs et organisations de Glendon puisque mon administration y mettra beaucoup d'efforts.



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James Pickering

2) Taking into consideration problems you have seen with the G.C.S.U. this year and in past years, cite two ways that show how you could improve student council.

Taking into account that the GCSU funds many clubs and services, stronger measures of supervision must be implemented by the GCSU to ensure that clubs are spending their money in a responsible manner... Past Club events, such as the Afro-Caribe Fashion show, U.N. Club events, Hispanic week, etc. have proven to be phenomenally good spirit raisers. The GCSU, under Pickering, would provide a high degree of guidance and assistance to clubs and student groups wishing to hold events... The GCSU, in unison with clubs, could combat student apathy... with one clear voice against important issues such as residence/ tuition increases.

3) Qu'est-ce que vous proposez pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence?

Nous devons lutter contre les augmentations "draconiennes" des frais de scolarité et de résidence... Si cette institution a l'intention d'imposer une autre augmentation sur Les coûts déjà élevé d'éducation universitaire, l'AECG, conjointement avec les groupes étudiants... doit présenter notre cause aux media pour exposer les déplorables plans financiers de l'Université York.

4) Selon vous, à quoi les étudiant(e)s s'attendent-ils du poste du président?

Un Président (ou une Présidente) est quelqu'un sur qui on peut compter et se fier. De plus, c'est une personne qui se doit d'être digne de confiance, attentive, consciencieuse, dynamique, efficace et bien sûr, bilingue. Je crois bien satisfaire ces exigences.

5) Do you believe there is too much administrative control over student affairs? How can this problem be rectified?

A more important question that must be addressed, is not how much control the administration maintains over student affairs, but the policies that the administration implements towards it's students... It is my strong conviction that our university administration should not be placating itself into accepting government university funding cuts... but instead... should be standing side by side with it's students in the pursuit of achieving more government funding for post-secondary education. The GCSU should make every effort possible, whether diplomatic or forceful in nature, to convince our university's misguided administrators to start supporting the concerns of... students.

1) Quelle expérience pertinente avez-vous pour ce poste?

I WORK HARD FOR THE CAUSE. I have gained experience in many organizations outside of the Glendon community. My involvement in fundraising events, community services and part time employment in a trust company continue to give me the opportunity to develop personal, organizational and leadership skills necessary for this position. An important facet of this position is the ability to not only work as a team but also to pull a team together, something I am not only capable of, but also have learned to rely on in certain situations, such as varsity basketball with the Voyageurs of Laurentian University. The Glendon College



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Mark Adlam

Student Union must be a very efficient, reliable team and I believe that I have the experience needed to fulfill this need.

2) Taking into consideration problems you have seen with the G.C.S.U. this year and in past years, cite two ways that show how you could improve student council.

J'aimerais voir plus d'implication au niveau du conseil... mais comment?

- Tous les directeurs pourraient écrire au sujet de leurs mandats dans Protém au moins une fois par mois, ainsi qu'établir une colonne de suggestions ouverte à tous les étudiants.
- Les comités de chaque directeur(trice) peuvent s'élargir pour inclure les membres de la communauté qui veulent s'impliquer.

3) Qu'est-ce que vous proposez pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence?

I am presently involved in a committee that is working to halt residence and tuition hikes. I myself lived in Wood my first two years here. I know the frustration of declining service and I understand first hand the frustration of not being able to afford to live on campus! I am prepared to dedicate myself to this issue and to take it as far as the provincial government if the need arise. Equality of opportunity can only exist in the university system if expenses can be kept within reasonable parameters! We must start at all levels; Residence council, school administration, even the Minister of Housing and the Minister, responsible for colleges and universities.

4) Selon vous, à quoi les étudiant(e)s s'attendent-ils du poste du président?

Students should expect from a president a leader who possesses qualities such as commitment, integrity, dependability and hard work. Someone who treats their position as a full time job and who is willing to consider all suggestions and concerns.

5) Do you believe there is too much administrative control over student affairs? How can this problem be rectified?

Je crois qu'en certain cas il y a trop de contrôle au niveau de l'administration York, mais avant d'essayer de répondre à cette question, je dois examiner tous les aspects du corps administratif. Il would not be prudent to make promises, but work has to be done to address the administration, and I am ready to take this challenge on seriously!

Elections AECG

Candidates aux Affaires culturelles

1) Quelle expérience pertinente avez-vous pour ce poste?

J'ai beaucoup d'expérience dans le domaine des affaires culturelles. L'automne passé, j'ai organisé un banquet et un dance pour deux cents personnes. C'était un vrai succès. Cette année, j'étais un des organisateurs principaux pour le Carnaval d'Hiver, et j'ai assisté presque tous les événements.

2) Taking into consideration problems you have seen with the GCSU this year and in past years, cite two ways that show how you could improve student council.

As a GCSU member this year, one of the major problems I've noticed is the rough interpersonal relations both within the council and without. I plan to rebuild bridges where necessary, and keep things running smoothly. Another difficulty has been the last minute planning and changes. My lifestyle requires that things be organized and planned, well in advance. Therefore you'll know what's going on well in advance, too.

3) Qu'est-ce que vous proposez pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence?

Avant que les augmentations soient décidées, je vais dire mon opinion au BOG, comme un membre de GFSC, l'AECG, et un résident. Ferez le même! c'est votre argent, aussi! L'année prochaine, sauf que les occasions très spéciales, les prix pour l'admission aux événements seront limités à 5.00\$.

4) Is apathy a problem at Glendon College that should be addressed by student council? If so, how can it be solved?

Apathy is definitely a problem at Glendon. It is less critical of late than previously, but must still be addressed. The GCSU cannot do anything to get you going unless we know what will work. Is it dances? Is it comedians? Is it balls? What? Tell us, we'll let you know what's going on, we'll make it affordable, and most important we'll make it for you.



Karen Fiets

1) Quelle expérience pertinente avez-vous pour ce poste?

Présentement, je travaille avec l'AECG, j'ai reçu ma nomination novembre dernier pour le même poste. Je suis déjà impliquée. Mon premier projet fut celui du Bal de Noël qui était une réussite puisqu'on a pas rapporté aucune perte! J'ai aussi organisé et coordonné toute une gamme d'activités et d'événements. J'aimerais que l'AECG et le collège profite de l'expérience que j'ai acquise.

2) Taking into consideration problems you have seen with the GCSU this year and in past years, cite two ways that show how you could improve student council.

If the GCSU is here to serve and assist the students, therefore what I would like to work on to improve the student council is:
- to have the GCSU office open on a regular basis in order to have it more accessible to students.
- to have more communication within the GCSU in order to know what the GCSU is trying to accomplish.

3) Qu'est-ce que vous proposez pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence?

Les frais de scolarité et de résidences entraînent toute la population glendonienne sans aucune exception. J'aimerais savoir comment et où ces frais sont distribués pour que je sache comment pétitionner et encourager tous les étudiants à me joindre dans ce combat. L'étudiant qui paie des frais a le droit de savoir comment son argent sert à subventionner quoique ce soit.

4) Is apathy a problem at Glendon College that should be addressed by student council? If so, how can it be solved?

Yes. Co-operative efforts is the key to student apathy. The GCSU should be the place to start. The problem can be solved by having active, dedicated and motivated candidates who are willing to work as a whole and to develop strategies to encourage every one and the OFF-CAMPUS students to be involved and participate in all the events and activities. To achieve our desired goals, our activities should be designed to please the majority. GCSU is here for the students, and your support is always needed. GCSU should actively engage students to get involved.



Carole Kandakje

Candidats au Sénat

1) Quelle expérience pertinente avez-vous pour ce poste?

Le service communautaire est une très grande responsabilité. Cela prend des habiletés précises: premièrement l'habileté de communiquer clairement avec et pour la communauté, et l'habileté d'entreprendre des postes de leadership. Comme j'ai déjà fait partie de plusieurs organisations, j'ai beaucoup d'expérience. De plus, je suis dédié à servir et à représenter ma communauté avec fierté.

2) Taking into consideration problems you have seen with the GCSU this year and in past years, cite two ways that show how you could improve student council.

The GCSU as the governing association of the Glendon Student body should be representative of the student body and should be open to all students. In the two years that I have been at Glendon I have been thoroughly disappointed with the lack of participation by Glendon students. I propose the following:

(A) A senators report in *Pro Tem* outlining all pertinent information available to aid in the student's understanding of the position of York's Administration in all policy which affects us.

(B) As a senator I intend to remain visible and approachable while helping the GCSU raise Glendon's profile by a strong show of student spirit. As senator I would do my best to express Glendon's distinctive nature on campus and to the administration of York.

3) Qu'est-ce que vous proposez pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence?

D'après moi, la première tâche du Sénateur est d'exprimer les besoins, les craintes et les demandes de sa communauté. Je suis carrément choqué au concept de l'augmentation des frais de scolarité et de résidence. Comme sénateur, j'ai l'intention de communiquer à l'administration de York notre opposition aux coûts élevés qu'elle nous propose. De plus, il faut qu'elle comprenne que nous sommes prêts à défendre nos droits.



Jeremy Goldstein

1) Quelle expérience pertinente avez-vous pour ce poste?

Dans l'année passé j'ai eu de la chance de participer avec l'AECG dans le poste de concillor. A mon avis j'ai appris comment l'AECG se fonction et je suis au courant des problèmes qu'on face à ce moment. Je suis fier d'être un étudiant à Glendon et je vous assure que je suis assez qualifié d'être votre senator.

2) Taking into consideration problems you have seen with the GCSU this year and in past years, cite two ways that show how you could improve student council.

The only problem I have with the GCSU involves the lack of participation by students in the student union and in the events that we put on. We must find ways to increase involvement and communication between council and the student body. School spirit needs to be increased and this place should be rockin' more often!

3) Qu'est-ce que vous proposez pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence?

Les protestations organisées avec l'AECG et l'IFEY sont une bonne idée. Il faut que nous mentionnons au Norm Crandles et ses amis qu'on ne peut pas supporter encore ses actions.

4) Is apathy a problem at Glendon College that should be addressed by student council? If so, how can it be solved?

As I stated in a recent *Pro Tem* article, I do believe apathy is a problem and if the Student Council can do something about it we should. I think that the best way to solve the problem is to promote participation and try to increase school spirit as much as possible.



Tim Wilshaw

GCSU Elections

Vice-président (élu par acclamation)



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Bassam Abou-Naiem

- 1) Taking into consideration problems you have seen with the GCSU this year and in past years, cite two ways that show how you could improve student council.

First: We need more participation from the students in the council in order to improve the student's motivation.
Second: We have to be more informative by letting the students know what the council is doing for them.

- 2) Qu'est-ce que vous proposez pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence?

Pour combattre les augmentations des frais de scolarité et de résidence, il faut:
- Protester
- Rappeler l'administration du main campus que l'éducation est le droit de chaque être humain et ne pas un luxe.
- Demander au gouvernement l'accroissement des aides financières parce que le système présent ne répond pas au besoin des étudiants.

- 3) Quel est le rôle du vice-président?

Rôle du vice-président.
- Collaborer avec le président et les membres du conseil
- Bien gérer le budget du conseil.
- Répond au besoin des clubs et des services des étudiants.
D'être honnête.

- 4) How can we be assured that the Vice-President and the money that he/she controls are accountable to the students?

In two ways:
By honesty and trust
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And in both cases, I don't have any problem.

Candidats à la présidence (suite)

Pro Tem's reporter Geoff Bowby asked these questions during a personal interview.

James Pickering

- 1) What is your position on the current associative membership between the G.C.S.U. and the Y.S.F.?
- 2) I think that it is fantastic that Glendon students are now afforded the opportunity to vote for the executives of the YFS. This, if you look in the future, would give a Glendon student the opportunity to strive for the position of president of the YFS. As well, if we put Glendon students in the YSF, this will open up funding for Glendon clubs... And don't forget, it is the clubs and activities that raise the spirit here and to get those things going, you need a lot of money... We also don't want to dilute the powers of the GCSU now that we are voting both institutions... We have to maintain absolute autonomy for the GCSU because it is the GCSU who ca. especially for the interests of Glendon students. This is the only apprehension that I have on this matter.
- 2) Que pensez-vous du Bilinguisme à Glendon? S.V.P. répondez en français.
- 2) Nous avons une identité de le bilinguisme. Nous devons espérer comme les étudiants de Glendon de parler bien sûr de pratiquer cette langue. C'était important, pour moi, le bilinguisme c'est la première raison parce que j'ai devenu un étudiant de Glendon. Je voudrais devenu bilingue. En cette année, je suis un cours de français, c'est 2510 et je pense que je peux promouvoir cette langue. Je payerai une grande effort pour promouvoir le français bien sûr.

Mark Adlam

- 1) What is your position on the current associative membership between the G.C.S.U. and the Y.S.F.?
- 2) Right now, I am not happy with the way we are being treated at our position here. I believe our community here should be strengthened and we should be able to state our opinion and hear it voiced and understood at York Main.
- 2) Que pensez-vous du Bilinguisme à Glendon? S.V.P. répondez en français.
- 2) Le bilinguisme, c'est très important ici. Sans doute, il y a deux langues ici. Une communauté francophone et aussi anglophone. Mais je pense que les deux communautés deviennent ensemble. Aussi, je pense que cette communauté représente le pays Canada. J'espère pour l'avenir et j'espère pour ici.

Les candidats suivants ont été élus par acclamation:

Stefan Venne	Directeur des Affaires extérieures
Laura Thompson	Directrice des Affaires bilingues
Maria Morvillo	Directrice des Clubs et services
Sharmila Khare	Directrice Des Affaires académiques
Lori Hill	Directrice des Communications
Deborah Halliday	Line Giguère
Nathalie Arès	Lori Jewitt
Rosalyn Devries	Garry Polimis
Hyame Fadel	Tim Wilshaw
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From back room to centre stage

Blair Sprogis

Do you support the creation of a Theatre Café adjacent to the Café de la Terrasse? This is one of the questions that appears on the G.C.S.U. referenda. This means that the space that is now called the "Pipe Room" will be converted into a livable, workable area for student use. This will be an improvement over the bomb-shelter atmosphere that now exists.

The space will be used for theatre productions and rehearsals, art exhibits, poetry reading, live bands and other "cultural enhancement". This

space will also be used to eliminate the annoying line-ups of Thursday night pub nights.

If you're wondering, none of your tuition fees will be allocated to finance the construction. The administration has applied for a Government grant which will pay for the alterations to the existing room. The plans for the "Pipe Room" can only benefit the College with the potential for academic, cultural, and social growth.

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Soccer

Une performance spectaculaire

Nicolas Souchon

Après le bon parcours des garçons dans le tournoi intercollégial de soccer, les filles ont également effectué une brillante performance dans le tournoi en salle.

Leur début fut timide, surtout face à l'équipe expérimentée d'Alumni, qui remporta le match 5 à 2. Une défaite et une victoire suivirent. Pourtant, les filles faisaient preuve d'une grande motivation et se battaient pour la victoire, rien n'y faisait, les matchs restaient toujours incertains. Après le repos de février, trois rencontres étaient prévues. Les filles eurent la chance d'en gagner deux par forfait, on aurait alors pu penser qu'elles se qualifieraient pour le second tour par chance. C'était mal les connaître. Leur dernière partie de qualification, sans être brillante, fut remportée largement par 6 à 1.

Leur motivation était donc extrême et c'est prêtes à tout qu'elles se sont présentées pour la première des éliminatoires où elles affrontaient McLaughlin. La première période fut difficile et incertaine. Les filles ne semblaient pas trouver leurs marques. Le score resta vierge jusqu'aux dernières secondes de la première mi-temps quand Lisa adressa un passe magistrale sur la tête d'Amy qui détourna intelligemment la balle au fond des filets. Après le repos, McLaughlin explosa sous les assauts de Glendon qui jouait de mieux en mieux. En effet, Kim, Amy et Lisa marquèrent trois autres buts. Après le coup de sifflet final, elles laissèrent éclater leur joie. Elles avaient livré un très bon match, prouvant par là-même que leur

qualification n'était pas imméritée.

Elles se retrouvèrent donc en demi-finale. Leur adversaire était le même que celui du premier match: Alumni. Les conditions n'étaient pourtant pas les mêmes car Glendon était désormais une équipe plus expérimentée, mieux organisée et très motivée. Cependant, elles ne livrèrent pas un très bon match. De plus, Alumni, avec de nouveaux éléments, jouait terriblement bien, ne laissant aucune chance aux filles. Ainsi, le score à la fin de la partie était sévère, 6 à 1, mais il aurait pu l'être encore plus si Pam, la gardienne de but, n'avait pas fait autant d'arrêts décisifs. Il est donc logique que les filles se soient inclinées car Alumni était, ce soir-là, vraiment l'équipe la plus forte.

Les filles, entraînées par Bassam, n'ont donc pas à rougir de leur tournoi. Elles jouaient ensemble pour la première fois dans un tournoi, elles étaient toujours assidues et ponctuelles

à l'entraînement, elles prenaient un plaisir manifeste à jouer. De plus, on pourrait ajouter que tous les matchs eurent lieu au campus principal, dans un

gymnase beaucoup plus grand que celui de Glendon, où d'ailleurs, elles se sont toujours entraînées sans buts adaptés au soccer en salle car Glendon

n'en possède pas. Elles n'auront donc pas démerité et si l'équipe se maintient l'année prochaine, elle nous réserve peut-être une surprise.

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Got some tips?

First, look in the Guide that comes in your tax package. It gives you step-by-step instructions and helpful tax tips. Read the explanations for the lines that apply to you, and ignore those that don't. If your income situation hasn't changed much from last year, you can use last year's return as a reference.

What if I have questions?

If you can't find the answers in the Guide, you can call the people at Revenue Canada. The best times to get through

are before 10:00 a.m. and after 2:00 p.m. From February 25 through April 30, Revenue Canada's phone hours are extended to 8:00 p.m., Monday to Thursday. There's also an automated phone service called T.I.P.S., for answers to common questions. For a complete list of services and phone numbers in your region, see your Guide.

What other services are available?

You can visit Seasonal Tax Assistance Centres in convenient locations, like shopping malls, for information, guides and forms. See your local newspaper for times and locations. There's also a video called "Stepping Through Your Tax Return" that you can borrow from public libraries or your district taxation office.

Anything I should watch for?

Make sure all the personal information printed on your return is correct, especially your address. Before you start, make sure you have all your receipts and information slips. Check your calculations, and attach all the information that's asked for in the return. These steps will help avoid delays in getting your refund.

If I move, will I still get my cheque?

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ENTERTAINMENT

Women Beware Women

Naomi Lee Fook

The following is an interview with Tara Huda, the director of the upcoming Theatre Glendon production *Women Beware Women*, playing from 19 March to 23 March 1991. Tickets are \$4.00 for Glendon students, except for Friday 22 March, which is a benefit for the Theatre. Special prices for Glendon alumni is \$25.00 per ticket on Friday.

NLF: Could you tell me a little more about the production, that is, does it follow the new tradition in the use of audience participation?

TH: In terms of the audience being involved, what this play does emphasize is individual response rather than a collective audience response; the play is really into the idea of individuality; whatever you see, whatever you take away from the performance is more important than what the whole audience feels. If you want to laugh somewhere where the rest of the audience is crying, that's just as valid and the courage to do something like that as an audience member is very important.

NLF: Are there any sort of controversial elements in this play that would cause those "individual reactions"?

TH: It's an extremely controversial play. The play has a lot of really important things to say about women. But without giving away too much of the plot, the controversy appears ostensibly to condone an act of violence against a woman. And the act, although it's committed by a man, it's plotted and organized and conceived by a woman. So that's where the title *Women Beware Women* comes in. The importance of looking at this act of violence in the play is to try and separate yourself from all our conventional and traditional senses of morality, and look at the act for what it is in terms of the structure of the play and what it does for the character. I think it's really important people do that.

NLF: So you think it's a very feminist play?

TH: I think it's a new kind of feminism. Howard Barker is totally against any kind of ideology, in submitting to an ideology; if any body of

thought can be criticized, why can't feminism? It's not above criticism. He says it's very important for women to be aware of that, not just to prescribe to this school of thought.

NLF: One final question: if you could summarize the

quality of the play that you think will either reach the most people, or the thing you think will bring out people to come and see this.

TH: The need for the realization that if we are a victim of any kind of oppression at all, that to some extent we

collaborate in our oppression, that we have to take some responsibilities ourselves for being the victims, if we are a victim.

El Salvador: Maria's story

Jennifer Wiens

Women with power. This was the subject of a presentation and film sponsored by Glendon's Student Christian Movement (S.C.M.) during International Women's Week. The film, entitled *Maria's Story*, consists of real footage of the life of a guerrilla fighter, Maria Serzano, in El Salvador's resistance movement (FMLN). It shows how the leadership and drive of many women like Maria have led to amazing accomplishment. These women have fought against an oppressive government, resettled villages, and set up schools and hospitals. In doing this, they have endured torture and have seen other family members and friends tortured and killed. Yet they continue their struggle.

After the film, Brent Anderson from the El Salvador Information Office, and Anna Osorio of Salv-Aid (a group which helps El Salvadorians rebuild and resettle war-damaged towns) gave a short presentation. They told of the peasants of El Salvador who live in fear of torture and death, from their right-wing, supposedly democratic, American-supported government. It is claimed that the resistance movement is made up of communist terrorists. In reality, the guerrilla fighters are poor men, women and children: who were forced to leave their homes and must live on the run, in constant fear. These "communists" are determined to win justice and opportunity for their people. *Maria's Story*, through its depiction of the life of one

woman, has characterized the plight of thousands of El Salvadorians who struggle for freedom. The film is a wonderful tribute to the power women can possess.

For more information about the situation in El Salvador, contact:

El Salvador Information Office
736 Bathurst St.
Toronto, ON
M5S 2R4
phone: 531-8497

or

Salv-Aid
427 Bloor St. West
Toronto, ON
M5S 1X7

■ Spicer

who had immigrated from Roumania pointed out the importance of the multicultural mosaic in Canada's international image. Another spoke of the need to organize at the grass-roots community level in order to retain roots and cultural identity.

Ceci est seulement une capsule de ce qui s'est déroulé au cours de la discussion. Ma participation au forum m'a été une excellente expérience. Si vous voulez vous impliquer vous aussi, soit comme participante(e) animatrice(trice) d'une discussion, soit comme bénévole, soit comme contributeur(trice) d'idées par téléphone, il n'y a qu'à appeler 1-800-56-FORUM ou écrire: Citizen's Forum on Canada's Future
Box 1991, Station B
Ottawa, ON
K1P 1A2

Anglophones wishing to participate in the forum can write to the above address or call 1-800-56-FORUM (1-800-56-36786). Participation is very worthwhile. Canada's worth it...we're worth it.

Tabu: celebrating sexuality

Naomi Lee Fook



Taboos are defined as being deviations from the norm of society; those things forbidden. This is emphasized in the current Canadian Stage Hour Company's production of *Tabu: A Celebration of Sexuality*.

The story itself revolves around an event in Canadian history, which at the time it occurred, was considered to be taboo: the execution of Private John Flowers in 1832, who was hanged for being homosexual. This story is paralleled by the modern-day action of the main character, Garten, who, while in the process of coming to terms with her own sexuality, realizes that attitudes have not changed that much since 1832.

With its minimal props, set and live music, the simplicity of the piece is what helps to project the message *Tabu* puts across, summed up best in the dying words of Private Flowers: "I didn't think I was doing anything wrong. A person should have the right to do with his body as he wishes."

The concept of this play is extremely original, exploring the different viewpoints on sexuality and sexual orientation. It will, if not cause one to reconsider one's own biases, at least shock the audience into what is reality.

After the play, there is a thirty minute discussion period where all viewpoints are encouraged to be expressed. Sometimes this discussion period can even be more shocking than *Tabu* itself.

If this piece is not the best performance this season by the Canadian Stage Company, it will definitely be the most controversial. Hopefully, this will all end in a positive result, as does the realization of Garten.

CLASSIFIEDS

GCSU 1991 Referenda Questions

This April the Glendon College Student Union will hold two referenda, one internal referendum and one plebiscite. You will have the opportunity to vote on these questions during the Spring Elections March 27 and 28, 1991.

The two referenda questions are the following:

Question 1

Yes, I agree to increase my contribution to the G.C.S.U. from \$57.00 to \$60.00 per fte. *

No, I do not agree to increase my contribution to the G.C.S.U. from \$57.00 to \$60.00 per fte.

Oui, j'accepte d'augmenter ma contribution à l'AECC de 57.00\$ à 60.00\$ par fte.

Non, je n'accepte pas d'augmenter ma contribution à l'AECC de 57.00\$ à 60.00\$ par fte.

Question 2

Yes, I agree to maintain the Blue Cross Health Care plan with an increase of 15% from \$52.08 to \$60.00.

No, I do not agree to maintain the Blue Cross Health Care plan with an increase of 15% from \$52.08 to \$60.00.

Oui, j'accepte de garder le Service d'Assurance-santé de Blue Cross avec une augmentation de 15%, de 52.08\$ à 60.00\$.

Non, je n'accepte pas de garder le Service d'Assurance-santé de Blue Cross avec une augmentation de 15% de 52.08\$ à 60.00\$.

The internal referenda questions are the following:

Question 1

Yes, I agree to allocate \$2.10 per fte from my contribution to the G.C.S.U. towards Radio Glendon.

No, I do not agree to allocate \$2.10 per fte from my contribution to the G.C.S.U. towards Radio Glendon.

Oui, j'accepte d'allouer à Radio Glendon au montant de 2.10\$ par fte provenant de ma contribution à l'AECC.

Non, je n'accepte pas d'allouer à Radio Glendon un montant de 2.10\$ par fte provenant de ma contribution à l'AECC.

Question 2

Yes, I support the creation of a Theatre Café in the rooms adjacent to the Café de la Terrasse.

No, I do not support the creation of a Theatre Café in the rooms adjacent to the Café de la Terrasse.

Oui, j'offre mon appui à la création d'un café-théâtre dans les salles adjacentes au Café de la terrasse.

Non, je n'offre pas mon appui à la création d'un café-théâtre dans les salles adjacentes au Café de la Terrasse.

* FFTE represents the financial full-time equivalent. These fees are included in the per credit fee for tuition and are based on a full course load (30 credits).

A G E N D A GLENDON CALENDAR

Feb. 28 - March 22

"Portraits d'écrivains Québécois" du 28 février au 22 mars 1991. Daniel Gagnon donnera aussi une conférence: lecture sur "La fille à marier". "O dear Phyllis ma chère âme sœur": les difficultés d'un auteur que traduit sa propre oeuvre.

March 19 - 23

Theatre Glendon presents Howard Barker's *Women Beware Women*, a deceitful game of power and desire. Ce spectacle, présenté par la classe EN 3955, commence à 19h, par une exposition d'art avec bar payant. Le rideau se lève à 20h.

Tickets
\$4.00 students
\$5.00 public

For more information call Theatre Glendon at 487-6722, or Ingrid Vella at 488-9706.

March 20

PARTY!PARTY!PARTY!

at/au
The Unicorn
Coin/Near Yonge & Eglinton
8:00 pm

Cover/Entré: \$4:00
Organisé par les étudiants de Glendon
For more information
Appelez 447-7543

March 20 - 28

Exhibition of paintings created by Glendon students. Opening: March 20, 1991 at 7:00 pm. Runs through until March 28.

March 21

DANCEdanceDANCEdanceDANCE
Pub Night
With Mazo and Suny
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RALLY AGAINST ACADEMIC RACISM

Time: 12 noon
Place: Queen's Park, Toronto

- 1 Legislation must be passed to prohibit academic racism.
- 2 Philippe Rushton must be fired.
- 3 No government funding for universities that allow racist teaching and research.
- 4 No government funding for universities that accept money from the pioneer fund and other racist sources.

For further info call: (519) 668-6998

or
(519) 645-7663

March 26

"Homage to Northrop Frye" by M.T. Kelly, Governor General's award winner of 1988, followed by a showing of the 20 minute National Film Board film about Frye: "The Scholar in Society", in the Maison de la Culture, 2275 Bayview Avenue, Glendon College, Glendon Hall, Tuesday, March 26 at 12 noon.

HELP WANTED

Le "mouvement étudiant chrétien" de l'Université York et du Collège Glendon est à la recherche d'une secrétaire général à temps plein. Contactez le MEC à 736-2100 ext. 77275.

The York & Glendon Student Christian Movement (S.C.M.) is looking for a full-time General Secretary. Contact the S.C.M. at 736-2100, ext. 77275.

Summer Volunteer Opportunities

Children and adults who have developmental handicaps need you to help them; take part in community activities. Teach a skill, spend time in a group home, or just share a coffee. If you are considering Psychology or Social Work, this may be the experience you are looking for.

For more information on how you can help a person with a developmental handicap be part of your community, call Joanne Fine at the Metropolitan Toronto Association for Community Living, 225-7166.

AVIS

The Glendon College United Nations Club presents

RAFFLE

First Prize: Two tickets for a Blue Jays game (courtesy of Metro Toronto Council)

Second Prize: A pair of ballet slippers autographed by Martine Lamy of the National Ballet of Canada (courtesy of the O'Keefe Centre for the Performing Arts)

Third Prize: Two passes for any Toronto Site (Royal Ontario Museum, Art Gallery of Ontario) (courtesy of Metro Toronto Council)

Tickets: \$1.00
three for \$2.00

Available from any member of the U.N. Club. Raffle to be held at Bilingual Pub, 21 March 1991.

Glendon Spanish Club/Club d'espagnol de Glendon

Hola Amigos!
Congratulations to Glendon's Spanish Club for a successful Latin-American Fiesta Week which took place March 5-8.

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