

NEWS

Psychology Society Needs Help

The Psychology society is organizing upcoming events such as a Dessert Pub Crawl and Winter Ball, anyone interested in helping out or joining the society is welcome to attend a meeting at five o'clock, Thursday in the Psychology lounge in Memorial. Any society (besides Engineering) that would like to join in planning the pub crawl is especially welcome to attend. There is going to be free food. That's right. Free food.

History Chair Publishes "Life, Death, God, and Medicine: A Concise History of Euthanasia"

As Parliament begins discussing bill C-407, which calls for the legalization of assisted suicide, a provocative new book by an internationally-acclaimed Canadian historian of medicine is bound to inform the coming debate.

In *Life, Death, God, and Medicine: A Concise History of Euthanasia* (Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, 2005), UPEI history professor Ian Dowbiggin exposes the many disturbing themes that link present and past, and traces the heated international controversy surrounding assisted suicide and other forms of euthanasia. Dowbiggin reminds us that the stakes in the struggle over "the right to die" are enormously high, with the lives of countless vulnerable people hanging in the balance.


Dr. Dowbiggin is Chair of the UPEI History Department. He is the author of four books on the history of medicine, including *A Merciful End: The Euthanasia Movement in Modern America* (Oxford University Press, 2003). A frequent commentator on current events and medical issues, he has been featured on C-SPAN's Book TV and National Public Radio.

Come Be Part of The Campus Cleanup Crew

Wednesday, November 2nd, between 4PM and 6PM, will be Campus Clean-up. This event, organised by the UPEI Environmental Society, is going to be lots of fun, so do come and lend a hand. And in case you can't think of any reasons to do so? Here are a few: Loads of prizes to be given away to participants, including gift certificates for Greco Pizza, the Bulk Barn, Jumbo Video, UPEI Bookstore, and more!

- ◆ Great volunteer experience to add to your resume!
- ◆ A cleaner university for you to come to and feel proud of each day!
- ◆ A more beautiful world!
- ◆ Participants will meet in the Courtyard of the Student Center at roughly 4PM. In order to be entered for the prize draw, try to get there before quarter past.

Thanks to everyone who helped organize this long due event! *Special thanks to our sponsors for their generous donations:*

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Your willingness to help out and care for the environment do you great credit.

MAPUS Executive Meeting Nov 7, 2005

The next MAPUS executive meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 7, 2005 at 1:30 pm. The meeting will be held at the MAPUS lounge in Room 07 in the Main Building. As usual, all members of MAPUS are invited to attend. You are a member if you were 22 years of age or older at the time of registration or if you are taking fewer than three courses per semester. The executive will be taking nominations for the position of Vice President at the meeting.

Test Anxiety Workshops for Students, November 7, 14, & 21

The Department of Student Services is sponsoring a series of three workshops designed to address the issue of test anxiety for UPEI students. These free workshops are scheduled for November 7, 14, & 21 in the Sports Centre Boardroom 7-9 pm. As space is limited students are asked to sign up by contacting Patsy in Student Services at 566 0488 or pmyers@upei.ca

B.Ed. Open House, Nov. 16

Are you interested in becoming a teacher? Come to the Faculty of Education Open House on Wednesday, Nov. 16, 4:30-8:00 pm (3rd Floor, Memorial).

- Program Presentation 6:30-7:00 pm
- Displays
- Refreshments

Students and Faculty members will be available to answer questions. The Open House will be of interest to undergraduates and others who may be planning a career in teaching. Specializations in: Aboriginal Education, International, and French Immersion.