

Point and Click to Your SU Today

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With a quiet click of the mouse, the University of Prince Edward Island-Student Union Inc. entered cyberspace on the 30th November, 1996. Anyone surfing the World Wide Web can now find information regarding the UPEI-SU, Upcoming Event, Interesting Sites and Clubs & Societies found at UPEI.

Jonathan Seller-VP Operations, he stated that he was happy to use this new avenue to better serve the requirements of the student body. As the project manager, the VPO hopes have these web pages used to provide improved information and flow of communication between students and their representatives on the Student Union Council through direct contact

over the web. "Everyone (students) uses the Internet these days with E-mail and all students have access to the web." Mr. Seller indicated in this past month that he has been receiving a steady flow of comments from people regarding the new web pages.

As the use of the SU's web page increase, the hope is that students will accept this method of direct participation, allowing the SU to better provide for what students want. Only a couple of clubs/societies at UPEI have made use their option to be linked to the SU's web pages, as this form of communication catches on Seller hopes more groups on campus will look into working with the SU in adding to

and improving the information located on the web pages.

The UPEI-SU's web pages can be accessed from computer stations located around campus offering students access to the web on UPEI's web server. These location are: Robertson Library-the computer room next to MAPUS, and the four computers inside the library, also in Computer Services found in the AVC- in data room 'B' where the student help desk is located. For anyone with web access at home the URL for the UPEI-SU home page is: <http://www.upei.ca/~union>

Adding to the theme of better communication between students, upcoming events for

clubs, the SU and other groups on campus can be advertised on the web. Much of the paper waste and eye sore that is constantly found on bulletin boards will be greatly reduced. This will benefit the environment, provide for a cleaner campus and aid in keeping repair costs to walls and posts on campus down.

Students that have seen or heard about the new Student Union web pages have been very receptive to the idea. Many feel that they will benefit from knowing what is going on around campus. One student expressed concern about the hype that has been made about the web, and doubts that this new effort by the Student Union will be any better for students.

It is only through the participation of students that any SU project will be successful.

Ed. Note:

All suggestions and comments about the Student Union's Web Page should be directed to the student union.

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