

education society

And we're off to the races! Skillfully dodging the many pitfalls of hitchhiking, the Education Society held its first meeting on Wednesday, September 27, with a small but enthusiastic group of activists on hand.

First things first! The Party! It seems that the faculty is willing to shoulder the costs of an evening's entertainment in the interests of bettering student-professor relation. Never ones to pass up a party, we immediately agreed. After some discussion, it was decided that an attempt would be made to organize a HillBilly Party on the Monday before Hallowe'en, starting sometime around 9 o'clock. According to plans, only those in authentic hillbilly attire will be admitted and of course, there will be some of that good ole mountain dew available in stills, and returnable bottles. If you have any ideas about this or against this, let us know.

Also on the agenda were two interesting items; an extra \$5 fee for students in Communication Arts and a representative from the students to help design the renovations to Room 15 in the Education building.

In regard to that \$5, it has been proposed by Professor Hills that a \$5 fee for the 90 students in the course would pay for some new equipment which has been deemed necessary. It was decided that the question would be looked into and re-examined at a later date.

As for Room 15, the department's budget contains \$2,000 to renovate it into a lounge. If you have any suggestions or would like to help in any way please contact Margie Cain who is the "contact girl" with the faculty on this matter.

Probably the most significant matter to be raised at this meeting, however, was the suggestion by Angela Coughlin that we look into the possibility of setting up a new course in the nebulous realm of "public relations." It seems that business students are now being offered a course in Human Relations which is designed to help them in their interaction with employees, companies and the community. Since teachers should be able to interact well with their students and with the public in general, a similar course could be of great value to the student teacher. It would also provide people with the opportunity to examine their own ideas concerning student-teacher relations and, hopefully, give them some insight into whether they could relate with their students to the desired extent. This proposal will probably already have been presented to you by the time you read this, but don't let it stop there. People are always bitching about what's wrong with the Education programme; well, here's the first concrete attempt to do something about it! Think it over!

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The next month is a fairly full one for the Confederation Center entertainment wise. The following is the schedule for the month of October.

- Oct. 1 P.E.I. Symphony
- Oct. 2 Community Concert
- Oct. 3-7 Skyjack
- Oct. 8 Young Violinists
- Oct. 9-11 Skyjack
- Oct. 12-13 Carlton Show Band
- Oct. 14 Irish Rovers
- Oct. 16 Rip Off
- Oct. 17 Ian & Sylvia
- Oct. 18-19 Cabaret
- Oct. 20 Ryans' Fancy

This is at present how the schedule stands at present. There is nothing confirmed after that. It does look like a good month. The schedule is subject to change.



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