

Dead Letter Office

IN LIKE A LAMB, OUT LIKE A LION

Dear DLO:

Wow! It must have sucked to have burned all that money just for a picture on the cover. You guys must be raking in the dough. Cool picture, though.

-Chauncy Gardner

Dear Chauncey:

You had to be there Chauncey, you had to be there-Ed.

Dear Editor:

I am not sure that I understand this new \$600 dollar "gift" that 3rd year and 4th year UPEI students and 2nd year Holland College students will be getting. Is this for everybody automatically? Jim-Beau Lieyeah's

article said that it is "targeted towards about 800 students" but aren't there more than 800 3rd and 4th year students at UPEI? Is this just for students who are Islanders? If so, what are the criteria for being an Islander? Also, what about people taking a 5th year? Do you have to be taking five courses at UPEI? And what if the 9000 Islanders with UPEI credits suddenly decide to take advantage of this? Will the government be able to handle it? Will UPEI be able to handle it? I don't understand.

-Merkin Muffley

Dear Merkin:

The government's new initiative on education, the so-called \$600 dollar gift, to 3rd and 4th year students, is

about as clear to me as it is to you but after some research I have discovered the answers to your plethora of questions, they are, as follows:

-there are more than 800 3rd and 4th year students
-it is not for Islanders exclusively
-I believe 5th year students should be available as long as they spent their entire academic career at UPEI
-3 courses constitutes full time in the student loan game, so it should for this case too.

But if it is a competitive situation one would think the deciding factors would be need rather than course load
-if the 9000 Islanders with

university credits want to take part in this initiative I suggest the university would have a whole other set of issues, but I am sure that the possibility is remote and the question is a red herring
-government can handle most things with an election nearing
-and UPEI can handle any infusion of capital on the student or administrative level.
-don't try to understand Merkin-Ed.

Dear DLO:

You guys must be a bunch of faggots. First that picture of two men kissing was on the cover and now you are

showing a picture of a man's ass. This makes me sick.

-Frank Fitts

Dear Frank:

One of my favourite sayings in the whole world is, "if you give a moron enough rope he will undoubtedly hang himself"-another is "fuck off"-Ed.

Dear Editor:

What I understand from your CD review is that you don't like free advertising. Get over it. I mean, you get free CD's. Its not like you don't get anything out of the deal. I for one am envious that you got a free Methods of Mayhem CD. I think Tommy Lee is one of the greatest musicians of our time. Right now I'm a little short on cash because my student loan ran out, but once I get enough money I am buying that

CD. I guess I'm especially bitter since you didn't like it.

-Vallery Irons

Dear Vallery:

I'll make a deal with you Vallery: If you can come down here and tell me the difference between a withdrawal in disgust, and an understanding of the scarcity of resources, and balance that off against the common tendency to overlook the obvious fairness issue and why it is that the floor in here is never quite this wet during the day and how Tommy Lee gets all those chicks, I'll give you every copy of every CD I have. But you know, you have to be really specific in your answer and there is a time limit.
-Ed.

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