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Dear Fellow Students:

Hello and a hearty welcome back from the Student Union! Now that the semester is underway and we are all up to our ears in tests and papers, we would like to fill you in on what's been going on down here and what is planned for next semester.

Our Vice President Operations, David Fitzpatrick has been busy organizing some social things to take your mind off the books and relax you. Winter Carnival is scheduled for Febuary 17 - 21 and we've got lots of things planned. Activities for the week include a hypnotist and a rockin' pub with a great band called the Grunions. Something else you'll not want to miss is an appearance by Yuk Yuks at the Panter Lounge on Wednesday, January 29th. Watch the X-press for a schedule of all Winter Carnival events and for other pubs dates and activities as they come up!!!

We will also be running a number of campaigns in the upcoming semester. These include an Addictions Awareness week, Student Union and CFS Awareness Campaigns and the traditional 'If you Love Education Day' on Febuary 14th. This is an annual campaign that usually comes complete with discounts at Smitty's for that day.

Student Union elections are coming up, with nominations opening on Febuary 14th. There are a number of positions to be filled and we can guarantee an experience that you'll never forget! Being involved can be personally rewarding as well as prepare you for the future by giving you some key skills that employers often seek in job applicants. You need not have been involved in the past but simply have an interest to becoming involved. For more information watch for more details in the X-press and if you have any qquestions, please feel free to drop by the Barn or give us a ringy dingy at 566-0530.

You are probably all aware by now of the funding situation we are currently experiencing. Students ave two concerns right now: first we have the cuts in transfers payments, which directly affects each and every student at UPEI. Second, we have a Student loan program on PEI that does not adequately serve

the students as it presently stands. We ALL have a stake in these issues and if you would personally like to help us out on our camapign, please let us know. We all have to work together for our voice to be heard.

Very important to note is the addition of Dunkin' Donuts at the Barn. This should prove to be very helpful for staying awake during those 8:30 classes!!! Note as well, the crosswalk on University Avenue...long overdue but its finally there!!

We wish you all the best of luck in the upcoming semester and leave you with the reminder that the Student belongs to each and every one of you. If you have any questions that you would like answered or concerns you want addressed please come to us. After all, that's what you elected us for!!!!

Sincerely,

Your Student Union Executive

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OF THE WEEK!!!