



# ROSES AND THORNS

Last week's SUN featured an article entitled "Athletes Defect" which speculated as to why many UPEI athletes leave our humble campus for supposedly greener athletic pastures. I wish to offer a few comments on a related topic.

If athletes such as Chris Sumner and Skeeter Mower (just two I will single out), very good athletes, wish to leave UPEI and attend a university where there are better facilities, or they are receiving more money or whatever- by all means let them go. Drive them to the ferry terminal.

Here at UPEI these athletes were (are) somebodies. They were treated royally, were receiving a decent education, and were respected. Although we may lack the facilities or the extra cash here at UPEI, I am sure those people who leave here for the greener pastures of another university will be hard pressed to find so many friendly, respectful, and even worshipping fans, fellow students and fellow

athletes. At Acadia, or St. Marys or Dal. these athletes who leave UPEI will be noodies - just another face in the crowd, a number in the university computer. Fill up the car and drive them to the ferry terminal, (charge the gas to the Athletics Department).

It seems many students were disappointed in the Teenage Head concert last Wednesday night. For five bucks I felt it just wasn't worth it. Perhaps the Student Union might be better off if they stick to bands which are cheaper (meaning cheaper tickets for the students) and put on just as good a show, and stayed away from bands with a big name and a big price. Bouquet of Thorns: Editor of last year's yearbook, Cynthia King. Think of her as you leaf through your yearbook for the first time this year. That will probably be early (or late) in the new year.

Bouquet of Roses: People

like Avelino Gomez, Curtis Brown, and Gary Polenz. Recruited for our athletic teams they have done us proud by their performances and their decision to stay with us for another year.

## PANTHER NOTES:

- Lady Panthers field hockey and Panther soccer teams are both playing at the .500 level after 4 and 2 games respectively. Looking good!
- Business Society Golf Tournament was this week. Successful we hope.
- There was a very large number of applicants for Campus Police and bartender jobs with Student Union this year. Could it be increased participation? Or could it be tough economic conditions?
- Fall Fest is just around the corner!

Have an enormous week!

## FINANCIAL AID

This week there are a few additions for my article on financial assistance.

The deadlines for any of these are quickly approaching, so don't hesitate to pick up your application form if you are eligible.

### FRIEDA CREELMAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

\$300.00 is awarded annually to a female student pursuing full-time study in one of the creative arts: music, art, drama, writing.  
Deadline: October 15, 1982.

### MARGARET MACMILLAN PRATT GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

\$600.00 is awarded annually to a female student pursuing graduate studies in any field.  
Deadline: October 15, 1982.

There is a stipulation for the above two awards; you must have resided on P.E.I. for at least 5 of the last 10 years.

### P.E.I. TEACHER'S FEDERATION SCHOLARSHIP

\$1,000.00 to students in their final year of study who are dependents of PEITF members.  
Deadline: September 30, 1982.

### RHODES SCHOLARSHIPS

Eleven scholarships are available to Canadian students to attend Oxford University in

England. Applications must be submitted by Oct. 25/82 for the 83/84 academic year.

### COMMONWEALTH SCHOLARSHIPS

To attend various universities in Commonwealth countries while pursuing postgraduate studies.  
Deadline: October 31, 1982.  
Do not delay since you have to write away for an application.

If you are interested in any of these stop by and see me. My office hours are:

Mon. & Wed. 10:00- 2:30  
Tues. & Thurs. 10:00 - 11:15  
12:30 - 2:45

Looking forward to seeing you and helping out as much as I can.

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