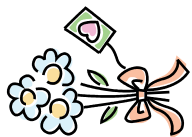


THE BUZZ



ADVANCING FUTURES BURSARY PROGRAM FEBRUARY 2010 EDITION

Happy Valentines Day!

Change can be Good...

You might remember us introducing a new Program Coordinator a few months back...

So you may be asking "what's that got to do with me?"

Well, due to our high volume of students, effective February 1, 2010, the program will now divide students into sections:

Edmonton-North students attending a certificate, diploma, or degree program will belong to Shelly Kowalewich.

Red Deer-South students attending a certificate, diploma, or degree program will belong to Lindsay McKerness.

ALL students throughout the province enrolled in academic upgrading will belong to Jena Bober.

Aren't sure where you belong?
Give us a call and we can help you out!
All of our contact information is on the other side.

Future Planning

Now is the time to start thinking about Spring...tulips and butterflies, patios and ice cream...oh yeah, and making ends meet when you're not in school!

For those of you who will be finishing up your school year in April, its time to start thinking about putting some money aside to ease the transition.

After all, most of you will finish classes and exams in late April, leaving less than a week to come up with rent money for May!

Start planning early to avoid crisis!



Love Is...

"Love is when you go out to eat and you give somebody most of your french fries without making them give you any of theirs."

Chrissy - age 6

"Love is when my mommy makes coffee for my daddy and she takes a sip before giving it to him, to make sure the taste is okay."

Danny - age 7

"Love is when you tell a guy you like his shirt, then he wears it every day."

Noelle - age 7

"Love is when your puppy licks your face even after you left him alone all day."

Mary Ann - age 4

"Love is when Mummy sees Daddy on the toilet and she doesn't think it's gross."

Mark - age 6

Vancouver 2010 Winter Olympics!



Make sure you tune in to cheer on our Canadian athletes in the 2010 Winter Olympics! The games start on February 12 with the closing ceremony being held February 28.



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*Or, if you have an update
or story you would like
published, send it our way!*

Anti-Valentines?

Don't have a secret crush or a steady snuggle buddy for Valentines? Don't worry - we are here to help! Here are some dating pointers for the singles out there...

Worst thing to say on a first date...

"I used to have a real bad bedwetting problem ... but the last couple of weeks I've gotten it under control."

"I know we just met and this might seem a little sudden ... but could I borrow five hundred dollars?"

"Go ahead and Super Size - I found spare change in the sofa today."

"Something tells me that you're very special ... but with medication I can usually ignore it."

"Wait till my wife hears about this!"



Valentine's Day Ideas for Singles

Pamper yourself

Buy yourself a Valentine's Day gift! Singles may also indulge themselves by going to the spa or cooking a great meal. Indulging in books, CDs, and enjoying some "you time" can be a good way of enjoying the day for some.

Freak out with friends

Plan a dinner or movie with friends. You may also throw a "singles party" or "Un-Valentine's Day Party" at your home and have a blast. You will know that life is fun in the company of loving friends.

Much Love To...

...One of our A-M-A-Z-I-N-G students currently attending NAIT who earned a



4.0 GPA last term!!

Way to go and keep up the hard work!

