

A STUDENT WELFARE COUNCIL PUBLICATION.
WEEK ENDING MARCH 2nd.



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Gooday,
And a warm welcome to all
.list year and returning students. Not to mention the staff.

This special edition of BARPH is basically designed for new students; to inform you of general info on the Union, Wagga land so on. You will find parts bf this edition usefuland parts not so useful, BUT... hang ron to it as it will fall into place sometime during the year.

BARPH is the weekly Student Welfare Publication, intended to inform, amuse, and involve you in what has, is, and will be happening in, on and around 'campus. Anyone may submit articles, to be left (legible) in the Union Office before 4:00 pm on Friday. Sport articles have a deadline of 10:00 am Monday morning. Barth is usually available on Tuesday morning.

After 3 paragraphs of rhubarb, we would like to wish you a top little "O" Week rage, meet lottsa people and make it a gun effort. If you feel a bit lost, bail up one of the bod's in a blue T-shirt with a blue Eureka flag on the front. Don't hesitate to ask them any non-personal questions.

Ok, now get into it. Have a rage, eat, drink and merry. (alright so don't eat so much)

Thänks for Cumming.

> "Eoputater" The Editors.


ACTIVITIES OFFICER - ROD GILLETT
The position of Activities Officer can best be described as that of an Activator, a Facilitator and an Organiser.

As an Activator the Act off should stir the senses and create possibilities with in the minds of students. This can be done by suggesting new and idfferent ideas, things, or ways of doing things that will supplemont the traditional round of dances, concerts, B.B.Q.'s and beer bashes.

The role 'of Facilitator follows that of an activator in that the Activities Officer will work with students to achieve particular aims and goals. He may suggest innovdative ways of achieving these particular aims and goals.

This can best be done by meeting face to face with the persons concerned and working through a particular problem step by step until it becomes clear how a goal is to be attained and how best to achieve that end. This role includes acting as a resource person for all clubs.

One of the main roles of the Activities Officer is to act as an Organiser. If a goa 1 is to be reached someone must set out the guidelines, decide what is to be done, do the job (or find someone else to do it) coordinate the efforts and finally present the finished product in conjunction with the Union.

The main responsibilities of the Activitlies Officer are: to co-ordinate the activities of the affiliated clubs of the Union, to facilitate student involvement in sporting and cultural activities and to act as a resource person in matters relating to sport, culture, entertainment and student political matters.

I trust that any student can feel free to approach me at any time concerning student activities at Riverine College.

SPECIAL NOTICE

## LITERATURE/DRAMA MAJOR

Students are advised that this new strand of the B.A. Liberal Studies has recently received H.E.B. approval. It is now available, to students of the College and will be taught on campus from the beginning of Autumn Semester 1981.

Students of the course will be required to take core subjects which combine literature and drama and will then have the opportunity to specialise in literature or drama or a combination of these areas.

Interested students should contact their course advisors or see members of the literature and drama staffs for further details Literature: Fred Goldsworthy, Rm 10 East Hall, Ph. 465
David Gilbey, Rm 11 East Hall
Ph. 468
Drama:
Ray Goodlass, Drama Dept. General Services Complex Ph 472
Colin Anderson, Drama Dept. General Services Ph. 473


Coors
A.U.S........................Australian Union of Students or Apathetic Unusual Specimens.

BAR...............................
Entity of music;Chocolate or Otherwise;Area of quiet social gathering.

BARPH.........................You're looking at it!

BLACK SWAN...................Affectionately known as The Duck.

BEAGLE......................Definitely not a canine specimen. Don't get caught in the booby trap.

BLAKE'S LAKES
Rivcoll's watergate.

BUSHPIGS
Rivcoll Aussie Rules team.
C.B

College Bored!

CHALKIE LAND Barooma Campus.
$\mathrm{E}^{2}$Entertainment Executive.G.BGeriactrics Board.
GREEN RUGBY Aggies' Rugby team.
GUN Term of endearment, or abuse,or sarcasm,or.
HORROR
Any female example.
JISM..Cum on now!
MEATHEAD Of army origin.

NAPPY ALLEY Aggies' last Domain.
ONION Illiterate pronunciation of Union.
ONION Scream it out one day in the Union and findout!
ONION That which is neither of the above.

REDDIES......................Rivcoll Rugby Team.

REV IT UP......................Rocker Rod's favourite farewell.

ROCHUNDA.....................Useless piece of equipment abducted from South" "campus.
S.G. Security Guard.
S.R.C Siberian Railway Commission.

STUD Hip for student. Don't get excited when you have to pay Stud fees!
TART . Certainly not jam.
TOWNIES Of "Town" origin. Those who do not ourCollege.
TURTLE . Once on your back you're fuckea. On your $\theta_{w n}$ ED.
UNION. . Local Singles Bar and Drinker's Paradise.
WANKER.Pull yourself together $1^{\text {st }}$ years!
WHITEHOUSE .Cliffy Blake's humble place of abode
WINGNUTOf Air Force origin.WHORING"Interaction" with the opposite sex!


## fhurss.

$9.00 \mathrm{am}-5 . \overline{00} \overline{\mathrm{pm}}$<br>11.00am - 3.00pm<br>12:00pm<br>$12.00 \mathrm{pm}-3.00 \mathrm{pm}$<br>$1.00 \mathrm{pm}-2.00 \mathrm{pm}$<br>2.00pm - 6.00 pm<br>2.00pm - 5.00 pm<br>9.00pm - 2.00am

Free Day
Club Day - Union Lawns
A.U.S. and T.T.A. Representatives

Second Hand Book Exchange - Union


Lunchtime Performance Comédian/Ventriloquist
Ron Blaskett and Gerry Gee (Melbourne TV Stars)
Union Auditorium - No Charge
Outside Radio Broadcast - 2WG - Union
Union Promotional videos - Union
ORIENTATION BASH - "The Benders" and "Voz"Pop"
(Melbourne) Union Lawns and Auditorium Charge \$3.
Bus - Departs 8.25 pm South Campus Rotunda Site

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7.00pm -
8.00pm -

11.00am -
$1.00 \mathrm{pm}-6.00 \mathrm{pm}$


Church Service Victory Gardens
Cricket Match - Main Oval Ag Campus
Enrolment Day - First Years C.F. Singer - Don Ross - Union Drink the Pub Dry (Venue T.B.A.) C.F. B.B.Q. - Wagga Beach
C.F. Home Away From Home Night "Keyhole" South Campus
Block Parties


## this \& that



Mrs Wendy Brooks will be available to assist Students with TEAS problems at the TEAS office.
Mon, Wed. Fri, 10am - 2pm.
All application forms should be taken to the office to be checked and despatched to Sydney.

Student.s trying to establish their Independence should contact the office as soon as possible.

## Wendy Brooks

Commonwealth Education Officer, TEAS.

## CHANGING ADDRESS?

You mus.t notify the TEAS Office IMMEDIATELY to prevent delay or loss of cheques and letters. We need at least a fortnight's notice to redirect cheques.

If your cheque is

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& \text { LOST } \\
& \text { STOLEN } \\
& \text { DESTROYED }
\end{aligned}
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or NOT RECEIVED BY THE FRIDAY POST of the week it is due you must contact the TEAS office at once. A duplicate cheque will be issued in 10-15 working days.

## Wendy Brooks

On Campus Office, Mon, Wed, Fri, 10am-3pm.


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RACE is a student publication which will be printed and circulated within the next two (2) weeks.

All articles from students and others are welcomed.
Closing date for articles is Monday 2nd March at 4pm.

John Adams \& Co Editors.


To all welcome or welcome back as the case may be.

I would just like to remind you, that STUDENT. HIRE is still operating, for those of you who do not know of STUDENT HIRE it is an employment agency for casual work administered by the Rivcoll Union to provide students with an opportunity to earn extra cash.

The system is very simple. There are no registration.fees or commission charges. Students needing casual employment should

1. Come to the Union Offices and ask for Trish.
2. Fill in a registration card.
3. Check regularly with Trish for jobs.

People wanting to hire students, phone requiring gardeners, baby sitter, tractor drivers, painters, etc, etc

A base rate of $\$ 3.80$ is set but students may negotiate a rate with the employer above this for specialised work e.g tutoring. There are lower rates for baby sitting.

For further information come to the Union Offices.

All students who were registered previousley MUST re-register this semester.

VOLUNTEERS REQUIRED TO DISTRIBUTE AND ADVERTISE STUDENT HIRE INFORMATION.


MAIL ROOM..........9.00 till 5.00 weekdays.
CBC BANK............l0.00 till 3.00. Lunchbreak..ll. 30 till 12.30.
CO-OP (STORE)......9.00 till 5.30. Closed Weekends.
Bookshop...........9.00 till approx 5.00.
CANTEEN............l0.00 till 5.00...agg. campus. Closed weekends.
9.00 till 5.00....boorooma campus.

BAR............... 12.00 till $2.00 \mathrm{am} . \quad(" O "$ Week only)
You'll get to know the usual times.
LIBRARY.............Who knows... who cares!!!


## enrolment

## ENROLMENT ADVICE

Perhaps you have made up your mind before coming to the College about what diploma/ degree pattern and what subjects you will be enrolling in. It is still worth your while to talk to all the people you can - both course advisors and students have diact experience with the courses and know about work loads, competence of lecturers and other sundry items which will make your academic life here either happy of unhappy.wr
What you enrol in during ' 0 ' Week is not binding. You can of course change both schools and courses but this entails a great deal of bureaucratic red-tape on the part of the administration and sore feet for you!
Even if you have been offered enrolment in the school of your choice, you are not bound to follow the degree course you have indicated on your application. You may vary that each year as long as you conform to the school regulations for diploma/degree patterns.

Enrolment begins on February 23. You may vary your enrolment for First. Semester subjects up until March 13. The last day to withdraw from First Semester or year-long subjects is May 26. Enrolments may be varied for Second Semester up until August 14. You 'may withdraw from Second Semester subjects up until October 2. Be sure to seek advice on course variation and withdrawal, it could prejudice your TEAS allowance. Wendy Brooks in Student Services is extremely belpful to all students with any problems involving TEAS and enrolments. Be sure that you check with her about any course variation and for problems with TEAS.

Attend different course lectures. You will find this an invaluable way of discovering the 'feel' of different courses.
During ' 0 ' Week, the College's academic staff will be providing course advice and detailing more specific information on particular courses.

## ASSESSMENT

When choosing a course it is best to learn what the actual requirements of the course are. Find out what topics are to be studied, and assessment procedures used. How many essays, tutorials, seminars, practicals and semester and end of year exams, and what they are worth towards the final assessment. You have then some idea of your work load, your daily and weekly committments. If you are discontented with any course, see your course co-ordinator and talk about it. If it's a matter of assessment, see if you can work out an option. For instance a take-
home exam or open book ex̆am (where you are allowed to take texts into the exam room) in place of the more traditional exam.


These options are becoming popųlar in many Colleges - replacing the traditional examination system. As well, try an option on a set topic; seminar paper or project. .Ask also if the course co-ordinator will allow a choice of topics in a major essay or project. This also is quite common and well worth your while.

If you are still unhappy about the course, have a talk to the Dean of the School. They are usually most helpful. You might contact your student reps on the College Board. Matters such as assessment, special consideration and others are of concern to these committees. Students are elected to them and they offer an effective means of representation. Use your student reps. They are there to help and represent you. Use these structures, as they work for you and your interests.

## SOME COURSE REQUIREMENTS

Check to see if a-level of competence is $q^{\text {assumed }}$ for any course you are undertaking.

## EXPECTATIONS

Think about why you wish to enrol in a certain course. What do you hope to achieve? Might another course help in your choice of career? Ask students who have completed a course their opinion. College tutors are worth talking to; they may know others to talk with.

## YOUR DIPLOMÄ/DEGREE PATTERN

In working out a diploma/degree pattern, you will need to note course offerings in later years, particularly if you are keen to major in one particular area. Peruse the College Handbook to see what combinations are permissable.

Find out if any subjects/courses are "compulsory for particular degrees/diplomas, and if special options on individual reading and research courses are available. Note what courses are pre-requisites and co-requisites for later years. That way you'l1 have a better idea how to plan your courses.

Workload is very important when mapping out your diploma/degree pattern, at least in first year. If your workload takes its toll, don't hesitate to withdraw from one of your courses. Once again, be sure to check whether your withdrawal will prejudice your TEAS/Teacher Scholarship. Wendy Brooks can help here.

## FAILING

If you do fail a semester or year long , course you will need to refer to the Handbook and the course co-ordinator. Regulations vary but usually you will be able to do the course the following semester or year. Don't forget to enquire as to how this might affect your TEAS or scholarship.
HELP
If things aren't working out the best, you don't feel you are coping with a course or courses, talk it over with your tutor, lecturer, head of department or faculty dean. They are there to help you.

It is well to discuss with some "official" person any major problem which you may confront. This way you have "documented" evidence if you should require special consideration.

Other students are worth talking to, like a college tutor or another student in the course. It's not cheating to use another's notes, but more worthwhile to talk with that person. This often triggers off valuable discussion.

## CHANGE OF COURSE

The Handbook has the last date for withdrawing from a course, whether it be semester or year long. If you feel you are falling behind in a course or no longer find it interesting or satisfactory extra help can be
arranged from your tutor, lecturer or
counsellor. However, if you do decide to drop a subject or unit, pick up an Enrolment Variation form from Enrolments in Graham Block, have it signed by both the head of the relevant department and the Dean. To change.schools, see the deans of both schools for advice and Enrolments for credit for courses completed in the school in which you originally enrolled. Likewise if you've completed courses at other tertiary institutions, you may be eligible to credit those courses towards your degree at Rivcoll. Pat Kelly can advise.


## SPECIAL CONSIDERATION

If your academic work has been interrupted in any way during the year or exam time, apply for special consideration. If you have experienced hardship, illness or personal or other problems you are eligible for special consideration. A statement from a doctor, counsellor, staff member or employer who knew of your difficulties at the time and is prepared to give details on your behalf about how your studies were affected should be produced.

If your final assessment is borderline, your application for special consideration may mean a pass or special exam. To apply, obtain a form from Pat Kelly and your case comes up before the school committees. See regulations in the Handbook.
DEFERRING
The College will grant one year's leave or deferment at the end of the academic year or mid-way through. This is usually better than dropping out. Get some advice first, work your case out for deferring and consult the TEAS or scholarship people.

## EXTENSIONS

If you find you are unable to meet a deadline for an essay, assignment, prac report or tut paper, ask for an extension of time before the due date. Ask your tutor or lecturer whether penalties are incurred if a piece of work is submitted later. If you were ill or having personal problems a statement/certificate from a doctor or counsellor is helpful. If you have problems with the course or the essay topics see the tutor/lecturer for help.

Rod Gillett


Activities Officer

## WAGGA WAGGA



## Riverina College of Advanced Education

Riverina College opened in 1972 with three Schools: Applied Science, Business and Liberal Studies and Teacher Education, on the site of the former Wagga Wagga Teachers College. In 1974 the College began moving to its present site north of the Murrumbiagee River and adjacent to Wagga Agricultural College which merged with Riverina CAE in 1976 to become the School of Agriculture. The Creative Arts Centre became the fifth 'School' within the College in 1977.

ABOUT WAGGA WAGGA.
Wagga Wagga is the largest provincial city in NSW outside the urban conglomerate of Newcastle-Sydney-Wollongong.
With a fast growing population, $(40,000)$ the city of Wagga is the centre of the Riverina, one of the richest and most
productive primary producing areas in in Australia.

TRANSPORT.
Wagga is accesible by rail, road, plane, from Sydney,
Melbourne \& Adelaide.
There is a daily bus service
to Canberra as well as interstate services.
Train services operate every day to many country \& city areas. Student concessions are
available on all government transport from Wagga.

Sth.Campus



# $E^{2} E^{2} E^{2} E$ 

$E^{2}$ would like to extend a warm welcome to all new students and of course to our returning supporters.
$E^{2}$ is the Entertainment Executive of.Rivcoll Union, your student body. The Executive endeavours to bring you, the students, a variety of entertainment at the lowest possitle cost. This year we hope to carry on that tradition, but due to budget cuts and the unwillingness of Melbourne and Sydney bands to travel we may miss out on some of the very biggest acts in Australia.

For first year students, your first experience with $E^{2}$ will be orientation week which is co-ordinated by $E^{2}$ and the Activities Officer, Rod Gillett. During the semester. we present entertainment on Thursday nights and in the past we have been loyally supported by students which allows us to be an ongoing concern. These Thursday nights are a great opportunity to relax with friends and support the bar, while being entertained by a variety of artists.
As you will understand, $E^{2}$ must charge a cover charge on certain nights to cover expenses. These cover charges are just that, they cover costs, we are not out to make profits. We can only ask that you support your Union and $E^{2}$ and have a really great time at College.

Your Executive for 1981 is:John White, Robert Barnes, Ordette Mannering, Julianne Murtagh, Spiros Stathis, Anne Turner, Rosemary Provera, Donald Kirkpatrick, Mark Cooper, Ross Henly and Rod Gillett, the Astivities Officer is an ex-officio member of $\mathrm{E}^{2}$.


Finally, follow Barph and posters to find out what entertainment is coming. your way. Entertainment put on by $E^{2}$ is idvertised as such and presented by the above committee.

Yours in Entertainment, John White President


## DEMPSEY'S DRAMATIC TOLR

Bus Tour of Wagga's Culturāl Highlights departing main Campus 2.30pm Wednesday February 25. Don't miss it.

It's on again for young and old, this year's tour of Wagga's Kultural highlights It wiil be bigger and better than ever!

This year, there are visits to all mafor beverage outlets will be included as well as a competition called. SPOT THE BOTTLE'(

The winner will receive his marching orders for not being blind enough by the time he or sbe gets on the bus.

Again our very own Wagga Botanical Gardens and Zoo will be visited and also a stop off at Wagga Race Track is intended.

Tickets for this excursion into your mind are avaiiable in the Survival Kit.

A limit of 45 (drunks) will be allowed as dwe have only the single decker bus dur to that nasty incident involving the police last year with the double decker bus.
Unfortunately I will not be able to make it this year as your tour guide as I have previously committed myself to showing a group of elderly ladies around the lovely Wagga Municipal Refuge and environs. I have arranged for a suitable substitute in I Havanava, who is experienced in Women's Weekly Pub Discovery Tour Guide. Hoping you all have a blinding time.

Yours in mind expanding tours.


## Activities: ${ }^{\text {© }}$ UN/N//

ACTIVITIES COUNCIL
Firstly, welcome all clean living, honest law abiding, new students. O.K. now.we have said to those two boring inactive deadshits, its hi hi hi from the Activities Council Chairperson (whatever that implies.) you're very own commander of sin, Paul Dempsey.
You may, ask what is this thing you call Activitie's Council. Well you may ask.

Basically it started from a humble beginning early in 1980 with a few ron-sporting clubs, which were over-shadowed by the sporty brutes from the Sports' Council. But, over the past 12 months it has developed into the largest council on the Union.

It is made up of the following clubs, each of which has a representative on the Activities Council: Ag Club, Art Elub, Car Club, Christian Fellowship, Commerce Club, Kulture Klub, Drama Club, Entertainment Executive, Film Club, Life Management, Labor Club, Motor Cycle Club, Pak Hok, Outdoors Club, Overseas Students Assoc, Womens Support Group.

Monthly meetings are held in the meeting room of the Union. Most of the above
clubs are very active in their particuitar area and they look forward to increasing * their membership at Club Day during Orientation Week.

You can join any of the above Clubs ( Excluding the Kulture Klub) on Club Day, Thursday February 26 from 11 am - 3 pm .

The main idea behind the Activities Council is to generate involvement in any area. No longer do you have to be a 16 stone beer swelling hulk that doesnt mind taking it in the rear pocket or putting the boot into a hokker, to be involved with fun loving students.

The diversity of club activities makes sure that a11 tastes and moods are covered for a student.

Being a student should not just mean receiving a piece of paper at the end of $2,3,4$, or 7 years (in my case) of Education at a tertiary institution. It should be total! By this I mean involving yourself in activities which have not in the past been on offer or which may not have on offer after you leave. This is virtually your last. chance to experience a wide range of activities which, could open new fields. Or just getting involved for the sake of a good time.

So lets get.activated and make 1981 the year of the Hunm Socio Cultural Multi Involved Rivcoll STUDENT.

Yours in Activities, Paul Dempsey.

## DUKE of KENT

WELCOME NEW \& CONTINUING STUDENTS.

# HOTEL 

** FREE LIVE MUSIC THURSDAY \& FRIDAY NIGHTS.
**COUNTER LUNCHES---6 DAYS!!!!
**OPEN SUNDAY 12.00-9.30!!!!!
**THE DUKE'S THE PLACE TO RELAX \& RAGE...




## lost

## LOST PROPERTY

Recording: The Cost Property Office shall be located in the Mail Room; Agriculture Campus.

Property assumed or known to be "lost property" shall be lodged with the lost property office as soon as possible after the discovery of an item/s. Out of normal office hours, but only in circumstances suggesting urgency, items may be lodged with the Security Officer on duty.

A records book shall be maintained to show the undermentioned particulars relating to any item: Date of receival

Date of finding Description of item Where found Name and address of finder Signature of finder, if appropriate Name and address of claimant Signature of claimant Date of retrieval of item Remarks or action taken
In addition to the completion of the records book, a receipt shall be issued to the finder of money or other valuables.

It shall not be necessare to record items of clothing or other items of non valuable nature and only items of this nature which are in reasonable condition, will be accepted into the office.

Retention Period: The retention period for various classes of items shall be:

* Money - 3 months
* Items of Value - 6 months
* Clothing etc - 1 month

Money and other items of value may be the subject of appropriate periodic advertising. Claim Procedure: Money and other items of value will be released upon the approval of a senior officer with delegated authority from the Bursar, and following interview with the claimant. The approving officer shall require satisfactory evidence of ownership and ensure the recording of the appropriate sections of the records book, prior to release of a claimed item.
Clothing and other non valuable items may be released to a claimant offering suitable description of an item and any other relevant details. No signature of acquittance will be required. Disposal of unclaimed Items: Money shall be returned to the finder in accordance with the claim procedures above.

Items of value, other than money, shall be disposed of by auction with the net proceeds therefrom to be paid into the "Needy Students Assistance Loan Fund". ty
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Clothing and other non valuable items shall be distributed to a suitable charity organisation.
Late Claims: The College will not entertain claims received following disposal of an item/s under these rules.


#  <br> Rivcol Drama 

And what, we hear you ask, is Rivcol Drama?


It's the drama section of this, College and all of our productions are presented under this title.

During any one year we undertake a varying range of productions, ranging from Australian plays to Shakespeare, from musicals to lunch time theatre from the straight to the absurd.

Only occasionally are the productions limited to drama students and auciitions for forthcoming productions are widely advettised around the College but particularly here in 'BARPH' (where else?)

If you'd like to know more, feel free to contact any member of the drama staff: Colin Anderson, Ray Goodlass or Peter Barton. The Drama Office is located in the group of buildings on the right as you come through Dooroma Street gates into the College proper.

Or just show up at any audition you see advertised.

## 1981 FIRST SEIESTER PRODUCTIONS.

"THE BACCHOI" - a rock version of the Greek classic where Dionysis, the God of wine and Opiates comes to earth to spread the word. Weird, wonderful, exotica - so big in scale that we had to take it outdoors. To open in the College Winery on April 4 th for a 6 night season. Directed by Ray Goodlass; designed by John Reid; Musical Director: Max Reeder. Watch this space for further details.
"THE FANTASTICKS" - a musical fantasy with a tiny cast and superb songs. In The Dootleg wine Bar, second week in June.Director: Colin Anderson Designer: Tony Burdis. "MIITE LIARS" two punk rockers consult a fortune teller at a country fair for an answer to their future. A Lunch Time Theatre production in the City Art Gallery Theatrette, 3rd week in June. Directed by Kay Goodlass; Designed by Peter Barton.

Rivcol Drama - where it's all happening!



Map correspands to coding on the mentioned places.

## A.O. RACESo..

*AUSTRALIAN RULES CLUB Top interstate and sydney bands play regularly. Good rage.
*BAYLIS CENTRE.
(A)

After a Thursday night rage, columned mirrors are a novel experience.
*BOOTLEG WINE BAR.
(B)

Regular live entertainment. Nice for a quiet drink or otherwise.

> *BOWLING ALLEY. (C)

If Fonzies is packed but you're not into bowling,it's gun.

## (D)

*FONZIES.
Great on a thursday night if you feel like being tough.

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*WAGGA BEACH.
surf's up at 5pm.
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*GALAXIAN. (E)
Definitely the go on a saturday morning.
*GEESE IN MEMORIAL PARK. (F)
If you feel like getting the run around, this is the place for you.
*RANDY'S DISCO
(G)

For all you Disco Dazzlers, Bop till
you Drop at Randys'. In strong
competition with Lesty's Disco!
*TOY DEPT., K-MART
(H)
wide selection for the probing mind.



# dad says... 

FROM THE CHAPLAIN - FATHER TOM CORRIGAN
Welcome to Riverina College!
You will find my OFFICE in DOMAN BLOCK, near the Doctor's surgery. Phone Ext. 243

I live in C BLOCK, South Campus. I'm also icontactable at South Naga Presbytery, Fernleigh Road, near South Campus. Phone 252111.

I'm at the College to support and encourage students who wish to be part of a Christian Community or who are searching for the true values of Christinaity. While being a Catholic priest, with a special interest in the Catholic Community, I support other Christian groups like the Christian Fellowship and the Uniting Church Fellowhsip. Please 'feel free to call either at my office or at South Campus.
WHATS HAPPENING THIS SEMESTER?
A MASS to inaugurate the College year will be celebrated at OUR LADY OF FATIMA CHURCH, Bourke St, Sth Wagga, just near South Campus on SATURDAY 7 th MARCH at 7PM. Afterwards, come to C BLOCK for eats, and drinks, and to meet some new friends. If you are living at MAIN CAMPUS transport will be arranged to bring you into town.
MASS is celebrated EVERY SUNDAY at 7PM on MAIN CAMPUS, in the white Student and Community Affairs Building in 'Nappy Alley', beginning on SUNDAY IST MARCH.
WEEKEND RETREAT is held each Semester. It's usually a quiet, informal, reflective weekend with plenty of fun and sharing in peaceful surroundings. The venue is BLOWERING FOREST CAMP, near Batlow and our camp this Semester is on Weekend 20th - 22nd MARCH, Friday evening till Sunday afternoon. Cost just $\$ 12$ seek me out for further information. Keep the weekend free!
"PREFARE": FOR COUPLES intending to marry or couples in a steady relationship, this is an instrument designed to help you learn more about yourself, your partner, and your relationship. It enables you to identify the STRENGTHS of your relationships and also any areas of TENSION which you may need to work through with your partner. It has no specific religious orientation, and all consultations are confidential. I am trained and authorised to administer "PREPARE" which requires an initial session, followed up by a feedback session. See me for further enquiries. MARRIAGE AND FAMILY DISCUSSIONS are being held in Wagga in the coming weeks. This programme consists of 5 home discussions focusing especially on MARRIAGE. If you
would like to join a group or form a College group, you can make arrangements through me. Kits are available for the course.

## Father, Pm confused.

One minute lm up.
Then you must the next minute pray to the patron I'm down.... saint of ups T and downs.


## AG CLUB

The Wagga Agricultural Club is the coordinating body of the students in the School of Ag. and it's broad aim is to foster the social and sporting interests of Ag. students. All Ag. students are expected to join.

The executive of the club extends a warm welcome to 1st year Aggies, and in particular the uncles and aunties amongst you. A welcome back is also in order for those continuing on in and to 5th year!

You will quickly find that Ag Club activisties will constitute an important part of your College life. During the year the Club holds two formal balls, two dinners, debating night, presentation night, Melbourne Cup Calcutta, Mott auctions, Mott race, athletics and swimming carnivals, Rugby series, tennis competition and other social events. Some of these competitions are held on an interyear basis.

1st year Ag students should remember that we've got answers to most of your problems but you must ask eg. if you are looking for accommodation track down an Aggie for help. Start with the Union bar. It is a good idea to ask another Aggie, even if the college accommodation service has found you a flat in town, as we may know of something more convenient or suitable to you.
The club executive look forward to talking. to new members on Thursday (enrolment day) on the Union lawns. Hope to see you soon, or sooner!

## OPEN DAY

An "Open Day" letter to all students.
In October last year, I explained that we were organizing an Open Day for Saturday the 4th April. That's now only a matter of 4 or 5 weeks away.

We are inviting people from all over the region to join us anytime from 9 am to 5 pm , to see or participate in a range of displays and activities that relate to our work and life.

This function thas all sorts of benefits. For instance, many people in Wagga City haven't even been on the College grounds. Others have reservations of the amound and variety of work that students and staff have to cover. Again, few know of the social and cultural activities that students learn to organize for themselves.

Open Day will do much to improve public knowledge of us.

If you look at the draft program displayed on the notice board outside the Union and Swan Theatre, you can see the variety of things that are available. To encourage people to visit us, we have tried to blend the serious aspects with a "fun" interpretation of the activities involved in our work

You will also notice that the Union activities aren't specific. You will be asked by the various clubs and the Union management to help publicise all sorts of aspects of student life. There's not much time, so be prepared to get into it quickly.

Open Day isn't just for visitors. Even if you have been for some years, there will be a lot of places on the College that you haven't seen, and activities that you didn't know about. Whether you're a new or continuing student, this is an ideal chance to move around the campus and see what people to in other sections.

As it's an all day function and we expect between 5,000 and 10,000 people, we will need lots of helpers. We need people to give out sample bags at entry points to the College, guide traffic to parking areas and give advice at information booths.

It's our hope that nobody will be working for more than an hour or two at a time. If we can get enough volunteers, we can arrange rosters to ensure a service to visitors, and yet give everyone a chance to be with family or friends to have our own look at the activities.
If you are not already working on a display, will you contact Rob Trevethan, Psychology Department in Graham Building (phone 476) and volunteer your help? and staff to wear a small stick-on label * which says "Ask Me". I know this has another connotation, but our intention is that visitors can easily identify people who can give them guidance to places on compus.

This is our first Open. Day. The program looks excellent. Get involved in as many activities as you can, because it's going to be a most enjoyable experiencè.

Keith Lysaght
for Organising Committee

## FILM CLUB <br> The Film club has a showing of

 films each and every Sunday night, (except during holidảys \& longweekends), in the-swan Lecture Theatre.Usual cost is $\$ 1.00$ per nite,
( 2 films), or for $\$ 5.00$ youcan get a semester ticket.
The film club endeavours to bring you as many of the latest films as possible and if ypu have any ideas let the executive know (Union Offi -ce mailbox) or talk to the creeps at the door of the theatre on Sun. nights.

> Rage on kiddo's, Cris "Dylan" Armstrong, P.S.

Film festivals are a part of Gur activities and you will hear more of this as the semester wears on. Film Club calender will appear in RACE.


The Rivcoll Child Care Centre is run by the Rivcoll Student Union, but the day-to-day affairs are dealt with by the Child Care Commdttee. This committee is made up of parents,interested persons and a technical adviser from the School of Teacher Education. The Centre was established on campus to cater for the needs of those who wished to bring their childr -en with them to College but couldn't take them to lectures, appointments ormeetings. Originally opened for the children of students and staff in the College the Child Care Centre is now open to the general public.

## WHERE IS IT?

The Child Care Centre is located on Agriculture Campus at 309 Pine Gully Rd. Access is from either the front entrance on Pine Gully Rd or from the back entrance on Cowabbie Drive (Nappy Alley) for trose people who come over the hill from Boorooma Campus. The Centre is open from 9:00 am till 5:00pm on weekdaysand at other times by àrrangement.

## Kulture

THO CAN USE IT?
Anybody at the College or in the Wagga community may use the facilities of the Child Care Centre This includes academic and nonacademic staff, full-time and parttime students, and those who have a meeting or appointment in Wagga or on Campus. Children may attend the Centre on anhourly, daily or weekly basis. . A qualified school teacher is in attendance assisted by parents, volunteer student helpers and a trained part-time nursing sister.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

The 1981 schedule is as follows;
FULL-TIME CARE: $\$ 25.00$ per child per week for the first child and reduced rates for any extra, children from the same family.

PART-TIME CARE: $\$ 6.00$ per child
per day with reduced rates for as above.
: $\$ 1.00$ per child
per hour.

This year's events may include a show featuring one of the ladies from Bangkock the boys brought back, who is able to do amazing feats with ping pong balls. Doody would have nothing on this girl!

Courses on offer will more than likely include the ever popular Break'n'Enter Car Stealing course and Indoor Pot Plant production.

Don't forget to get on Dempsey's Dramatic Tour which will be obviously one of the highlights of 0 Week. As with last year the Kulture Klub has given it's full support to this cultural excursion through Wagga.

Tiij the next time the pen hits the paper.

PAUL DEMPSEY
for the Kulturé Klub executive
Phil Rava
Geoff Roddy
with more cultural shows and courses.
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Dennis Plemming

# BITS \& PIECES 

ACCOMMODATION: Carinya Caravan Park has caravan sites and modern On Site Vans avialable for college students, excellent facilities with air-conditioned lounge, close to main campus. Special rates for students, so call in and inspect our facilities in Pine Gully Road or Phone 213467 for particulars.

Riverina College of Advanced Education

DOOR KNOCKERS WANTED

THE RED CROSS IS SEEKING VOLUNTEERS (STAFF AND/OR STUDENTS) TO ACT AS DOOR KNOCKERS FOR THEIR APPEAL TO be held on SUNDAY, 29 MARCH 1981.

WOULD ALL INTERESTED PERSONS PLEASE CONTACT:

MR. ALAN HELYAR<br>CHAIRMAN, WAGGA WAGGA RED CROSS,<br>at the OXFORD PRINTERY

OR
PHONE: 213196


TEXT BOOKS FOR SALE
Biology Students (Bio 1A 1B)
Biological Science - Keeton $\$ 17.00$
Biology Dictionary - $\$ 3.00$
Physics Students
Tilley Othum - \$20.00
Chemistry
Chemical principals $\$ 17.00$
SI Chemical Data $\$ 4.00$
Chemical principals study guide $\$ 7.00$
Organic Chemistry $\$ 10.00$
Geology Students
Earth $\$ 12.00$
Elementary Practical Geology $\$ 7.00$
Microbiōlogy $\$ 17.00$
Contact M Schmidtke via
Carinya Caravan Park or Pigeon holes.

## TO LET

16' 6" Caravan with annexe.
Crockery and linen supplied.
Access to laundry and air-conditioned TV/Study Room
\$24 per week plus electricity Contact: Lester Legg Site 4 Carinya Caravan Park or Phone 213467

WANTED.
Fit, near fit, unfit or just anyone interested in playing in. a mens softball comp.
Spread the word around and lets go pitching
Just think we might even get to have a
crack at the girls.
If interested, Contact
Michae 1 Wynne
Ext 233, or leave your name and contact address at the Student's Union.

## DISCOUNTS

THE FOLLOWING RETAI£ STORES IN WAGGA OFFER SOME FORM OF STUDENT DISCOUNT, AVAILABLE ONLY ON PRESENTATION OF STUDENT I.D. CARD.

## BOOKSHOPS:

Gateway Bookshop.
Discount on textbooks only.
McRaes Bookshop.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Norman Ross. Hobby Centre. Paint \& Paper.
Wagga Dry Cleaners. Harmony House.
Quintals Wholesale Stationary. Geales Hardware.
Village Drive-in.
Janmar Camera House,
10\%on items.
20\%on Ilford Products.

HAIR DRESSERS:

Julio Hair Stylist. Discount on perms and colours

Lakners.
Discount Mon. to Fri.
Na Groma Hair Salon.

SEWING:
Tijuana Sewing \& Knitting Centre. 10\% discount.

Singer Sewing \& Knitting Centre.
Lawson's Fabrics.

## MEAT :

B.B.Q. Butchery. 10\% discount. Special student meat packs.

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## CARS:

Midtown Auto Repairs.

- 10\% discount.

Riverina Wholesale Traders. 15-20\% discount.

Crocker \&Parker Electrics. 10\% discount.

Car Radio \& Hi Fi Centre. 10\% discount on recommended retail price.

## JEWELLERS:

Philippe's Jewellers. 10\% discount.

Stuart's Jewellers. 10\% discount.

## RECORDS:

Abraxas.
Haberechts.

## SHOES:

Berrigans Shoes.
Miltons Gear.
Ricks Jeans.

CHEMIST:
Kennedy's Pharmacy.

SPORT:

Tolland Squash \& Fitness Centre. Reduced rates.

Schipps Sports Store.

## SPORT

## VOLLEYBALL

Welcome back to all seasoned College people and may the Volleyball Club extend a special welcome to all new College people.

Whatever the status, are you looking for something enjoyable, exciting, thrilling, scintillating, stimulating and mind boggling? Come and play Volleyball! Whether you are interested in social or competitive volley ball, come to us, no matter therextent or even presence of Volleyball skills. We'll organise you into a team, or you can organise your own team, to play in the town comp.

Last year College entered nine teams in… both the autumn and spring competitions. Of the four women's teams, three mens. teams and two mixed teams, one premiership was attained by Wooshez in the autumn comp. while supporters saw Waminda get downed in the grand final of the spring comp. This year we hope to improve on that average with the possible organisation of a general training/coaching session for both old and new players to improve their skills. The feasibility of o'ther training sessions will be decided upon by each individual team.

The town competition is conducted ewery Thursday night at the Bolton Park Stadium. The stadium itself is just off the main street in Morgan Street, right next to the lpcal swimming pool. So for those depending on the College bus service for transport, getting to and from the stadium shouldn't prove any hassle.
The comp starts on the 12 th March, so if you're interested in playing volleyball sign up at the volleyball table on Club Day, Orientation Week. Here's hoping for a big roll-up.

See you there, Sheryl Brown President

## VOLLEYBALL

Volleyball is a strongly supported sport at College. Last year we had 8 teams competing in a strong town competition in most grades, and we enjoyed a few successes. The town competition is run on a Thursday night with the earliest games at 6 o'clock and the latest at ten. Players can play in A Grade mens and womens and enjoy a fair amount of competition or play in the lower grades mainly for a good thime. Volleyball practice is run on Thursday lunchtime in the gym and all matches start the Thursday of the first week of lectures, ie. 5th March. All new and continuing players please present yourselves at the Volleyball table on Club Day, Thursday ' 0 ' Week, and remember, volleyballers have bigger balls.

SPIKE.
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## BUSHPIGS

The Riverina College Australian. Rules Football Club, better known in country NSW as the Bushpigs invite any potential or interested Australian Rules Footballer to join our ranks for the 1981 football season.

The Pigs' field a 1st and 2nd XVIII in the Central Riverina League. In this league they have enjoyed one of the most colourful histories of any side. In the early life of the club (back in the early mid seventies), consistency was the key. Consistantly winning the wooden spoon year after year. This was spoilt in 1978 when the Pigs, under Peter Ponting came from last after their first round to win the premiership. In the finals again in ' 1979 and missed by percentage in 1980. The 1980 season will be remembered as. the year the bushpigs held the first ever |Bushpig Debutante Ball starring Max (tangles) Walker. It has been described by many oldboys as the best evening ever staged by a college team.

Any first year dubious of the quality of athlete that has represented the bushpigs should peruse the following list:Neil Bruce - NSW State Aussie Rules Key Mike Pledge - NSW State Aussie Drinking Key.
Robby Ash NSW State Aussie Whoring Key Mal Vogan - had his bitch pregnant more times than any one Aussie Rules player in NSW.
Rod Giilett - NSW State bullshitter and major job getter doner.
Paul Butterworth - Best. and fairest CRL 1980 Best and Fairest Bushpigs 1980. Joint assist coach 1981 - Gun.
Stan Stavros - best wog president. so far.
From these notorieties it is obvious we iare a social club who take our football seriously when it comes to the crunch.
I Our senior coach for the 1981 season will be Wayne Fox - ex Tasmanian Footballer who played with the Rock Yerong Creek in Farrer league last year. The seconds will be coar- ed by Max Armstrong from Maher.

Our training nights during the season are usually Tuesday and Thursday nights and sometimes Wednesday as well depending on how lectures stand. Except. for lecture commitments Thursdays are compulsory.

Anyone who is considering an early run, there is a group running from. Wagga Beach on Tuesday nights at approx 6.00 pm . The run lasts about an hour. Drinks afterwards may take a little longer.

On Thursday there will be a table set up
between the Union and the 01d Gymnasium for students to sign up with the Bushpigs after they have enrolled.

On Thursday night there will be a meeting. and training run for all past and prespective players at the poo1. Ag Campus at 6.00 pm . The run is not compulsory but it is imperitive that all past players attend the meeting for at least 10 minutes.

Afterwards all past, present, new and old players will be invited to adjourn to the bar to welcome in the new season in the appropriate manner.

Your Treasurer sucking piss for the Pigs.

Terry Fuller.


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## 1st year students......

## T.J. TELLS

What to expect this year at Rivcoll (otherwise titled - reflections by an ex-1st year student)

Congratulations to all newcomers to Rivcoll and also to all continuing. students who are game enough to attempt to stomach another year.

By this time, you would have noticed a degree of fragmentation within the College. This College must be the least unified place in Australia you could have chosen to inhabit.
College campuses are spread from Griffith to Albury, three in Wagga and a probability is that a Goulburn campus may soon be added to the collection.

The student body also lacks unity, with the "Chalkies", "Aggies" and "Arties" always fighting among themselves (The Administration and Science students are generally ignored).
The college administration is highly disorganised, rarely knowing what each section is doing - as can be seen in brochures advertising bus fare for 30 cents - three year out of date.
And of course, do you think the Principal could ever agree with the Student Union about anything (its a pipe dream).
On the industrial scene, please have pity ón your lecturers. They get a very raw deal with their working conditions. The nonacademic staff have a great method of expressing dissatisfaction - their 30\% resignation rate per annum is an accurate indication.
Rivcoll Sports teams, of course, are all fighting (dare I say strugg7ing) for supremacy. Red Rugby, The Turtles, Table Tennis, all boast in vain of their superiority. But it is a well-known fact that the club (though not officially recognised as a sport) with the most active members is the Apathy Club.
(I might mention here that apathy is otherwise known as the Rivcoll desease. The only known cure is the influx of a greater number of extremist activists. It doesn't matter what you believe in, but PLEASE, this year express it!)

I have mentioned here just the beginnings of the factionalisation you will see at Rivcoll.

About the only groups which are compatible are the males and the females (at least theres something right around here!).
Three things you find about Rivcoll:

1. Most people dislike most other people
2. The Christians love everyone
3. If you àre an atheist just remember that God made you too.


Have a great year

* Watch out for day trippers.


## HANDY HINTS

Play spot the college person at BIG, BIG Union nights when we re invaded by flocks of soiled townies.
*Beware of falling trees.
Look out for the traffic officer when you go the wrong way around the roundabout.
*Never tackle college work after a Union night, although Sphincter got an "A" in micro doing that.

Instead of ringing your mum, use the 20 c to play space invaders.
*Don't drink on monday night, save it until thursday night.
Set your alarm. Friday, monday, saturday, sunday.
*Don't eat at Magoos. Buy a jaffle iron/sandwich maker.


Knock before you enter the men's bathroom, esp. C block west end.
*Don't get up out of bed at 2 am when you hear strange noises, unless you fancy a cold shower.

Beware of Library Science students.
*Beware of students in gumboots. Sheep especially.
Pet patrol is a definite no no, unless you're a dog.
 Watch out for aviated food in the dining room.
*Don't talk to meatheads, especially pretend ones. I.E. Tamps and Dylan. Don't ever mess with "The Grogan".
*BE sceptical of flying matter from balconies. Especially "Herrbb"is referenced.

Keep all toy animals out of sight. You may return home one night to find it hung.
*Beware of persons offering boiled sweets.
Be on the watch for thong-biters. i.e. Gobba Gropers.

*Keep your curtains closed girls when getting dressed. Boys excepted.
*Don't drink when you've been driving.
After an abbreviated (not all there) Union night, keep an eye out for working boiler men and stray home-goers. But don't worry, they don't do much!

ENJOY YOURSELF!!!


