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NO MATTER HOW YOU VOTE ON FEBRUARY 24 - PLEASE VOTE!!!!

Academic Vice-Pres.

Louise Boudreau

Home Ec. Sophomore

I remember registration and it's regrets too well. What do you do if because of poor guidance you choose the wrong prerequisite or choose a non-credit course ignorantly??? What are the consequences?

Every student should know the "true" value of every subject she chooses to take. I think the students know the course content of the subjects, but it is that subjects value to her major which seems vague and hidden.

I aim, if I am elected Academic Vice-President, to clarify and leave no doubt as to the value of a subject pertaining not to the whole faculty, but to each individual student and her's or his' chosen major.

Carol Millett

My name is Carol Millett. I am from Halifax and a graduate of St. Patrick's High School. Before coming to the Mount, I worked for a year at St. Patrick's High School as a Library Assistant. I am a Soc. Major ('74) and the class representative on the Soc. Course Union.

I'm running for Academic Vice-President because I feel we are at University to LEARN. How and what we learn should be our decision. My platform will be based around this promise. I will work for course unions, greater student involvement in courses, student evaluation of courses, relevant course content, tutorials, course guides.

I make no promises except to work for you and to work hard.

Bonny Mitchell -

This is an age of revolution - an age marked by an increasing capacity for change and improvements. We are confronted by the challenge of change & nowhere is this challenge more complete than in the field of education. It is becoming increasingly obvious

that we must develop our capabilities - and we must make our goal one of assuring each of the students at Mount St. Vincent the maximum in educational assistance and freedom. We each of us - has to be the master of change - change must not be our master.

Your education here at the Mount has been a wise investment - for - you pay more for a lack of knowledge than you do for an education. As Academic Vice-President, my position would be in the form of a resource person who was able to advise students re/academic problems and course unions. I feel that each student has the responsibility to themselves to get the most out of their University as is academically possible and to assure themselves that they have a student on the council who will BE WILLING TO WORK hard for them as I promise to do IF ELECTED.

We must not - cannot - will not fail to raise the academic standards of Mount St. Vincent

Executive Vice-Pres.

Ann Duffy

My name is Ann Duffy. I am a native of Bathurst, New Brunswick. I am presently a sophomore at the Mount. I am taking a B. A. majoring in Mathematics. I truly believe that there is a logical and accurate solution to every problem whether in everyday happenings or in specific current problems of this University.

One thing I hope to achieve in the coming year is a closer relationship between the Student Council's Executive and the Student Body. I believe, if you have a serious question in your mind, then you should be able to confront at least one out of the five members of the executive with this question.

I am running for the office of Executive Vice-President!!



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External Vice-Pres.

Ann Dayton

- Home Ec. Nutrition major
Junior

Students have a tremendous mobility of power which many do not realize. We are not a body in society, but a society in ourselves. As such, I feel that it is important that we be continually growing outwards. We must be careful, being a small University, not to become parochial and wound up in our own problems. Rather, we must think and act in a universal manner, and become involved in issues other than our own.

Since CUS has folded, there is no national union of students. It becomes very easy for us to lose communications with other Canadian Universities, and become alienated from what is happening around us. We must make sure that we keep abreast of what other students are doing politically, academically and socially. We cannot be left behind.

A major step in this direction has been inter-university relations with Dalhousie University. We now have access to Dal's clubs and facilities, however, we must continually be looking for newer areas of co-operation. For example, I feel that a representative from the Mount should sit on Dal Student's Council and vice-versa. This will allow us to have first-hand information on what is happening there. Furthermore, a transportation system between the Mount and Dal is necessary if we are to have true co-operation.

As External Vice-President, I will work towards these ends. We must realize that the role of the student extends beyond our campus, to other Universities, the community, and the Nation.

Marsha Jones

- Sophomore Arts

Working on '71 Dal/Mount Winter Carnival Committee, I had many opportunities to view the unity situation as it is occurring due to new offication between Dalhousie and Mount Saint Vincent Universities.

New horizons have been created, new spirit is arising; UNITY is the new word.

As a student of Mount Saint Vincent, and as I am running for External Vice-President for Student Council '71 - '72, I am not going to adopt any rash promises as many candidates do. I will only say that I am strongly in favour of a new relationship with

Dalhousie, and if elected to this position, I will work hard at any endeavour to bring the Mount and any other University closer together.

Internal Vice-Pres.

Ann Loring

- Arts Sophomore

My main reason for running for the office of Internal Vice-President is that I am interested in achieving a closer relationship among the students here at the Mount. I think many students have good ideas and should be involved with committees and activities within the University.

In my opinion, it is the duty of the Internal Vice-President to bring about this cooperation in the coming year.

PRESIDENT

Margaret Durino

- Third Year English

and History Major.

I came to Mount Saint Vincent as a freshman in 1968. After having been a student at the Convent of the Sacred Heart for eleven years, I transferred to Saint Patrick's High in Halifax and graduated from there in 1967. I am a native Haligonian and intend to remain one since I am more than fond of this area. Other than these few things, there is little else to say except that I have not been involved in any way with student activities up to this point. The reason for this is that I had not previously realized how apathetic I was while complaining about the apathy of others. I must confess that there is a great deal that goes on in Council with which I am not familiar, but I am willing to learn the essentials. What I want to bring to council is a greater awareness of the student as an individual. Council has always catered to the student body as a whole, which is good, but I feel that this somehow created a gap. Person to person communication is needed!!!

We must realize that dealing with each individual is not possible all the time; however, many of the problems are shared - we all have them. Book shortage affects each one of us. Why not all help each other? Could council not, in some way, aid in setting up a student book depository, where second hand books may be bought, bartered, or



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exchanged? Could we not also look into the idea of informal student-faculty discussions concerning the marking system? After all, we know only our side. Shouldn't we have the other point of view? That will surely lead to more constructive discussions about mark scaling and so on. I would also like to see students who are interested in particular problems, form committees to find the root of these problems and make their findings known to council. Obviously, there are some difficulties that are not shared by the majority of students. The Home Ec. and Business Departments, for example, would have problems which would not be common to all students.

To be quite frank, I do not claim to know what all the functions of council are. I am also unfamiliar with the procedure for getting things done, but I know that problems can be solved and students can be involved. I would like to help do these things. It is just that simple, I want to do a good job, and I believe I can!

Maureen Laffin

The symbol signifies an attitude I hope to perpetrate among the student union.



It is one of involvement between individuals, groups and clubs working for common goals of co-operation, cohesion, and unity within the University. Only when each member of the union is in a position to feel responsible for the union, functioning as a community, can we reach out to the community of which we are a part. In the symbol are two arrows beginning at right angles to each other, but meeting and running parallel to the center of the circle which represents the community of Mount Saint Vincent University. I hope to make this goal not only my first priority but also yours.

Internal - a. Communications - improve general communications within the University
- new amplifier for Dal Radio
- improvement of Dal Radio transmission to give a more adequate system of paging and general service in this area. With adequate transmission Dal Radio can act as news service for both Dal and Mount information.
- get more students actively involved in workings and broadcasting of Dal Radio.

- designate one day per month as council day whereby council will go to the students.

b. Clubs - reactivate those in existence - Get people involved.

- work towards initiation of new clubs.

- get Mount students involved in Dal clubs.

- more extensive volume of activities.

Residence - initiate a study of what residence life should offer and pending the results, work toward the wishes of the majority.

- more kitchenette facilities - operatable hot plates, kettles, brooms and dust pans.

- a vacuum cleaner left at switchboard for weekend use.

- begin a study of private intercamps - feasible only at a later date.

Day Students - more participation in university involvement.

- meal tickets started by existing council to be furthered and culminated.

- crosswalk on highway.

Inter University - free prescription drugs.

- accessible, frequent transportation between the Mount and Dal.

- availability of Dal calendars on registration.

- much has been done in these areas with regard to orientation, winter carnival, Dal Radio, campus police and clubs.

External - greater involvement in community action projects. e.g. Reach Out Tutoring.

- concern ourselves with pressing problems and current events in our society -- human rights, pollution, landlord tenant relations.

We must be the initiators.

- examine student housing in the Halifax area.

- further the high school visitation program.

Academic - course unions - some started - MORE needed.

- work with the administration to allow one hour a week free for meetings.

Orientation - frosh will have a schedule of all planned activities prior to their arrival.

- course guides distributed.

- activities co-ordinated with Dal.

- a well qualified committee to direct activities.

I became interested in council in my sophomore year, through the appointment to the Primary Course Union Committee. This was a committee designated for the purpose of studying the feasibility of initiating course unions at the Mount. I



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was also involved with the newspaper holding the position of Features Editor.

In the past year, my junior year, I worked on the campus provincial election committee which was set up to help inform and educate the students on the October Provincial Election.

As Internal Vice-President, I was chairman of the council communications committee which has led to my increasing awareness of the need both to disseminate to and increase unity among the students. Much work has been done, but much more is needed. I have been: student rep. on the President's Communication Committee, student rep. on Senate Restructuring

Committee, member of the Council Constitution Committee, member of the Orientation Committee, and co-ordinator of all Internal activities. I believe experience is necessary, and that it will broaden my outlook as President.

As president, I will be a senior student in the field of Political Science. In order to devote my time to council, I will carry three courses, thus enabling me to remain a full time student. I intend to remain in Halifax for the summer months so as to handle all council matters and prepare for the upcoming term.

On Wednesday, February 24, VOTE LAFFIN!

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