

Northern Developments



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This is the second column of a two part column designed to make students more aware of their rights and obligations as employees.

On-the-job health and safety in all work places is a joint responsibility of workers and management. Employers and employees must comply with the Occupational Health and Safety Act. Employees must work in a safe manner at all times so that they do not risk themselves or fellow workers.

If you suffer an injury, however slight, you are required to report it immediately. Students employed in summer jobs by employers who are covered by the Workers Compensation Act of Ontario are entitled to all benefits offered. To find out if you are covered enquire at the Workers Compensation Board at 1-800-465-3934.

Every worker must have a Social Insurance Number, assigned to all citizens and permanent residents as a method of identification for tax and insurance papers.

Normally, as soon as a worker goes on an employer's payroll income tax deductions are made from wages at source. Student employees may claim exemption from income tax deductions at

source by filing a TD-1 form supplied by the employer. It must certify that their earnings for the year will not exceed the basic exemption.

Any student paid in whole or in part on a time-worker or fixed salary basis must be employed at least 15 hours or make at least \$121 gross pay in a weekly period in order to pay U.I. premiums. It is compulsory for employers of workers between 18 and 70 to make deductions from wages and to make matching contributions towards the Canada Pension Plan.

Employers normally must make O.H.I.P. deductions for students age 21 or over, however, qualifying students may apply for Premium Assistance. Students can claim exemption during vacation employment if they belong to the plan as individual members or are covered by their parent's policy until they are 21.

An employer cannot make deductions from an employee's wages except as required by law, or agreed to by the employee in writing. An employee's written agreement for deductions from wages is invalid if it is for faulty workmanship or for cash shortages or loss of property where any other person has access to the cash or property.

All employees should know what their rights and obligations are. If you would like more infor-

If you have any information about local drug dealers or users call the "C.A.P. HOTLINE" and give the information you have to the police.

You can call the C.A.P. HOTLINE anytime of the day. During business hours the phone will be answered. After hours an answering machine will take your message.

A CARING COMMUNITY can cure the drug problem in our towns. Do you care about the COMMUNITY?

If you do, call the C.A.P. HOTLINE and leave any information you have about illegal drug use. You do not have to leave your name. "IT'S THEIR NAMES WE WANT, NOT YOURS!"

"CALL 824-3345 AND CALL ATTENTION TO THE LOCAL DRUG PUSHERS."

Call, leave your message about any illegal drug use in SCHREIBER or TERRACE BAY and area.

Your information is a piece of the puzzle!

PLEASE HELP!
CALL 824-3345
"HELP PUT A C.A.P. ON PUSHERS!"

mation about employment facts for Ontario students contact the Ministry of Northern Development and Mines at 2 Stevens Ave., Box 280, Marathon, Ont., P0T 2E0 or call 229-1153. For areas outside Marathon ask your operator for Zenith 33160.

Confederation College course believed to be first in Canada

Believed to be the first in Canada, a new Computer Applications for Exceptionalities Program to be offered at Confederation College in September, responds to the need to use computers to work with people with special needs.

The Ministry of Colleges and Universities has approved the offering of this unique program at Confederation College.

One group of citizens in our society who stands to gain most significantly from advances in computer technology is the handicapped. Studies have shown that the more severe the disability, the more "freeing" is the technology.

A "smart" communication device which can literally give speech to the speechless, or print enhancers which allow the visually impaired access the power of the computer, are indeed freeing.

People with developmental or

learning disabilities are also great beneficiaries as computers are a powerful tool to learning and to augment their skills.

Computer access can provide people with physical disabilities, marketable skills and access to the workplace.

As agencies and schools struggle with the implementation of this technology with learners having a disability, it has become apparent that there is a need for a paraprofessional specialist who is highly trained and competent in this growing area.

A faculty team at Confederation College has been involved in extensive research and development for the past three years and have evolved an exciting and innovative program curricula.

The program is housed in a specialized, dedicated computer lab where students learn in a cre-

ative, process-oriented milieu and have extensive opportunities to make direct applications with persons having exceptionalities.

It is believed that if students are given opportunities and an appropriately enriched environment in which to explore the potentials of this technology that they will develop the attributes and competence needed to fulfill this evolving role.

Further, the belief is that students are growth-oriented towards continuous learning.

Therefore, the program strives to provide an atmosphere congruent with this assumption.

By striking a balance between structure/content and freedom to explore, the program provides an environment in which students may strive towards their potentials as creative, innovative practitioners using this powerful technology.

Police team up on patrol

If you're out in your boat this Canada Day weekend, you'll probably notice something new in marine patrols.

The Ontario Provincial Police and the Royal Canadian Mounted Police have combined forces to expand their marine policing capabilities. They are sharing both human resources and marine equipment to establish cooperative and joint marine policing patrols.

The increased police presence is intended to act as a preventive means, to provide more rapid response to emergencies and to reinforce safe and enjoyable use of provincial waterways.

The two major causes of fatal boating accidents are capsizing and falling overboard.

So far there have been 12 fatal accidents on Ontario waterways

this year, nine of which involved capsized boats. Alcohol was a factor in nearly half of them.

The OPP and the RCMP urge you to have a safe boating weekend.

Graduation



Vincenzo & Sera Costa are proud to announce the graduation of their daughter

Susanna

from McMaster University with an Honours B.A. Degree in Dramatic Arts and English with first class standing. Susanna will continue her education by attending Teacher's College at York University. Congratulations from Fiancee Dan, Rosa, Joseph, Mary, Joe, Franca, John and families.

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THE SURVEYS ACT

Take notice that under the provisions of Section 52 of The Surveys Act, Revised Statutes of Ontario 1980, Chapter 493 as amended, a hearing before the Surveyor General will be held in the boardroom at the Terrace Bay District Office, Ministry of Natural Resources, Terrace Bay, Ontario on the 28th day of July, 1989 at 9:00 o'clock local time in the morning to consider the following resurveys shown on plans and field notes of survey:

District of Thunder Bay

1. Northerly Portion of the East Boundary of the Township of Bomby
2. Southerly Portion of the East Boundary of the Township of Brothers
3. Northerly Portion of the East Boundary of the Township of Laberge

Copies of reports, plans and field notes of survey may be examined at the District Manager's Office, Terrace Bay, or at the office of the Surveyor General, Ministry of Natural Resources, 90 Sheppard Avenue East, 4th Floor, NORTH YORK, Ontario.

All parties interested in or affected by the resurveys referred to herein may attend at this hearing and will be heard concerning any objections as to why the surveys as performed should not be confirmed.

And further take notice that if any person or persons do not attend at this hearing the Surveyor General may proceed in their absence and they will not be entitled to any further notice in the proceedings.

Renseignements en français : (807) 825-3205.

Dated the 23rd day of May 1989.

S. B. Panting
Surveyor General