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Minnesota vs. Doc at Waterloo bistro Wednesday night

Forget the province's mini-budget. The sinking feeling two university administrators will feel Wednesday night will stem from billiards, not budgets.

Dr. Jannah "Minnesota" Mather, chair of Wilfrid Laurier University's Faculty of Social Work and honorary chair of the United Way campaign for WLU, has challenged Dr. James "Doc" Downey, president of the University of Waterloo (and United Way booster), to a game of billiards at 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Nov. 29. The action will take place at Time Square in the former Waterloo post office at 35 King St. N.

Both Minnesota and Doc have been soliciting pledges, with the proceeds to go towards the United Way campaign at WLU, or to the United Way campaign at UW in the unlikely event that Doc wins.

Also participating in the tournament, which was organized by the Student Union at Laurier, will be teams of students from both universities. They will pick up their cues following the Mather/Downey match.

The United Way campaign at Laurier began Nov. 1 and has reached about 67 per cent of its goal of \$50,000. Last year, the Laurier community raised \$45,000 for United Way.

Another goal in the Laurier campaign is to obtain a 50 per cent participation rate. That has already been obtained in several departments, including audio-visual, biology, career services and co-operative education, English, graduate studies and research, and philosophy.