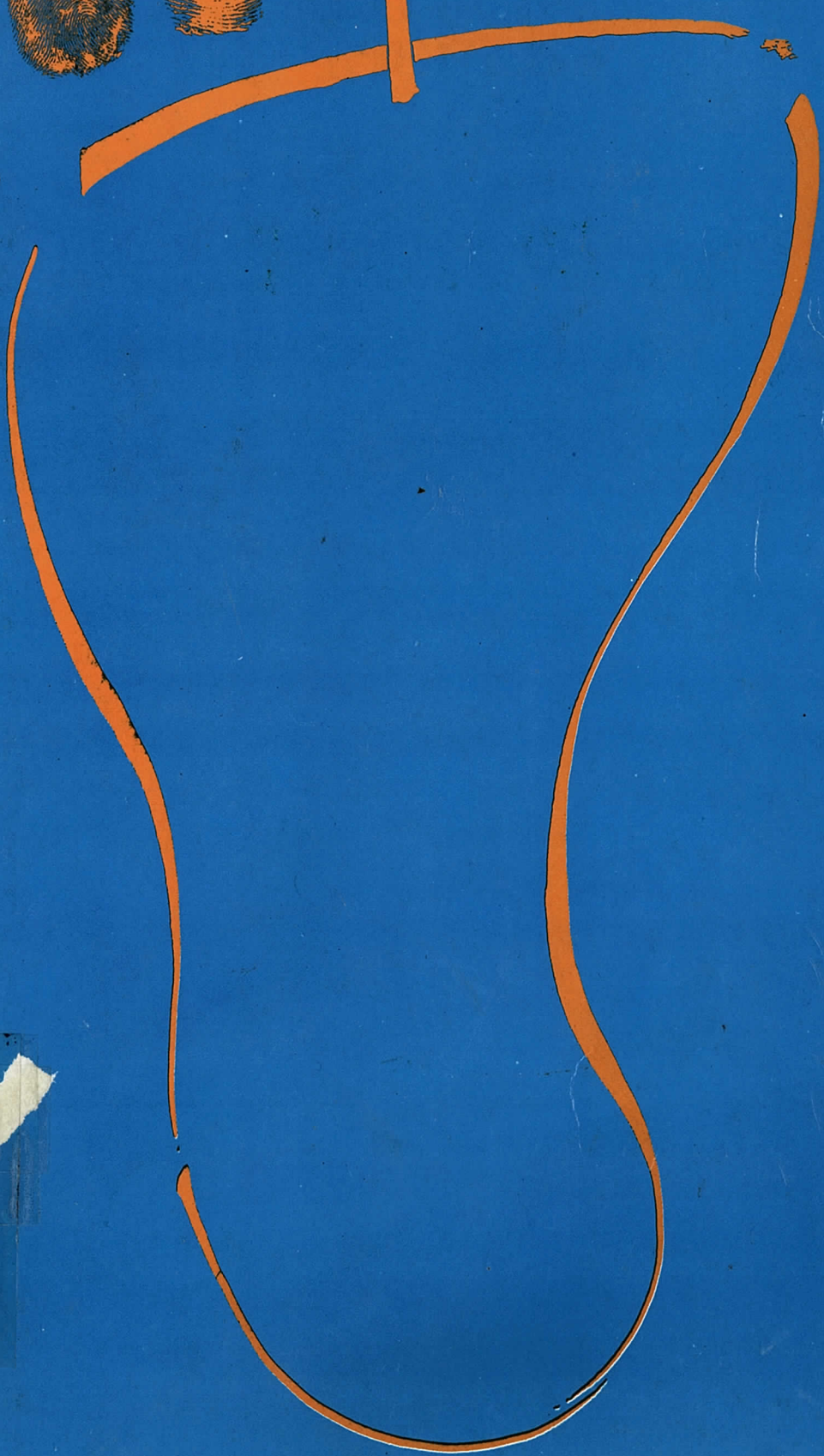


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# Foreword

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I am pleased to have been asked to contribute a message for this year's magazine of the Sunway College. In doing so I must first of all record my thanks to the Chief Executive of the SungeiWay Group, Dato' Jeffrey Cheah, for having invited me to assume the Chairmanship of the College which has established an excellent track record since its formation in 1987. Credit for this must be given to the College Management, staff and, of course, the students. All have worked enthusiastically to not only project a worthy image for the college but to also lay down a solid foundation for a Sunway tradition.

It is quite evident that the standard of education we offer is internationally recognised and indeed it is gratifying that our students have responded in like manner, many of whom have scored top marks in the foreign universities to which they have been assigned.

It is my belief that with the comprehensive back-up support which the College enjoys from the SungeiWay Group, its high academic standards and enlightened management, Sunway will be among the front-runners of higher education offered by the private sector in the country - if it is already.

I wish you every success.

**DATO' MUSA HITAM**  
**Chairman**  
**Sunway College**



Once again it gives me very great pleasure to contribute an opening message to the second issue of the SUNWAY MAGAZINE and to congratulate all the students who have been involved in its production. The inaugural issue of 1990 set a very high standard which I am sure this issue will build upon. The SUNWAY MAGAZINE enhances the reputation that Sunway students have not only been doing well in their studies but also excelling in extra curricular activities.

In part, the production of the SUNWAY MAGAZINE can be likened to the running of an organization such as the SungeiWay Group. It is only vision, hard work, and dedication, originality and team work that contribute to success. This new issue of SUNWAY MAGAZINE is a testimony of the existing strength of Sunway College today.

Besides the production of SUNWAY MAGAZINE, I am also very encouraged by the growth in the various societies and sporting activities in the College. I understand that there are now 17 clubs and the latest society to be formed is the French Educational and Cultural Society. Recently, Sunway students participated in an inter-programme debate and a team will be representing the College in an inter-college debate. All these activities show that Sunway College students are all-rounders: this is an asset which will be most important when you apply for jobs after graduation.

This year, my vision of Sunway College has taken another step forward. On 8th March, 1991 the ground-breaking ceremony for the permanent campus of Sunway College at Bandar Sunway took place. On completion of the whole project, Sunway College will be able to cater 8,000 students and provide comprehensive university facilities including accommodation on campus. I am very happy that you will be able to share the fulfillment of my dream with me.

Congratulations and continue your good work.

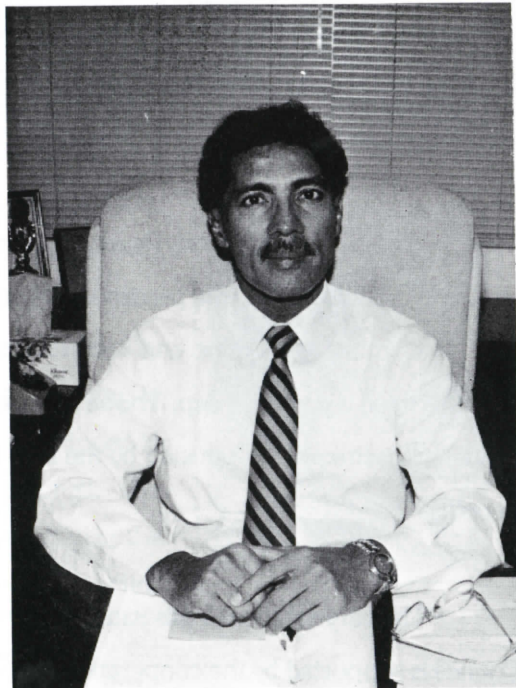


**DATO' JEFFREY CHEAH**  
**Group Chief Executive**  
**The SungeiWay Group**

# Director of Sunway College

Once again, I am delighted to write a few words for the Sunway Magazine. At this time of year, I must confess to experiencing a tinge of nervousness about what to expect when I was informed that our students were planning to produce their own magazine. Now, having seen and read the predecessor's product and having listened to the favourable comments from those who have had access to it, I harbour no doubts about the 1991 edition of the Sunway Magazine.

I am impressed with the Sunway Magazine and the efforts of the Editorial Board on three counts. The first is that the physical output is attractive, easy to read and has a good balance between pictorial and written material. Secondly, the quality of your articles and the poetry reflects budding literary expertise which should be encouraged and exposed to the public eye. It would be a good idea to fully tap the vast reservoir of talent that exists in our student body. Thirdly, the magazine represents a viable business venture as your production costs have been covered by the selling price and advertising revenue.



That they can even group together our large number of students in the various academic programmes to be photographed constitutes an achievement which must not be understated! On behalf of Sunway College, permit me to congratulate the Editorial Board on a job well done.

**DR L.J. FREDERICKS**  
*Director*

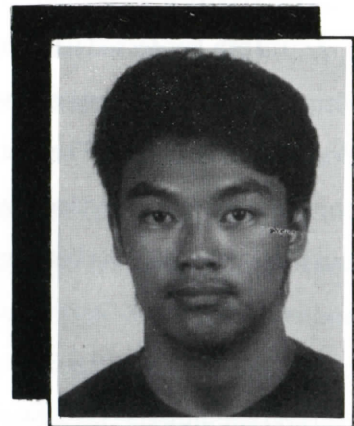
# Student Council President

My heartiest congratulations and thanks to the editorial board for having achieved another impression of the Sunway Magazine 1991.

I am convinced that tremendous effort and time have been laboured to elaborate and enhance this issue. My praise to the contributors.

On behalf of the Student Council, I would like to thank all contributors and all those who have helped in one way or another. This issue is the trophy of your effort.

To the Editorial Board, I hope the members of the Council has been a help in the process of your compilation. The experience, knowledge and rememberence gained from this issue is yours to keep. I hope the challenge of an annual magazine will be pursued by the ever enthusiastic students.



The very essence of this issue includes cooperation from all students. The Student Council is supported by the cooperation of the students as well. Whatever views from the students should be directed towards the Student Council for further discussion and action to be taken.

Your continued support is essential in the workings of the Council.

Congratulations again and here's to your future undertakings.

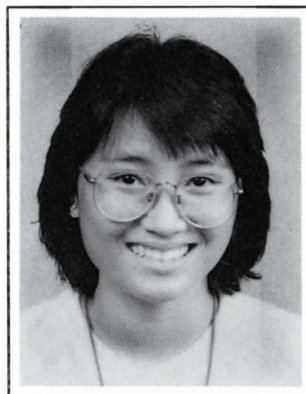
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**Student Council President**

# Editor



**A**fter the foundation laid out by the previous Editorial, the “Eddies of Footprints” made no hesitation to create a new outlook for the Sunway College Yearbook 1991.

Footprints is dedicated to all students and staff of Sunway College. The traditional role of a year book is to capture the events that happened year round in print. Footprints, however enters a new era whereby most of the production of a yearbook is done by the students themselves and not the Editorial Board. This is justified by the various programme articles (which are created and designed by students of each programme respectively). “Congratulations to each and every one of you!”. The academic circle chipped in by contributing educational articles for the benefit of all. The sports and societies column is highlighted to emphasize the students’ overwhelming enthusiasm for self achievement in line with pursuing an education.



My heartfelt appreciation to James Ng (A Level — ‘90 Editorial), Dr. Rajendran, Mr. Raken, Mrs. Fernandez, Navanila Apputhurai (my Assistant Editor), and last but not least, Ms. Lee, for their continuous encouragement and assistance in turning the entire production of Footprints into a worthwhile experience and a lot of fun! To the “Eddies” — A job well done! Footprints is yours to be proud of, your dedicated hard work. All the best in your undertakings and I hope to work with all of you again.

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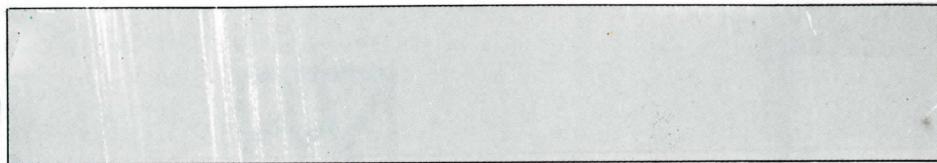
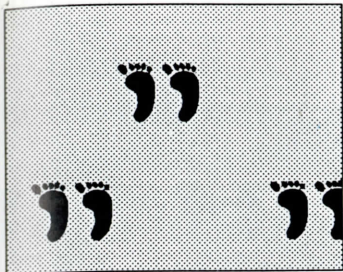
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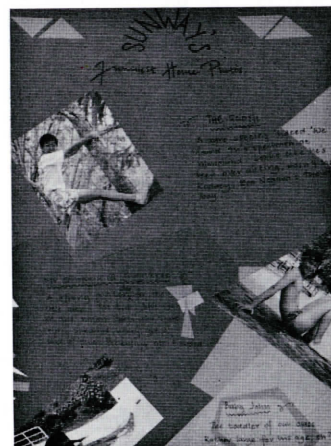
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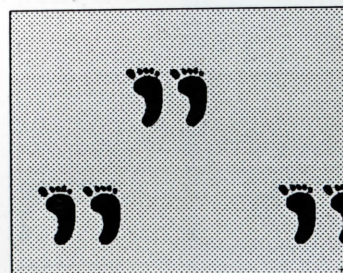
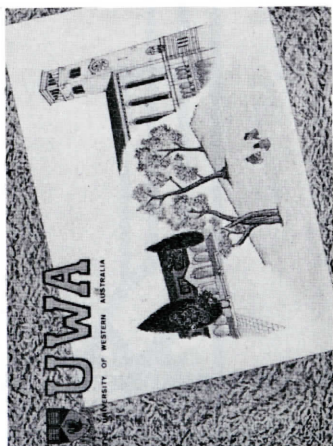
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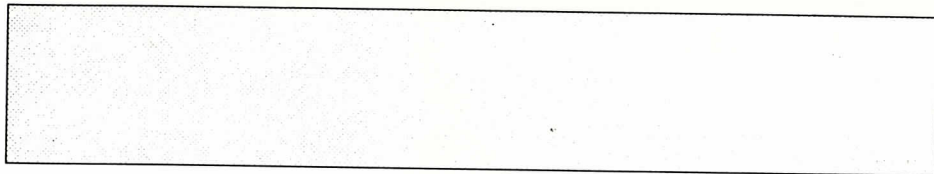
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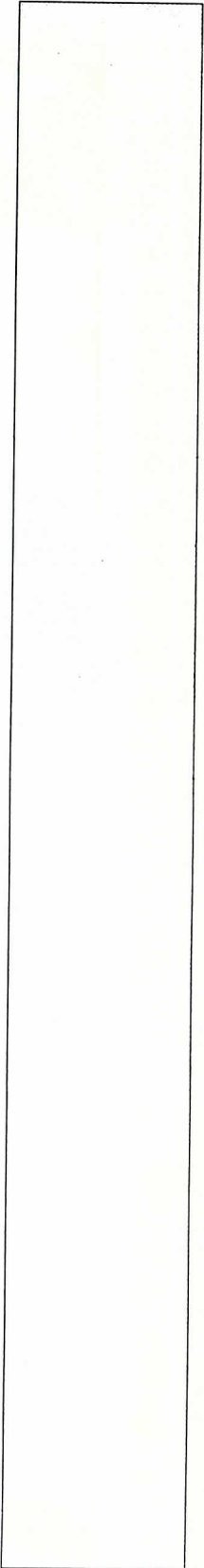


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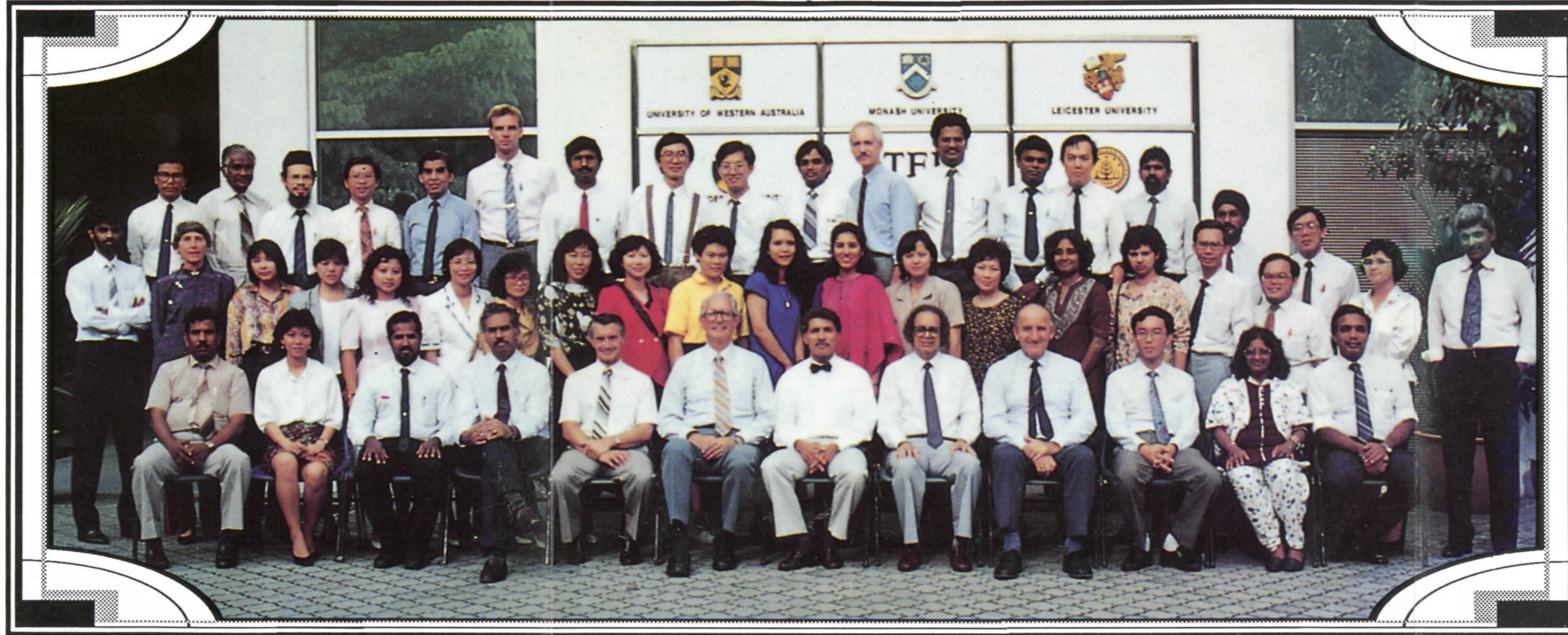
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*Special Moments in the College .....*

# DIARY OF SUNWAY COLLEGE 90-'91

Compiled by : **M.Y.Lim and S.H.Lim**

## JULY

**2nd** The A-Levels July Intake began arriving but it had the least number of students compared to previous intakes.

## SEPTEMBER

**1st-14th** Interprogram Sports Carnival

**3rd** WMU had its ninth intake, an interestingly large and rowdy crowd.

**8th-9th** Live it up! It's carnival time. Come see the freak show, dunk-a-lecturer, and savour our lip-



smacking, delightful comestibles. Everybody from inside and outside Sunway got into the mood and chipped in to raise funds for the underprivileged.

**14th** The swish of satin, a spice of Latin; Magic at Merlin Hall, this is the Sunway Ball. Academics gave way to a great entertainment show-

piece. Ridzuan Hamid of the December A-Levels was crowned Sunway King while our Queen was Melinda Mai Aishah of Group 8, WMU.

## OCTOBER

**3rd** The Leicester University program opened its doors to admit first year students as a stepping stone to a law, economics or engineering degree.

**13th** "Hello, is this RTM telethon? Say, you sound familiar. Aren't you so-and-so from...erm..." Yup, Sunway students are doing their bit in manning Alexander Graham Bell's inventions at the Angkasapuri for charity's and experience's sake.

**23rd** A one-day Blood Donation Campaign was organized by the General Hospital of Klang, a follow-up to the previous campaign in May this year.

## NOVEMBER

**3rd** Dr. Leo Fredericks, assisted by Miss Lee, our student counsellor, presented certificates of appreciation to the Sunway Ball organizing committee members as well as to the inaugural Editorial Board '90. It was an informal affair (Dr. Fredericks was sporting his rugged jeans), held in Auditorium B at 9.30 a.m.

**23rd** A Certificate Presentation for the Student Council and those who had participated in the Interprogram Sports Carnival was held in Auditorium B at seven o'clock in the evening.

**24th** "Hiya locum, lemember to use le Queen's Englis ah, ok?" The Oxbridge-Sunway Essay Competition for undergraduates was held in Room 303 at 2.30 p.m. (Oxbridge is the shortened version of the Oxford and Cambridge Universities of the United Kingdom.) About ten Sunway students took up the challenge.

## DIARY OF SUNWAY COLLEGE 90-'91 (continued)

**26th-30th** It is Open Counselling Week again, where students and their parents alike can survey the array of academic programs at Sunway. This time, however, saw the introduction of the new Canadian Matriculation program. Established students, of course, look out for the faces of potential freshies.

### DECEMBER

**3rd-4th** Hey! What's this long queue for? Food-rationing? But this is the registry, not the cafeteria. It soon became clear that these teenagers were the new, absolutely fresh batch of post-SPM students who are seeking either an Australian, a Canadian or a British pre-varsity education.

**7th** Most conversations focussed on the nation's loss of our Father of Independence at 10.25 p.m. yesterday. Tunku, your spirit will forever live on in our hearts.

**21st** The college held a Christmas party at its adopted welfare home, Rumah Ozanam.

**25th** You better watch out, you'd better not cry, Santa's on his way. And his bag of goodies includes holidays for everyone. Happy Christmas and Merry New Year, mates.

1991

### JANUARY

**7th** Back to the old drawing board. Young but heavy hearts greet the new semester unwillingly after the extra long break. WMU admitted its tenth intake.

Also, there was a brand new feeling in the corridors and the cafeteria. That's right folks, **SMOKING IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED** from now on. Ain't it great?

**14th-18th** The 14th was declared as Peace Day. Posters around the college urged students to don blue and white colors in the spirit of cooperation in the face of the imminent Gulf War.

The A-Levels orientation came underway with a signature hunt. Some junior guys were told to apply lipstick and kiss (Yeech!) their seniors. The final day turned out to be a "splashing



day" as every junior and senior threw water-filled plastic bags at each other.

The WMU orientation was simultaneously held in front of the cafeteria. Freshies dressed up as punks and sports celebrities, danced with their seniors, picked sweets from the floor and even spreaded cream over each other while being blindfolded. Imagine Boris Becker with shaving cream on his nose!

**17th** The scramble for news is ON! Will there be World War III? "Oh no! I doan wanna miss college," wailed a loyal collegiate. The whole world virtually sat up and turned their attention to the Gulf War in the Middle East.



## DIARY OF SUNWAY COLLEGE 90-'91 (continued)

**25th** WMUians evaluated the performance of their most recent juniors in Auditorium B. The ladies had to come in traditional costume while the guys had to dress formally. It was indeed a spectacle, after which an auction of those people who were in demand as slaves took place.

**26th** Sunway College pioneered the hosting of the first inter-college Student Council meeting where the main purpose was to foster under-

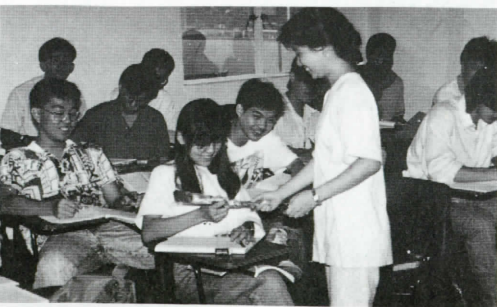


standing, communication and fellowship among the private colleges.

### FEBRUARY

**4th-8th** The Editorial Board opened a counter at the students' concourse to take down orders for Valentine's Day roses. Judging from the 'hot cakes' response, the students, not forgetting the staff, are a really ROMANTIC bunch!

**11th** "Happy Valentine's Day! Hope Cupid's got a perfect aim!" What? Huh? Valentine's Day? Yes, it's Sunway College's Valentine's Day, as declared by the Editorial Board. Nope, it is not too early since almost every sweetheart had their



roses delivered today.

**14th** "Gong Xi Fa Cai, Happy Chinese New Year's Eve!" The college declared a whole week off for merry-making, ang pow hunting and of course, the very much smaller version of the Gulf

War - fire-cracking.

**25th** Curtin University reopened today. Welcome to Sunway, guys and gals!

**26th** "Help! Haaaaalp! Gimme a mirror, quick! My hair's in shambles." Oh, the agony they went through. Come on, be yourself and for goodness sake, say "Cheese"

to the camera. A routine photo session? No way, Jose, everybody wants to look their best in the annual Sunway College Magazine.

**27th** Ms Jolene Groh from the Office of International Students Services of WMU came a-calling to help the Sunway WMU students along with their housing arrangements over in the WMU campus.

**28th** Just what we had been waiting for, a talk on "Learning Skills: Putting Time and Skills to Good Use", thanks to the Honorary Secretary of the Selangor Life Education for Youth, Mr. CRS Maniam, was conducted in Auditorium C.

### MARCH

**4th** Time to greet old friends and to make new ones. The Australian universities-bound students for Flinders, Monash and Western Australia enlivened the melting-pot population in Sunway.

**6th** Dr. Norman C. Greenberg, the Director of the Office of International Affairs at WMU, dropped by to convey a few words of advice and encouragement to the WMU freshmen and sophomores at Sunway.

**8th** Those Australian universities program students are lucky people. Scarcely a week

## DIARY OF SUNWAY COLLEGE 90-'91 (continued)

after their intake, faculty visitors from Australia arrived for question-and-answer sessions, namely, Professor Tom Kennedy, the Pro Vice Chancellor (College of Gippsland) of Monash University, Professor John Milton-Smith, the Deputy Vice Chancellor of the Curtin University of Technology, Dr. Vin Massaro, the Director of Administration and Registrar of the Flinders University of South Australia and Professor Andrew Nesdale, the Chairman of the University of Western Australia's Overseas Students Program.

**9th** "Heave-ho and up go the balloons!" Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim formalized the Sunway College Ground-Breaking Ceremony at ten past four in the evening at the future Sunway College site in Bandar Sunway to the attendance of a number of Malaysia's

**29th** "Here's the resolution that the institution of marriage is obsolete," and after a keenly contested debate with Canadian Matriculation 2, this motion garnered the WMU 1 team the Inter-Program Debate Competition Challenge Tro-



phy and a \$200 prize.



and Sunway's Very Important Persons.

**15th** WMU held its second annual Dinner and Dance at the famed Holiday Inn On The Park, Kuala Lumpur. Everybody came dressed to the nines, mostly because they wanted to feel good about themselves and partly probably because they wanted to impress the judges of the Best-Dressed competitions.

**21st** Shelter Home and Rumah Ozanam each received one-half of the proceeds from Sunway Carnival 1990 which amounted to \$502.39 each in a little presentation ceremony in the conference room.

## APRIL

**1st** Why trouble when trouble does not trouble you? Anyway, this is an aspect of life that we have to face and why not confide in our lecturers? For the next two weeks, a Sunway lecturer will be available for every hour in Room 108 for those of us who want a sympathetic ear or who need sound advice.

On the Monash university front, Mr. Peter Schelluch, an overseas accounting faculty dropped by in the first week. He imparted some useful knowledge to Monash-bound students and was treated to lunch by them.

Also, the new batch of A-Levels, Canadian Matriculation and TEE students arrived, and judging from their eager faces, these people were just raring to go after the post-SPM break.

**20th** Sunway's done it again! A neat piece of innovative thinking created the Pre-U night where guys and gals from the pre-university programs of Sunway and other colleges can party away at

## DIARY OF SUNWAY COLLEGE 90-'91 (continued)

the Holiday Villa in Subang Jaya.

**22th** Professor Robin White, the Dean of Leicester University's Law Faculty and Mr. Trevor Buck, a Law lecturer, arrived from the United Kingdom for a visit to share some pointers on the law courses with the Leicester program students.

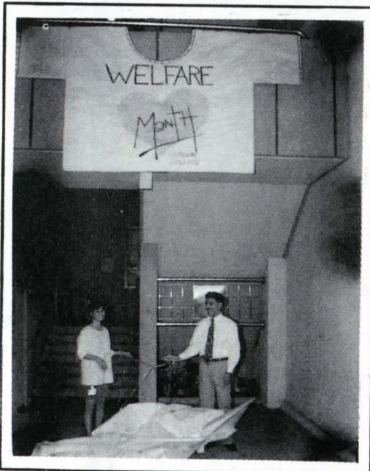
### MAY

**2nd** Psst! Psst! Did you know that dinner is ON the Sunway administration? The Students'



Concourse was prepared for the presentation of certificates of appreciation by Dr. Fredericks to the Student Council members of the past year. Three cheers to Vicknes and gang!

**7th** Welfare Month was kicked-off today by the unveiling of a large cardboard T-shirt hanging on the balcony between the reception and Auditorium B by Dr. Fredericks. This was followed by a blood donation campaign in Room 303



and a charity sale at the Students' Concourse.

**10th** Leicester's new intake of the Foundation Year Engineering got into Sunway today much to their seniors' glee. After a whole year, one could only be thankful that there are juniors to tease after all.

**16th-17th** It's Talentime! The Sunway Concert was kicked off by the solo event, featuring crooners, guitarists, a tap dancer and a violinist. The team event boasted of bands, mimes and musicals representing most of Sunway's student programs. Michael Chick of WMU warbled his way to the solo prize while Flinders University



was deservedly the winner of the team category, after presenting a moving portrayal of the monstrosity of child abuse.

### JUNE

**1st** The Student Council and a group of Sunway students, visited Shelter Home, Rumah Ozanam and Rumah Faith to hand over the proceeds from our Welfare Month.

**4th** Starting from today, the next two weeks will be D-Day for the senior A-Levels students. Now is the time to put your efforts for the past one and a half years for the BIG crunch. Sunway wishes you all the very best. ▲



## From The Student Council



It is that time of the year again, when hellos and goodbyes are said and reports are made. It has been a good year for the Student Council as many productive events have surpassed expectations. These ranged from the Sunway Welfare Month to the Sunway Concert. Through these events, students have rediscovered their strengths, weaknesses and potentials.

The Student Council has tried to instill an awareness among our fellow students by arranging events such as the "Peace Day", in conjunction with the dreaded Gulf War, where Sunway students shared a mutual opinion of this issue by dressing in white and blue.

A major event has been the Sunway Welfare Month where students from all programmes have joined efforts for the sake of charity in the charity sale, car wash and the Sunway Concert. The encouraging four-figure proceeds were evenly distributed among the Welfare Homes namely, Ozanam House, Shelter Home and Faith Home.

During the Sunway Concert, many of us were pleasantly surprised by the budding young stars among us. We all had a lot of fun and I take this opportunity to thank all the people who lent a helping hand in making this a memorable one in the name of Charity!

Other projects such as the inter-college games, organised to strengthen the bond of friendship with other colleges, and also to give us a break from our studies and exams. All throughout these activities the Student Council has been fortunate enough to have a worthy counsellor, adviser and friend in Ms. Lee. The management has also played a big part in our projects. We would like to thank all of them.

At the moment, the Student Council is planning another major event, the Sunway Ball 1991. We hope that this auspicious event will give us a break from our hectic schedules and ensure some time to strengthen and enhance cooperation and fellowship among students of different courses and universities.

Lastly, on behalf of the Sunway Student Council, I would like to thank all the students and friends for all their support and encouragement. We apologise for any inconvenience caused. We look forward to the future in fulfilling dreams and ambitions. On behalf of everyone in the Student Council: "BEST OF LUCK TO ALL!"

# **Student Council Board 1991 - '92**

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Secretary,  
**Lynette Khoo**





# Canadian Matriculation Programme

ARTICLES AND PHOTOS  
BY CMP STUDENTS

**T**he Canadian Matriculation Programme is the latest addition to Sunway College's menu of internationally-recognised university-preparation programmes. The programme, which is based on the education system in the Province of Ontario, Canada, differs from other preparatory programmes at Sunway in a number of important ways.

First, the programme is organized on a semester system. Students take half of their courses (three) at a time; six courses are required to complete the programme. Second, all evaluation is internal. All tests



and examinations are set and marked by programme staff under the supervision of the Principal (Programme Director). The programme is further supervised by the Ministry of Education of Ontario. Third, not only is all evaluation internal, it is also continuous. Course work accounts for sixty to seventy percent of the final mark in a course. Thus, students are required to work steadily throughout each semester. Fourth, eighty percent of the staff are qualified to teach in Ontario and, indeed, they are experienced in that system. Fifth, two-thirds of the instructional staff are Canadians. Thus, students are exposed directly to Canadian methods, materials, and that elusive foreign accent. Sixth, the Principal is also from Canada. He (or she) has the authority to make all curricular decisions and many organizational decisions within the programme. Last, the curriculum is conceptually-based and can be tailored to meet local needs and interests. That is an important spin-off of being authorized to evaluate internally.

To date, both students and teachers - and the Principal - are happy with and in the programme. Perhaps the greatest adjustment

the students have had to make is that they must work continuously. Homework cannot be sloughed-off to the weekend; it must be done immediately if the succeeding lessons are to have meaning. The teachers are really pleased with the dedication, motivation, and general 'niceness' of our students. We are really delighted you chose to join us, and we look forward to being able to continue to help those of you who come to Canada to pursue further studies. We wish you success and happiness through your stay with us in Sunway College.

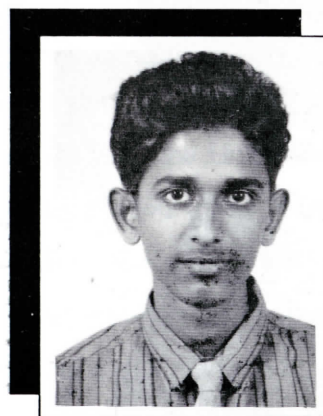
**Dr. R. Sharman**  
**Programme Director**  
**Canadian Matriculation Programme**

**D**ecember 1990 marked the birth of a new programme at Sunway College the **Canadian Matriculation Programme**. We are very proud to be the pioneers of this programme. It is an honour for me to represent this programme as a 'Student Representative' in the Sunway Student Council. College life is indeed a different life. Many of us found it difficult to adapt and some were rather lost. These problems, however, were quite easily solved by our none the less very efficient **Programme Director, Dr. Rex Sharman**. Dr. Sharman who handles the whole show (and also teaches an ESL class) is like our father in the college. He is always there to help us in our times of need.

Apart from that, this Matriculation Programme has been graced with a number of very dedicated instructors such as Mrs. Alma Johnson (English Literature and ESL), Mr. Brian McVeigh (World Issues & Economics), Mr. Manaf (Finite Mathematics), Ms. Celia Yeo (Calculus), Mr. Steve McCrone (Computers & Algebra & Geometry) and lastly Mr. Bob Lim (Accounting). They are very dependable, understanding and dedicated instructors. We have found them to be very friendly and have always been able to turn to them in our times of need.

From the moment I was elected the Student Representative, I received much support from my fellow students as well as the staff. The students were very helpful and supportive and this made my job easier. I would like to thank Dr. Sharman and all the staff for their help and support. I also owe a special gratitude to Ms. Lee Siok Ping, the Teacher Advisor of the Sunway Student Council, for all her help and support in my duties as a Student Representative. Lastly, I would like to wish a very good luck to all my fellow students in their future undertaking and be happy always.

**Jayandran**  
**Student Representative**



# CMP LECTURERS...

**PROGRAMME DIRECTOR**



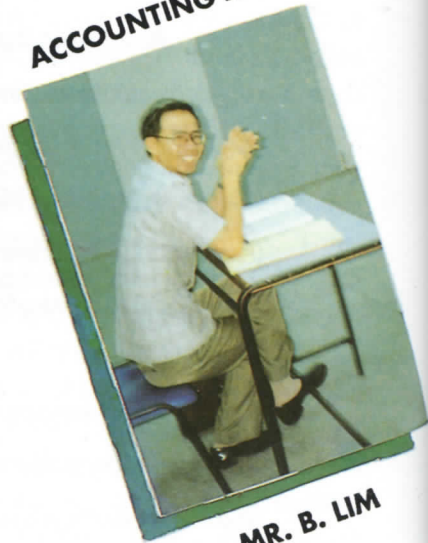
**DR. R. SHARMAN**

**PROGRAMME COORDINATOR**



**MS C. YEO**

**ACCOUNTING LECTURER**



**MR. B. LIM**

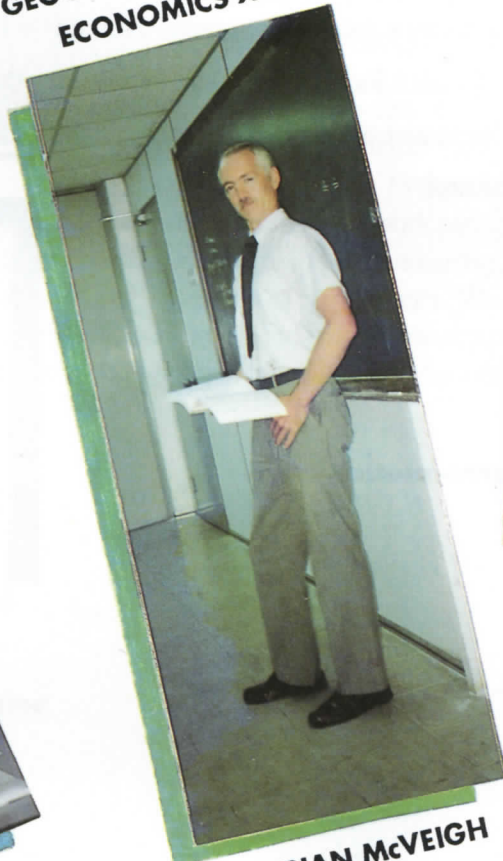
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**ENGLISH LIT. LECTURER**



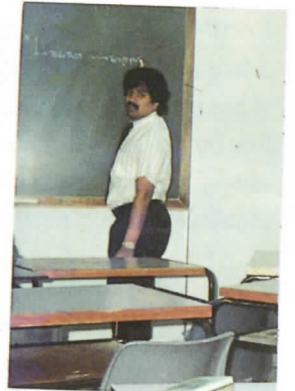
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**MR. BRIAN McVEIGH**

**FINITE MATHEMATICIAN**

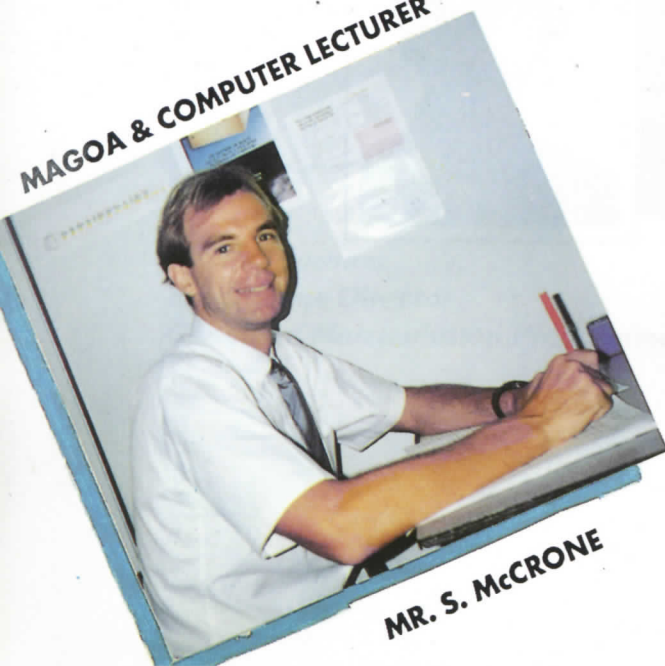


**MR. A. MANAF**

*finite text...*



**MAGOA & COMPUTER LECTURER**



**MR. S. McCRONE**

**O**ur director sure is one great guy! He has an Honours degree in Zoology from Victoria University, New Zealand, a Masters degree in Education Administration from Ottawa, Canada and went on to the University of Oregon, U.S.A to achieve a Ph.d in Ed.Admin. And he is the one and only, Dr. Rex Sharman. He hopes that the Canadian Matriculation Programme students will be ambassadors of Malaysia in Canada. He likes sports, gardening, classical music and of course, travelling. His advise to all you goons out there is, don't use this time to play 'monkeys', use this time usefully!!

Ms. Celia Yeo, a name well known amongst Sunway College students. A lecturer to some, a counsellor to others and both to everyone else. She has a Bachelor of Science, majoring in Maths and Biochemistry. On top of that, she took a diploma in teaching to teach illiterate teenagers at Sunway College. She is currently lecturing in the Leicester Foundation Programme and of course, her most favourite class - the CMP Calculas class. She loves badminton, squash and classical music. Great taste, eh? Well, her advise to all you illiterate fools out there, study hard but don't forget to have fun!!! Chao!!

An ex-surveyor, ex-ski instructor ..... guess who? Of course, it can only be Mr. McCrone. He studied at the University of Toronto to be a surveyor and he worked in Texas to do just that! He left surveying to bring knowledge to students who wanted to torture themselves with

Maths and Computers. His motto, 'be cool, stay cool and look cool!' Great motto for a hot looking guy! 'Hey, you mutt brains out there, whatcha afraid of winter for?! It's fun .....' Have fun, mix around but don't forget to study!!

English class has always been a breeze in school but try our CMP English Language and Literature class here at college and you'll find it a storm. Mrs. Alma Johnson, our beloved English Lit. lecturer, has been trying to drum some literature into our somewhat colorless lives. So far, we have only turned into more illiterate fools. She graduated from Queens University with a Bachelor of Arts in Semantics and Linguistics. She has a Masters degree in Education Administration from Brock University, Ontario. She enjoys classical music. Her message to all you jerks out there who are going to Toronto, don't forget to call her up.

Mr. Brian McVeigh. An Irish dunce?! Far from it! Can you imagine your lecturer a rebel?! Oh yes! That's him all right. His specialty is History and Economics from the University of Toronto. He loves piano playing, classical & Jazz music, writing poetry, Russian literature, swimming and cycling. And his real ambition, realized previously, is working in Jamaica's slums. Students here are polite ..... or so he thinks. Well, he should meet some of us when we go crazy and wild, then maybe he'll change his opinion. His motto, "live life with passion and compassion ..... and rebel intellectually."

CMP's very own 'Lat'!! It's none other than Mr. Manaf, the Finite mathematician. He says we should NEVER waste time..... frankly speaking, we're just goofing around ..... Teaching was a profession that he came upon by chance. He likes the students best ..... when chocolates are handed over. Wishes to be in a position of doing whatever he can ..... eating 'roti canai' is one of them. Stay cheerful, cheery and chirpy ..... and when opportunity knocks ..... don't forget to drop dead!!

Mr. Lim or Bob to his pals, kakis, friends etc ..... he's a very practical and rational kinda guy, so that's why accounting suits him. An accounting

lecturer who relates accounting to marriage, dating and etc... Well disciplined but no psychopathic, well-dressed, cool and in'sane, he used to love Engineering ..... but found his love (a/c) in the University of Canterbury. He enjoys a game of basketball and though he doesn't look like it, used to be a school team player for Victoria Institute. BE A LIFTER!!! That's his motto, get it? When asked to describe himself, he simply smiled and said, "I'm a happy and contented being." That's Mr. Lim, a father of three. ▲



# CMP Diary of Events

1 Feb 1991:

PDG

Merbok....

The Littluns  
of CMP

Vs

The Giants of  
Belia Tg. Keramat.

That sure says it all.....

Our Littluns were little competition for the giants....

Better try next time.....



*Tug-of-War*

*"Malaysianize" Football.....*



Saturday morning...Bright & Early... our

Littluns played football with TEE

V scored better than the tug-of-war

V were actually losing before our "Macho" Director  
played "whole" field.

The score: 4-4. Not bad for  
our Littluns...

In the Rematch which was

held on the 6/4/1991 our

Littluns played

out and trashed the TEE by 6-3.

And now, into the Literal  
world.....

Our doggy debaters actually  
paved their

way into the finals. Their  
literary skills...

unbeatable...except when they came up

against the BRONCOS of WMU who were... o.k.

Our team is still the Best!



*Inter-Programme Debate*

# CMP STUDENTS

WANTED -  
Dead or Alive \$ 1-00



JACK - ELLIGIBLE  
EAST MALAYSIAN (EEM)



JAY



PAM - SHORT BUT  
HOT STUFF FROM  
MALACCA



LENA - CUTE, ROUND  
AND SOMETHING ELSE.  
(HE! HE! MUSSY STUFF!!)



ANNETTE - RED AND  
FULL OF HEARTS



PRAEM

KEAT JEN -  
PREGNANT ???  
NAAH!!!



WEE PENG - GAINED  
A PH.D IN THE  
COMPARISON'S  
FACULTY



KAREN -  
KEEP COOL  
'CHILLI PADI'



INEZ - STARS IN  
HER EYES  
WHY?  
ASK HER...!



ALEX

# ..WHEN CAUGHT UNAWARE



WHAT'S THAT SMELL!!?

HONEY, I SHRUNK DR. Sharmar...

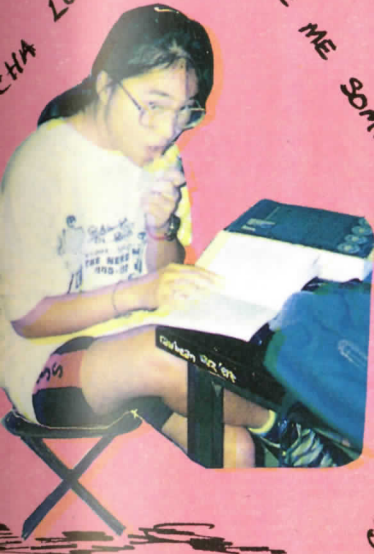


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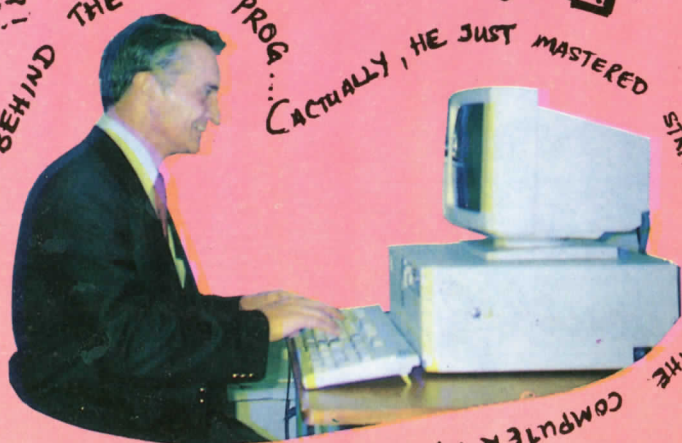
WHAT ARE WE TO DO FOR A DIRECTOR NOW!



HA LOOKIN' AT? OWE ME SOMETHING?!



THE GENIUS BEHIND THE CMP PROG...



ACTUALLY, HE JUST MASTERED STRIP POKER ON THE COMPUTER!



ALVIN - SOUNDS FAMILIAR??? LEADER OF THE TV2 CHIPMUNK BAND!



THE BARTMAN!!



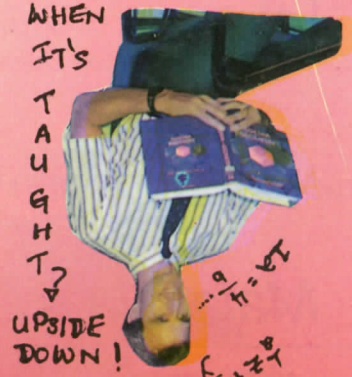
WHY DIDN'T YOU LISTEN TO ME!!

...GULF WAR... ..STRATEGIST...



No Wonder Saddam lost!!

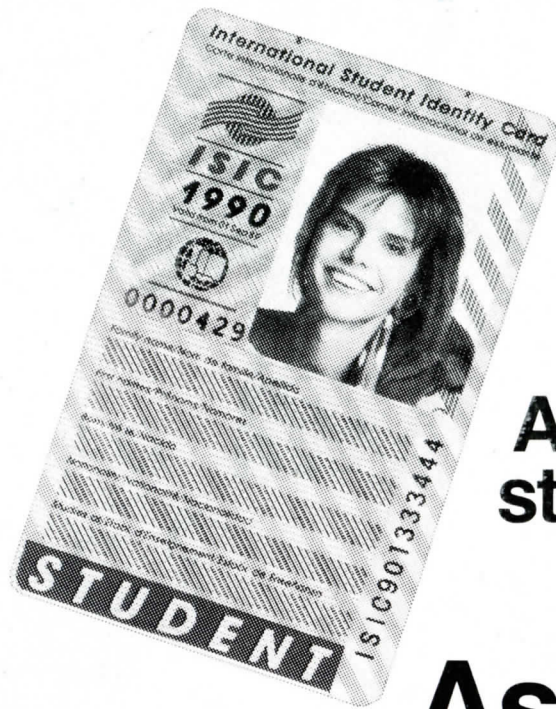
ALGEBRA & GEOMETRY IS FUN! ESPECIALLY WHEN IT'S



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UPSIDE DOWN!

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$

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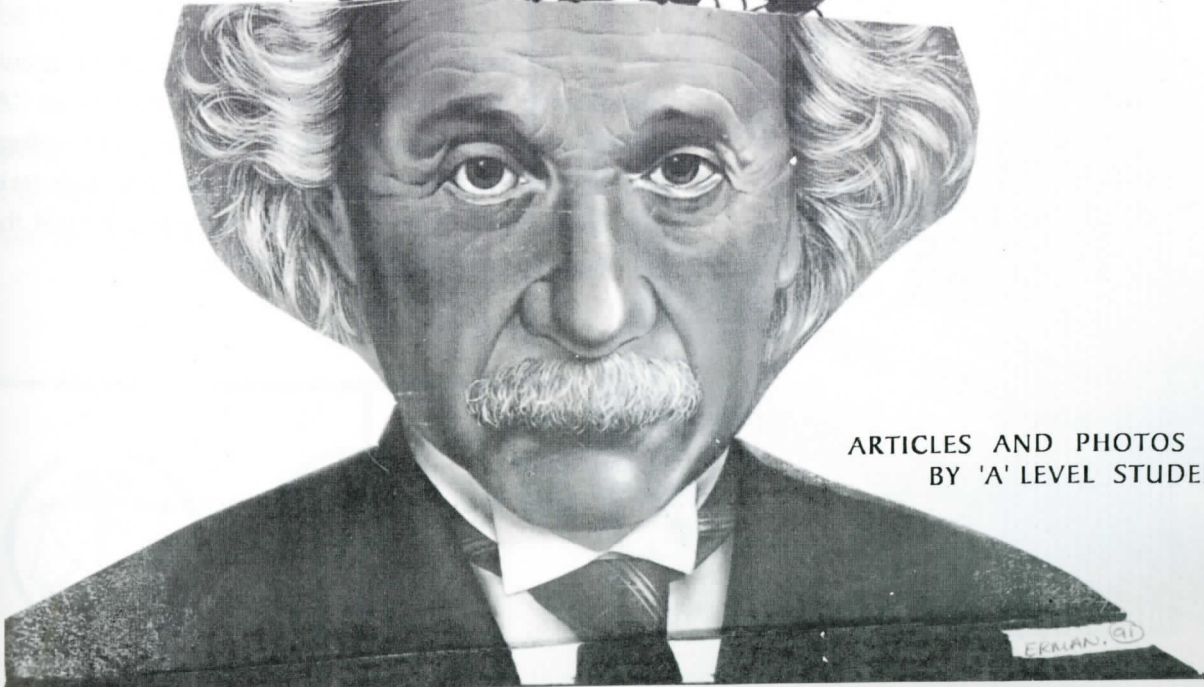
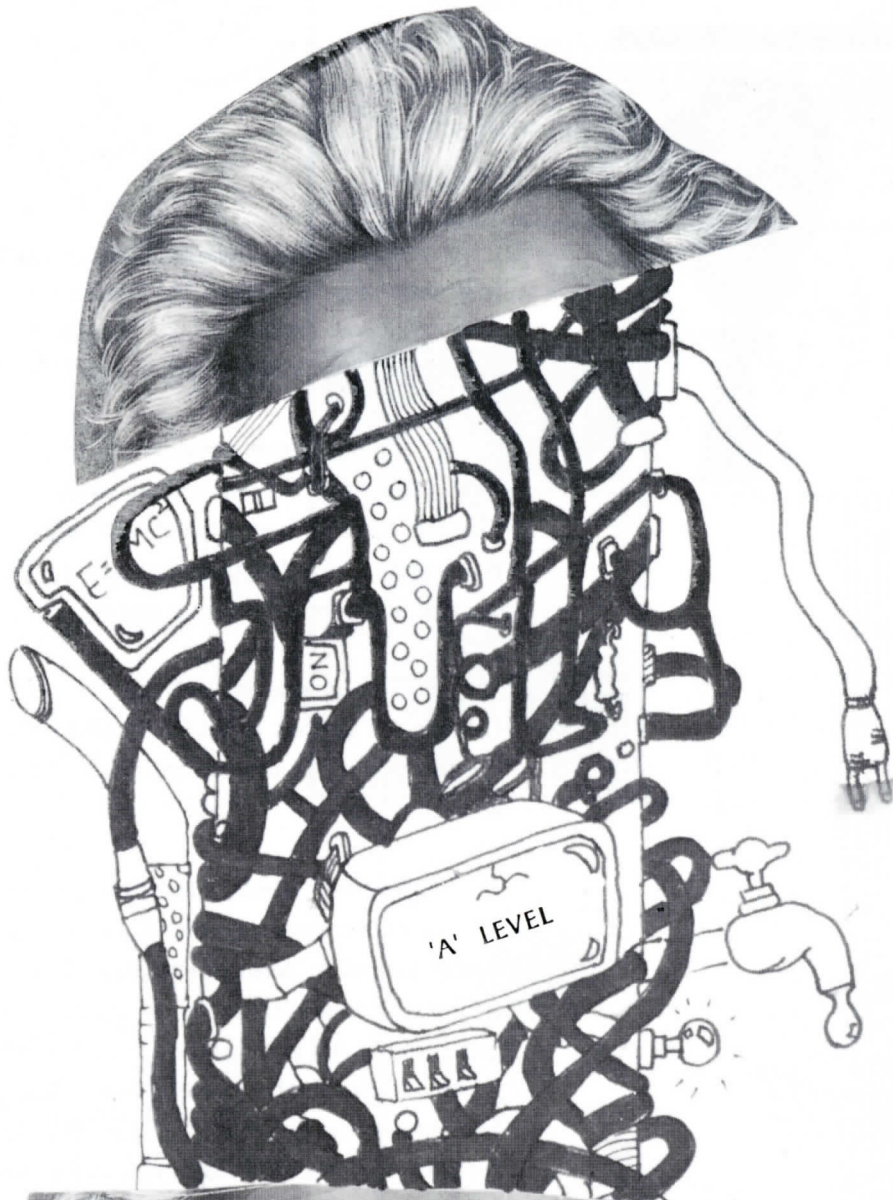
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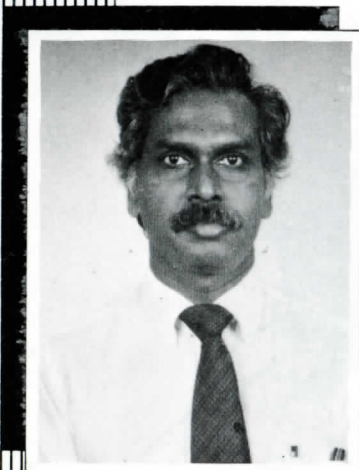
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ARTICLES AND PHOTOS  
BY 'A' LEVEL STUDENTS



Sunway College first started offering the internationally recognised 'A' Level programme in 1988. The 'A' Level conducted in Sunway College is of the Associated Examining Board, in short the A.E.B.

The 'A' Level programme offers subjects in both Arts and Science. Sunway provides a wide choice of Arts and Science subjects and students are allowed to choose a combination of subjects from these two streams and not restricted to purely Arts or Science.

This unique subject combinations helps to fulfill Universities various entrance requirements. The subjects offered at Sunway also provide good foundation for higher level education.

The separate 'A' Level centre provides a conducive environment for study to the 'A' Level students. To ensure quality education, term examination results are sent to the parents to enable them to be aware of their children's progress. All 'A' Level lecturers are not only familiar with the programme but also have several years of teaching experience. The interaction between the staff and students helps to motivate students to perform well in the examination.

At Sunway the 'A' Level programme has grown significantly when compared to the previous years. 'A' Level students now comprise 60% of the total college population. There is a high demand for 'A' Level students in the future and it is no doubt that Sunway will meet the challenge by providing quality education.

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a stylized first name followed by a long, horizontal flourish.

**K KANNAN**

Coordinator of the 'A' Level Programme



The first species, of course, spend an impressive amount of their time covered up in layers of warm clothes, all prepared for the frosty library, and thrive on input.



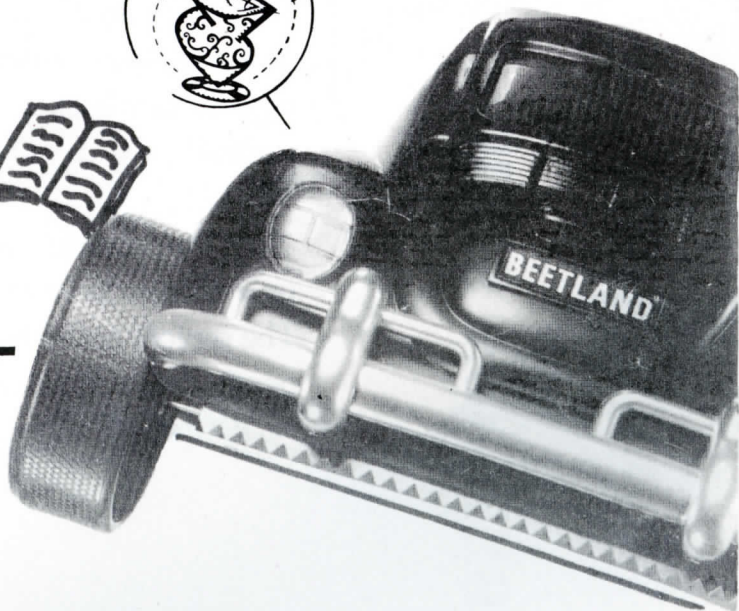
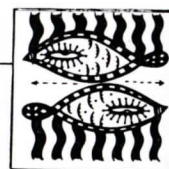
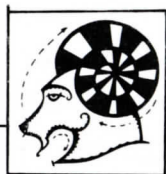
The 'A' - Level consists of a variety of characters, no two alike, all outstanding in our own ways. The combination, however is explosive! Although the majority tend to prefer Arts subjects, the Science group also adds to the life and soul of any gathering. We are able to co-operate neatly without excessive disagreements. We also know our limits and drawbacks, you see, the whole 'A' - Level's may be classified accordingly:

There are "the library people", "Cafeteria people" and the "It's a miracle if you ever see me, people".



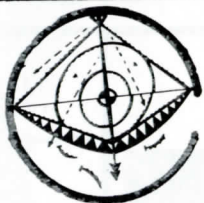
They, no doubt, achieve the most admirable grades.

The second and most popular of the categories bless the Sunway Cafeteria each morning at nine sharp; be there rain, shine, hail, storm, war, holiday, lectures or Mr. Kannan!.



These people worship the term "lepak".

Lastly, we have the mysterious ones. Nobody knows where they come from. Nobody knows where they go. When ever there is a miraculous sighting of one of these creatures in college – it's either a holiday or time to pay semester fees! However, when the dreaded exams approach, all routine goes haywire and EVERYONE invades the library.



Signatures are costly at the price of an embarrassing task each. This is obviously fun for the seniors and for the juniors who do not resort to forgery .....?!

Socializing is second nature to most of us, and there are few functions which remain unattended by the 'A' Level members. We are everywhere!!!



**SADAF HODA  
&  
BELINDA SIEW**

Exam tension creeps in and suddenly – all is quiet on the social front . The Cafeteria remains deserted, the much attended 'Snooker Centre' is quiet - but the library transformed into a packed, claustrophobic environment. Unfortunately for the lecturers, this is just temporary sanity for the 'A' level members. After exams, all is back to normal!

Orientation week for us is always nerve wrecking. The seniors are ruthless, demanding and unwilling to negotiate.

~E...



As we gradually approach our 'A' Level exams, the nervousness builds but regardless of what our grades will be we will look back at our short while at Sunway with a feeling of gratitude, grateful for all the friendships and experiences each one of us have encountered while pursuing our education here.

**T**here have always been misconceptions about the students in the Science Stream. To most people, Science students are more or less nerds (not to say that's totally untrue). To some extent that maybe so but we do however have our fair share of nutcases.

Why nutcases, you might ask. Well, it takes a person with some mental disorder to do the experiments we do. I mean, with all the acids and stuff, you can really hurt yourself. Who I ask, in his or her right mind would do the things we do in the lab (except for the nerds who are actually suffering from "nerdiroxia"). It's not like Economics or Accounting, you know.

Also, we're to some extent sadists. I mean, would a sane person dissect a dead frog. Only people like Jack the Ripper have the urge to do such things. No wonder the forensic expert in the movie Body of Evidence did the things he did. When he was in high school and university, he probably got tired of just dissecting frogs and rats and decided the human anatomy was very much more interesting. You can't actually blame him. He's a product of the Biology Lab. I mean, after countless frogs and rats, one tends to develop a knack of carving things up. It's the same as the "hero" in the Chainsaw Massacre where he got tired of using his chainsaw on trees and decided moving to human targets were more exciting.

The fumes one inhales during one's life in school are probably enough to pollute a small town. And these fumes will do funny things to a man's head. Notice the faraway stare on the lab assistant's face? I'll bet that is caused by the fumes.

But despite all its unpleasantness, Science is great !!!! Imagine the world without doctors, dentist etc.... And where would the cops be without the nutcases from the labs. Besides, the teachers with the dazed looks (probably due to the excess fumes and so on and forth) are not that bad. I mean they do have their vices but they are okay; quite good in fact for someone who's been inhaling toxic fumes most of their teenage years. So overall, the Science classes are not only for nerds but also for psychos except of course for yours truly who is your normal average, lovable person.

Science stream rep.  
**ERIC, PHUA**

note: The part about yours truly is rather hard to swallow.

# SUNWAY'S

## Funniest Home Photos.



### ♂ THE SLOTH

A rare species indeed. I found this specimen at Mimaland. Looks like he's been over dieting, hasn't Rodney, Zoo Negara's the way.

### Mr. Sunway @ Punyverse ♂

A strong conten<sup>der</sup> for the title above. Tut, tut. Just look at the sunken chest and spare ribs. Suzanne, honey, get a load of this. Presenting Mr. Edward



### Baby John ♂

The toddler of our class. Rather large for his age, eh? Finds perverse delight in splashing the water with his legs. Ain't cute?







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WESTERN  
AUSTRALIAN  
MATRICULATION

ARTICLES AND PHOTOS  
BY T.E.E. STUDENTS

**T**he Western Australian Matriculation programme leading to the Tertiary Entrance Examination started on February 8th, 1988 at Sunway College. This is the fourth year of our programme and the past 3 years have been very successful. Students graduating from this programme are able to use their results as entry requirements to undergraduate programmes of universities in Australia, New Zealand and United Kingdom. Since the launching of this programme in 1988, there has been a two-fold increase in the number of students gaining entry into tertiary institutions. In the 1990 academic year, two of our students



received Special Certificates of Distinction from the Western Australian Government for Accounting and Mathematics. Our congratulations to Ms Lee Chiew Hooi and Mr. Ng Wai Keen.

The structure of the programme includes a coursework component which carries 50% of the total assessment. This ensures that students work consistently throughout the year and cultivate discipline and time management to effectively handle the course. The remaining 50% is based on performance in the Tertiary Entrance Examination which is set and marked by the Secondary Education Authority (SEA) of Western Australia. The Western Australian Matriculation at Sunway College operates in the same way as any Western Australian school. It is regulated, moderated and administered by the Secondary Education Authority in Perth. Thus, the results that the students achieve will in all respects be equivalent to the results achieved by students in Western Australia.

The staff involved in the Western Australian Matriculation programme are well qualified. They are familiar with the assessment structure and grading system of the programme. With their commitment and experience they ensure that students achieve their full potential.

Best of luck to the staff and students.

**Mrs. Sukanya Siva**  
**Coordinator of TEE Programme**

# Bits & Pieces!

So far TEE has been exciting without mentioning the fact that soon the workload will become worse. However, in between the 9 to 5 hours of study, we have managed to enjoy games and activities. So far in the year, two football games (TEE vs CPU) have taken place. I must comment that the idea of getting up in the early hours of dawn seems rather irksome, however, the thought of watching all our pals getting messed up and grubby always keeps me coming back. The games have been fun. We are proud of our team. "Good Work Team!".

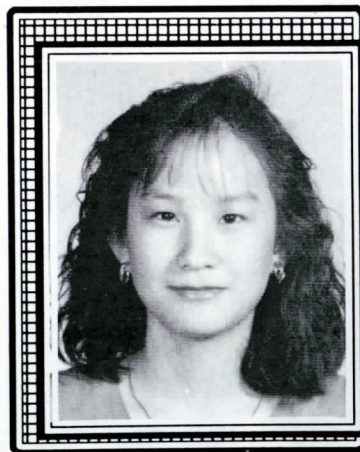
During the "Inter-Programme Debate" the TEE Team have proved themselves worthy. "Hey! We made it to the semi-finals. Congratulations to:

Brendan P. Leonard  
Mei Ching  
Yee Ling

We did encounter some difficulties in meeting the Editorial deadline, but I suppose nobody's perfect. Other 'slips and slides' have taken place but that is what you call 'growing up', right? Through these times, our lecturers have been helpful. Here, we would like to express a heartfelt "Thank you"

In TEE you never find a dull moment. While trying to score in Topic Tests and worrying about Miss Siva's threat of publishing our "Bleeps and Blunders" in the Yearbook, we have managed to find worthy friends. We hope the bonds of friendship will continue to strengthen even after we leave 'Sunway College'....

***Deryck Chai & Lynette Khoo***  
***TEE Representatives***



# To Our Lecturers

with LOVE



Arice! Buffalo Soldier!



"Deryck! My office 5 minutes"



What is that smell?!!



Ai King! Pay attention!!



No Late-comers, Please

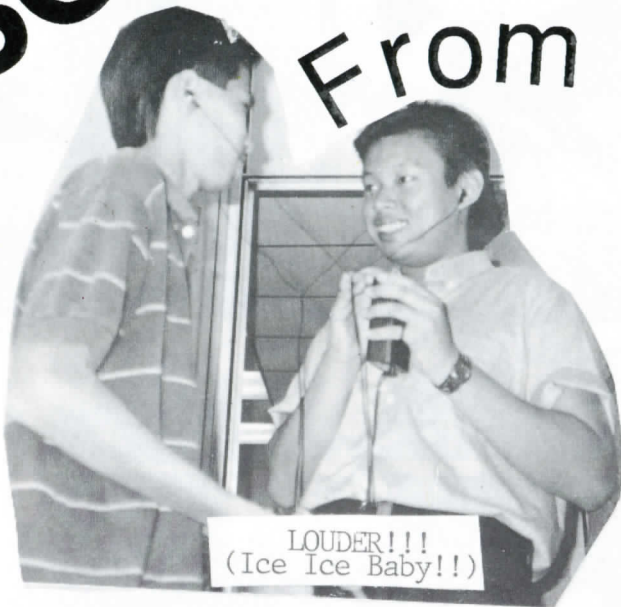


"Legal Eagles"

# SCENES

From

# TEE



LOUDER!!!  
(Ice Ice Baby!!)



Yummy!!



Fsst! Harris!!



Lunch?



Favourite Lesson:  
LUNCH!!



Muscle-Men!!



Oh! No! My shoes are dirty!!



Here take this Mogwai.

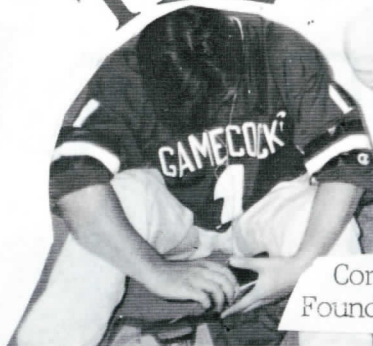


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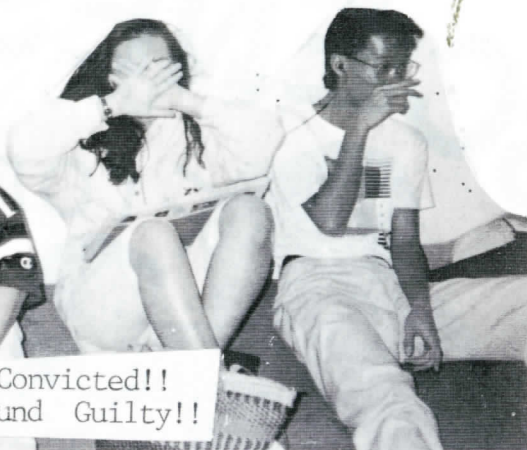
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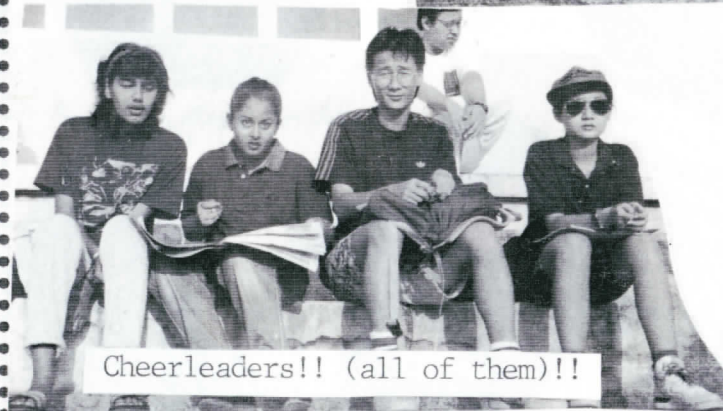
Convicted!!  
Found Guilty!!



You mean me??



Our Heros!!



Cheerleaders!! (all of them)!!



Guess Who?!!



Debating Squad who made it to the semi-finals!  
We're proud of you gang.



Team Mascot!!

# T.E.E. Cinema Scene

T.E.E.



Choon Kiat



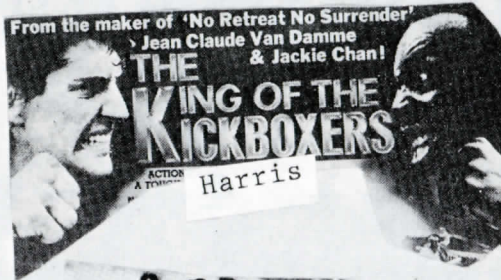
Mun Wai



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TEE reps.



Sarena Cheah



Kok Hwa



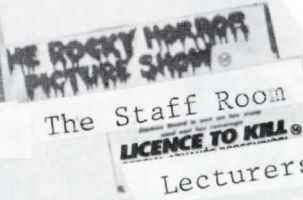
Brenda and Sheera



Mr. Manaf thinks he is...



Elaine & Annie



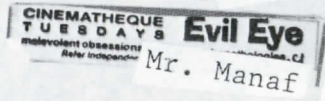
Lecturers



Reps. after S.C. Meetings



Eugene & Jeffery



Mr. Manaf



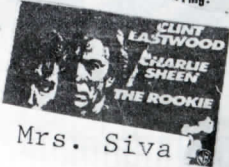
Sunway College



Students



Calvin & Khiang Wei



Mrs. Siva



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## *THE AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITY TWINNING DEGREE*

### **Why study in Australia?**

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### **Why twinning?**

**C**ost savings is an important factor in the choice of a twinning arrangement - savings from the viewpoint of fees, accommodation and other costs of living. Prestigious, internationally recognized degrees and guaranteed placement in the further years of study (of course, assuming that you meet the minimum requirements of the course) is also a factor. Another big advantage of the twinning arrangement is that students would be more mature when they transfer over to the Australian university and hence be more able to cope with the culture shock. They would be already familiar with the education system as the courses taught here are the same as that taught at the twinning university partner - the individual subject lecturers come over at least once a semester to give lectures and tutorials and to ensure that the quality of the programme here is the same as that back in their university. In fact, Sunway students have done better than their counterparts in the "mother" university - a good example is the Monash/Sunway programme.



**DR. MAH YOON LOONG**  
*Academic Dean*  
*Sunway College.*



# UWA

THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA



say I am still surviving!!! (and I hope that the students are too)

**En. Lokman**  
...hardworking, ambitious and easy to get along with.

**Mr. Kanendran**  
"I find them quite hardworking yet playful; Being young, they have a limited span of time that they can be attentive but they make up for it with their tenacity."

Whether or not that is how we'll remain is left to be seen. Already we are displaying signs of extreme "boisterous-ism" from time to time as lecturers are slowly discovering... [Those who were so quick to judge us to be "squares" will soon have to eat their words!]

**Mrs. Wong**  
I find the students hardworking and conscientious. I enjoy teaching them as I find them very attentive in class. So, at this point in time, I can confidently:

**Mrs. Looi**  
Overall, okay but they should be more initiative and less shy. [us - shy?; not any more!]

**Mrs. Lim**  
I find them hardworking, not as outspoken as last year and overall, a good batch of students.

Below are their impressions of us at the period ending April :  
**En. Lokman**  
at the University of Malaya in the field of Maths and Physics, then carried on at the same university to do his post-graduate studies in Computer Science.

On the other hand, Mr. Kanendran the University of Essex in England. went on to do his post-graduate studies in Artificial Intelligence at Virginia State University, then completed his BSc. degree in Computer Science at the West Encik Wan Lokman first Lokman is responsible for the rest. Mr. Kanendran handles one of the of the "thing" called the mystery responsible to unravel the mystery on to the two gentlemen who are Ladies aside, we now move

Mrs. Angela Wong too, is no exception, having taught first and second year Economics students in Flinders University. (This certainly gives her experience to handle a ??? class like ours)

those lecturers who combines humour with the lessons.

As for Mrs. Looi, she is a graduate from University Malaya MSc [in Stats] and Honours. We are very fortunate to have "stolen" her from Taylor's College [eat your heart out Taylor's!] as she is one of

rewarding aspects of teaching] to Mrs. Lim is one of the most establishments of friendships between her and the students which the monetary gains but the eh? Well, the answer to this is not why she wants to "suffer" with us, Zealand [which makes us wonder Chartered Accountant from New us!] For example, Mrs. Lim is a qualified our lecturers were. [Lucky back when I learned exactly how I must say I was quite taken

for our lecturers to give me some background data and impressions exactly what kind of experience [I'll leave it to your imagination]

**R**ushing about "hunting"

him:  
Our lecturer who art in maths,  
Hallowed be thy theorems;  
Thy exams surely come  
They will be done at Sunway  
as it is in Perth.

performed very well in their maths  
exams : Indeed, one of them in 1990  
beat over 320 students to come top in  
Maths 170.

Give us please our weekly  
problems,  
and forgive us our mistakes,  
as we forgive those of whom  
we copy,  
And lead us not into failure,  
but deliver us from your curse,  
for ever and ever. Amen.

Note: Dr. Bob Sullivan has  
expressed his hope that the above  
piece is not taken as a sign of  
disrespectfulness of the Christian  
religion as it was clearly meant to be  
just a parody.

Surprisingly, or maybe not so  
surprisingly [knowing Dr. Sullivan], this  
piece was written by him. Another  
example of his good humour would be  
this following piece also contributed by

proseper.  
He has visited Sunway College  
several times, so far without any  
calamity occurring!! And he has also  
enjoyed the company of many  
students and staff : there have been  
memorable meals in nearby PJ (he's  
been seen playing with his food on a  
table top!!) and there's also been  
pleasant conversations in Sunway's  
foyer (he's easily recognized as the  
only academic without a tie!!). Most  
of the Sunway students have

Dr. Bob Sullivan was one of the very  
first graduates from Monash University  
where he studied mathematics and  
philosophy. Although he still thinks

Following this, is some interesting  
information we managed to dig up of  
students at Sunway:

Da Silva Rosa was here in place of Prof.  
Izan who, in charge of Adminstrating  
Accounting in 100 and Accounting  
Concepts, was unable to come.  
100 respectively while Mr. Raymond  
Maths (150 & 170) and Economics  
of coordinating the UWA program in  
Committee at UWA with responsibility  
members of the Sunway College  
Sullivan and Dr. Abu Siddique are  
Tutor from UWA in Perth. Dr. Bob  
welcoming 2 lecturers and a Senior  
Sunway College had the privilege of  
1st of April 1991, the UWA students in  
Monash is a good university, he now  
prefers to live in Perth and work in  
UWA where the climate is more  
pleasant and the campus is more  
attractive. Also, being closer to Asia,  
he is able to work easily and  
collaborate with Mathematicians in  
Thailand and the Philippines: he was  
in Manila just before Marcos Hadya!  
just after a major flood covered the  
town.



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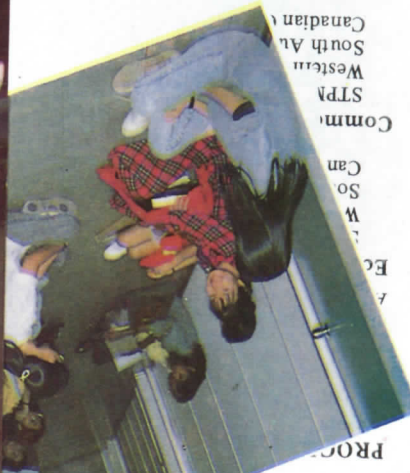
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now we know why 50% is the passing mark]

He is quite helpful to students in the UWA program in Sunway [he was helpful enough to tell me this himself]. Dr. Siddique, too has a high opinion of us saying that we are "a good batch of students who are very keen to learn, cooperative in class, sincere and quite good academically. Lastly, he wishes all the best to the UWA students." ▼

UWA he was appointed as a lecturer there and has been involved in the UWA-Sunway program since 1988.

And now we move on to Dr. Abu Siddique who is a very qualified lecturer, first doing his undergraduate in Bangladesh, then obtaining his diploma in research in rural development from the University of Hawaii. Finally after completing his PhD in Economics at UWA he was appointed as a lecturer there and has been involved in the UWA-Sunway program since 1988.

Our one and only economics lecture with him allowed us to see his humorous side. He said, "You want to get 100 and we want to give you 0. Then 100 plus 0 divided by 2 equals to 50 which becomes the passing mark" [So

of my visit, my overwhelming impression of Sunway students is that they are much the same as students everywhere, boisterous when in a group but cheerfully polite and friendly when met individually. I guess young, intelligent people with a promising future are the same all over the world [ahem]. Probably the most distinct feature of the UWA class is that they appear exceptionally close-knit and supportive of each other. This is most likely due to their relatively small number and that they are thrown together for long periods of time. Whatever the reason, the Sunway students' solidarity was quite a pleasure to witness and I hope the students are able to maintain their close ties when they move to the larger U.W.A. campus in Perth.

I look forward to renewing my

Bearing in mind the shortness

The brevity of my visit and the demands of the students time-table conspired to prevent me from meeting them other than in the contact of formal discussions. Nevertheless, a few of the students managed to "break through the barriers" and made personal contact and I would like to record my appreciation of their effort.

"Much to my regret, my contact with the UWA students at Sunway has been far too fleeting.

Da Silva Rosa who is currently a Senior Tutor in the Dept. of Accounting & Finance in UWA Perth. Below, are his first impressions of us written by him:

**N**

Next, we have Mr. Raymond



DR. BOB SULLIVAN



DR. ABU SIDDIQUE



MR. RAYMOND



MR. KANENDRAN



MRS. LOOI



MRS. LIM



AUDREY SHANG YEE

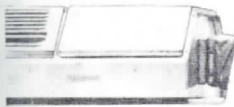
STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES



EN. WAN LOKMAN SC

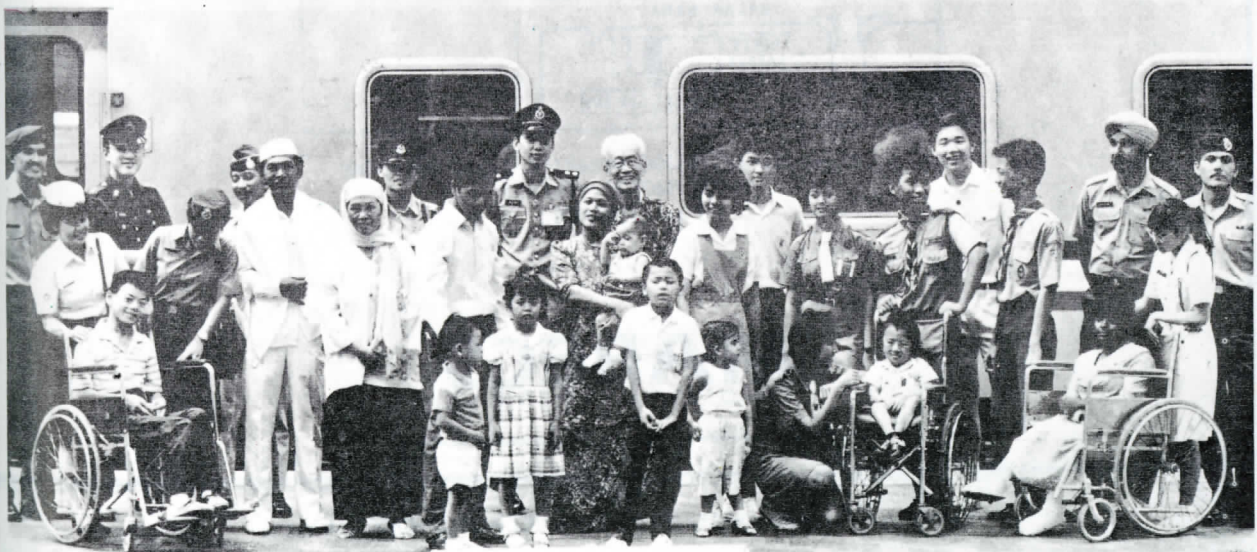


MS. ANGELA WONG



  
Keretapi Tanah Melayu  
PERJALANAN YANG LEBIH BAIK

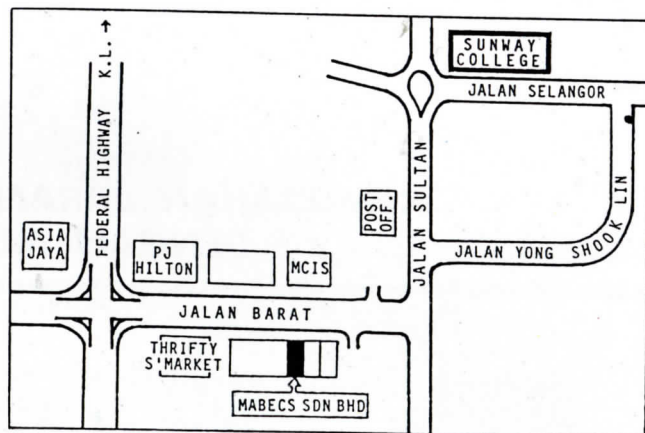
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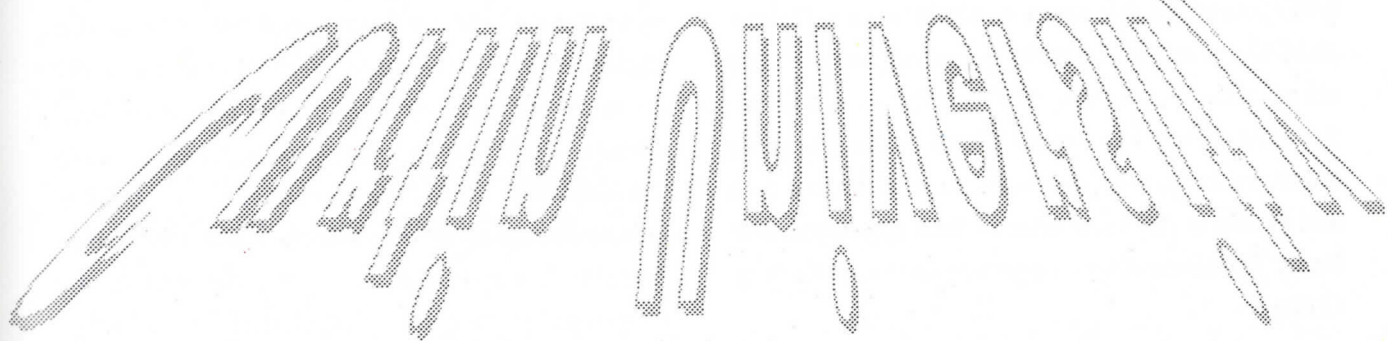
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BY CURTIN STUDENTS

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Graduates have the option of pursuing their studies further through the doctoral programs. Honours programs are also available to students achieving good grades upon attaining their degree. At Sunway College, Curtin offers the much sought after Bachelor of Business degree.

This degree is geared towards students undergoing their 1st year of studies at Sunway College and on successful completion, pursuing their remaining course at Curtin. The quality of education is essentially the same in both Sunway and Curtin. This is because students use the same textbook and sit the same tests and exams at the same time as their counterparts in Perth. The major difference is the lower cost at Sunway College.

The Bachelor of Business degree provides 1st year students with a strong background in various business discipline such as Accounting, Economics, Law, Management and Decision Support. In the 2nd year, students can choose a major from a variety of 14 streams which include Accounting, Business Law, Financial Management, Human Resource Management and others.

This is the 4th year that Sunway has offered this degree. Students from the 2nd batch will be graduating this year. (The 1st batch graduated last year).

Last but not least, the philosophy that encompasses every aspect of the Curtin academic life is "Achievement". It helps to mould graduates of outstanding capabilities and promise Graduates who are prepared to face the challenges the future has to offer and also to make an essential contribution to the society and the country.

### **EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES OF CURTIN IN SUNWAY**

We at Curtin are an active lot. One week into the course and we were already planning on an informal orientation night. We had a buffet dinner where around two-third of all the students turned up.

On another weekend, yet another group of adventurous Curtinians (Curtin students) went venturing to Sekinchan. One wonders why? Then we found out it's because of the lowly priced yet exotic seafood there. These students also visited seamen repairing nets and paddy fields. It was a beautiful moment where this city kids get to appreciate the wonders of Malaysian earth. There's no question in why environmentalists are concerned on the exploitation of Malaysian land.

During the Semester break, active Curtinians once again went trekking. This time it's to the exotic island of Langkawi. They spent time relaxing by the beach, enjoying the sunset and sunrise, and of course the food. Seems like these Curtinians are going to graduate as gourmets (gluttons) instead of business persons.

Throughout the year, the students have outdoor activities planned. It helps to develop more well-rounded students who are not only capable of achieving academically, but are also Jack and Jill of all trades.



**ACADEMIC CALENDER OF CURTIN**  
**UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY**

The first test we had as Curtin undergraduates is our Decision 151 Lab Test 1; which was on the 12/4/91. Below are the rest of our mid-semester tests, assignments and presentation;

- 19/4/91 – Accounting Test
- 25/4/91 – Due Date Of Law Essay
- 26/4/91 – Management Test  
Decision Support Test
- 29/4/91 – Economics Test
- 30/4 - 3/5/91 – Week For Accounting  
Presentation
- 24/5/91 – Due Date of Economics  
Assignment

During this whole month of tests and assignments, you could obviously see bags under most students' eyes. After the tests there seems to be no time to rest for the students. From the 16/6/91 - 28/6/91, the final semester exams were carried out, after which students have a one month's semester break.

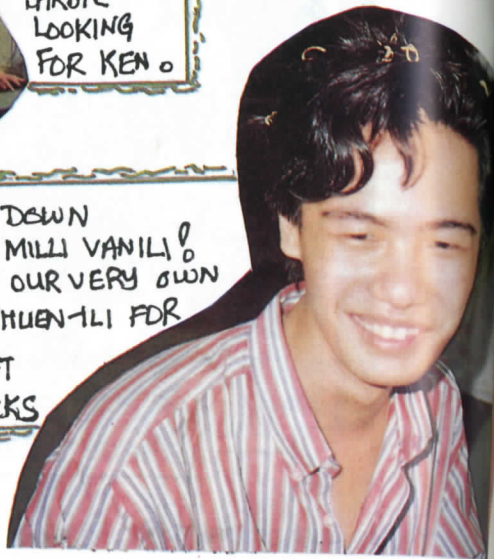
The second semester saw some bored students coming into class. All were still on their holiday mood. In September, once again we'll be sitting for our second mid-semester tests, assignments, so forth, before sitting for our final paper at Sunway before transferring to the Bentley Campus in Perth. ▲

# CURTINIANS IN ACTION...



BARBIE  
LOOKING  
FOR KEN o

STEP DOWN  
MILLI VANILI!  
HERE IS OUR VERY OWN  
MILLIKHUEN-LI FDR  
THE LATEST  
DREADLOCKS



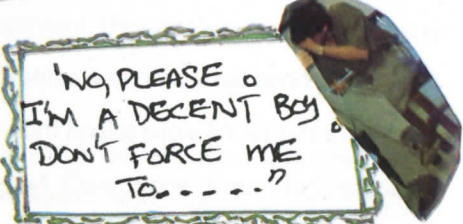
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THE IDEA THAT I LOOK VERY MUCH LIKE  
RICHARD GERE!?"



"HOW COULD HE??  
HE PREFERS A  
SHRUNKEN  
JULIA ROBERTS,  
TO ME!?"



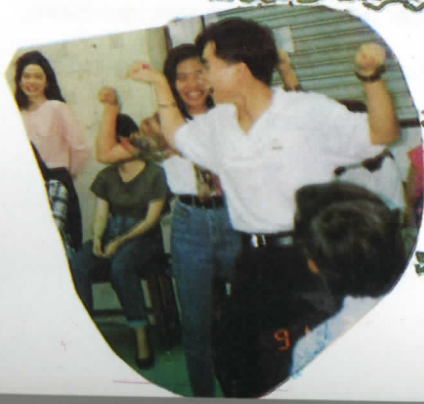
"YOU DISGUSTING BOZO!  
DON'T SHOW THAT TO THE  
GIRLS..."



"NO, PLEASE o  
I'M A DECENT BOY  
DON'T FORCE ME  
TO..."



OOOPS...  
A GOOD FDR  
JUST FLEW



"WHOSE IS BIGGER?  
MINE OR HERS!"



MOVE OVER  
SCHARWAZENEGG  
MAKE WAY FOR  
SCHARWAZENEGG



# TEASERS, anyone?

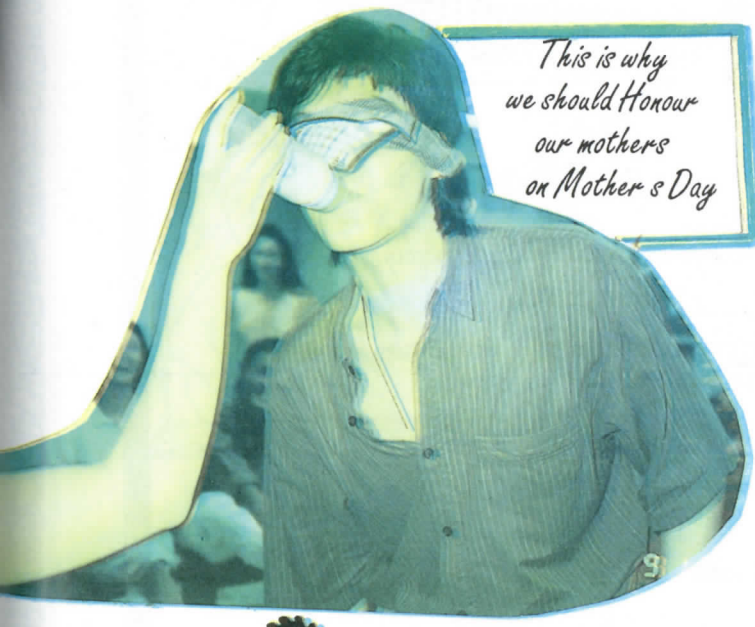
*Curtin's Top  
Hairstylist at Work*



*Mmm.....  
Milk Does Taste  
Good*



*This is why  
we should Honour  
our mothers  
on Mother's Day*



*One more step...  
And she'll  
Be in.....  
THE TWILIGHT  
ZONE*



*Ha!Ha!Ha!  
Ha! Ha!  
Ha! Ha!*



*AARGH! AARGH!  
Puff...Puff...  
It's coming.  
Quick,  
Get me a  
Container*



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# Flinders

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INSIDE:  
FEATURING OUR ADELAIDE-BOUND STUDENTS ...

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ARTICLES AND PHOTOS  
BY FLINDERS STUDENTS

# FLINDERS TALK

**Hi!!**

We're the Flinders students! What's that again? Who are we?!  
Well..... formal introductions then!

We're undergrads belonging to Sunway College's twinning programme with the Flinders University of South Australia. Flinders, located in fair Adelaide, capital of South Australia, began this programme with Sunway in 1989. This means we're the Third Batch (take heed third time lucky!) and we're glad to be given this opportunity to grace these pages for your literary benefit (hogwash!) .... but I digress. This programme offers the courses B.Economics, B.Economics (Accounting) and B.Commerce. Students sit the first year in Sunway and complete the next 2 years in Flinders itself. So there!

Now! about ourselves! There're more than 60 of us, and we've got geeks, swotters, cool dudes, terrorists, calculator collectors, lady killers, living dolls and an occasional lunatic or two. Yessir, a difficult lot indeed. So the next few pages will give a rather small peek of what we do, what we are.... and what we're capable of, savvy?!

So dig in, Sunwayites, and enjoy yourselves. And if you ever bump into a member of the Flinders fraternity..... well, be pleasant and tolerate us, ok?!



The following pages are dedicated to:-

- I) Mrs. Cheah nee Lee Soo Choo, our Accounting lecturer.... dedicated, knows her stuff, but will never account for our screwed-up assignments.
- II) En. Roslan Abdul Hakim, who tries very hard to lecture Economics to us!
- III) En. Wan Lokman, who makes Turbo Pascal programming look easy, but looks can be deceiving.

**KEEP COOL, STAY SANE! ENJOY!**





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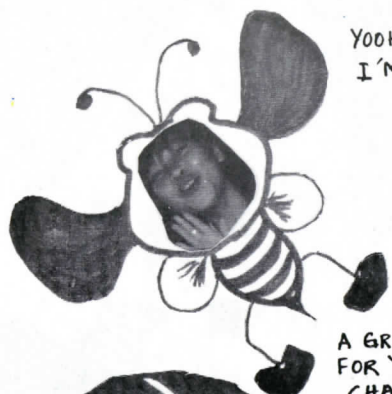
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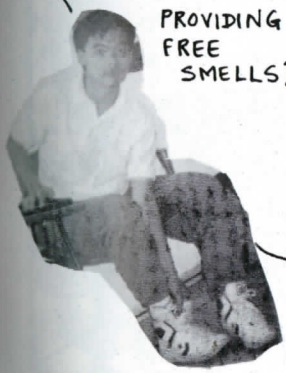


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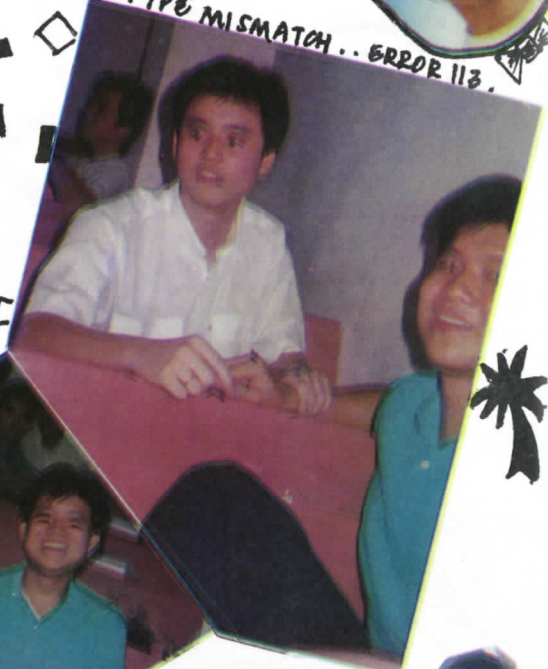
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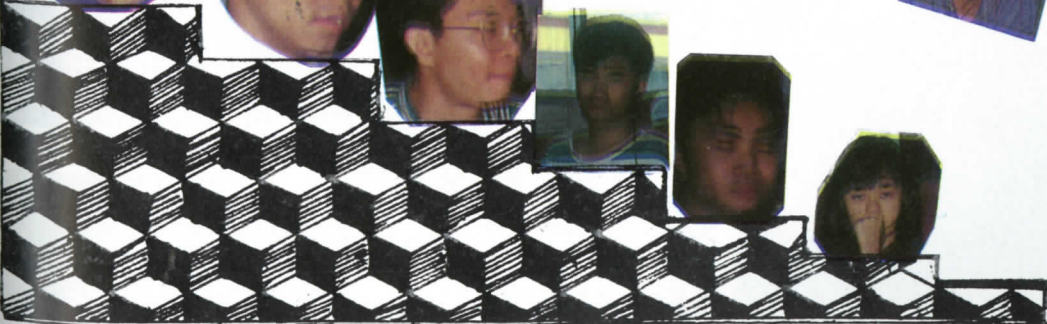
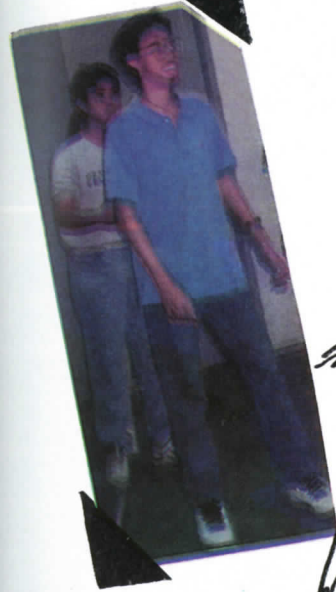
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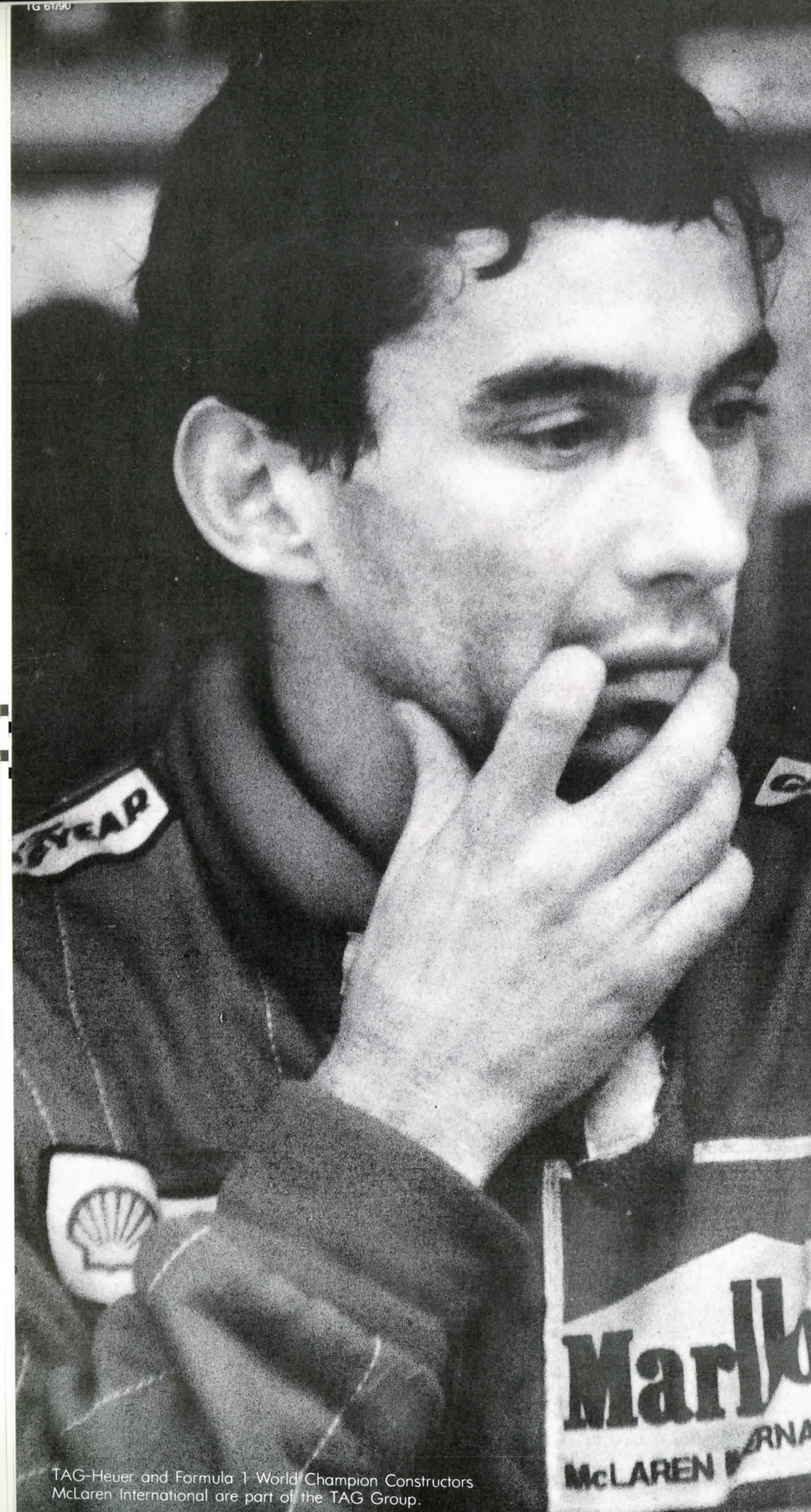


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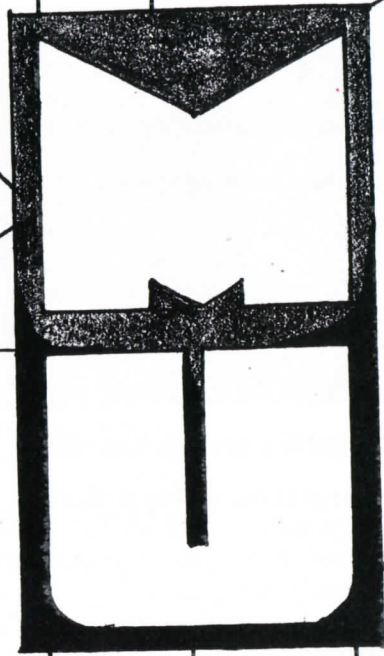


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MONASH STUDENTS

We are now in the fourth year of teaching under the Monash University/Sunway College twinning arrangement.

I would like to record my view that the arrangement has been an outstanding success from the point of view of Monash and, I am certain, the students who have completed first year at Sunway.

Although the number of students enrolled each year may be modest by comparison with some other institutions, the high level of entry couples with the dedication and commitment of academic staff involved with the program has resulted in a very high pass rate for Monash/Sunway students. In fact, the pass rate in the first year at Sunway is higher than for first year students on the Clayton campus.

I am of the view that the current program should not only continue, but should expand with the availability of additional Monash courses when the new Bandar Sunway campus is opened.

Monash looks forward to this expansion and continuation of our harmonious relationship.

Yours sincerely,

**Peter J Campbell**  
**Director**  
**Centre for International Students**



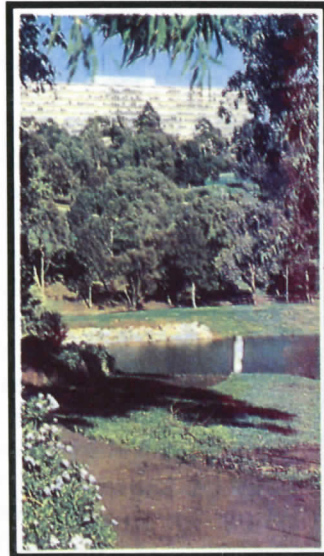
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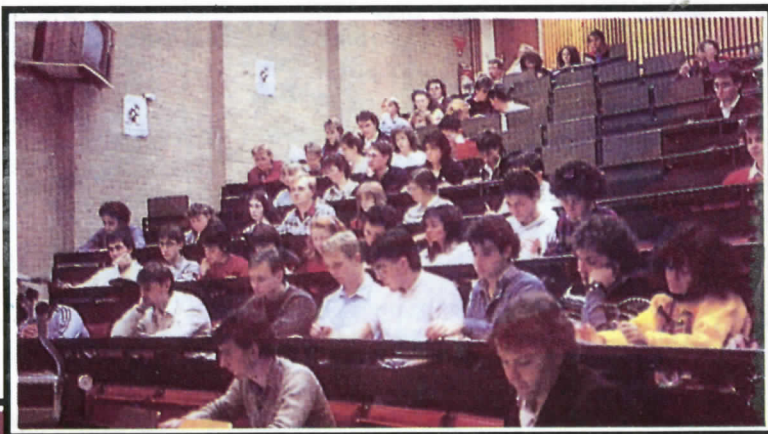


*Biology Building*



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**M**onash University, Australia's fifth largest university, is located in the demographic heart of the metropolitan area of Melbourne. Melbourne, the capital of the garden state of Victoria, is noted for its scenic beauty and the wealth of its cultural activities. Enviably for its high quality of teaching, Monash University is certainly one of Australia's most important centre of research and scholarship. Modern, well-equipped and attractively landscaped, the 100-hectare campus is home to 15000 students including 1600 overseas students. Monash has seven large faculties namely Arts, Economics, Politics, Education, Engineering, Law, Medicine and Science. Over the past 25 years, there has been more than 5000 students from overseas who have graduated with Monash degrees



*Students attending lecture*



*Tennis Courts*

where the vast majority have come from South East Asian countries. At present, Monash University offers Economics with majors in Economics, Accounting or Business Administration through a twinning arrangement with Sunway College. Monash University is clearly, and has been for many years a truly international institution.

# NEWS FROM ABROAD

Dear Mrs Lim,

The first two weeks of lectures and tutorials have been kind of exciting. The Aussie accent is not that hard to catch, though.

Other than the crazy weather and the lack of cheap food, walking is the only thing I hate doing over here. Everyday, we have to walk about 15 minutes to reach campus. It's even worse when the blazing sun shines through our shivering (a bit of exaggeration) bodies. Just imagine walking 5 kilometres home from Clayton town with our heavy weekly groceries.

Following the reading guide and finding suitable materials for our tutorials are so much easier here. Compared to Sunway, the library here is fantastic and so well organised.

My hands are starting to shiver now (it's about 7°C outside) So, I better stop now before the rest of my body starts to tremble as well.

With warmest regards,  
Tan Yih

Dearest Mr Tee, Mrs Lim, Miss Er and Miss Leong,  
I am staying off campus with 5 other Sunway Students. Many of the Sunway Students who first lived at the Monash Halls of Residence are beginning to move out. It seems that cost of living there is very high and the food there is lousy.

Speaking of food, oh! I miss Malaysian food. We all miss Malaysia especially the weather. Here it is so cold that it is difficult to do anything properly. We all smoke everyday-without the cigarettes of course. Vapour develope whenever we walk out of the house at any time of the day from our breath. Made us look like some smoke breathing monsters wrapped up in layers and layers of clothing. Here's wishing all of you the very best, lots of blue skies and beautiful days and memories from the No. 1 Beddoe Avenue Households.

Love,  
Wong Peck Ling

Dearest Mr. Tee (Sir)

The uni is not very big and it is also not very small. But definitely bigger than Sunway. It takes about 10 minutes to walk from our house to our faculty. But I've already invested in a bicycle which costs me A\$179. You may think that it is very expensive, but as for me, it's quite a worthwhile investment because I save a lot of transport money. (from our house to Clayton town to get food supplies)

Sir, the weather here is quite O.K. in the afternoon. But it is horrible in the night and early morning. It is so cold... I have to wear 3 layers of clothes even that is not enough for me. And now it's just end of summer. I don't know how am I going to survive the winter... probably with heater & additional clothing.

Some of the foods here are expensive, some reasonable and some cheap. Expensive foods are such as garlic, beancurd, pepper and things that Australians seldom eat. Most of

other things are quite reasonably priced (if you don't convert Australian dollars to Malaysian dollars.)  
Well, I have to stop now. Please send my regards to Miss Er, Miss Leong and Mrs. Lim.  
Love,  
Wai Ping

Dear Mrs. Lim,  
GDAY!! Am having a FAB time so far!! In 2 minutes I'll be helping Paul Ng dress up as a woman for a sex-change disco party!! Great, huh??  
Sharon

MRS. LIM  
SUNWAY  
21, JAL  
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## CHIT-CHAT WITH LECTURERS

- Name* : **Mrs. T.M Lim**  
*Subject Lecturer* : Accounting  
*Qualifications* : Bachelor of Commerce & Administration  
(Acc),  
Victoria University, New Zealand  
Chartered Accountant, New Zealand  
Chartered Secretary-Institute of Chartered  
and Administration, U.K  
Registered Accountant of Malaysian Institute  
of Accounting
- Previous Experiences* : 2 years auditing with Arthur Young (now Ernst &  
Young), N.Z  
1 year auditing with Arthur Young, K.L  
4 years in commercial firms in K.L

I switched my career to teaching when I joined Sunway College in 1987. Students often ask me why I left the more lucrative commercial world, my only answer is that I took this job as a challenge after being so disillusioned in the cut-throat world of business. I have never regretted this decision.

Teaching is fun when your students are responsive and eager to learn. My previous experience is that the less well-to-do students are more motivated, probably because they know they cannot afford to fail.

The Monash Accounting programme is very well-structured and up-to-date. I maintain a very close and friendly contact with my subject-controller in Monash. In 1990, I visited Monash University after receiving an invitation from the Accounting Department. I found all the lecturing staff very friendly and helpful. The Clayton campus is very huge and beautiful, quite far away from the city of Melbourne. This, I think will ensure that the students will find very little distractions there.

The greatest fulfillment I get is when my students perform well in examinations, or when they keep in touch after leaving Sunway. A letter, a phonecall or a visit from an ex-student means a great deal to me.

Nowadays, I find that I even have to reply inquiries from prospective employers. Why? My students have quoted me as their referee. At times, I discover that I am also teaching their younger brothers or sisters. Will I still be here to teach their children, I wonder.

*Name* : **Mr. Tee Chwee Kiat**  
*Subject Lecturer* : Economic Statistics  
*Qualification* : Master of Business Administration (Finance) &  
 Bachelor of Economics (Statistic) with 1st Class  
 Honors from University Malaya

*Previous Experience* : Tutor in University Malaya (3 years)  
 Part-time teacher at Chung Hwa High School (1986-1988)

In my opinion, the Monash students are hardworking, intelligent and have the ability to grasp things with lightning speed but are a bit dependent. Understandably so as this twinning program sets the highest entry requirements compared to others.

Monash is a very well-known university in Melbourne, Australia. The course is very tough and the students must not expect a "honeymoon year". As far as subject is concerned, the programme has set a very high standard. As such, one must think twice before joining this programme. Although the first year is conducted locally at Sunway College, students are not at a disadvantage because Sunway has established close links with Monash University. Personal attention is emphasized, with the students, lecturers and the administration working closely together.

Results of the students in Sunway are much better than those in the parent campus. I hope that many more Monash students will decide to major in Statistics.

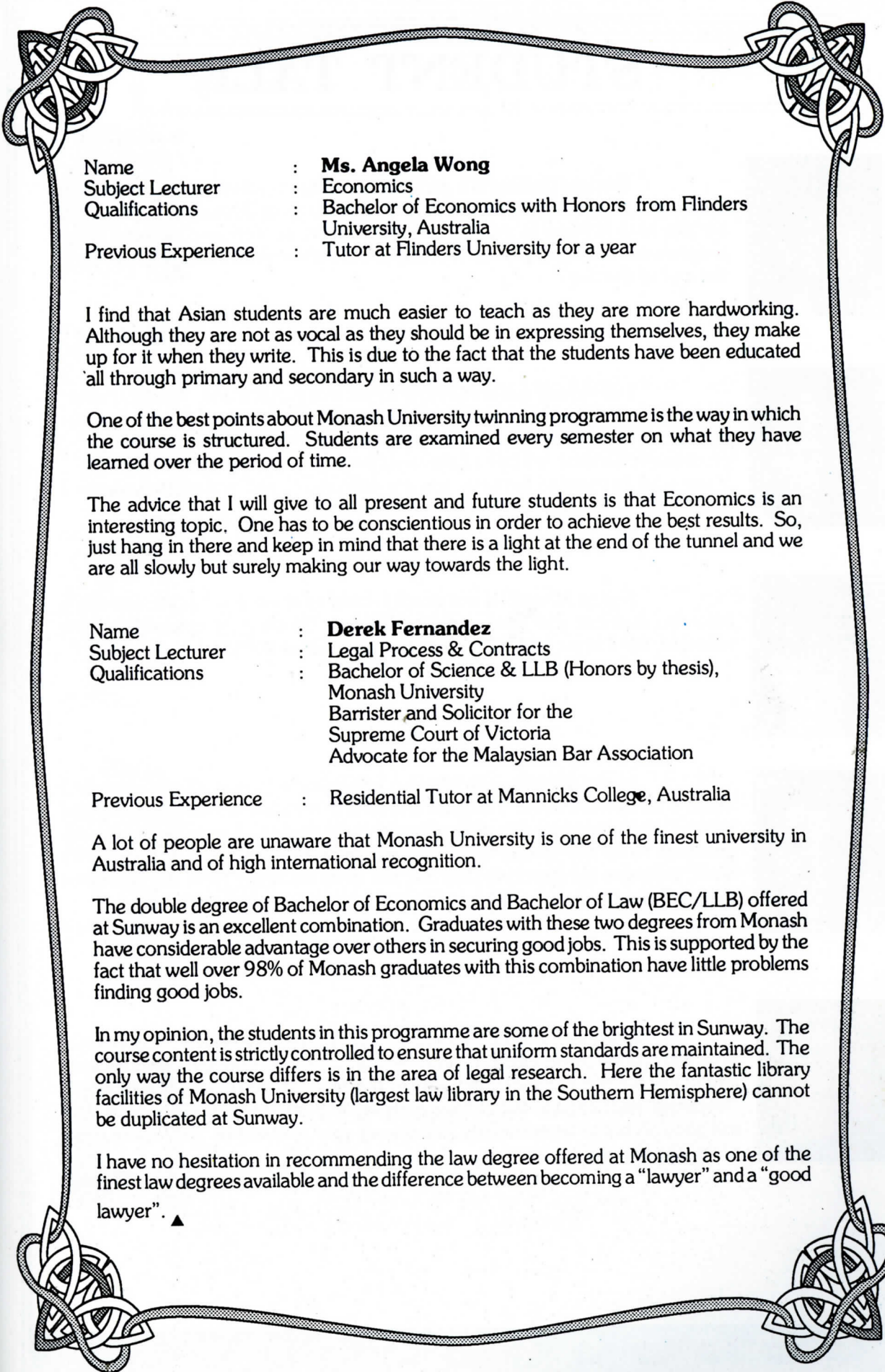
*Name* : **Mr. Kanendran**  
*Subject Lecturer* : Mathematics  
*Qualifications* : Bachelor in Mathematics & Post-graduate degree  
 in Computer Science from University Malaya

*Previous Experience* : Full-time Lecturer in Sunway (1991)

The Monash twinning programme covers good background in the required subjects. The stiff prerequisites sets a high standard for students contemplating this course. The lecturers of the twinning programme have great support from the lecturers abroad.

I find that the students in this programme are extremely punctual besides hardworking. Furthermore, tutorial works are commendable.

I advice all students to have at least some knowledge of computers. Also, learning to like all the subjects and the readiness to work hard on them, are the basic criteria to score well.



Name : **Ms. Angela Wong**  
Subject Lecturer : Economics  
Qualifications : Bachelor of Economics with Honors from Flinders University, Australia  
Previous Experience : Tutor at Flinders University for a year

I find that Asian students are much easier to teach as they are more hardworking. Although they are not as vocal as they should be in expressing themselves, they make up for it when they write. This is due to the fact that the students have been educated all through primary and secondary in such a way.

One of the best points about Monash University twinning programme is the way in which the course is structured. Students are examined every semester on what they have learned over the period of time.

The advice that I will give to all present and future students is that Economics is an interesting topic. One has to be conscientious in order to achieve the best results. So, just hang in there and keep in mind that there is a light at the end of the tunnel and we are all slowly but surely making our way towards the light.

Name : **Derek Fernandez**  
Subject Lecturer : Legal Process & Contracts  
Qualifications : Bachelor of Science & LLB (Honors by thesis), Monash University  
Barrister and Solicitor for the Supreme Court of Victoria  
Advocate for the Malaysian Bar Association

Previous Experience : Residential Tutor at Mannicks College, Australia

A lot of people are unaware that Monash University is one of the finest university in Australia and of high international recognition.

The double degree of Bachelor of Economics and Bachelor of Law (BEC/LLB) offered at Sunway is an excellent combination. Graduates with these two degrees from Monash have considerable advantage over others in securing good jobs. This is supported by the fact that well over 98% of Monash graduates with this combination have little problems finding good jobs.

In my opinion, the students in this programme are some of the brightest in Sunway. The course content is strictly controlled to ensure that uniform standards are maintained. The only way the course differs is in the area of legal research. Here the fantastic library facilities of Monash University (largest law library in the Southern Hemisphere) cannot be duplicated at Sunway.

I have no hesitation in recommending the law degree offered at Monash as one of the finest law degrees available and the difference between becoming a "lawyer" and a "good lawyer". ▲

# STUDENT TALK



Sunway College is a good college with excellent facilities but there are not many places outside the library to study or to do assignments. If you are planning to enrol in the Monash programme, be warned that it is a tough programme, but don't give up because you are the one who will be laughing at the end of the day!

**Chong Yew**



Let me tell you something about this programme. Firstly, there are tons and tons of work to do. Secondly, people here are "pandai-pandai belaka"... That's why I always feel pressurized! Actually, I chose this programme because it's one of the most prestigious university in Australia. If you wish to come to Monash, you are welcome but make sure you put a lot of hard work doing the courses offered here.

**Teng Ming Tan**



Life at Monash is not exactly a bed of roses, but I guess nothing is easy the moment you enter university level. Nothing is enjoyable at the moment, but I hope... I think... that this will change eventually.

**Lena**



In my opinion, the Monash programme is very challenging and needs a lot of endurance. The guys and girls in my class are very friendly and helpful when someone has difficulties in their studies. I wish to express my gratitude to all the hardworking lecturers in this programme. On the other hand, the more hardworking they are, the more we suffer from the burden of the work they give us.

**Wye Kan**



Study at Sunway? It's so-so only. It's great to be able to get exotic food just a stone throw away. It beats having just steaks and hamburgers every day. Give me roti canai any day. Also, the fact that your gang is here to go "lepaking" at discos and the all time favorite, Mamak stall. One downer is that the gang seems to be extremely free during your mid-terms. Still there is no place like home.

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**Karen**



*If one thinks that university life is all smooth sailing, then I think one should not even consider joining the Monash programme. The people are hardworking but lots of fun. Being the smallest twinning group in Sunway College has its advantages - more personal attention from lecturers and of course, closer friends.*

**Li Hian**



*I will kill anyone who says that the first year in any university is "sub-sub-sui". Now I am wondering why I made the decision to study in Monash. The Monash twinning programme is only for those who are extremely (to the power of infinity) hardworking. However, if you want to have a bright future, join Monash.*

**Kien Ling**



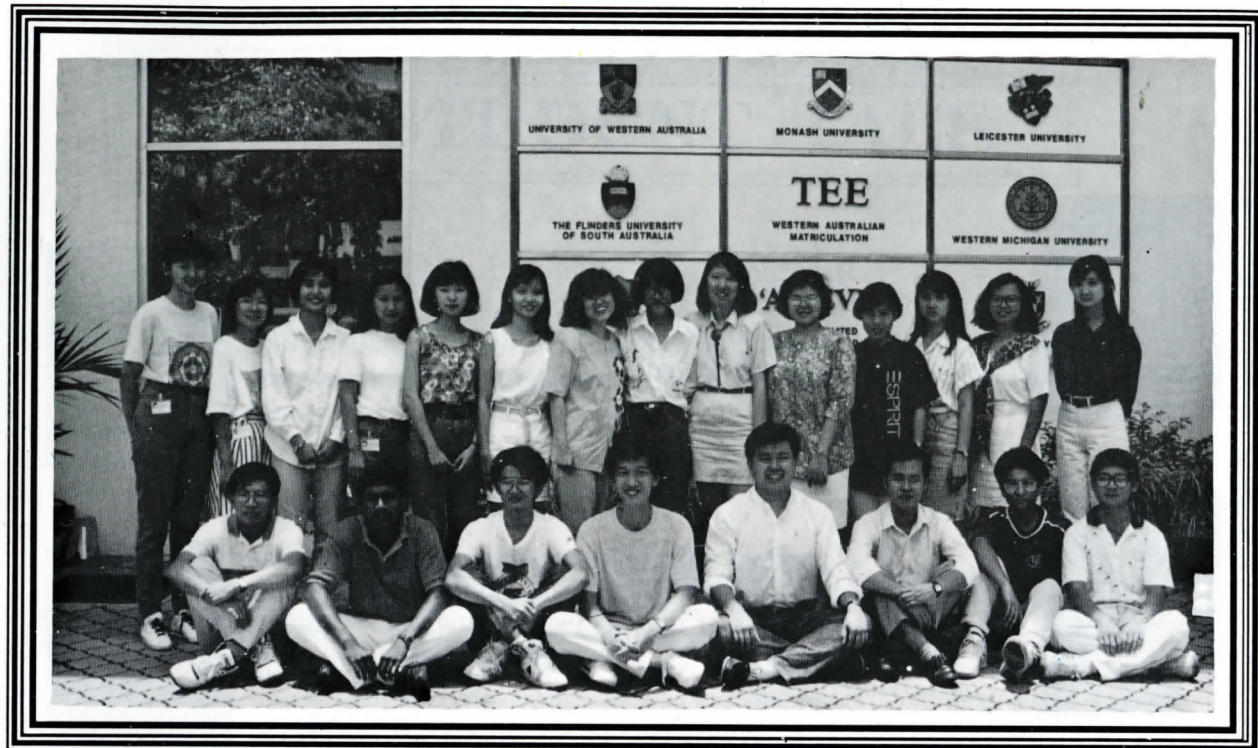
*Monash University is one of the top universities in Australia. So, if you want to obtain a good degree, my advice to you is to enter this programme. A word of warning though, you need to put in a lot of hard work to be able to get through it. Besides, obtaining a prestigious degree, there are also many other benefits which you can get. For instance, after joining the programme, I have lost 10 kg in 2 months (as a result of too much stress). So, if you have weight problems and have tried every possible way to slim without any success, why don't you give this programme a try? Who knows? You might lose 20 kg in a month.*

**Cherrie Teh**



*When memories of yesterday came by,  
 I cannot help but feel hollow and old;  
 What have I painted that give color to my folks,  
 old friends all around,  
 Or am I pure dry desert, time's eunuch?  
 I am not content,  
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**Wai Ling**



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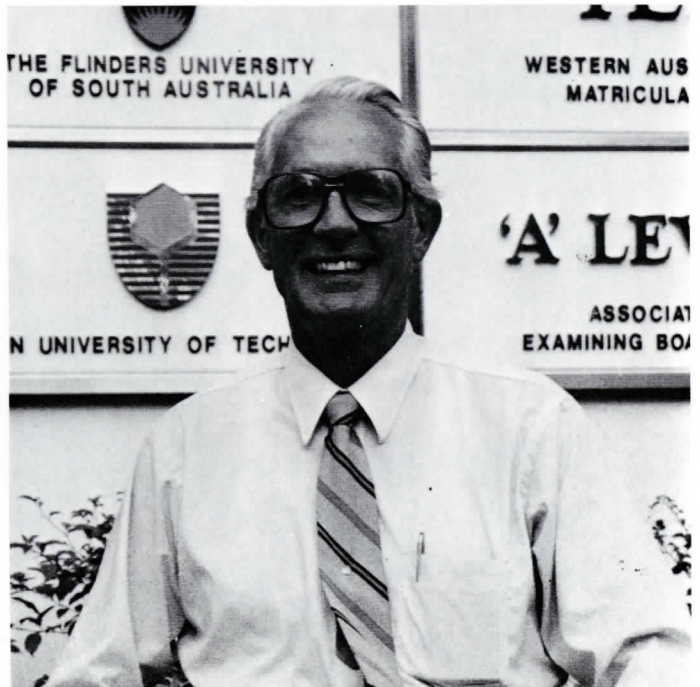
## Progressing in Leaps and Bounds

Thanks to the hard work by officials in both Kalamazoo and P.J., the several curricular fields that make up the Sunway College - Western Michigan University (WMU) Programme have grown in leaps and bounds during the past year.

In January 1991, the communication major added three new courses: Com 210-Oral Interpretation; COM 242-Discussion; and COM 240-Broadcast Communication, plus a new lecturer, to teach the latter. Together with Sunway's growing reputation for "quality education", this helped to boost the January '91 intake — the programme's 10th since beginning in September 1987 — to a record of 76 new students. This gave a total enrollment for the new year of over 242 students, in addition to the 166 who had already transferred to WMU-Kalamazoo.

Moreover, in addition to the existing fields of Business Administration, Computer Science, and Communication, a brand-new "Science and Pre-Engineering" dimension to the programme is being introduced. And permission to teach at least four additional science courses is currently being sought. In short, the number of courses available in the programme has jumped 50% from the 20 available last September to over 30 expected by the beginning of September 1991.

Indeed, there is no longer any difficulty whatsoever for students in a wide variety of career fields to earn at Sunway College one-half or more — i.e., 60-plus credit hours — of their American graduation credits before transferring to WMU-Kalamazoo to complete their B.B.A., B.S., or B.A. degrees. And together with such outstanding extra-curricular successes as winning the 1st Sunway Intra-Collegiate Debate Competition, it seems clear that students in the programme at P.J. are demonstrating the same ability to succeed that characterizes their seniors at WMU-Kalamazoo, the first batch of whom will graduate with bachelor's degrees in April this year. We are indeed progressing, in leaps and bounds, with our first alumni group returning to Malaysia this year. Congratulations to all. Go well, be well.



*Alan H. Jacobs*

**DR ALAN H. JACOBS,**  
Resident Director,  
Western Michigan University.

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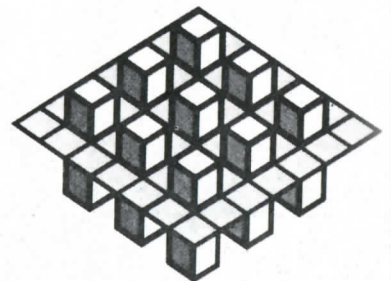
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# Leicester University



ARTICLES AND PHOTOS  
BY LEICESTER STUDENTS

In April 1988, I wrote an article for Berita SungeiWay entitled "A Journey". This referred to the first group of Leicester Law students in Sunway College. If I may be permitted to take an extract from that article:

"Thirty seven students, young men and women, have begun a three year journey which will end in July 1990. In the De Montfort Hall of the City of Leicester in the United Kingdom, wearing the traditional cap, gown and hood, they will have conferred upon them the degree of LLB by the Chancellor of Leicester University. Much will happen to them during that journey. They will experience life in a different culture, make many friends from another land, eat unaccustomed food, participate in the life of the Student Union, work hard at their studies, have suffered the rigours of the English climate. Goodness knows what other exciting things will befall them."

That groups' journey ended last year and a photograph of a group of students in their cap, gown and hood appeared in last year's magazine.



At the same time in 1988, two further groups of students had started their journey following Foundation Years in Engineering and Economics. Continuing into the year of the twinning degree programme in Sunway, they went to Leicester in September 1989. Their journey will end in July this year when they receive their degrees at the annual degree ceremony.

So this year, the Leicester twinning programmes will "come of age" in the sense that all three programmes will have produced their first sets of graduates. The Vice Chancellor of the University and the Departments concerned are very happy at the way the twinning arrangement has worked and look forward to welcoming many more sets of students into their midst. Leicester is particularly impressed with the quality of the students coming from Sunway.

Currently, there are one hundred and twenty-five Sunway students in Leicester in their second and third years. There are seventy-nine students in Sunway. They are all at various stages of that journey leading to an honours degree of Leicester University. We look forward to many more students travelling the Leicester road in the future.

**Dr. G. L. Booth**  
**Resident Director of Studies, Leicester University**

# Notes on some Leicester University Buildings

**I**n the twinning programme with Leicester University there are currently two courses available - Law and Engineering. It is interesting to find that both the Law Department and the Engineering



*Fielding Johnson Building*

Department are housed in listed buildings. That is buildings deemed to have great architectural merit and worthy of preserving. This means they can neither be changed or demolished without the permission of the relevant national authority. However, there the similarity ends because the Law Department is housed in part of a fine Georgian building dating from 1837, called the Fielding Johnson Building, whilst the Engineering Department was built in 1960.

A look at the growth of Universities in England is interesting. There is Oxbridge, the two ancient foundation dating back centuries with their Colleges and Chapels. The word Redbrick was coined to describe those Universities, Leeds, Liverpool, Sheffield etc mainly built around the turn of this century. Modern Universities in U.K. date from the early sixties following the Robbins report which said University education should be available to all who could benefit from it. This led to the creation of Keele, Kent, York, etc sometimes referred to as the Concrete and Glass phase of university architecture.

Leicester falls between Redbrick and Concrete and Glass. It started life in 1919 as a University College preparing students for the external London University degrees and was granted its charter in 1957 following steady growth particularly after 1945. The centerpiece of the University College was the aforementioned Fielding Johnson Building. This building began its life as the Leicestershire and Rutland Lunatic Asylum. (There are some who say they can



*The Law Department overlooks a quadrangle in the Fielding Johnson Building.*

detect no difference between immates then and now!!). The rest of the University buildings have been erected since 1957 and span a range of architectural styles. In a sense Universities were the patrons of architects. The Engineering Department designed by Stirling, an internationally acclaimed architect, is a very distinctive glass and redbrick building.

So the Law Department finds itself housed in the oldest part of the University's building. A seemingly cloistered haven looking out onto lawned quadrangles and housing a beautiful oak panelled library. No doubt it becomes a hive of activity when thronged with some six hundred staff and students. The modern design of the Engineering Building captured the imagination of the architectural world. Early



in the sixties it won an award from the Reynolds Company of America, a producer of aluminium, for the most imaginative use of aluminium in a building. Architects from all over the world have come to see it, the cameras clicking, and still come thirty years after its construction. It has been featured on a U.K. postage stamp commemorating fine buildings.

Whether the building has any effect on the development of the students inhabiting it I don't know. But Sunway students, depending on their discipline, will certainly work in very different environments. Perhaps some Sunway student going to Leicester could do some research on this topic.



*Engineering Building*



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To BMW, now that's art  
Dear Lawyer, my hat comes off to you

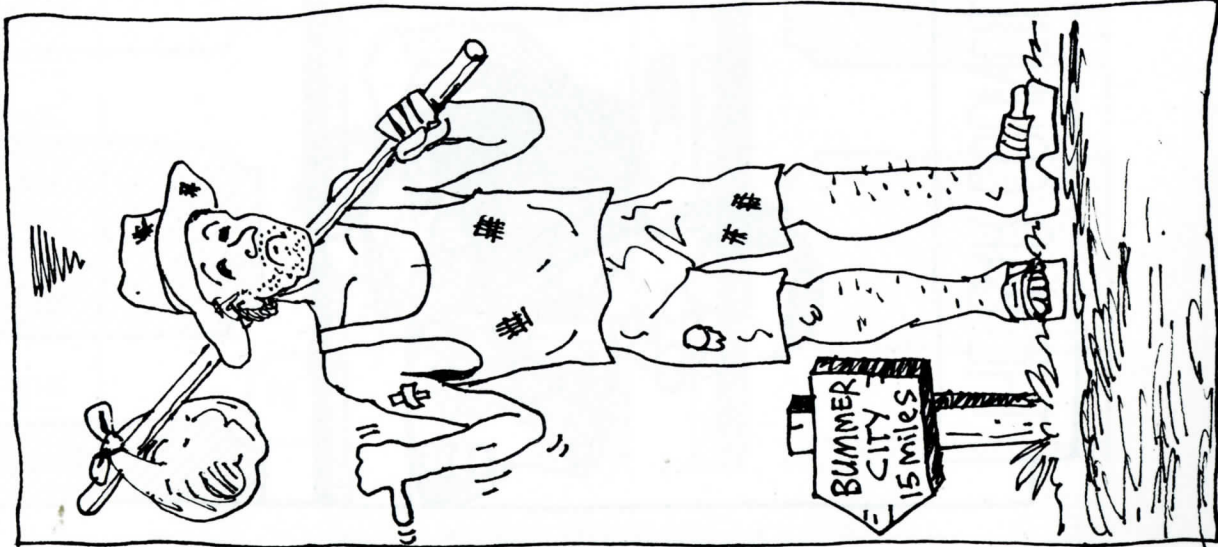
PLEASE READ THE FINE PRINT

When I was just boy  
I asked myself,  
What I'd like to be,  
Would I be rich,  
Would it be easy,  
Then the answer came to me - (be a lawyer)

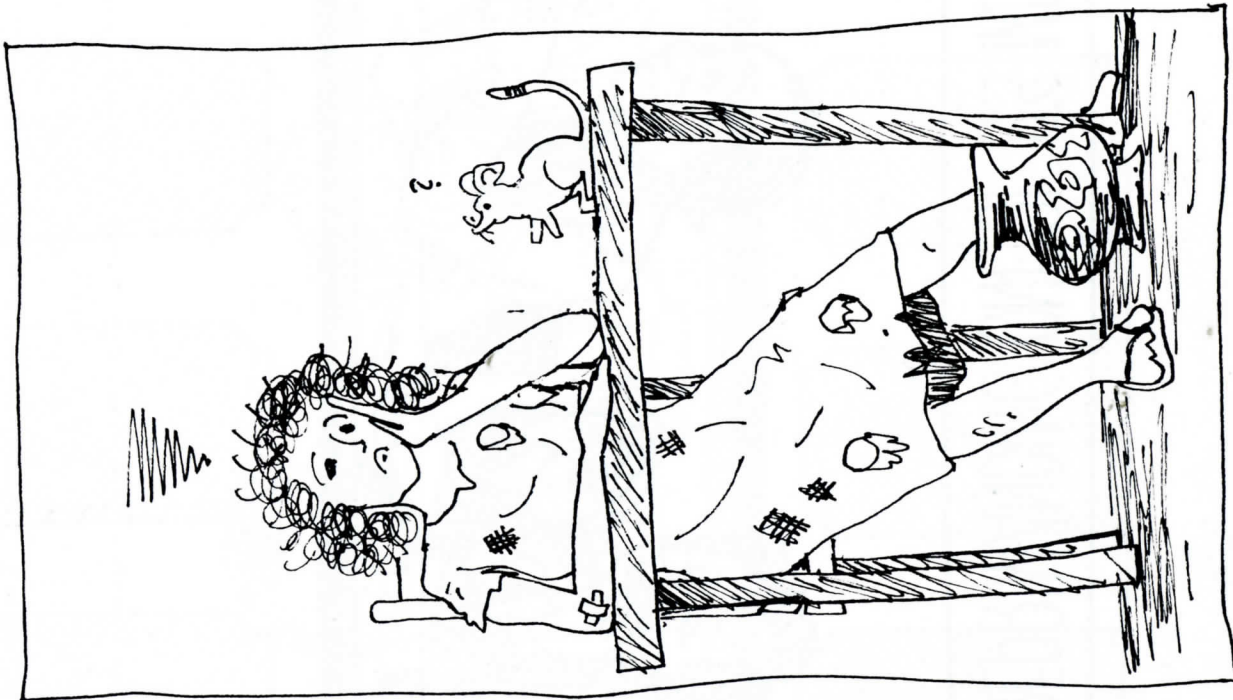
Que sera sera  
I'll sue someone just for you  
But please don't forget my fees,  
Or soon I'll be suing you too.



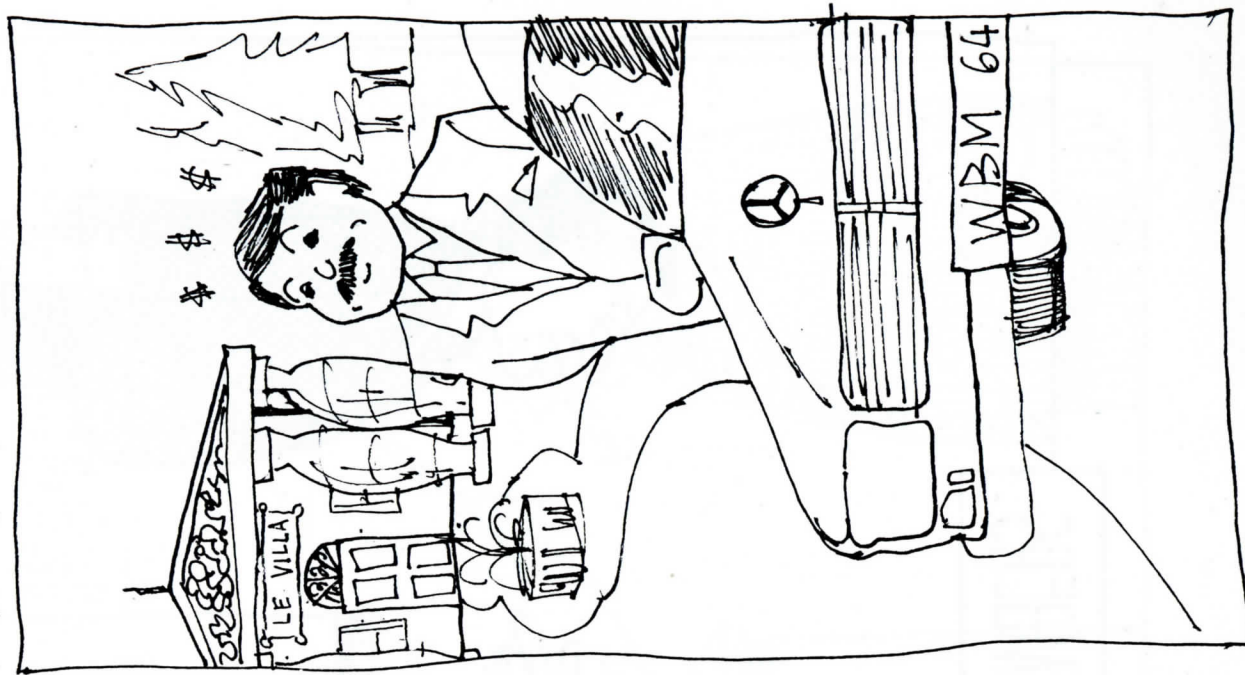
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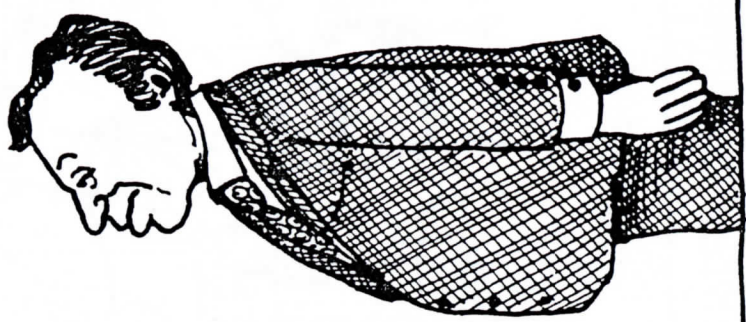
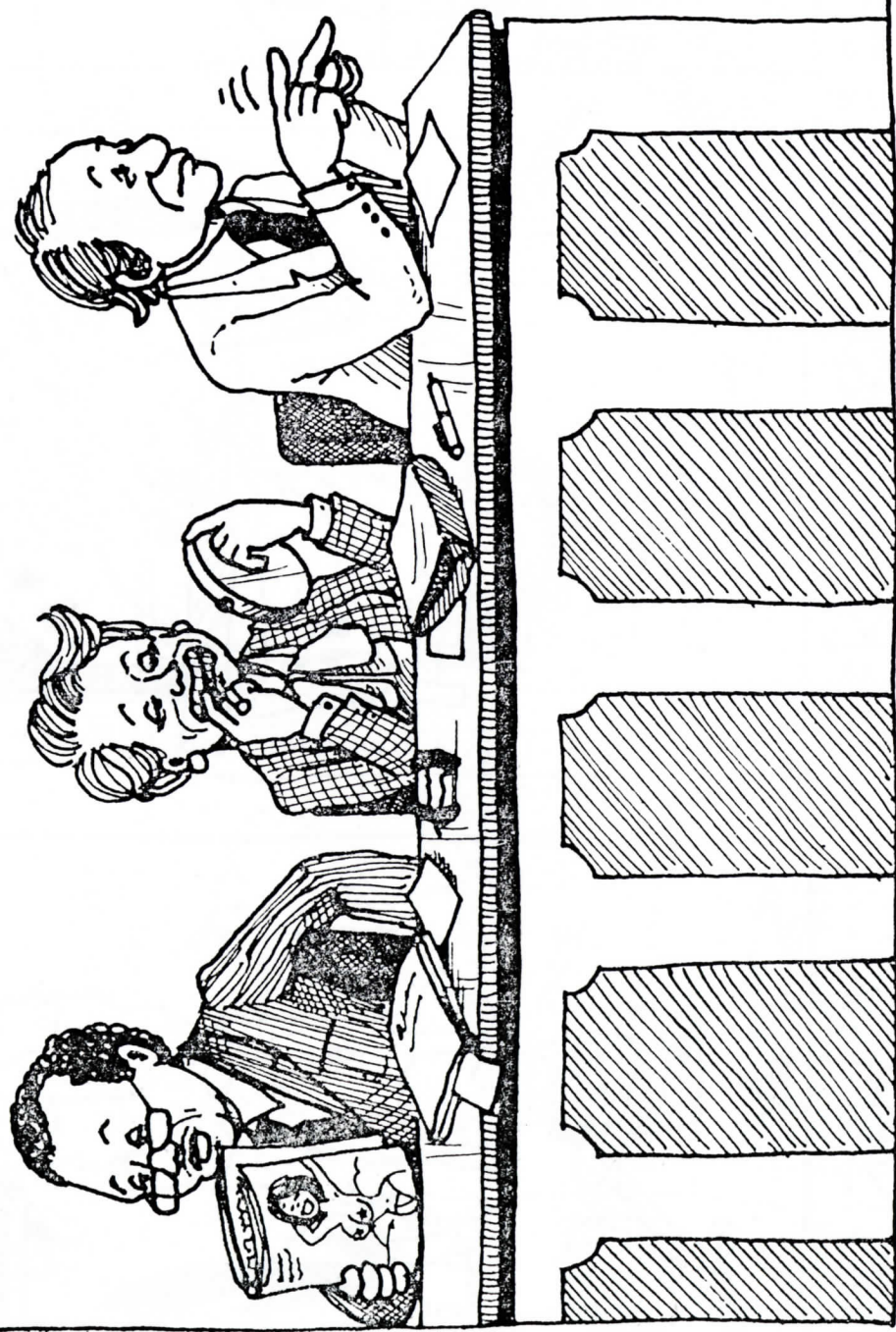
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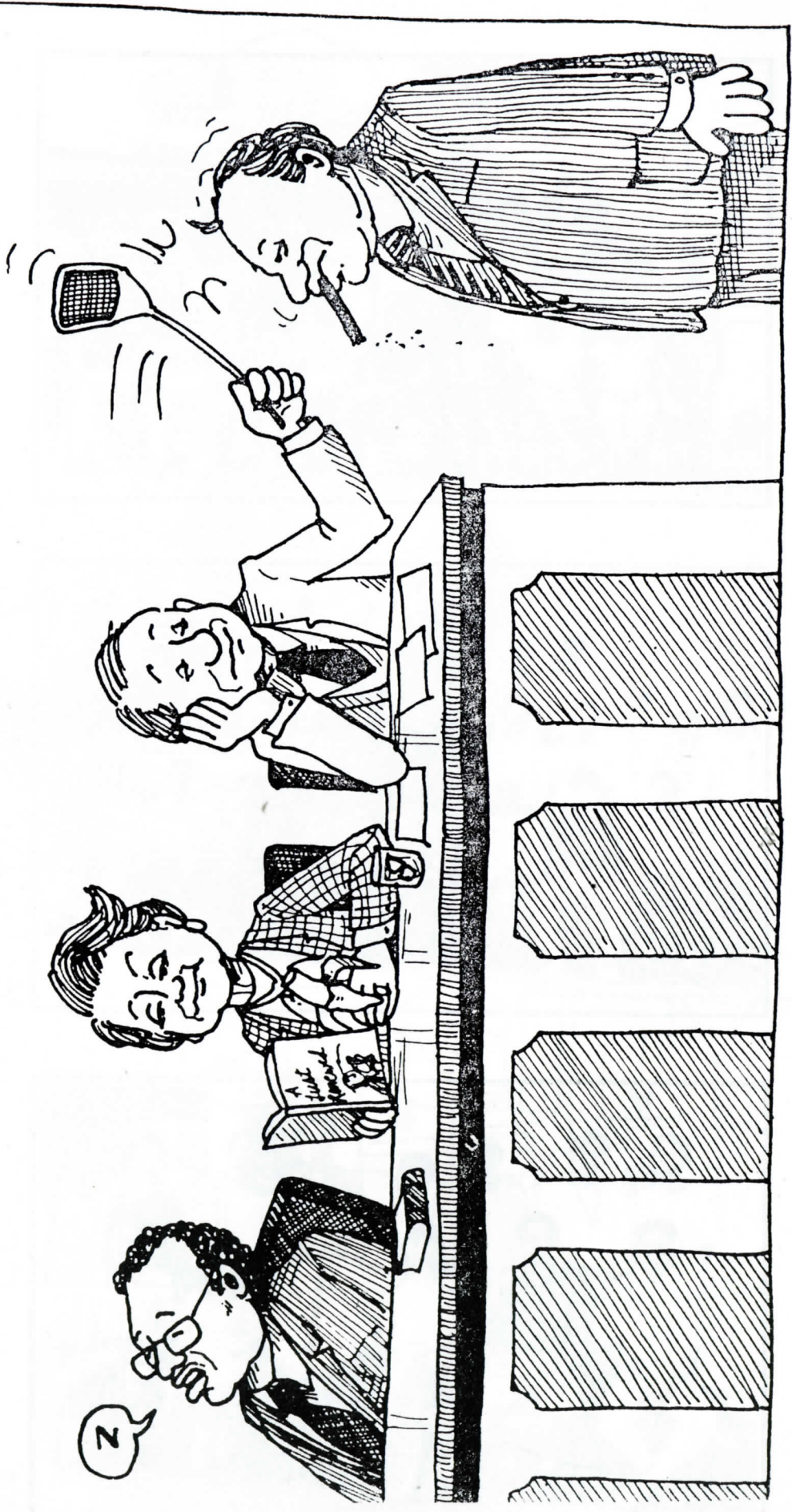
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THE BAR COUNCIL REPRIMANDING ONE OF ITS MEMBERS



THE BAR COUNCIL SEVERELY REPRIMANDING ONE OF ITS MEMBERS





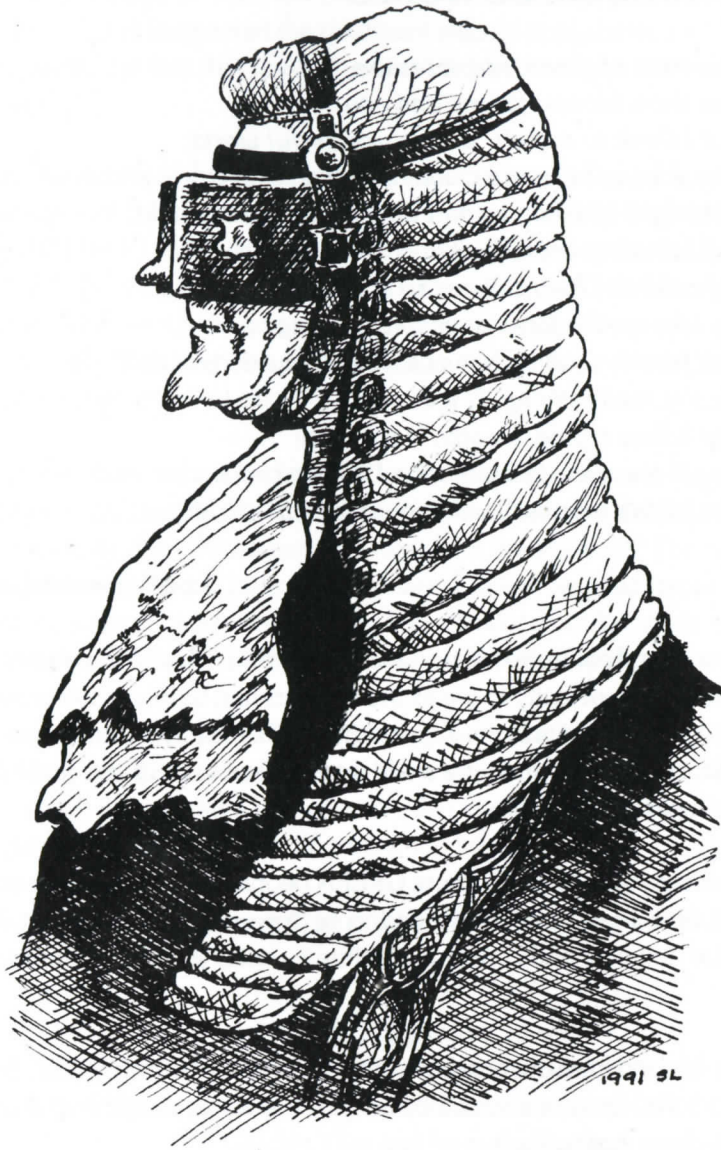
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### A WONDERFUL WORLD

*I see trees of green, red roses too,  
 I see them bloom, for me and you  
 And I think to myself, what a wonderful world,  
 I see skies of blue and clouds of white,  
 The bright blessed day and the dark, say goodnight,  
 And I think to myself, what a wonderful world.  
 The colors of the rainbow, so pretty in the sky  
 Are also on the faces of people walking by  
 I see friends shaking hands, saying, "How do you do?"  
 They're really saying, "I love you."  
 I see babies crying, I watch them grow  
 They'll learn much more than I'll ever know  
 And I think to myself, what a wonderful world.*

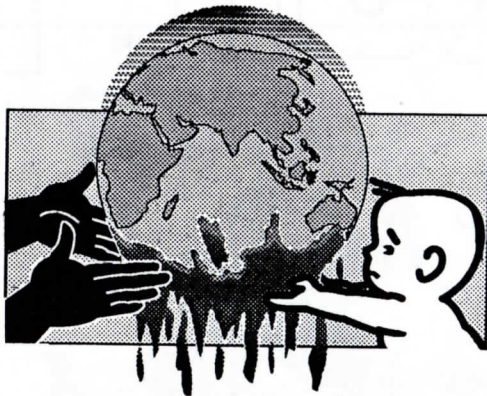
**Louis Armstrong**

Many people have written songs and poetry about our "wonderful world." And although many people also have not yet had the opportunity to see all the wonders and beauty of the world, these wonders undoubtedly do exist. In spite of the impression that this beauty will last forever, the tragedy is that there will come a time when the world would cease to be; if you and I do nothing to prevent it's ever rapid destruction.

Oh no! you exclaim, not another one of those..... those GREEN people! Oh yes! Another one of those GREEN people! It isn't a fad, fashion or trend to be "green" or environmentally conscious (friendly). It is here and now and concerns all of us..... even (oh! shock! horror!) YOU!

After all, "We do not inherit this land from our ancestors but borrow it from our children." So, just as you wouldn't return a soiled dress or a scratched CD to a friend, we should not return the world to our children in chaos and ugliness.

Does anyone realise why England experienced it's hottest summer ever? It was said that the roads were hot enough to fry an egg on. There are also warning signs here - the continuous haze over Klang Valley and surrounding areas?



This is all due to the GREENHOUSE EFFECT. Soon, beaches will be covered with the continuous rising of the sea-level so that there will be no beaches and the water will be so polluted that people won't be able to enjoy

the pleasures of going to the beach. Air will be so filthy that the words "fresh air" will become obsolete!

This is by no means a lecture as such (after all, how many of us have picked up the second

sections of the Star or The New Straits Times and flicked past the "Environment" pages to read the comics?) and I hope that the treatment will not apply here, but I feel that people do not treat, for instance, the fact that the high rate of depletion of the ozone layer, with the seriousness it deserves.

Again, the details of this subject are too wide to be included here, with subjects ranging from the ozone-layer to rainforests - pick up the newspaper and READ about it! And BEFORE you say that it has NOTHING to do with you, so what if the world will be in a mess in the future - STOP and THINK! This IS the future and it has absolutely EVERYTHING to do with EVERYONE! Anyone can help, whether it is recycling paper, plastics and glass bottles, using ozone-friendly products eg. non-CFC aerosols, car-pools (in fact, prospective car buyers should buy cars that run on UNleaded petrol!) or even planting trees.

Malaysia is, by no means backward in information on environment - we initiated the International Conference on Tropical Ozone and Atmosphere Change and articles have been written in all major newspapers on the environment but where are the solutions? For instance, W.H. Smith, a major stationary company in England, have started selling recycled paper A4, F4 whatever size - even in writing paper, Coca-Cola is the first to introduce bottles made out of recycled plastic. If the Westerners can make an effort, so can we (after all, it is also our world!)

Last year, Bette Midler, Robin Williams, Danny De Vito, Chevy Chase, Meryl Shreep, Kevin Costner and several actors/actresses came together to bring us the Earth Day Special, those who didn't watch it, try to get a hold of it on video as opposed to sifting through articles and textbooks as it gave a much lighter way of getting the information.

Is the message coming through loud and clear? No? Well, since music seems to be the best form of communication, I'll finish with this;

... No one really wants to see  
Some of us don't even wonder  
Some of us don't even care  
Couldn't we just help each other  
Isn't there enough to share  
There's got to be a way  
To connect this world today  
Come together to relieve the pain  
There's got to be a way  
To unite this human race  
And together we'll bring on a change  
... Some of us don't even wonder  
Some of us don't even care  
Couldn't we accept each other  
Can't we make ourselves AWARE  
And maybe then, the FUTURE will be a time  
Without war, destitution and sorrow  
And hungry children won't have to die  
If we work together TODAY, we'll save TOMORROW...  
Extracted from: MARIAH CAREY  
"There's Got To Be A Way"

And to those of you who STILL don't care, YOU try explaining to your child why the world is in such a mess. ▲



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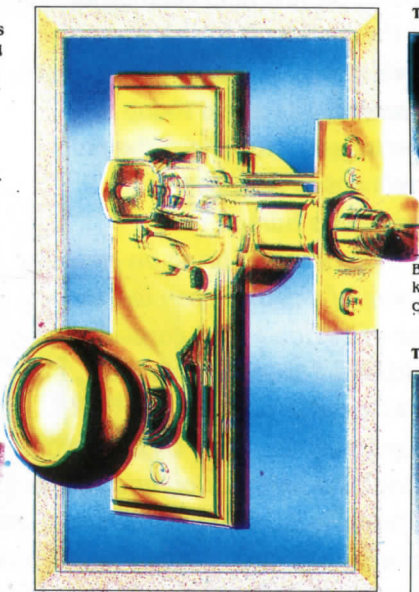
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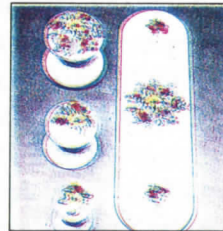
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## WHERE IS GOD?

by Ramanesan

**W**here is God?: if this is what you want to know  
 Turn thy mind within, for sure you will know;  
 The pure SELF is not realized unless the mind subsides  
 The mind is nothing but a bundle of thoughts inside;  
 Of all thoughts and the primal 'I' thought is the foremost  
 Try the path of self enquiry the mind subsides almost;  
 Steadfast and constant turn thy mind within thy self  
 Only to realise the Omnipresent in your own Self;  
 Your nature of mind continue investigations steadily  
 Your mind will be transferred into THAT verily;  
 'THAT' to which is what your 'I' refers  
 This 'I' is surely the Self you will infer;  
 Your 'I' thought as body and mind is an illusion  
 It's from the heart you'll realise through intuition;  
 WHO AM I ? restrains your thought through introversion  
 Your 'I' and Ego will vanish without any reason;  
 What's left is your consciousness  
 This's your search, believe it with with all seriousness;  
 This state of real wisdom is your real state  
 The reward of your self enquiry amd all your stake;  
 This that exists for ever is your real self being  
 It is the manifestation of the Supreme Being;  
 Surrender thy self to the Supreme Lord  
 Burdens laid upon Him, He doth take it all;  
 Your self the bliss and THAT alone is real  
 The rest is phenomenal thoughts which is not real;  
 Free from these delusions, experience your real self  
 Enlightened you'll be part of the ABSOLUTE SELF;  
 IF this is the purpose of your life  
 Be attached and detached from mundane life;  
 Accept life with its likes and dislikes equally  
 Kill thy ego with humility and dispassion sincerely;  
 What is left is your self and that's YOU  
 That's what the path of WHO AM I ? will lead you;  
 Trust in God and have faith in your self  
 Try this path for the realisation of your own self: ▲



## The Gasing Ridge Campaign

by Derek Fernandez

Over the last one month or so, Gasing Ridge has figured regularly in the national press, and recently became a topic of party political interest. Now national election fever has died down, the organisers of this campaign, an *ad hoc* committee of Klang Valley residents calling themselves *Residents Concerned About Gasing Ridge*, would like to take this opportunity of appraising readers of the facts of the situation, and underlying objectives.

Gasing Ridge is that block of high ground acting as a buffer between Section 5, Petaling Jaya and fast expanding, mainly low-cost housing in the general area of Kerinci/Kg Pantai Dalam, Kuala Lumpur - the green approach to the capital city along Federal Highway from the west. Episodes of confrontation with developers of this Ridge date to 1981 when a previous DBKL administration decided to lay out its portion of the Ridge crest to luxury bungalow lots. A press campaign against this development was mounted by a group of Petaling Jaya residents and, sensibly, the scheme was withdrawn. Not, however, before connected earthworks created a still-visible bald scar on the north end of the Ridge.

The present campaign began with the discovery by local residents of a group of workers operating from an unmarked vehicle, cutting survey-lines through the gazetted Petaling Jaya Green Belt for large building plots and also for an apparent road to connect residential Section 5 with Kuala Lumpur via new developments on the DBKL side of the Ridge - a move which would turn the minor road system of this quiet area into a rush-hour overspill escape route.

Action began with a report complaining of the unauthorised presence of these parang-carrying men on private property, lodged with the Petaling Jaya police, and letters seeking an explanation of events sent to the Petaling Jaya District Office, the office of the Selangor State Secretary and the Petaling Jaya Municipal Council (MPPJ). To date, only one has been answered. This action was followed by a decision to gather signatures in support of a move to protect the green buffer, an on-going action that has so far gathered over 2000 names, and the sending of a memorandum of appeal to the Prime Minister.

We are concerned to make clear here that

the issue is one faced by householders of Klang Valley as a whole, and has to do with the connection now being made by all educated people between environment and quality of life. Our deeper enquiries led to the discovery that land adjacent to the Green Belt, on both sides of the State border, had been allocated for the development of condominiums, aimed, we were given to understand, primarily at the foreign buyer market. An inspection of the ground showed that DBKL administered developments were destined to encroach right up to the steepest parts of the Ridge, status, be rejected in favour of the acquisition and incorporation of all steep Ridge land into municipal land banks; and that DBKL respect the action of the Selangor State Government by designated a parallel Kuala Lumpur Green Belt along its side of the State boundary on Gasing Ridge. Land clearance above Kg Pantai Dalam has already reached virtually to the Ridge crest, and this should not be permitted to continue.

At the same time RCAGR is not so naive as to believe that green land will be retained without a use to the public more visible than environmental servicing alone. That level of sophistication has not yet arrived. As such, a number of people-friendly actions are in the process of being formulated. They include enhancement of already degraded areas of the Gasing Ridge via an active tree-planting programme that could involve schools, under the supervision of professional experts; access for the walking and jogging (but definitely not motoring) public along paths, but not roads; establishment of the area as a, possibly national, site for training senior school-children and teachers in urban ecology aspects of the man and environment programme now being instituted by the Ministry of Education. Additional ideas are in the pipeline, with the proviso that all uses shall be 100 percent compatible with maintaining the environmental services of this green buffer to the full.

The argument for enhancing future quality of life via this route in Klang Valley cannot be denied. ▲

**Residents Concerned About Gasing Ridge**

# A Postcard from the East Coast

My well of haggard thoughts,  
Restorative no-man's land,  
Where wind-wild China seas  
Buff jungles: water pastorals.

Sea-buoyed Pulau Kapas,  
Symphonic ocean: water music,  
Sand-eddied repertoirs,  
Gulls' recital, sandpiper minuets.

Flowers, bursting roadside crannies,  
Sun-doused Malay land: roused.  
Fisherman unhitched their boats,  
Another planes warm planks.

Children, bright nymphs,  
Veranda-women pensive,  
Dreaming in paneless windowsills,  
As babies babble off to sleep.

Over darkened dormant nighttowns,  
Star-fields swarm the misty heavens,  
And in the shadowy Kampung villages  
Ebony houses - ochre dabbed.



----- Brian McVeigh.

## The beginning of Sunway College

**T**he Sungei Way Group is a large conglomerate founded by Dato' Jeffrey Cheah. As part of the SungeiWay Group's commitment to the community, Sunway College was established in 1986. The aim of the college was to enable more Malaysians to acquire higher education overseas at a reduced cost. Though the concept of "twinning" was not entirely new, its application in a privately-funded institution of higher learning was pioneered by Sunway College.

The development of the 'twinning' concept took one year. During that period a college director was hired and the resources of the Group were employed and the college's first campus was opened in Petaling Jaya, Malaysia. Institutions like Western Michigan University in the United States, Leicester University in Great Britain and Curtin University in Western Australia, agreed to join Sunway's tertiary program. Leicester University and Western Michigan University chose to have an on-site resident director who reported for 'duty' on 1 July 1987. Curtin University chose to have selected faculty and administrators come to Sunway College periodically to assist in developing their program. Since then, two other Australian institutions have joined Sunway College's twinning programme concept.

In August 1987, the first course, an Engineering Course under the Leicester University program, commenced at Sunway College.

The College campus is currently located in downtown Petaling Jaya. It consists two buildings - the academic and administration block or 'college' building, a block of apartments for transient students and the resident directors from the foreign universities, and also the college cafeteria.

The 'College' building consists the administrative and faculty offices, computer, chemistry, electronics, and engineering drawing laboratories, a large auditorium, a library, numerous classrooms, and a student common area. The building, itself, was completely renovated and refurbished for college occupancy. Sunway College is located directly across from the Sungei Way Group Headquarters.

From the onset, it was planned that the College become self-supporting. However it was realized that this could not be immediately accomplished, but a target date of ten years was chosen when the College would not only be housed in a truly collegiate environment including space for at least 8000 students, but would also be semi-independent and self-supporting.

The Sungei Way Group is currently completing

the new campus located in a new township called Bandar Sunway. This 500 acre site will be the location of a major residential, commercial and light industrial area. It is planned to relocate the College to its new location in late 1992.

### The Tertiary Twinning Concept

The tertiary twinning concept, sometimes referred to as a split degree course or link-up program, is designed to allow students to begin a foreign-university course of studies in their home country and to complete the program on the campus of their affiliated host university.

Although there are various arrangements concerning the amount of course work to be taken in the student's home country, the arrangement with the various universities requires the students to complete the first year or the first two years of a three-year or four-year baccalaureate program at Sunway and the remaining years at the respective universities. In all cases, the course work is identical to that which would be taken if the student were on the campus of the respective universities. The texts are identical, the syllabi, final papers, and requirements are the same. However, local faculty are employed to offer the program under the immediate, on-site supervision of the resident director. Local personnel have been employed who are well-qualified. In some cases, senior faculty from local universities have been hired on a part-time basis. In other cases, instructors have been hired on a full-time basis by Sunway. In each instance, the qualifications of the faculty have been checked and approved by the resident directors and by qualified people from the affiliated institutions. The quality of the local faculty has been excellent and they have contributed much to the initial development of the program.

All courses are taught in the English language. Since Malaysia has a large English-speaking population and English is part of the education of lower form students, this has not proven a handicap. The usual requirement of a 550 minimum score on the TOEFL has been observed.

Students who finish the Sunway program at the required level of proficiency are guaranteed acceptance on the home campus of the affiliated institution about the same as if they had originally enrolled there. ▲

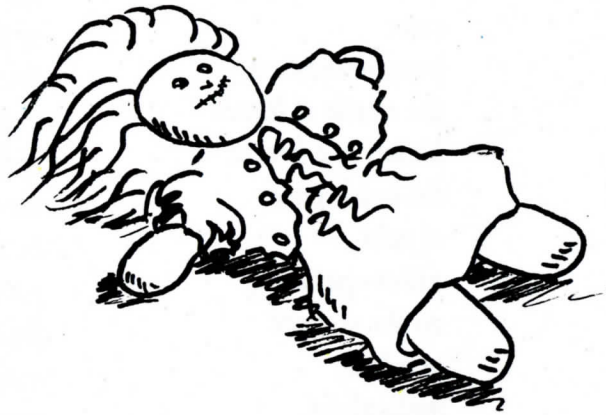


# POEM COMPETITION

## 1<sup>st</sup> PRIZE

### Hurt

*I am broken  
tiny fragments of an imagination  
course through my pulsing veins  
to the centre of my soul  
I fall ....  
a thousand miles below  
to a stream that does not flow  
It rocks your mind  
to and fro  
and you sway  
with the rhythm  
of death  
for the flowers have lost their colour  
and the sky is closing in on you  
the lightning bolts a fiery white  
and an empty hand reaches up  
All is crushed in  
this whirlwind of despair  
a torrential flood of anguish  
and the voice that howls  
through the long cold night  
is aching  
for the brightness of the sun.*



Rowena Morais

## *Pianoforte - A Salutation*

The sound  
of keys  
black and white  
tinkling  
of  
Bach, Chopin,  
Uvaldi's  
Four Seasons,  
Beethoven's  
Pathetique;  
Beautiful  
the sounds,  
that capture  
heart,  
mind,  
and soul;  
Beautiful  
the sounds,  
that maestros  
coax  
from orchestras,  
driving away  
sombre moods  
with gay sonatas;

Beautiful  
the sounds,  
that maestros  
coax  
from orchestras,  
the rustle of leaves  
blown in a breeze  
the brisk pace  
of rain  
pitter-pattering  
on the surface  
of a lake;  
meticulous,  
magnetic  
the tinkling  
of keys in  
major or minor  
in manifold  
vales,

Choplin's vales;  
Beautiful  
the sounds  
of the roaring  
thunder,  
a maelstrom  
of hope  
crescendoing  
in the age-old  
parctice of  
fingers  
moving to  
produce  
sounds,  
Beautiful  
sounds,  
on  
my Pianoforte.

By Sushil Benberu



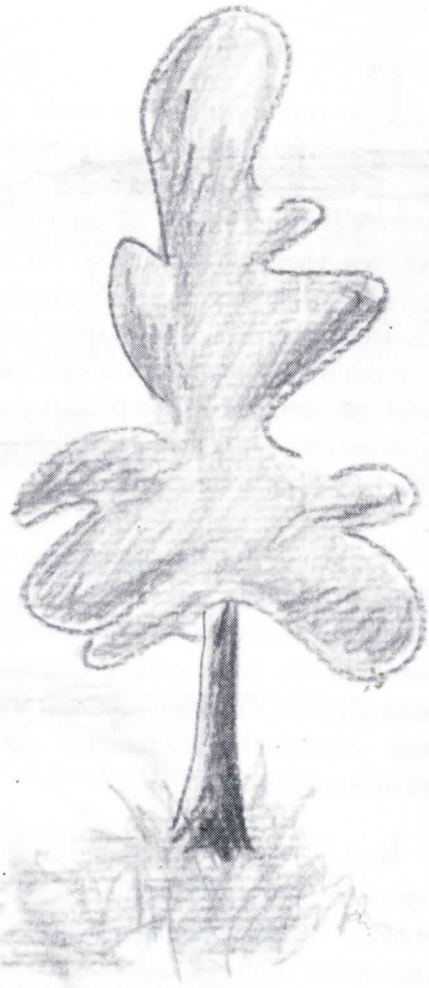
## *You Brought Me Thus Far*

*You brought me thus far  
for the beauty of the rose  
and for the heights to soar  
for the laughter of those close to us  
And I see my destiny unfold  
before my eyes  
as time moves on.*

*You brought me thus far  
through my ignorance and ingratitude  
through those sullen lonely nights  
when I longed for the sky  
and the stars for Eternia  
but  
you waited  
still and patient  
through my journey of discovery.*

*You brought me thus far  
and I cry for the years that have gone by  
for friends flown off to  
distant lands  
for paths unwalked  
for sights unseen.*

*You brought me thus far  
and I thank you  
with all my soul  
for the person that I am  
and the one to be  
for your understanding  
for your love  
for you ...  
you have brought me thus far.*



**Rowena Morais**

# ESSAY COMPETITION

## 1<sup>st</sup> PRIZE

### THE SIX COMMANDMENTS OF FALLING OUT OF LOVE

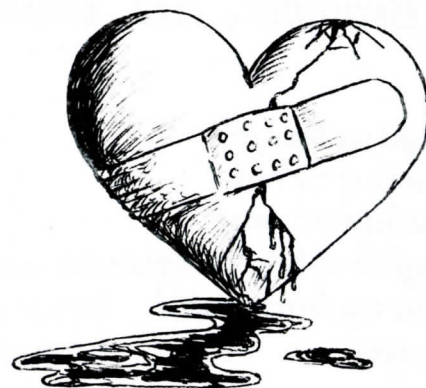
By Eileen Lee

I'm sure most people would agree to a certain degree that falling in love is seldom a major problem. In fact, some might even claim it to be easy, not to mention exhilarating. Falling out of love, however, is a totally different story. Whether it is intended deliberately (as in the case of a disillusionment with your loved one), or otherwise (when the jilted party has no choice but to forget), there is not much trial and error that you would not have gone through. One month, six months or a year, the length of time to "get over it" is of little difference.

A romance that has turned sour, will simply stay SOUR. The effects are universal. Why, you may ask? Because it is really a case of heart over matter. Your emotions rule. So, how can you get over that rut, that moping around, that dewy-eyed look, that switches of moods - which in the next moment, wallow in self-recrimination of missing him?

Well, the first commandment here, people, is to "appoint thy head to be in charge". This serves as a beginning, You will find that it is not a case of "my world has ended" kind of situation as you had believed it to be. Once you have dismissed any suicidal notions, then proceed to commandment number two: "thou shall summon every cynical bone in thy body to resurface".

Romanticism has no place where love has fallen out. So, even if you are an incurable romantic, suppress it temporarily till the "ill-wind" blows over. With these cynical parts of you, start picking on your not-so-beloved-anymore. The third commandment is to "inject a dose of sarcasm to aid thee".



You will soon discover that a calculative process automatically follows. In no time at all, your list of every fault you had ever abhor in your once-adored-subject, (even though it is still the same list you had chosen to be blind to, before), will be ready for "target-practice". Now, you are ready for commandment number four: "vent thy frustration as best as thou can".

Stick needles and pins into that list all you want; but a word of caution. Don't lose your mind over it. Instead, the next thing you have to really do, is to channel that list towards yourself. You have been made a fool of and more fool you for being blind to it all. Now, the fifth commandment says, "indulge in thy right to wallow in self-pity".

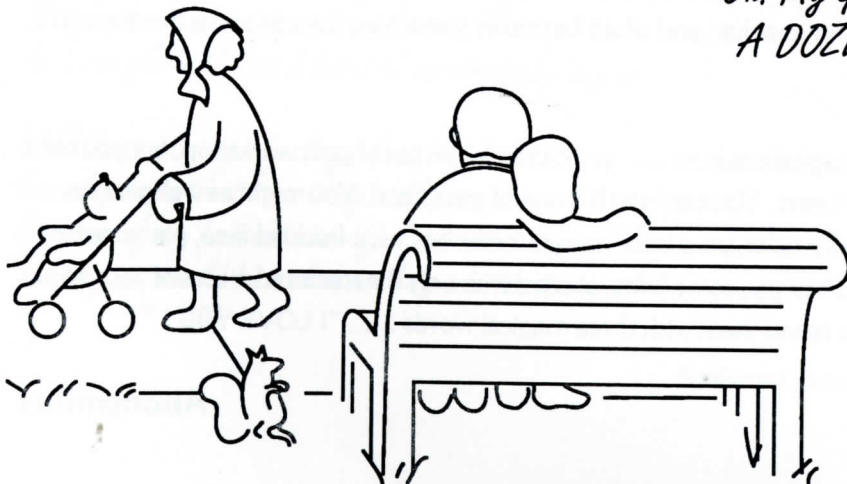
So, let the torrents pour. Sob, cry, and scream till your lungs burst. Glorify in your tears, because "it is better to have loved than never have loved at all". That completed, you have gained your sensibility again.

Yes, you have loved and lost; but the world has "other better fish to hook". Use that sensibility to chalk the whole experience down to just that - an experience. Then recognize it as a mistake that is not to be repeated, especially with the same person. Don't forget the sixth commandment is "thou shall practice patience". In doing so, let time heal all wounds and you will be well on your way to falling out of love successfully. ▲

Dedicated to all the accounting students :

## THE ACCOUNTING CYCLE OF LOVE

*I will credit you my love  
If you will debit me your love  
I will post journal account  
To the ledger of my heart  
I will bring down the balance  
And double rule the amount  
Balance will be extended  
To the worksheet of our romance  
Trial balance will show  
We are meant for each other  
Adjusting entries, my dear  
Will make our love forever  
Profit and Loss Statement  
Tells us what will happen  
If our balance of love  
Will be one and the same  
Closing entries, my dear  
Will lead us to marriage  
Post-closing trial balance  
Continued to be our guide  
DEAR, accounting is finished  
Let's see our balance sheet  
Does our business profit?  
Oh! My Goodness  
A DOZEN OF KIDS!!!*



Author Unknown  
Curtin University 1991

## WHAT IS A BOY ?

**B**etween the innocence of babyhood and the dignity of manhood we find a delightful creature called a boy. Boys come in assorted sizes, weights and colors, but all boys have the same creed : To enjoy every second of every minute of every hour of every day and to protest with noise (their only weapon) when their last minute is over and the adult males pack them off to bed at night.

Boys are found everywhere..... on top of, underneath, inside of, climbing on,



swinging from, running around or jumping over . Mothers love them, little girls hate them, older sisters and brothers tolerate them, adults ignore them, and Heaven protects them. A boy is truth with dirt on his face; beauty with a cut on his fingers; wisdom with bubble gum in his hair; and the hope of the future with a frog in his pocket.

When you are busy, a boy is an inconsiderate, bothersome, noisy intrusion. When you want him to make a good impression, his brain turns to jelly or else he becomes a savage, sadistic, jungle creature bent on destroying the

world and himself with it.

A boy is a composite..... he has an appetite of a horse, the digestion of a sword swallower, the energy of a pocket-sized atomic bomb, the curiosity of a cat, the lungs of a dictator, the imagination of Paul Bunyan, the shyness of a violet, the audacity of a steel trap, the enthusiasm of a fire-cracker, and when he makes something, he has all his five thumbs in it.

A boy is a magical creature ..... you can lock him out of your workshop, but you can't lock him out of your heart. You can't get him out of your mind. You might as well give up..... He is your captor, your jailer, your boss, and your master ..... a freckled face, pint-sized, cat-chasing, pixie. But when you come home at night with only the shattered pieces of your hopes and dreams, he can mend them with three magical words ..... "I LOVE YOU !"

**Anonymous**

## Puppy Love

Love is so very funny  
It can turn you into "jelly"  
All quivering and shivering  
When you see your loved one smiling

Many songs have been written  
Telling about people who are smitten  
You never thought it would happen to you  
but it did - right out of the blue!

You do not know how to tell the person  
As you yourself do not know the reason  
Of why you have fallen head over heels  
And are afraid of how he actually feels

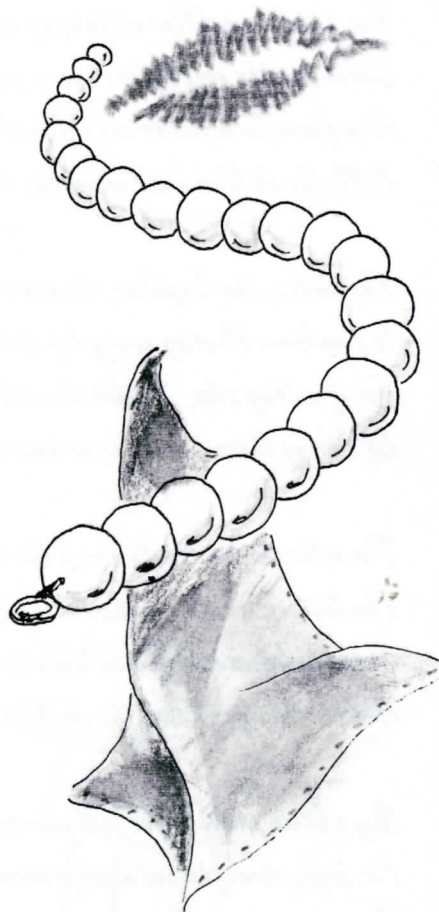
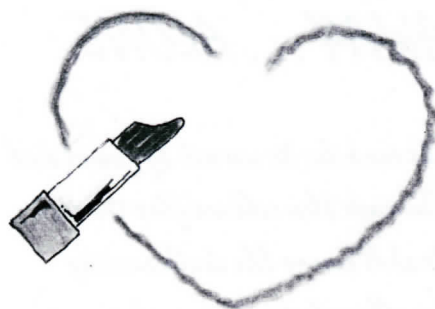
You try to tell yourself it is only a crush  
But then you wonder why is it you always blush  
Whenever he sees you and stops to say "Hi!"  
And your heart skips a beat and could even fly

Why is it every time you are in his presence  
You find it hard to concentrate on your lessons  
At him you so badly want to look  
As your mind keeps straying from your book

The chances of meeting him  
Is so very, very slim  
And when you do get to speak  
Nervousness makes your voice weak:

You find that you have to put on a mask  
Cause you never want your friends to ever ask  
"Do you have a crush on so-and-so...?"  
As then you will find it hard to convincingly say no

Will these strange feelings last?  
I really hope that soon they will pass  
Because if my friends ever find out about this  
Teasing me would be a chance they wouldn't miss!!



## AWAY .... ALONE

The sun hides its warmth by five at dusk  
The winds blow cold and flies the dust  
Its chill hovers like death awaiting  
Ann all is silent on this new beginning ...

Yes, things are different in many ways possible  
Sometimes the novelty is so very exciting  
New faces, new places and enthralling experiences  
Still, the chill reminds one of the loneliness ...

The smiles, the laughter, the sun's warmth  
Is a welcome blessing everyday at dawn  
For if nothing else, it hides the chill  
Of missing those loved one; or how it feels ...

The miles that separate are in the thousands  
The letters written, make little difference  
To the helplessness of a distance no nearer  
And somehow you know, the chill's still there ...

Say a little prayer, you tell yourself  
For hope, strength and much perseverance  
To go through this time where no one knows  
What it's like to shiver, and shiver all alone ...

So Lord, do you hear my humble prayer  
That I may make the most of all I find here  
And gladly sail through the days before I leave  
The chill behind ... for the warmth of home.



## Travellers in Life

*We are all travellers in  
the wilderness of the world,  
And the best in traveling  
is getting to know people,  
who become friends,  
that can't be bought or sold  
but come in nature in love, in sharing,  
In helping, in everything.....*

*But after some time,  
we have to move to new places,  
Leaving friends we just got to know.  
It is a joyful experience,  
getting to know new friends,  
Painful though, in times of separation.  
The memories they share,  
Still linger in mind... like yesterday.*

*Friends are always there in good times and bad,  
With arms wide open,  
But not forever,  
They are there temporarily only,  
Sooner or later  
You have to find a solid ground  
To rely on —  
To hold on without any fears.*

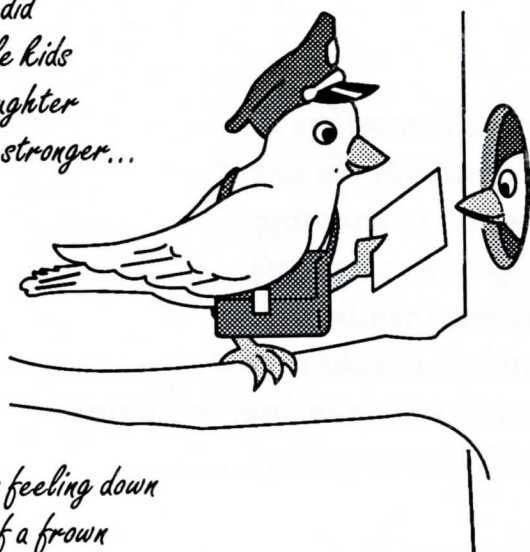
*Life would never be the same,  
Until you are on solid ground,  
Cause life is a constant change,  
Travels from yesterday to today  
And from today to tomorrow  
And tomorrow to.....*



## From Me to You

*I remember all the crazy things we did  
Acting as though we were still little kids  
I remember all the fun, noise and laughter  
As day by day, our friendship grew stronger...*

*You made happy times happier  
And made it seem to last forever  
You made sad times disappear  
Wiping away, many a tear...*



*You were always around when I was feeling down  
To put a smile on my face, in place of a frown  
True friends like you are a gift from God  
One which I could not have done without...*

*You were always there for me when you knew  
The pain and hurt I was going through  
That day in your presence, no matter how I tried  
I could not hold back my tears and shamelessly cried...*

*I only hope you understand and see  
Just how dear a friend you are to me  
You are you - you are one of a kind  
And like diamonds are hard to find...*

*When I was feeling blue  
I could turn to you  
All the times I was in need  
You showed me you were a true friend indeed...*

*Whenever I was in great sorrow  
You showed me that there is a tomorrow  
What would I be without you?  
You - a friend so true...*

**Audrey Choo Mei Leng  
U.W.A**

# Memories Are All That I Have

Each morning  
When I greet the world  
My Heart swells up  
And my eyes fill with tears.

As I take in the past and present  
The time stands still  
For a while  
From the spring-board of my memory  
Many thoughts drive into my mind  
Some are happy,  
Some are painfully sad  
These memories are all that I have  
I live on them  
I feast and depend on them  
I could die .....

Did I say die?  
Oh no! No dear god  
Please let me live  
Hold me tight my mother dear  
Do not let me sink  
Into the depths of my woes  
I promise  
Never to speak in despair again

Although  
I've been through  
The deepest sorrow  
Deeper pain and grief  
And yet .....

I beg of you dear god  
Please let me live .

My tears flow silently  
Fast and free  
My bruised heart  
Murmurs faintly  
And I make a promise brave  
Never to indulge  
In self-pity again.

I raise my weary eyes  
To catch a glimpse  
Of the fading Day — Star  
Hoping  
He will come again  
To greet me  
And warm up  
My shattered heart.

By Gitanjali.



## In the Light

By CHIN POOI KEE (CURTIN 1991)

I had never been so apprehensive in my life before as I was then. I could see the doctor standing by the door giving instructions to the nurses. It seemed that the operation was going to begin any time now.

The horror of the entire thing was that the operation was on me.

"Are you scared?" An elderly white-haired woman on the next bed asked me.

Nervously, I turned to look at her. I took the effort to give a faint smile and kept wetting my lips. I didn't want to give a "yes" or a "no" to her question. Admitting to myself that I was indeed scared would only frighten myself more. So, I'd better give myself the benefit of the doubt.

"Well, dear child, don't worry", she comforted me.

"You've been in there?" I managed to ask.

"You mean the operation room?"

I nodded.

"Em..... a couple of times if I'm not mistaken".

"I suppose you've never been afraid, huh?" I asked, my voice still evident of nervousness.

"Not really", she replied. "The funny thing was that I'd always come out from the room realizing that life and death is just a matter of one borderline. Either you're here or there. If you're there, you're there and if you're here, you're here."

"You sound so carefree", I remarked.

"Carefree? No, not carefree. It's just that I've learned to accept".

"What's your problem?" I asked.

"Blood cancer", she replied.

A lump went down my throat. I turned to see

whether the doctor and nurses were still there but they were nowhere in sight. Probably a delay in the operation, I thought.

"You just came this morning?" I turned to the woman again.

"No, I was in the third class ward for a few days but yesterday, a few new patients came and had to be admitted into the ward. It was full. So, I volunteered to be transferred to this room in the second class. Since I'm not going to be around for long, I figure that it won't hurt to pay more".

"You don't seem to feel anything at all for what's happening to you", I said inquisitively, quite intrigued by her attitude.

"What's happening to me has all the while been happening and it's basically beyond my control", she explained matter-of-factly.

"You're not afraid of... er... er...", I paused and swallowed, trying to find a better word.

"You're not afraid of ..... death?" I finally succumbed to using the word though I hated the idea of it.

"Oh, death", she spoke easily and then chuckled, to my surprise.

"Death is nothing at all. It's just like leaving this room and entering another. You see, I see things in the light of what and how they are. In the light of life, I see life and in the light of death, I see death. I mean, I've lived to see the world and it's been an interesting journey I must say. I guess I don't miss anything".

"Your family and friends?" I brought up the question.

"They'll remember me as long as they live and that's more than I could ask for and more than they could do. As for me, if I can still remember them once I'm dead,

I'll remember them. If I can't, that'll be the way".

"You sound like a conformist to me", I remarked.

"No, I'm not what you call a conformist", she disagreed.

"I only conform when I feel and believe that the situation can't be changed. I'm a practical person. If I were paralyzed, I'd try my best to improve the situation. I'd work hard to get myself back on my feet again though it's going to be difficult. The point here is that if it's possible and practical, do it but if it's impossible to prevent death, than accept it. Do you agree?"

I remained silent, not knowing what to say. Apparently, my fears had subsided a little if not too much. It was as if her words were like a healing potion:

"If it's possible and practical, by all means work on it but if it's not, why force yourself to work on it? You'll only make yourself unhappy realizing nothing can be done. Similarly, I don't believe in crying and getting depressed over a person's death. It won't change nor help anything. Remembering the deceased is the best and most wonderful thing one can do."

Suddenly, two nurses came into our room and approached me. They informed me that the operation was going to start anytime now. I lay back on the bed

and they began to move it.

"Good luck, dear child and remember, don't worry", the woman smiled as she wished me.

I looked up at her, smiled in return and said, "Thanks".

All throughout the operation, I was unconscious but somehow at the back of my mind, I was thinking about what the woman had said.

## **'In the light of Life, I see life and in the light of death I see death.'**

When I woke up the next morning, I found out that the bed next to me was empty. When the nurse came in for my breakfast, I asked her about the woman

and she told me that she had died last night.

"But she left you a note", said the nurse as she handed it to me.

On a piece of white paper, she wrote down three words "In the light".

The words kept ringing in my head until someone called my name. I opened my eyes and found my mother standing in front of me. She told me to wake up and then left my room. Dreamily, I got up from the bed and felt something next to my pillow. I took it in my hand and realized that it was the note. Written on it were the three words. ▲

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# SUNWAY BALL 1990

Compiled by, **M.Y.Lim**

**The Sunway Student Council  
and  
The Organising Committee of The Sunway Ball 1990  
cordially invite**

**Mr/Mrs/Miss .....**  
**to attend the SUNWAY BALL 1990 DINNER & DANCE**

**Venue: RAMPAISARI BALLROOM,  
THE MERLIN SUBANG**

**Date: 14 SEPTEMBER 1990**

**Time: 6.30 pm - 12.30 am**

**Dress Code: FORMAL**

Once in a while, we receive an opportunity to rub shoulders with almost everybody in an establishment. That was how it came to be with the Sunway Ball. I had been waiting for this since I came here but my emotions turned neutral when many of my coursemates declined the invitation. However, I was quite prepared to fork out the twenty eight ringgit for a rendezvous with my fellow collegiates, with a little persuasion from a good friend of mine.

We arrived at seven on the dot. Smartly and lavishly attired people were milling around the entrance, awaiting the arrival of their friends before adjourning to the ballroom. The hall was rather spacious. Of course, it had to accommodate over five hundred persons, a stage and the dining furniture. We could

choose to sit anywhere we liked, with the exception of the two foremost tables in front of the stage which were reserved for the very important personalities of the college.

There were the usual round of welcoming speeches. Mr. Chew, Dr. Fredericks, our student council president, Vickneswaran Kanagasingam and David Chin, the chairman of the Sunway Ball Organizing Committee delivered comparatively short but sweet speeches.

Next on the list was the entertainment. It was actually a competition with performances from the respective programs. The panel of distinguished judges was headed by Datin Susan Cheah.

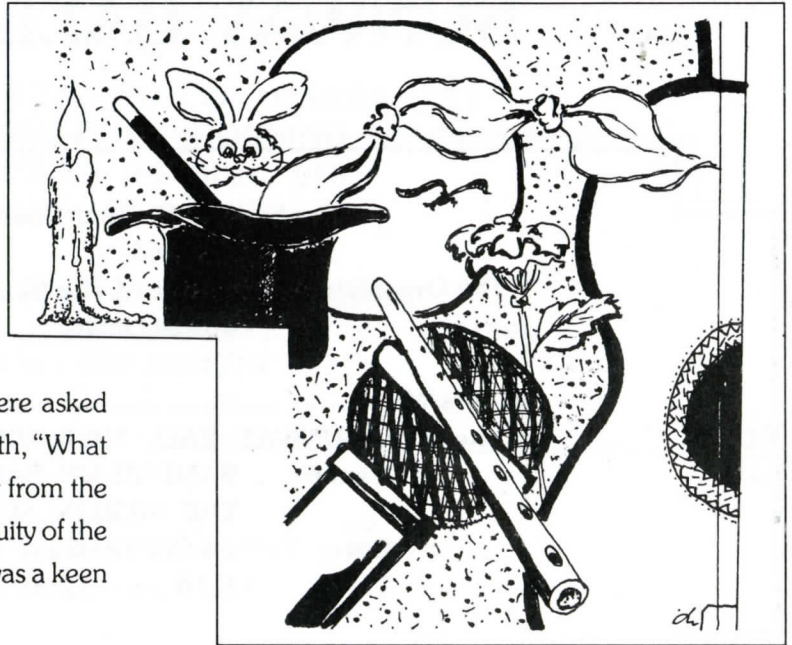
The first item was a rendition of old and new favorites, courtesy of a five-piece band from the A-Levels. It was especially touching when they dedicated a song to a friend of theirs who was sick in hospital that night. TEE, on the other hand, sent a sole representative who played two delightful tunes on a flute. WMU's Michael Chick waved his magic wand, in a show reminiscent of David Copperfield's abracadabra. A lady from each program was invited to help him out on stage for a particular stunt which had a Japanese flavor. Both the Curtin and Monash students got together to render a



catchy repertoire of oldies.

The lights were suddenly dimmed. Candles were lit. It was just a momentary distraction as waiters bearing the four seasons dish signalled the arrival of the ten-course dinner. As we daintily sampled the Chinese selection, the nominees for the Sunway King and Queen were called onto the stage.

Those fortunate ladies and gentlemen were asked about everything under the sun, all starting with, "What if...?" Some of the responses drew laughter from the audience while others marvelled at the ingenuity of the answers. Needless to say, the competition was a keen affair.



The entertainment continued when the night's hostess, Miss Angie Choy, credibly crooned the popular La Isla Bonita and Debbie Gibson's Foolish Beat.

Almost everybody came dressed to the hilt; the ladies in their resplendently flowing ballgowns while the guys were handsomely tuxedoed. The winner of the Best Dressed Male award was Shaik Rizal, a former Group Seven WMU student and his contemporary in the Ladies category was Anita Abid, an A-Levels student.

Judges were also keeping a sharp lookout for the Best Couple. It was ultimately decided that Anita Abid and Mark Chua fitted the bill perfectly.

The magician himself walked away with the Best Performance award. He was cheered by the WMU camp.

The announcement for the Sunway King and Queen title put the whole room in suspense. Congratulations to both Ridzuan Hamid of the December '89 A-Levels group and to Melinda Mai Aishah of Group 8, WMU.

Eleven o'clock was Lucky Draw time. At first, it was the ladies who kept on winning. Later, the guys broke the duck. The first prize of two night's stay in the Merlin, inclusive of meals went to ... a gentleman from one of the Australian Universities' program.

As the night was still young, Datin Cheah was invited to lead everyone onto the dance floor. What a boogie! Our normally prim and proper lecturers plus administration staff were seen to be jazzing their hearts out. Silhouette, the mobile music machine spinned us a wide selection of music, complete with dry ice and the trimmings. The music was supposed to end at half past twelve but the good ole' deejays and the hotel manage-



ment extended it to one in the morning.

I am sure that all those who had participated would like to thank the Organizing Committee for an enjoyable time. As for me, I did acquire a large number of new acquaintances in the process. Cheers to you all! ▲

# SUNWAY CARNIVAL

By

HALIZA HUSSAIN

**O**n Friday, the day before the commencement of the Sunway Carnival, every student was buzzing around engrossed in different sorts of activities. The maintenance crew built the stall shelters that afternoon. As dusk approached, the shouts and screams of the students who were decorating their own stalls rang through the evening air. Commands such as these were common "To the left" or "LLift" or "One, two, three, heave.....heave." Students dashed everywhere, obtaining materials at the last minute. Soon, the darkness of the night enveloped the concourse. The students reluctantly stopped their work to go home.

It was seven o'clock on the Saturday morning of September 9, 1990. Already, the concourse was full of commotion. Students were rushing around, like headless chooks, trying to put the finishing touches to their stalls.

Nine o'clock, panic set in. The Carnival was to be officially opened at ten. Questions like, "Can we complete the stalls in time?", were asked. Fortunately though, the first guests to the Carnival arrived at about eleven.

The Carnival mood had set in. People were in extremely good cheer and most of them were enjoying themselves immensely. The milling crowd was of ages ranging from the very young to the old. To my surprise, all of them seemed to find stalls that interested them.

*The carnival had an aura of a holiday*



The biggest attraction, however, was the Dunking Game organised by the WMU students. If you heard any yells or claps, you could be sure that they came from that stall. The objective of the game was to dunk or drop the person sitting on the platform into the water. You did this by hitting the target with a ball.

I saw many people being dunked — lecturers as well as students. I was curious as to how the victim felt so I volunteered to sit on the platform. It was the most exhilarating experience of my life. It was a bit like waiting for a time bomb to explode. Each time someone threw a tennis ball at the dunking target, I braced myself for a fall, half closing my eyes. When the eternal moment was over, I breathed a sigh of relief. I was lucky for the first five shots but later my luck unfortunately deserted me. All of a sudden, I splashed into the water ten times, I gladly surrendered fool like me.

The time flew. For those who were enjoying themselves it flew as if morning had been only a minute ago. But for those who had been working, the weariness in their eyes, faces and body was obvious. A few participants were walking as if they were zombies. Some walked with slumped bodies and tired gaits. It made me realize the amount of work the students had contributed for the success of the Carnival that day.

Sunday was the last day of the Carnival; the



*A water fight – to cool of the heat of the day.*

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*The proceeds from the carnival being handed over to Mr. Nayagan of Shelter home. Part of the money was also given to Ozanan House.*



atmosphere was festive. Everything seemed to be running smoothly as the students had learnt from the experience of Saturday. Some stall members even ventured to promote their products. One of the more interesting advertising stunts was pulled by a member of the Freak Show. He tied tins together with some string and attached them to his trousers. He had a plaque. Wherever he went, he was accompanied by the jingling of the tins. It sure did the trick in attracting attention.

As dusk approached, everyone pitched in, in the cleaning-up. A guy, who had organised the dunking game, threw water onto a friend of his. So a water fight broke loose. When the water supply in the dunking tank was exhausted, the tap came in extremely handy. As the sky became darker, we sobered up and set to work clearing the place. ▲

Time seemed to fly for us as we rushed to Ozanam. We were late. We worried about the decorations that were meant to be put up for the party. On arrival, we noticed that there was another group from Standard Chartered. We were shocked because we thought that we were the only group giving the children a party that night. The shock turned into confusion. The misunderstanding was swiftly dispelled with a quick word with the Mother. We were to return later. Relieved, we gathered our group of volunteers. Time was now on our side. We checked the food and the presents to make sure that nothing was amiss. Everything was ready and in place. Back we journeyed to Ozanam.

As soon as we arrived, the children were all over us. We were almost overwhelmed by the chaos the children created. Somehow we managed to get all the things in order.

Originally our plan of action was to eat first, to play games, to give presents and to close with a prayer and our plan did not go accordingly. The food was distributed in an orderly fashion (thank goodness) but as we witnessed

the mess the children made of their food, we realised that children will be children.

Our first interruption came just then. It was a carolling group from the University of Malaya. They were brilliant in their presentation but they posed a huge problem for us. How should we continue? After much discussion among our group, it was agreed that we should sit back and relax. So, if you can not beat

**‘A feeling of goodwill crept in sweetly, spreading its joy and ensconcing every little heart with it’**

them, why not join them? Each of us then volunteered our voices. It was really fun.

Finally, their voices lifted to a crescendo and the ultimate chord was sung. We showed our

appreciation by applauding loudly. The children loved it and they hung on to some members of the band. If the children were bordering on chaos before, they were now unmanageable. We had a meeting and spokespersons were nominated. My colleague and I were chosen to bring order. Our job was frustrating. No one listened. In the end, we stood on chairs to create attention. We announced the games. What followed was enjoyable but a trifle disorganized. However, we did make it a success. The children participated whole-heartedly and were delighted with their gifts.

One member of our group that we should finish for it was late. A prayer promptly followed.

The prayer was solemnly led. The hall was darkened. A sudden stillness enveloped the hall. The children were silent, intent upon their prayer. The silence was golden. After the prayer the ethereal quietness remained. The lights were switched on. A feeling of goodwill crept in sweetly, spreading its joy and ensconcing every little heart with it. We all hugged, wished and kissed our neighbours. It was a night to remember. ▲



*Old buildings are like friends. They reassure people in times of change.*

- Nancy Hanks

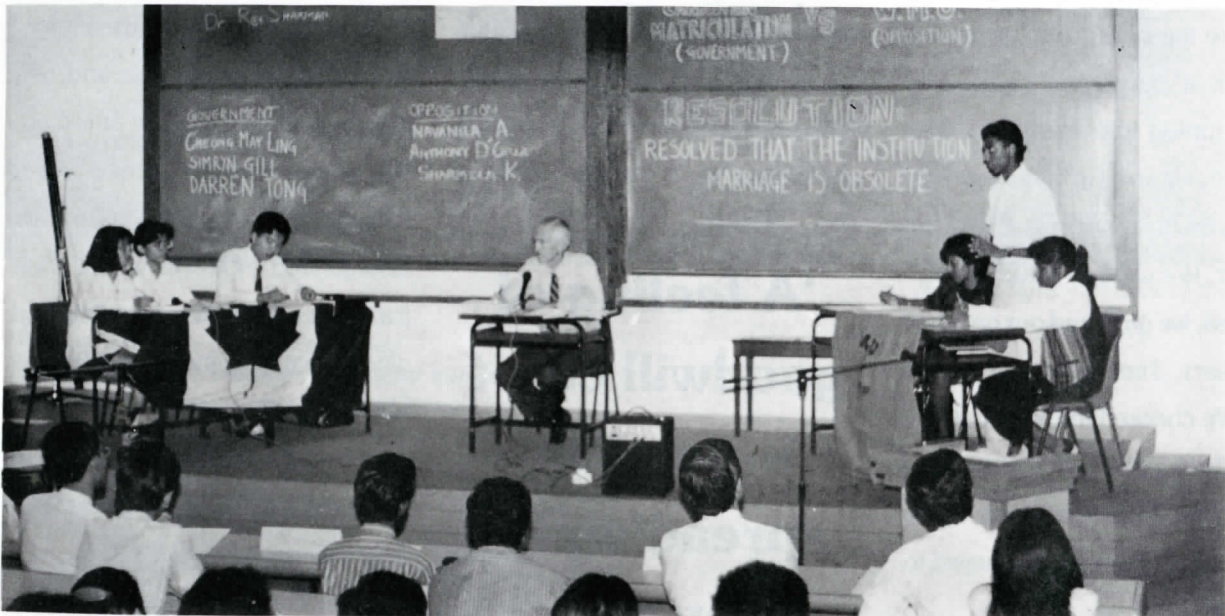
## INTER-PROGRAMME DEBATE

Sunway's very first Inter-Programme Debate was held from 16th March to 29th March, 1991. The teams that took part were from the Canadian Matriculation Programme (team I & II), TEE, WMU (team I & II) A-Level (team I & II) and Leicester.

The debate was a mock session in parliament whereby the teams played the parts of the Government and the Opposition parties. The "government" team consisted of the Prime Minister and two speakers, and the "opposition" team consisted of the leader of the opposition and two speakers. Mr. Brian McVeigh who was "Mr. Speaker" skillfully chaired all the sessions. The judges comprised various staff members and lecturers of the college.

Topics varied from 'Third world countries plight is due to over population' to more contradictory topics like 'Birth control is the sole responsibility of the female'.

After a tough fight the Canadian Matriculation Team II and the WMU Team I met at the finals. The topic of

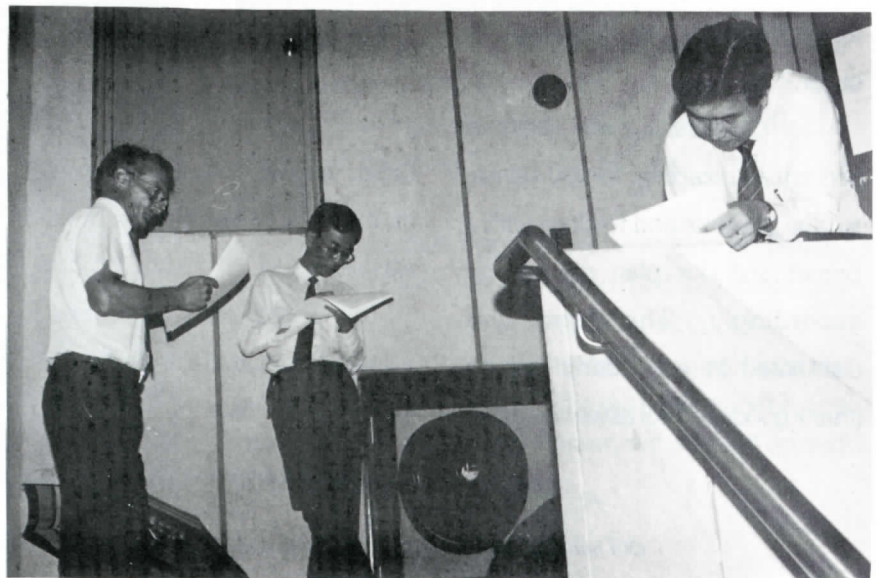


*Debate finals between the Canadian Matriculation Programme team II and the WMU team I*

the debate was 'Resolved that the institution of marriage is obsolete', with the Canadian Team forming the "Government party" and the WMU Team forming the "Opposition party".

After an explosive debate the WMU team emerged the winner. The winning team comprised Miss Sharmila Kanagalingam the leader of the team, Miss Navanila Apputhurai the first speaker, and Mr Antony D'Cruz the second speaker. WMU team leader, Miss Sharmila walked away with the Best Speaker award.

Special thanks is to be given to the organiser Mr Jayandran, a member of the student council. ▲



*Judges, Dr. Rex Sharman, Dr. Mah and Mr. Peter Ling, having a tough time deciding the winner.*

The WMU team,  
Miss Sharmila, Mr. Antony and  
Miss. Navanila ..... were all  
smiles after the win  
over the Canadian.



The WMU crowd going wild  
after the judges  
decision was announced.



Dr. Sharman, Resident Director of the  
Canadian Matriculation programme congratulating  
Dr. Jacobs, Resident Director of WMU. Looking on is Miss Sharmila,  
leader of the WMU team, and other WMU Students

# THE OFFICIAL GROUND BREAKING CEREMONY: THE SUNWAY COLLEGE NEW CAMPUS

by Lim Mei Yee

**M**arch 9th, 1991 saw the start of a new 20 acre permanent Sunway campus at Bandar Sunway. VIP's such as the Menteri Besar of Selangor Tan Sri Muhammad Taib, our then Education Minister Dato' Seri Anwar Ibrahim, Dato' Musa Hitam and Dato' Jeffrey Cheah graced the occasion with their presence.

Sunway College's new campus costing approximately \$90 million to build, will be situated in the heart of Bandar Sunway. The total built-up area is approximately 850,000 square feet and will be developed in stages. The

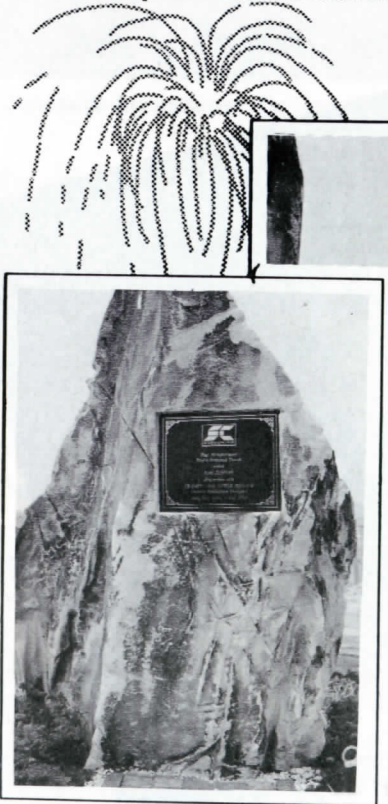


first phase which covers 180,000 square feet, is a five-storied academic block with 61 lecture rooms and theatres, 2 libraries, 4 laboratories, and drawing and technical rooms. Students will be accepted for the new campus in late 1992.

A 13 storey hostel and another academic block, with a built-up area of 780,000 square feet will be built in the second phase in 1994. The academic block will include 56 more lecture rooms and theatres, 6 laboratories

and 3 libraries. This will take 6 years to complete and by that time, Sunway College will be able to accommodate 10,000 full-time students. That is what I call the beginning of a real UNIVERSITY!

In his speech Dato' Cheah thanked the past and present students for their support "for without them", he said,



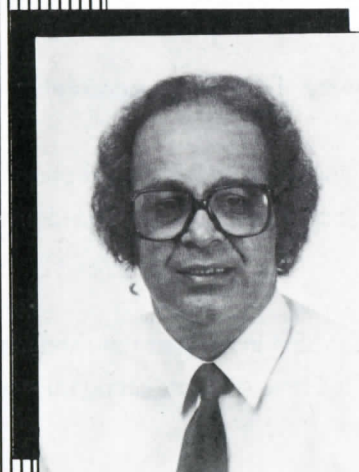


**Y**B Datuk Haji Lokman Musa, B.A., B.A. Hons. (Economics), P.G.D.K., J.S.M., A.S.D.K., K.M.N., A.M.N., P.J.K. is an illustrious son of Johor, and received his early education at High School, Batu Pahat, and English College, Johor Baharu. He won a prestigious Johor Sultan Ibrahim Scholarship Fund to study at the University of Malaya, Singapore, where he obtained two degrees, one of them was B.A.Hons.(Economics). He did postgraduate courses at University of Sussex in UK, and Harvard University in USA. He had a very distinguished career in the government education service before joining Sunway College.

On the invitation of Dato' Cheah, Datuk Lokman agreed to assist him on the establishment of Sunway College Malaysia Sendirian Berhad, Dato' Cheah's brainchild. Datuk Lokman was among those appointed on the college Board of Directors, a coveted position which he is still enjoying to date. For a while Datuk Lokman served as the Chairman of the College.

Currently, Datuk Lokman contributes a lot of his time to Sunway College as its Director of the Language Department, and also its Director of Preparatory Studies. Sunway College is very lucky to have this right man at the right place.

When asked what he thought of its students, he stated that Sunway students were indeed a very happy lot, ready to venture into the unknown future. ▲



**D**r Manjit Sambhi is the Assistant Director of Academic Affairs since April 1st 1991.

Before devoting himself to the college, Dr Manjit was involved in professional activities dealing with chemistry as well as educational and professional issues.

When asked why he came to this college, he replied, "This college provides opportunities to meet new challenges and I would like to contribute towards the quality of education and the academic excellence of the college". He thinks the college provides opportunities for students to have various choices of academic programmes which obviously have some distinct advantages, to acquire knowledge, gain necessary qualifications and to gain other aspects of personal development.

"The world as a whole is getting more competitive" he says, "and it is demanding greater education qualifications. So, we must ensure that we focus our effort and time towards activities which will equip and allow us to meet these challenges".

Last but not least, Dr Manjit wishes luck and success to all their deliberation. ▲



## PROFESSIONAL COURSES AT SUNWAY

**T**he objective of the college in offering professional courses was to give opportunities to working adults to pursue part-time courses. The doors were also open to the Sungei Way Group staff to enhance their professional knowledge and skills.

The courses offered in the division are :-

- a) University of London LLB (External) - Bachelor of Law
- b) The Chartered Association of Certified Accountants - Certified Diploma in Accounting & Finance
- c) Chartered Institute of Marketing - Diploma in Marketing
- d) Australian Business Education Council - Diploma in Business Management
- e) Institute of Purchasing & Supply - Graduate Diploma in Purchasing & Supply
- f) Diploma in Executive Secretaryship
- g) London Chamber of Commerce and Industry - Diploma in Public Relations, Advertising, Marketing
- h) London Chamber of Commerce and Industry - Diploma in Accounting

The new development in the division is the launching of the University of London (LLB - External) in the full-time. It was very encouraging to see our A Level students showing keen interest in the full-time programme.

Our success rates for the law programme has been 65% in the part-time and we hope to see outstanding results from our first batch of full-time students sitting for the June 1991 examinations.

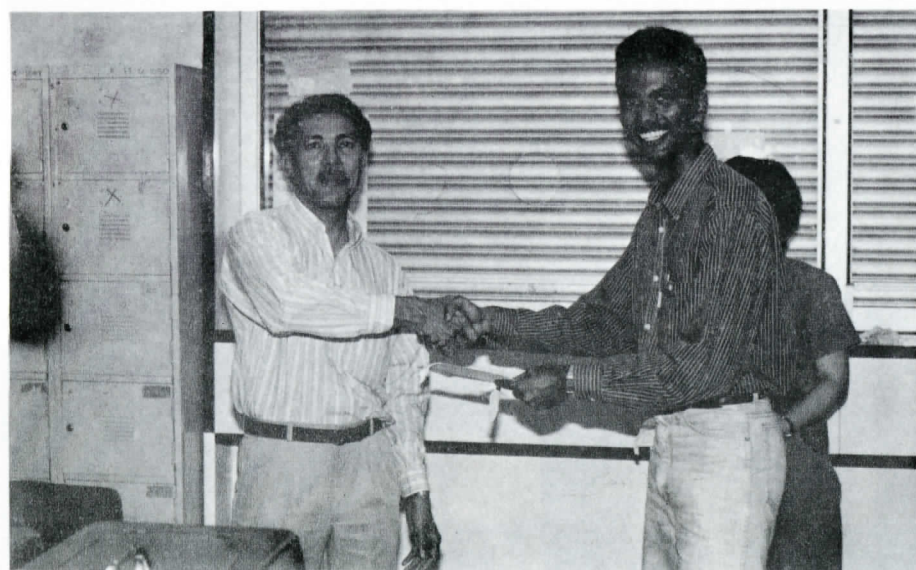
The Certified Diploma in Accounting and Finance students scored 100% in the December 1989 examinations. ▲

# STUDENT COUNCIL CERTIFICATE PRESENTATION

By M Y Lim

Tables were set up in the students' concourse. They were "decorated" by aluminium rectangle boxes with covers. Curiosity does not necessarily kill the cat. As we moved into the area, each student took a surreptitious turn at lifting some of the aluminium covers. "Always survey and preview the contents of a room, mind you," must have been on some of their thoughts. At half past seven in the evening, everybody was ready and seated as Dr. Fredericks made his appearance at the function.

Dr. Fredericks spoke about the student council's role in being the vital link between the college management and the college students. The student council of the past year had set a precedence for the next batch to follow, albeit in the successful management of the Sunway Carnival, the increased awareness in sharing and caring namely through the organization of visits to our recently adopted welfare home, Rumah Ozanam and the Welfare Month project and the Peace Day concept when students are encouraged to sport blue and white attire in a spirit of cooperation and teamwork. He congratulated the student council president for the past year, Vickneswaren K. and his board for their meaningful contributions to the college. He hoped the new board would continue, if not better the standard set by the out-going board.



Vicknes, as this tall and lanky guy is fondly called, thanked the college management for their accomodation to the ideas of his board and his board members for being there when he needed them, pledging their support and unity as a cohesive unit.

Miss Lee then introduced the college's newly-appointed assistant director, Dr. Manjit Sambhi. Mr. Ting, the registrar was also present, smiling all the time. Dr. Fredericks presented certificates of appreciation and

college momentoes in the form of Sunway's mini flag to the out-going board.

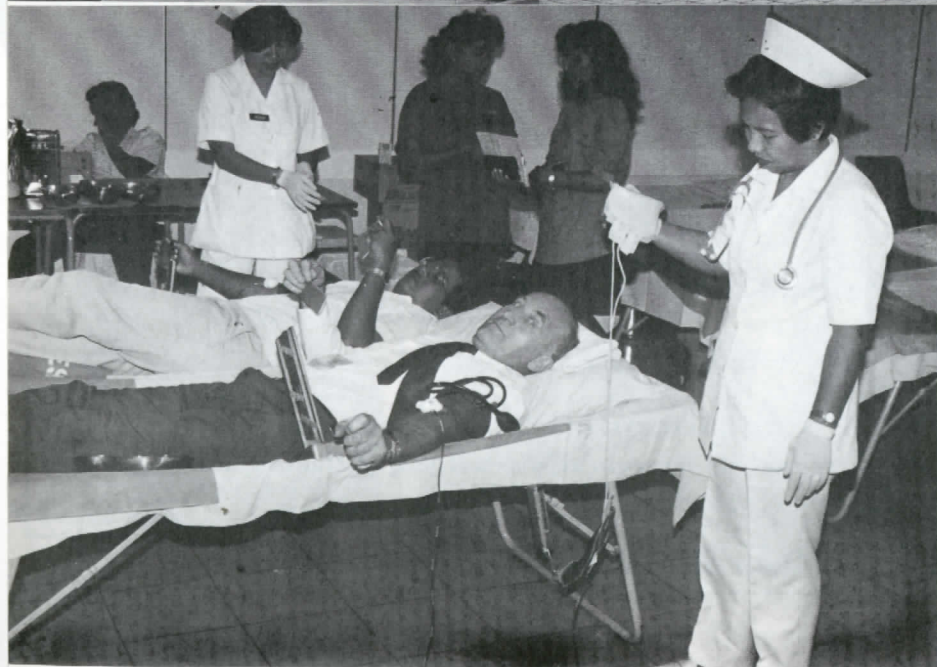
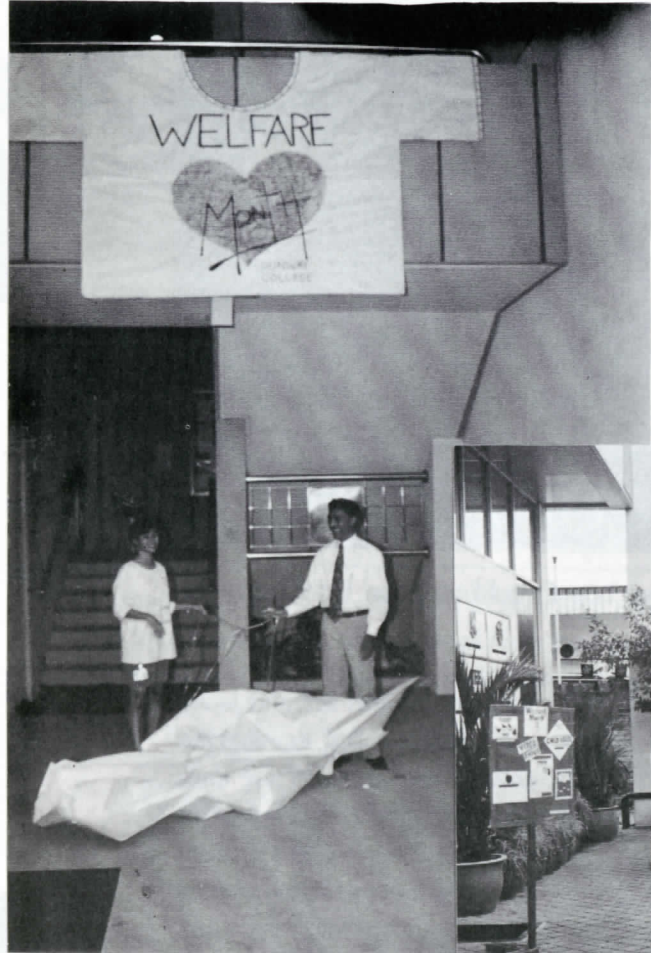
Eight o'clock was dinner time, a special treat from the college management for the student council as a way of thanking them for collectively performing a marvellous job. Hip, hip, hurray to Vicknes and gang! We have no doubt that you will continue to be the special and exemplary people you are. ▲

## WELFARE MONTH

**T**his is the second year that Sunway students have taken up a charitable cause. The Sunway Welfare Month 1991 was made successful through the efforts of the Student Council, Sunway students, the Management and endless guidance and help from our Student Counsellor, Ms. Lee Siok Ping.

The aim of the Welfare Month is to raise funds for the less privileged through activities, sales and collections. This year, the Welfare theme is on abused and abandoned children. The proceeds from the Welfare Month, a total of \$1518.06, was handed over to three welfare homes for the abused and abandoned children, Shelter Home, Ozanam House, Faith House.

The Sunway Welfare Month 1991 was launched by Dr. Fredericks on 7th May at 10.00 a.m.



Following the launching was a blood donation campaign. Dr. Leslie Booth, Resident Director of the Leicester programme, was one of the first to donate for a good cause.

Charity sale of  
button badges, cards,  
bookmarks etc.



Height x Length x Width =  
Number of coins in the box –  
or does it?!!

Mr. James Nayagam of Shelter Home came to the college and gave a talk on child abuse and related subjects. The talk was attended by students, lecturers and staff. Everyone who attended the talk left the auditorium, well informed and aware, with a new role to add to their own.

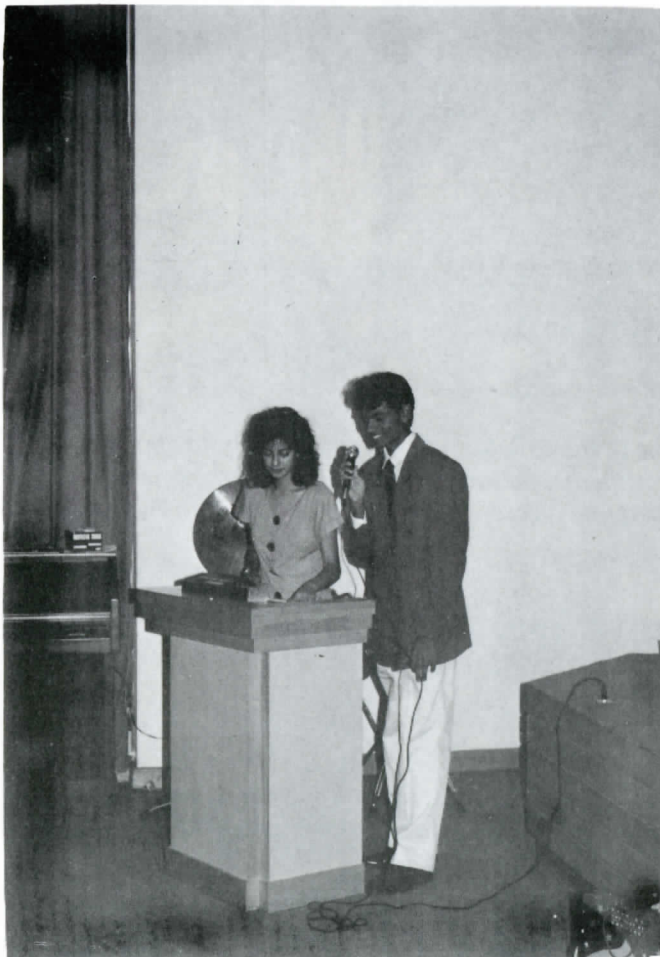
One of the many activities  
carried out during the  
Welfare Month – car wash.





*The winning entry of the Sunway Concert by the Flinders University students, emphasizing the cruelty of child abuse to all present.*

*For the first time, Sunway College organized the Sunway Concert, the first to be held in conjunction with the Welfare Month 1991. Students took advantage of this opportunity to choreograph their own dances and set up plays to further instill awareness in the students of child abuse.*



*I take this chance to thank those who helped during this month especially the Student Council members and Ms. Lee Siok Ping. The Welfare Month, 1991 would not have been possible without them.*

*Joyce Tan  
(Student Council – Curtin 1991)*

## DATO' JEFFREY CHEAH SCHOLARSHIPS

by  
Monja De Silva.

**E**ducation has always been prized in Sunway College and as such, the college awards many scholarships to students who excel academically. The Dato' Jeffrey Cheah Scholarship awards cash prizes of \$4,000 each for students in a university programme and \$2,500 for those in a pre-university programme. This scholarship is awarded to outstanding students at the end of their course. A panel, comprising of representatives of Sunway College and the SungeiWay Group decides upon the scholarship winners. If no student is deemed eligible for an award, it is withheld.

Last year (1990), awards were presented to the following students :

<i>Eugene Koh Chong Jin</i>	-	Curtin University
<i>Thon Wah Ken</i>	-	Monash University
<i>Wong Khai Weng</i>	-	Flinders University
<i>Yee Woon Yen</i>	-	University of Western Australia
<i>Tan Lien Seng</i>	-	Leicester University
<i>Lee Chiew Hooi</i>	-	Tertiary Entrance Education (TEE)
<i>Yow Kuan Tuck</i>	-	GCE 'A' Level

Out of these seven scholarships holders, the last three are still in Sunway College. To get a true, inner view of our budding Einsteins and Marie Curies, I decided to interview the trio.

Miss Lee Chiew Hooi is currently in the University of Western Australian programme. Her test score in the Western Australian Tertiary Entrance Examination (TEE) was 448 points - a remarkable 89.6%, so much so that she was presented with a special subject award in Accounting (for obtaining the highest total marks in Accounting in the TEE in Western Australian), a Certificate of Distinction in Accounting and a Certificate of Distinction in Mathematics One.



*Miss. Lee Chiew Hooi*

This girl also likes to play games, talk and generally be with her multitude of friends. She came to

Sunway College because it is nearer to home and because her best friend is here. Her maxim is, "Work hard, study hard and play hard." Chiew Hooi, we are sure that you will become the successful accountant that you are aiming to be.

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"I got a Grade Two for my SPM. Actually, I got 8A's but a P8 for Bahasa Malaysia." This disappointing episode did not deter Mr. Tan Lien Seng from going on to achieve an average of 90% in his studies at Sunway plus scoring four distinctions in the Leicester University Engineering twinning programme. It is evident that he had put in a lot of effort to be consistent in his studies in order to win the scholarship but had to face stiff competition all the way.

He likes to hang around with his friends especially before examinations. Lien Seng's goal is to fly to England and come back to Malaysia either as an engineer or a businessman. He thinks Sunway College is unique as it is the only college that offers an engineering twinning program with England. Sunway thinks you are unique too, Lien Seng. Perhaps you could join the SungeiWay Group in the next few years.

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Mr. Yow Kuan Tuck is currently enrolled in the Leicester University Law programme. Achieving a perfect three-distinction score in the GCE 'A' Levels made him the top student in the programme and he was happy to receive the scholarship. Besides that, he also received a consolation prize in the Oxbridge-Sunway essay-writing competition.

He thinks the local secondary school are too rigid. He takes part in many sporting activities in college. His idea of fun is to read especially books by Mishima Yukio and to go to discotheques. However, when it comes to studies, he prefers to isolate himself. He strongly believes that, "If you want something work for it". Kuan Tuck advises, "Don't believe everyone and that includes your lecturers ... think for yourself". We can see that this guy is full of initiative.

Boy, aren't they impressive? I would like to end this article by wishing the scholarship winners all the best for their future undertakings. Keep up the good work and keep striving for the best. ▲

# WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS

by  
Evelyn Oh

**T**he inception of this award is to recognize the most outstanding student of any transferring group to Western Michigan University (WMU) in the United States. Recipients are hand-picked by a committee of WMU lecturers. The award comes in the shape of a US\$700 (M\$2025) grant plus a special social security number of international students.

The 1990 inaugural WMU scholarship holder is Ms. Wong Mei Ling. A popular lady with her classmates, Mei Ling is a hard worker who never fails to get her name included in the Resident Director's Honor List for every semester since she first started. Her cumulative grade point average stands at 3.63, no mean feat by this petite lady's standards.

She is a caring person who surprisingly enjoys walking in the rain. Mei Ling would like to thank all her lecturers for their help and support. As she puts it, "It is a great honor to be the recipient of this award. To all WMUians, good luck and all the best."

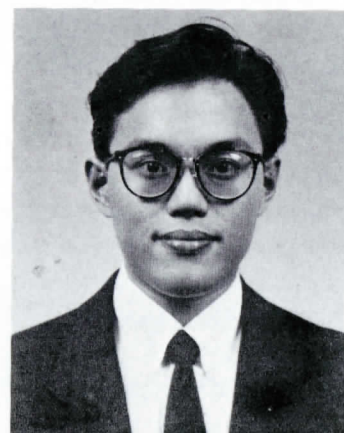


*Ms. Wong Mei Ling*

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Goh Doh Kit is the next recipient of this award. Similar to that of Mei Ling's his cumulative grade point average stands 3.63. Doh Kit has been accustomed to the American system of education which creates an all-rounder, hence developing the individual.

Doh Kit lives by the philosophy, "When you study, study hard; when you play, play harder." This is justified by his active participation in extra-curricular activities provided by the college. Doh Kit wishes to thank the Administration Staff and Prof. Alan H. Jacobs (for their 'continuing' encouragement), Mrs. Choo (for her understanding), Ms Gill (for being a friend) and especially God! ▲



*Mr. Goh Doh Kit*



Our student profile this year is focused on first year engineering student, Mr. Vickneswaran Kanagasingam (Vick to his friends) of Leicester University. Vick is an all-rounder, excelling in academic and extra-curricular activities. It is not surprising that this young and talented lad was elected as the President of the Sunway Student Council '90 - '91. The Eddies managed to catch Vick for an interview just before his final examinations.

Besides being an exceptionally good student scoring 3 A's and a B in his Foundation year last year, Vick is a Sports Committee Member and Coach for the Sunway hockey and netball team. "I learned to take up responsibilities from young because my parents allowed me to be independent", said Vick. In secondary school, he participated in various activities and was selected to be a prefect. It was then, claims Vick, his life changed and he inculcated the habit of handling things calmly. He was able to give equal time to both his studies and extra-curricular activities. Vick's potential was spotted by his uncle who encouraged him to join UNESCO.

His aim is to become someone and help people. His break came when he applied to attend a UNESCO sponsored conference held at Moscow. The conference is held to discuss drug and other serious problems happening in the world today. Vick was the only one selected to represent Malaysia in the Moscow meet. However, due to some unsettled problems the conference has been cancelled and the next meet will be held in Australia. Earlier this year Vick proposed that smoking be prohibited in the college grounds. Not long after that college imposed a ban on smoking.

Vick is our role model. He has done his parents proud and has set a good example for all. To Vick, the Eddies wish you all the best and may you continue excelling in whatever you do! ▲

# OFF GUARD!!

Zany moments in Sunway College

Text by Chan Lee Meng



Chan Lee Meng, February 1991

**LEFT:**

**Watch The Girlie.** In various states of unreadiness, the A-levels December intake prepare for their photo session.

**BELOW:**

**Annual Bath**

Regretting his decision to volunteer as "Scapegoat" for the Sunway Carnival, Vickneswaran prepares to get the soaking of his life.



Photographer Unknown, September 1991



Navanila A, May 1991

**TOP:**

**Pre-dinner Entertainment**

To work up an appetite for dinner two council members do the famous Dance of the Dinner Plates assisted by Joyce, who gives a beaming smile to provide lighting.

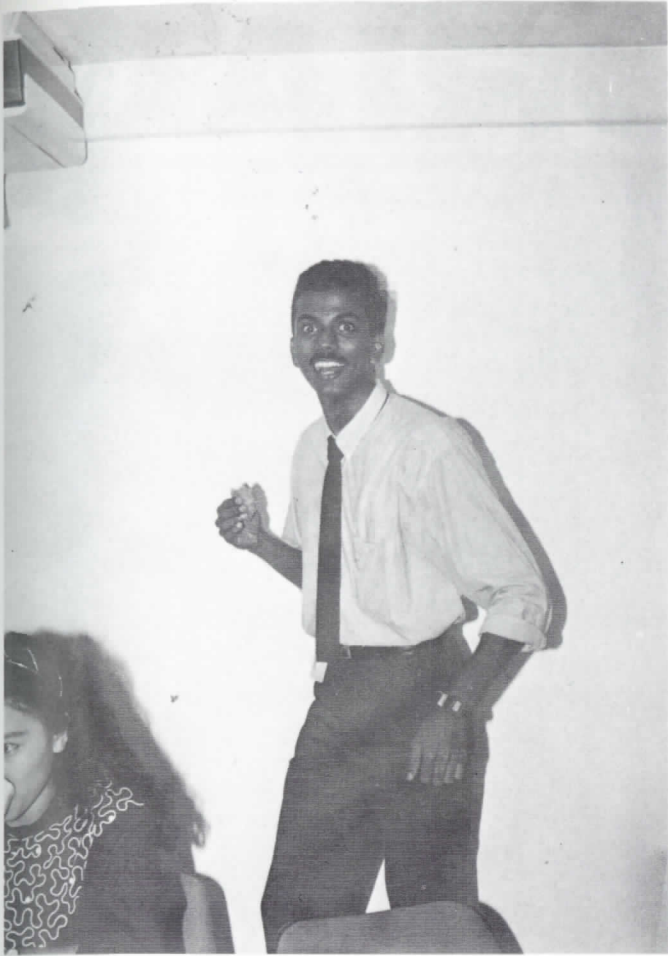
**RIGHT:**

**Quiet Please**

At the freshie orientation night, friends of Peter Kong conclude that he talks too much and they lead him off to water pipe to be "silenced"

Chan Lee Meng, May 1991





Vickneswaran is caught "hot - handed" stuffing himself with a curry puff.

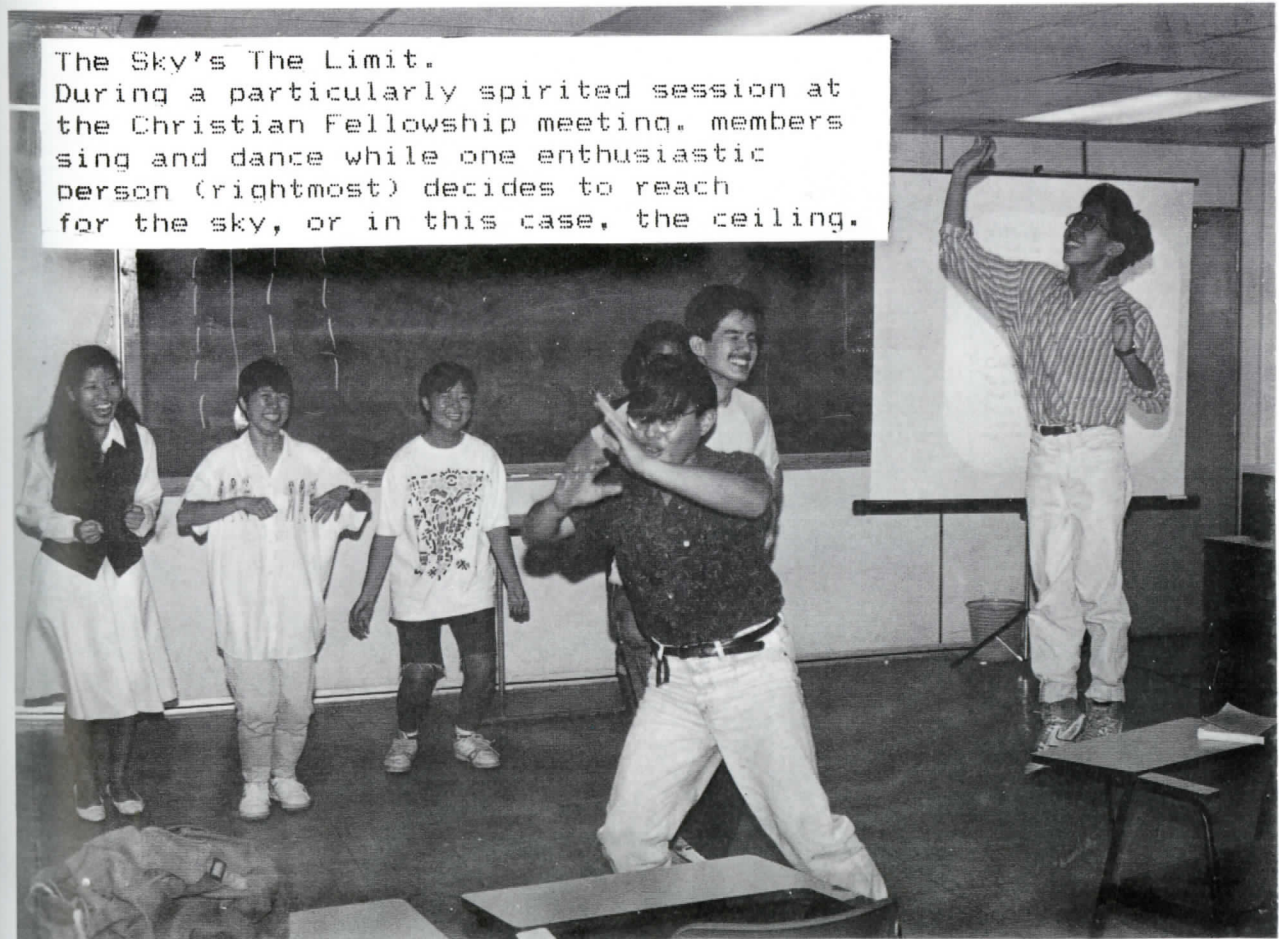
Chan Lee Meng, March 1991



**Good Sold Not Returnable**

Responding to requests to "show the merchandise" during the WMU freshman auction, Kevin lifts up Yasmin's skirt to reveal her ankles for a split second.

Chan Lee Meng, January 1991



The Sky's The Limit. During a particularly spirited session at the Christian Fellowship meeting, members sing and dance while one enthusiastic person (rightmost) decides to reach for the sky, or in this case, the ceiling.

Chan Lee Meng, April 1991

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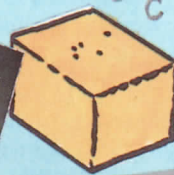
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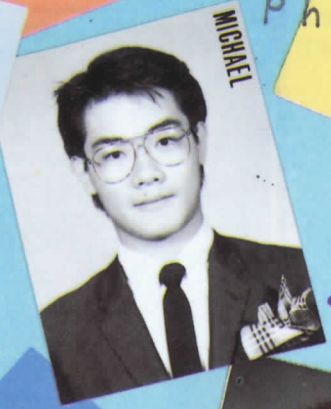
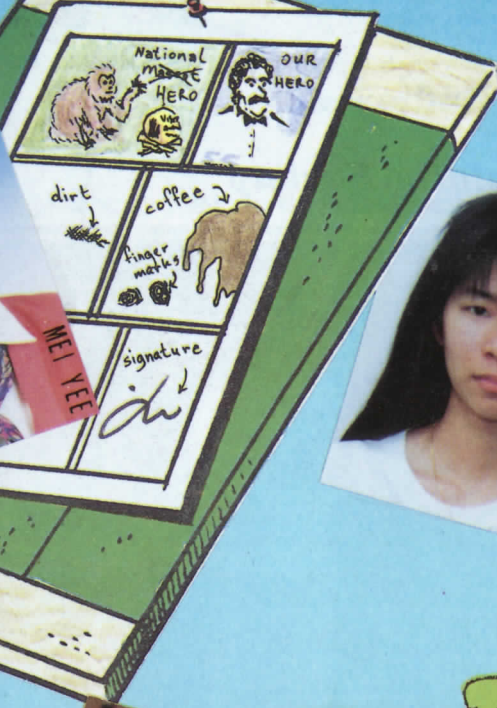


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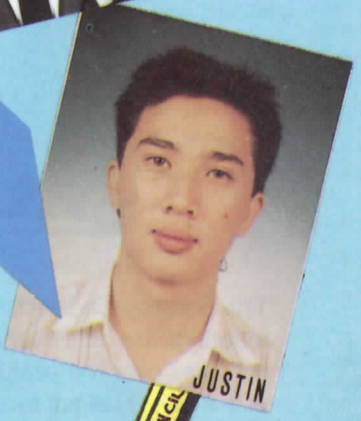
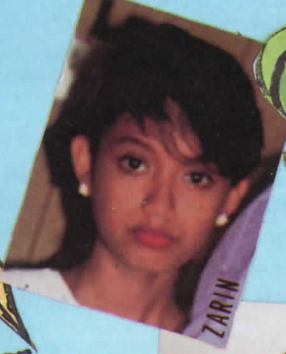




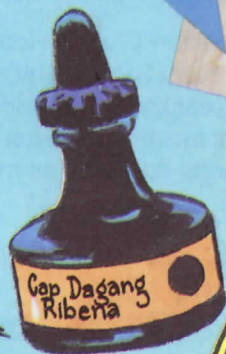
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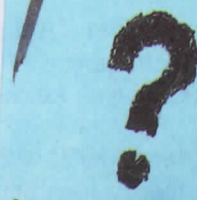
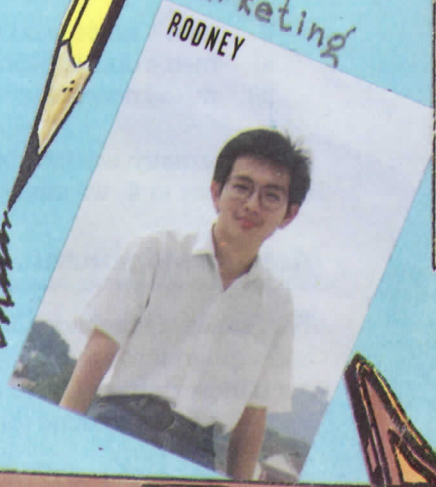
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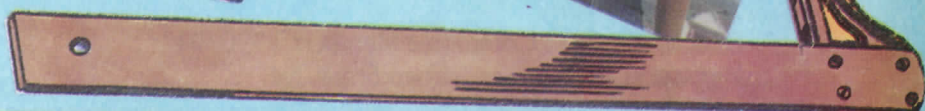



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## **Badminton Society**



The Sunway Badminton Club has long since been one of the most popular and active clubs in the college. Our meetings are held every Saturday morning which starts at 8am and usually lasts for more than 2 1/2 hours. The activities over the year consists of friendly matches among our club members. Our activities are sometimes held in the Civic Hall but mostly it is held at the Balai Raya Sports Complex at Jalan 227. Meetings are sometimes held for discussions among the comittee members. On the 3rd February we had our General Meeting where the new EXCO nominated.

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### **Projects**

The launching of the Sunway Closed Badminton tournament was a success for more than 40 participants took part. The tournament was divided into three categories which is the:

- i) men's single (won by Ong Yeong Shin - 'A' Levels)
- ii) men's double (won by Chan Boon Liang - 'A' Levels Raymond Choo - 'A' Levels)
- iii) mixed double (won by Chen Shaw Jye - Leicester Foundation Tan Lai Kwan - Leicester Foundation)

A friendly match was held on the 31st March, 1991 with the Sungei Way Group team. Although we lost the match by 5 games to 4, we managed to give them a tough fight.

### **Acknowledgement.**

The Sunway Badminton Club would like to extend its warmest thanks to our adviser, Miss Celia Yeo for her guidance and support throughout 1990/91. Also the college for the sponsorship of our tournament and last but not least our utmost appreciation to the members for giving us their fullest co-operation in carrying out our projects. Lastly, there is a lot to be done for the club and I hope that the future committee members will give their all for it.

Special thanks to Committee Members 1990/91

President	:	Chen Shaw Jye
Vice-President	:	Lau Sang Meng
Secretary	:	Josephine Tan
Treasurer	:	Tan Lai Kwan
PR Manager	:	Raymond Choo

**Lau Sang Meng**  
**Vice-President**

## Basketball Club

On 21 January 1991, the Basketball Club held their Annual General Meeting in Auditorium C. The meeting was chaired by the club president, Krushna Prabaskar, and attended by the committee members of the year 90/91. Our adviser Mr. Bob Lim was also with us throughout the meeting. The committee members for the year 90/91:-

<b>President</b>	:	Krushna Prabaskar
<b>Vice President</b>	:	Joseph Lim
<b>Treasurer</b>	:	David Tan
<b>Girl's Rep</b>	:	Mandy Yap Hui Ming

The two coaches who help the club with their training are Jasmine Tan for the girls and Bernard Lim for the boys.

The Basketball Club for Sunway College was first formed on 9th June 1990. Ever since then, it has been quite an active club and gives lessons and training to those who are interested in basketball. The club has organised an inter-programme game in the month of October. It was a success, with the WMU programme as champions for the game.

In this AGM, the new committee members for the year 1991/1992 were elected.

<b>President</b>	:	Loo Woon Kin
<b>Vice President</b>	:	Micheal Yong
<b>Secretary</b>	:	Danny Yick
<b>Treasurer</b>	:	Ng Hock Seong
<b>Girl's Rep</b>	:	Foo Lee Kit

programmes representatives: Kenn Chan (WMU) and Jason Den (TEE)

For the year 1991 and 1992. The Basketball Club will try to have more games. Those who are interested in basketball, do come and join us.

**Secretary,  
Danny Yick**

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*It has occurred to me that a man need know but two sentences to survive. The first to ask for food, the second to tell a woman he loves her. If he must disperse with one or the other, by all means let it be the first - for surely, if you tell a woman you love her, she will feed you.*

- "The Walking Dream" (Bantam)

## **Softball Club**

The Softball Club of Sunway College was formed in 1991 with Mr. Palam as the advisor. Basically, the objective of this club is to get softball/baseball fans together to have a game or two once in a while. The equipment of the game consists mainly of the gloves (10), bats (2), balls (3) and bases (4).

For those of you, who do not know the object of the game, it is very similar to how baseball is played. To all WMU, Canadian programme and Australian Mat. students, this game is extremely popular in these countries and it will be an advantage if you knew the game well. To all A-Levels students - don't be left out! Like all other clubs in this college, there will be meetings once in awhile and a certain percentage of attendance is compulsory. Members will learn the game both in theory and practical. There will be inter-programme and inter-college matches if we have sufficient number of members.

This club has been pioneered by a group of Sunway students who are in their 1st and 2nd semesters. Below are the names of the members of the board:-

<b>President</b>	: Ng Hock Seong (A-Levels)
<b>Vice President</b>	: Ivan Ho (A-Levels)
<b>Secretary</b>	: Paul Lim (WMU)
<b>Treasurer</b>	: Gary Loke (A-Levels)

There will also be at least 2 committee members who are yet to be chosen.

This club welcomes everybody who is interested in softball/baseball , whether you are able to play or not! The more you play, the better you get. So to all students - Join UP! We need you!

**Paul Lim**  
**Secretary**



*The permanent temptation of life is to confuse dreams with reality. The permanent defeat of life comes when dreams are surrendered to reality.*

*- James A. Michener in "The Drifters"*

## **Sunway College Hockey Club**

Malaysian hockey is changing. Malaysians can be proud to be the first host of the Inter-Continental Classics. To go a step further, it can be regarded as the first of its kind in the world of sports that gathers combined teams from five continents. This became a reality with the strong support of Malaysian HF president, the Yang Di -Pertuan Agong Sultan Azlan Shah and it was his efforts that has made Malaysia one of the best Asian team in the world today.

As students of Sunway College we have done our best to make hockey an important game and have always compared it to popular and well - known games such as football, volleyball, etc.... We have set - up two teams of which one is the All Boys team and the other is the All Girls team. The Club has currently a membership of 30 players.

In August 1990 a committee was elected by the members of the club. The committee members are as follows :

President	:	Hakirat Singh 'A Level Program
Vice-President	:	Ian Edmonds 'A' Level Program
Secretary	:	Thavasundram 'A' Level Program
Treasurer	:	Raoul Sibert 'A' Level Program

The Club established the following rules for its Constitution:

1. All full / part time students of Sunway College are welcome to join the Sunway Hockey Club, whereby, upon joining the club as a registered member, all meetings and club activities must be attended regularly.
2. A meeting will be held on the first Tuesday of every month. If or when a meeting is not able to be held, an appropriate day within the same week shall be chosen. Additional meetings shall be held when deemed necessary.
3. The monthly membership fees for the club is M\$1.00. This fee must be settled within the first week of every month. All payments well be made to the treasurer only. Late payments well be fined 50 cents per week. Additional payments will be requested only when the need arises. Such additional payments will be decided upon at the club's official meetings.
4. All club equipment used by the club members must be used in a responsible manner whereby any loss must and will be fully accounted for.
5. Any matters pertaining to outside activities / incidents shall and will not be in any way associated with the Sunway Hockey Club. Such association will not be tolerated.
6. Dedication, sportsmanship and discipline must be practised during games and training sessions held by the club.
7. All equipment in possession of the club will only be used by members. Such equipment well be utilised during hockey games and training whereafter the equipment must be returned.

## **Hockey Club**

8. The Committee members agreed that training / physical fitness exercises shall be held twice weekly on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 5:00pm - 7:00 pm at Arena PJ / Astaka.

The club has a very dynamic person behind it and it is none other than Ms Harjit Gill. It was under her supervision that club remained and if not for the encouragement we got from her the club would have had its downfall long ago.

The members of the club would also like to thank Vickneswaran for all the help he gave us in the form of coaching.

The hockey club has been very active. Below are some of the events that took place from November 1990 to March, 1991 :

ICL Challenge Trophy (Nov, 1990)  
1st round : Beat PJCC 1 - 0  
2nd round : Lost to ITJ 1 - 0

Nine - Aside Pro - Chancellor Asrama Kinabalu Universiti Malaya open  
Hickey Tournament (29 & 30 Dec 1990)

Apart from taking part in major competitions the team did play friendly matches as well. The teams played against were:

**HANEADA  
UNIVERSITI MALAYA  
TAYLORS COLLEGE  
Bangsar Residents Hockey Association;**

Lastly, the committee members would like to thank all the members of the club for the hardwork put in before each match.

Our heartfelt thanks are extended to Ms. Harjit Gill, our advisor and to all the well - wishers of the hockey club of Sunway College. We also hope that the newly elected committee will live up to the expectations of the new members and well - wishers of the club.

**SECRETARY**  
**Thavasundram**



*Real courage is when you know you're licked before you begin, but you begin anyway and see it through no matter what.*

*- Harper Lee "To Kill a Mockingbird"*



## Karate Club



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The Karate Club of Sunway College was formed in March 1990. This club is an affiliate of PERSATUAN KARATE DO KENPO SEIBUKAN (OKINAWA GOJURYU) at Jalan Tun Razak, Kuala Lumpur.

The training sessions are held every Saturday, 9.00 a.m. at the Sunway House under the coaching of Shihan Low and Shihan-dai Wong. Every member is taught the basics of karate, self defence techniques, physical exercises and more important the "kata" which are patterns i.e. forms of Karate.

Goju-ryu karate is a "Hard-Soft" karate. This form of karate is one of the most effective forms of karate and forms one of the major schools of karate in the world. Practitioners of Goju-ryu karate can absorb strong blows without any injury and are noted for their strength. All other major styles of karate have adapted the hallmark of Goju-ryu karate which is the soft pattern known as "Sanchin kata". The art of Goju-ryu karate allows practitioners to literally stand in the face of an attack without any fear of pain. The art of tamashowari, i.e. the art of breaking inanimate objects, is practiced regularly by Goju-ryu students. They are able to break several 1.5 in roof-tiles with their stomach and on their back. They are agile and swift like the lion which Goju-ryu karate idolizes. Their rendition of Sanchin kata is both, fascinating and captivating. The former Chief Grand Master of Goju-ryu karate, Gogen Yamaguchi, is said to perform Sanchin kata like a man with a thousand fold anger.

## Karate Club

All practitioners start with the white-belt. They then progress up the ladder with many hours of painstaking work becoming stronger mentally and physically.

Eventhough this club is only a year old, our members have succeeded in winning four trophies at the National Persatuan Karate Do Kenpo Seibukan Close Tournament in September 1990. This success, however, came through practices, self determination and confidence of our members.



Anyone who has an interest in martial arts, whether he is weak or strong, can come and join us.

The Karate Club of Sunway College is very thankful and appreciative towards Shihan Low and Shihan-dai Wong for their guidance, Mr. Elangovan and our college for their full support and last but not least to our members who make our club a success.



## **Sunway Outdoor Pursuit Club**

The Sunway Outdoor Pursuit Club was established on November 1990. It was formerly known as "The Friends Of Nature Club". The committee members are :-

<b>President</b>	:	Basil Tan
<b>Vice President</b>	:	Tricia Leong
<b>Treasurer</b>	:	Raymond Chan
<b>Secretary</b>	:	Leong, Hon-Weng
<b>Scribe</b>	:	Micheal Chick
<b>Legal Adviser</b>	:	Quantuck

The objectives of the club is to promote extra curricular activities among the various programmes at the college, so that the students can have the opportunity to experience outdoor life and enhance inter and intra programme ties. Meetings are held during the first week of each month. At present we have 40 members but we are confident that this figure will soon increase.

Our first trip was to Sungei Gabai Water Fall at Hulu Langat on 9th Feb. 1991. Twenty one members participated, accompanied by two lecturers, Miss Gill (W.M.U) and Mr. Stephen (Canadian Prog.). The trip started at Sunway College and was brought to the destination by a bus chartered from East West Oriental Tours. The participants had to trek for 45 minutes to the water fall and had lots of fun frolicking in the water. Some of the participants explored further into the bamboo filled jungle. The whole trip took 7 hours and we were back at Sunway College at 4.00p.m. The feedback was encouraging and the participants could not wait for the next trip.

These are the few proposed trips to be made when ever possible:-

- 1) Gunung Nuang
- 2) Genting Highlands (Awana)
- 3) Kepong Forest
- 4) Klang Gate
- 5) Bkt. Cherakah
- 6) Topo Run

However the club will always welcome and encourage people to participate in these outings irrespective of membership or non-members.

**Leong, Hon Weng**  
**Secretary**



*It's time we stop admiring other people's achievements and start spending time making a difference with our own lives.*

*- Robin Williams in "Dead Poet Society"*

## Photography Society

<b>President</b>	:	David Cheah
<b>Vice President</b>	:	Raymond Pasquol
<b>Secretary</b>	:	Kevin Chan Kien Wai
<b>Treasurer</b>	:	Loo Woon Kin

The Photography Society of Sunway College commenced on January, 1991. The Club provides membership to all Sunway students who will automatically become members. Meetings will be held at any necessary time during the year. There will also be talks and discussions about photography. Outings which can create a greater awareness of events around us will be organized and also methods of taking care of a camera will be taught to members.

Presently, the club has planned a series of activities:-

- 1) Outings for photography
- 2) A P.D trip to capture the scenery
- 3) A visit to famous local hotels

This has, however, yet to be decided by the committee members of the club.

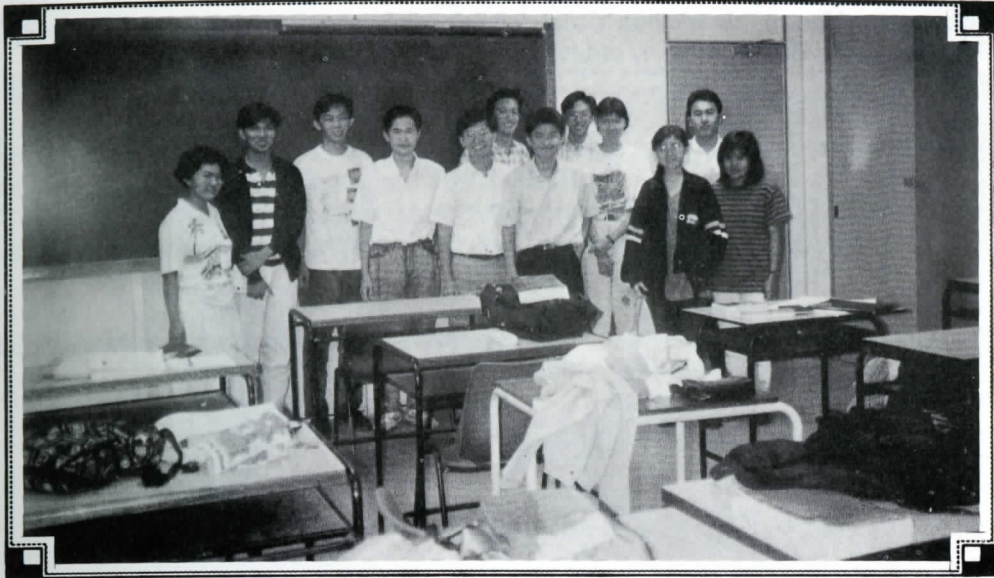
**Kevin Chan**  
**Secretary**



*Flatter me, and I may not believe you. Criticize me, and I may not like you. Ignore me, and I may not forgive you. Encourage me, and I will not forget you.*

- FortWorth "Star - Telegram"

## Buddhist Society



1990 has been a fun-filled year for the members, with its share of ups and downs. To the non-members, we thank you for helping out and ensuring our activities' success.

The Buddhist Society of Sunway College was established on 21st June 1990. The main objectives of the society are :-

- to foster closer relationships among students
- to have a correct understanding and attitude towards Buddhism
- to study the teachings of Buddha
- good character building

Ideas are always brought forward from enthusiastic members of the society during meetings. The committee members (elected on the inaugural meeting in June) came up with numerous plans throughout the year. Due to the various pre)university and university programs in the college, it was suggested that 5 pm on a Wednesday or Thursday would be most appropriate time for the meetings.

As one of our main objectives stated - to study the teachings of Buddha - we invited Mr. Wong Tien Sung to give us the first Dharma Talk on "An Introduction to Buddhism" and "Are Buddhists Idol Worshippers?" Next, "Making the mind work for you" was an enlightening talk presented by honorable Bhante Piyasilo (Founder of the Friends of Buddhism Malaysia) to "maieutic" and "meditation". We also had a few singing sessions.

September, a month to remember, the Buddhist Society participated in the Sunway Carnival. Our station concentrated on vegetarian food and Buddhist books and items. October sat in and more meaningful Dharma Talks were held. "Karma and Rebirth" was given by honorable Bhante Piyasilo and "Four Noble Truth and Eight)fold Path" by Brother Wong Chun Tat.

At the beginning of November, Mr. Tee, a lecturer at Sunway and our Adviser gave us a knowledgeable talk and explanation on the "Heart Sutra" and also "The Great

Compassion Mantra". In addition to that, our beloved Bhante Piyasilo gave us the talk on "Five Percepts....The Buddhists' Way of Living".

After our December holiday, we all came back to work afresh for the year 1991. We started off with a Dharma Talk on "The Six Realms" by Dharmacari Vidyananda. Mr. Tee gave us another talk on "Usnisa Vijaya Dharani". The last activity for January was a movie of "The Goddess of Mercy" and another Dharma Talk on "meditation" by Dharmacari Vidyananda.

There is a plan for some outdoor activities (pending) for outgoing members, incoming members and non)members too. Other activities are as follows :-

more movies related to Buddhism

"Meditation in Practice"

Dharma talks

Annual General Meeting (AGM) to elect new committee members.

All in all, this has been a very eventful year. Many thanks to those involved in the succession of this society especially to our Advisers - Mrs. Lim, Mr. Cheah and Mr. Tee.

Secretary.



## *The Sunway Christian Fellowship 1990/1991*



<b>President</b>	:	Goh Doh Kit
<b>Secretary/Treasurer</b>	:	Suzanne Yap
<b>Music Cordinator</b>	:	Yap Sook Lin
<b>Advisers</b>	:	Miss Lee Siok Ping
		Mr. Patrick Lai

The Sunway Christian Fellowship specially caters for all the Christian students and staffs in the College.

Praise be to God! Our attendences have increased since we first started. The meeting is held on every Thursday at 5.00 p.m. in Room 204. Every Wednesday and Friday, during lunch break, we have prayer meetings.

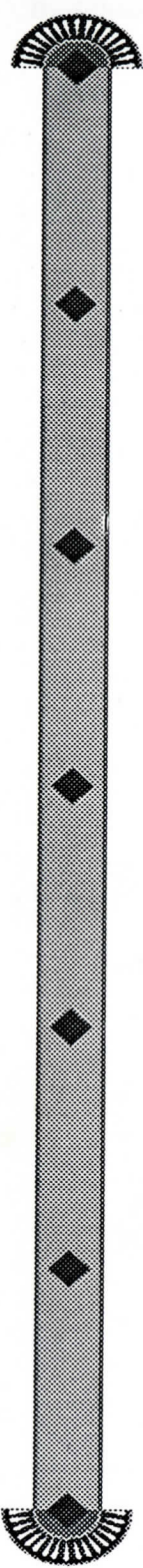
The main aim of this Fellowship is to cultivate a stronger bond among Christian students and also to grow spiritually.

The Christian Fellowship would like to extend their thanks to Miss Lee and Mr. Lai for their encouraging support.

“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the lord, not for men”  
**(Colossians 3:23)**

*Love is everywhere. It depends on how and where you look for it.*

- Kay C.



## Japanese Language and Culture Society

The Japanese Language and Culture Society, JLCS is a recently established club in Sunway College. The objectives of this club are as follows;

- 1) To discover more about the fascinating culture of Japan
- 2) To learn the language of the people and their ways in the Land of the Rising Sun

For those who are interested in solely learning the Japanese language, Sunway College now provides lessons. Please enquire at the Registrar concerning the language lessons. The Club's activities include excursions to places of interest, demonstrations such as the tea-ceremony, ikebana, origami, sugetsu and so on. We will also be learning conversational Japanese language, furthermore, there will also be career talks on topics of interest upon the requests of the members. Our subscription fees are only \$1.00 per month. This is in order to get our activities going.

Below are the committee members of the JLCS;

<b>President</b>	:	Suzanne Leong Wan Leng (W.M.U)
<b>Vice President</b>	:	Sherrie Shiong Yuinn Hsien (W.M.U)
<b>Secretary</b>	:	Kingson Lim (W.M.U)
<b>Treasurer</b>	:	Danny Rick Kar Sum (A-Levels)
<b>Scribe</b>	:	Foo Lee Kit (A-Levels)

Representatives from other programmes are:

TEE	:	Chong Yee Ling
CANADIAN MATRICULATION	:	Chong May Ling

The Society meets once a fortnight and posters concerning any meetings or activities will be put up around campus to inform JLCS members. Others who are interested are also invited to join the society.

**SECRETARY,**  
**Kingson Lim**

## **French Educational And Cultural Society**



**Seated from Left to Right:** Monja de Silva (President), Neela Kumaraguru (Vice President).

**Middle Row:** Shareen Khoo ('A' - Level representative for the Society), Lynette Khoo (T.E.E. representative for the Society)

**Upper Row:** Vickneswaran Kanagasingam (Leicester University program representative for the Society), Justin Tan (Treasurer), Terence Lim Hung Pin (Secretary)

**Absent:** Sharmila Kanagalingam (Assistant Secretary), Chan Kok Heng (Canadian Pre-U representative for the Society)

The initial idea for the formation of the above society came from Mr. Raken and Miss Monja de Silva (who is also the President of the Society). Having pursued part-time courses in the French Language, Miss Monja de Silva found the thought of setting up a society to facilitate any interest Sunway College students may have in the language, culture and people of "the land of red wine" very appealing indeed.

A committee was set up to shoulder the challenging task of getting the Society started and out of its embryonic stage. The following persons were selected:

<b>President</b>	:	Miss Monja de Silva
<b>Vice President</b>	:	Miss Neela Kumaraguru
<b>Secretary</b>	:	Mr Terence Lim Hung Pin
<b>Assistant Secretary</b>	:	Miss Sharmila Kanagalingam
<b>Treasurer</b>	:	Mr Justin Tan

This society, as the name suggests, aims to foster a greater understanding between the students of Sunway College and the people, culture and language of a great European nation. It guides, encourages students to take up the French Language so as to enable them in their career pursuits. It also promotes activities (sometimes with the help of the French Embassy and the 'Alliance Francaise'), for the benefit of the students. Some of the activities that the Society intends to have are talks on careers, language classes, film shows including

documentaries, tours (example to the 'Alliance Francaise'), dances and contests.

On Friday, the first of March, 1991, the Inaugural meeting of the French Educational and Cultural Society was held in Auditorium B in Sunway College. The Guest of Honour was Mr Ivan Gut who is the linguistics attache of the French Embassy. The other guests present were Dr Rex Sharman and Mr Teng. After the speeches by the President Monja de Silva, Mr Gut, Mr Teng and not forgetting the Master of Ceremonies Miss Sharmila Kanagalingam, a short video presentation on France was made. The Vice-President Miss Neela Kumaraguru, then proposed a vote of thanks to the guests and all present. The evening ended with light refreshments. The first of March coincided with the Chinese 'Cap Goh Mei'. Despite this forty members turned up.

The French Educational and Cultural Society has started with much vigor and enthusiasm. It is therefore hoped that we will achieve our objectives, and towards this end, we need your support. We meet monthly and there is a subscription fee of \$1.00 a month. So, all members and soon-to-be-members - "au revoir" for now and "a bientot"!!

**MISS SHARMILA KANAGALINGAM**  
**Assistant Secretary**



*Children experience most of the same emotions as adults; envy, greed, fear, hostility, resentment, vindictiveness. The only difference is they are too short to do anything about them.*

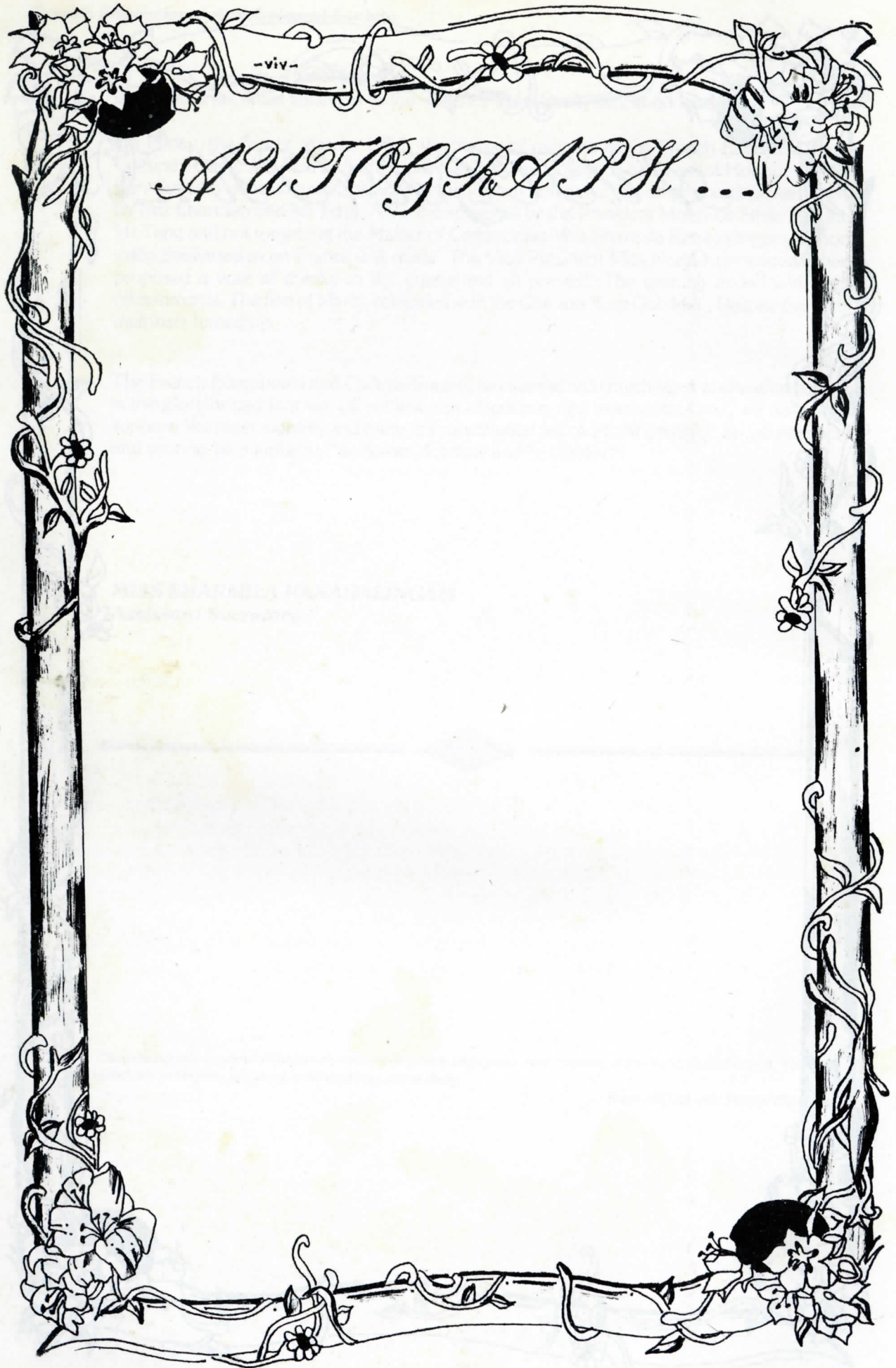
- "Bride of Dark and Stormy"(Penguin)



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