An Aboriginal Education Centre For Wollongong?

by Arthur Smith, Faculty of Education, Institute of Advanced Education.

The University of Wollongong Council recently endorsed a major proposal to establish an Aboriginal Education Centre on campus.

Initially, this new Centre will serve the interests of Aboriginal teacher education and, in time, other areas of the academic programme which attract Aboriginal students. In the long term, any Wollongong University student - Aboriginal or non-Aboriginal - interested in Aboriginal education or related matters might work through or in association with this proposed Centre.

An incorporated Research and Development Unit will foster on-going inquiry into aspects of Aboriginal education and, relatedly, develop Aboriginal studies curricula for use in a wide range of educational settings.

Conceptually, the Centre will involve joint management and development on the part of both Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal educators. It is proposed overall, though, that Aboriginal educators will hold key decision-making and leadership roles, particularly in relation to setting overarching direction and emphasis for the new enterprise - from an Aboriginal perspective.

Establishment later this year of an Aboriginal Student Enclave, or support counselling and study advice service for Aboriginal students, will add a dimension to the Centre which will address Aboriginal student needs throughout the University. The 'Enclave' will not only provide physical focus for an increasing Aboriginal presence on campus and a place where students may congregate, it could also become an important clearing house for Aboriginal resources in general, and, potentially, an appropriate meeting ground for students and staff of the University and the local Aboriginal community.

While full details of the rationale for this proposal and its structure may be obtained from the Secretary of the Interim Committee of Council which developed the submission (Ms. Lyn Woodley, Ext. 3918), the following would seem, in outline form, to be the main reasons for generating such an initiative at this time. The views expressed are those of the writer of the University's Proposal, not, necessarily, of The University of Wollongong.

The evidence is clear that needs and aspirations of Aboriginal tertiary students, are by and large, not being adequately catered for by present forms of education. Emerging new programmes (notably Aboriginal Enclaves), which demonstrate high potential for effectiveness, are few in number, understaffed, not adequately funded and, in operation, not incorporated into the academic or social mainstream of institutions which they serve.

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The 17 scholarship winners will undertake 5 hours of paid work per week in areas related to their studies; so the Academic Departments benefit from these scholarships as well as the students.

The Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Friends, Dr. Ken McKinnon, said that he was very pleased with the support being given by the Illawarra Credit Union to the University.

ABORIGINAL EDUCATION CENTRE (CONT.)

Recently, there has been a widespread call to encourage increased Aboriginal participation in tertiary education programmes. Yet there are few positive moves to recruit and enrol more Aboriginal students, hire Aboriginal staff or design courses relevant to educational and other needs of Aboriginal Australians.

The tertiary education curriculum, albeit inadvertently, is demonstrably incomplete and inappropriate for most Aboriginal students. This will remain so while ever it is possible in this country to undertake courses of study in, say, Australian history, philosophy, politics, religion, art, language or education, without more than passing reference to the knowledge base, values, cultural mores, traditions or current thought of a people who have lived here for some 40,000 years.

If the argument is accepted that Aboriginal students do not find meaningful or accurate reference to their culture, either before or since European occupation, reflected in courses of study, then provision of suitable educational experience for indigenous Australians becomes an imperative of our time. A system which effectively excludes Aborigines by, amongst other measures, refusing to acknowledge their close, interdependent relationship with the land, their Aboriginality and unique contribution to the history of the region, denies, overall, the right of every Australian to a full and rich intercultural learning experience. Denying Aboriginal identity denies in fundamental terms, Australian identity.


In the complex area of assistance to Aboriginal Education the present government and former Fraser governments have, of course, made significant contributions. As far as funding is concerned, though, the charge could nonetheless be made that too little, too late and often inappropriately, has been the case.

During the run up to Australia’s Bicentennial, the eyes of the world will be focussed, not only on what ‘New Australians’ have accomplished in this country during the past 200 years, but on what the effects have been upon its original inhabitants. It will be plain to most observers that the past of a people, deliberately or otherwise, has been all but totally obliterated. What will be inexcusable and well nigh impossible to defend will be any charge that Aboriginal Australians are denied reasonable or just access to a future; a future in which they have a predominant decision-making and controlling influence. Meaningful and appropriate education has been cited by many Aboriginal leaders as the key to such a future.

What the situation in tertiary education calls for today is not more charity and paternalism on the part of conscience-saving Australians. It is asking for acceptance of the right of Aboriginal people to participate in the decision-making process that controls their destiny. For too long, white Australians - the controllers of Euro-Australian education - have told Aboriginal people what is best for them. In education, as in other fields, Aborigines now seek opportunity for self-determination. They need to inform other Australians about what they think is appropriate for their young people to learn and experience in schools, colleges and universities.

The slogan of last year’s National Aborigines’ Week poster - Let’s Talk - We have Something to Say - had a very clear message. In education the challenge lies before us. We need to talk and, more importantly, we need to listen. The trend of thought and feeling of a time - the zeitgeist - is apparent. Educators - Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal - in all Australian universities and colleges are faced with the same question: what to do to provide relevant, substantive and meaningful education for Aboriginal students?

Individual staff members of the University of Wollongong have made very significant long term contributions in a number of areas related to Aboriginal Education and Studies. It is my belief, and obviously that of others on campus, that the University’s commitment in this area will continue to grow.

* Although the word ‘Centre’ for the entire overarching concept of the proposed development was used throughout the current Submission, there is apparently some discussion in the University at present as to the appropriateness of this term.

Editor’s Note: The University’s current proposal has been endorsed by the N.S.W. A.E.C.G.(Aboriginal Education Consultative Group) and Mr. Robert Morgan, Aboriginal Commissioner for Education in N.S.W. and the only Aboriginal member of the H.E.B. (Higher Education Board), as the most far sighted in Australia at present. At a national level our proposal has now become a prototype for discussions around the possibility of setting up an Aboriginal Federated College in N.S.W. by 1988. Wollongong could be the venue.

SPORTS RESEARCH PROGRAMME TO IMPROVE SAFETY AND PERFORMANCE

A scientific analysis of scrumming techniques used in both rugby union and rugby league will be carried out by experts at Wollongong University under a Sports Science Research Programme announced some weeks ago by the Minister for Sport, Recreation and Tourism, Mr. John Brown.

A further 13 sports will benefit from research into various problems facing their participants to be carried out
by tertiary institutions in four States and the Australian Capital Territory.

"The recent focus on rugby injuries means that research into scrumming techniques for rugby union and rugby league is particularly timely," Mr. Brown said.

"If the experts can come up with new techniques that can reduce injuries but at the same time retain the purpose and function of the scrum then players and spectators alike will benefit, not to mention thousands of concerned parents and coaches."

The total value of the research programme is $153,500 with $88,750 to be spent this financial year.

The largest grant goes to Wollongong University which will receive $40,000 to research the relationship between knee and ankle injuries, shoe design and court surfaces for netball players, while the smallest grant goes to the University of Western Australia for an evaluation of certain physiological factors (glycogen loading) within the energy system which influence the performance of swimmers.

Other sports included in the programme are cricket, hockey, surf life saving, baseball, waterpolo, sailing, softball, touch football, pistol shooting, roller skating and athletics.

"Each of these projects is important in its own way because it has been identified by the national sports organisation concerned as a problem area," Mr. Brown said.

"Australia's top sports scientists will examine the problems and we expect the results to make a significant contribution to the development of these sports."

ILLAWARRA COMMUNITY BROADCASTERS TO HOLD THEIR 4TH TEST TRANSMISSION

During the week of July 8 to July 15 I.C.B. FM will be holding a test transmission, the frequency will be 104.5 MHz, the frequency that the group had been allocated for final use when a license is finally granted.

There are still programme spaces available, and persons interested in presenting programmes should ring the studio (272840) or phone Dr. Hugh Spencer on ext. 3024.

Last test transmission aired a wide variety of programmes, from ethnic-multicultural to popular music, with a considerable amount of time devoted to locally performed music, especially that produced by the Conservatory, as well as by local groups. This test transmission should follow a similar pattern, but with some changes in the timing of programmes to allow wider audience contact with the programmes. This means that programmes such as environmental or folk will be aired at different times on different days, rather than at the same time slot on each day. While this will probably not be the final programming format in the event of a license, one of the purposes of test transmissions is to try out ideas, and it will be interesting to determine audience reaction to it.

I.C.B. would encourage university personnel to become involved in the project. It has the backing of the Friends and the University is a corporate member of the group. Community access radio offers the potential for researchers in the University to present their ideas and projects to the public, and thereby aid the integration of the University with the community.

It is also a marvellous forum - of - the - air for discussion of contentious issues, and in fact any issues of importance to the community.

General Notices

REVIEW OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTANCY

The Vice-Chancellor has established a Committee to Review the Department of Accountancy.

The Committee of Review is required to evaluate all aspects of the Department, including its facilities and curricula. The Committee will also examine the role and function of the Department in the context of developments in Commerce in Australia, and in the Faculty of Commerce at the University of Wollongong.

The members of the Committee are:

Prof. A.M. Clarke, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Chair).
Prof. R. King, Chair, Academic Senate.
Mr. C. Denley, Member of University Council.
Mr. J.D. Edwards, Corporate Finance Executive, Pioneer Concrete Services Ltd.
Prof. M.S. Henderson, Head, Department of Commerce, University of Adelaide.

Members of the University are invited to forward written submissions to the Secretary of the Committee, Ms. P. Tindall, Planning and Development Section, before June 22.

NOTE: The deadline for submissions has been brought forward to June 22 so that the Committee may examine submissions at its next meeting.

ROSE BREEDING

Mr. Leo Tobin, a member of the Friends of the University, wishes to breed a new rose to be called the University of Wollongong. This is a long involved process that can take many years. Leo regularly wins prizes at the Royal Easter Show, but needs the help of an interested horticulturalist at the University. Enquiries to Mr. Tobin on 296514.

DEPARTMENTS CALLED TO NOMINATE VISITORS

The Department of Education and Youth Affairs has called for submissions from universities for Visiting Professors under the Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan.

The Visiting Professorship is a senior award provided by the Australian Government under the Commonwealth Scholarship and Fellowship Plan. Awards are intended to assist Australian Universities in bringing professors working in any Commonwealth country to Australia for teaching and research preferably for a full academic year but not less than two terms or one semester. Each year, three awards are made available. A nominee is required to be a citizen of a Commonwealth country, or a non-Commonwealth citizen who has resided in the Commonwealth country for the last five years.

Nominations close on 31st July.

Further details on "Campus News" notice board in the Administration Annex.
LYNCH TO HEAD PATROL/SECURITY

Mr. Norm Lynch has been appointed Asst. Supervisor, Patrol/Security and should be contacted on Ext. 3936 for car bookings and security matters.

For after hours security matters please contact 83.1910.

STUDY TOUR OF ITALY

South Coast Travel and Alitalia have organized the January 1985 Study Tour of Italy for the Department of European Languages.

The four week tour costs $2,780. Details are on the “Campus News” notice board.

1984/85 SUMMER SESSION SUBJECT PROPOSALS
by Peter Wood - Summer Session Organizer

At its meeting on the 13th June, 1984, the Academic Senate considered the report of the Summer Session Review Committee and endorsed the recommendations contained in the report, except the following:

- Recommendation 3: consideration of which was deferred to the next meeting (dealing with the timing of the Session, noting that it is to be extended to 7 weeks);

- Recommendation 8: which was replaced with -

"that guarantees should be introduced to protect all staff, especially those proceeding to promotion or tenure, from being required to teach in the Summer Session in the event that academic units feel compelled, for whatever reason, to offer Summer Session subjects and that the proposed guarantees be submitted to Senate prior to the commencement of the next Summer Session".

(Copies of the report were circulated as item 29 of the agenda for the meeting - further copies are available from me, if required).

I now seek subjects (both credit and non-credit) for inclusion in the 1984/85 Summer Session from Departments/Schools/individual members of staff.

To meet deadlines for advertising and promotional material, I would need proposals no later than 30th June, 1984. A sheet setting out details required for subject proposals is available.

For any enquiries regarding the Summer Session, please contact me on extension 3943.

MATURE-AGED STUDENTS ASSOCIATION
by Sandra Stanley, President

The Mature-Aged Students Association, with its committee of interested students who have long-endured the University system, was formed towards the end of first session this year.

The specific aim of our association is to bring closer contact between all mature-aged students; those recently enrolled to those with degrees and beyond. Through this contact friendship may grow or help be given to any seemingly insurmountable problems, often unknown to, or ignored by, younger students or teaching staff. To this end, our association has already contacted several speakers, from different University departments, who are willing to give a talk and answer any questions at our lunch-time meetings. Notices of these meetings will be posted in prominent places on the campus. Additional speakers will depend on the attendance of all existing and future members at these meetings and their requests for information about the University or their difficulties in any specific area. Membership is free this year with all fees covered by the Union.

Unaware of 21 years and over being the new criteria for acceptance to the University as a ‘Mature-Aged Student’ our Constitution, which cannot be altered, states that members of our association must be 25 years and over. As President of the Mature-Aged Students’ Association, I must apologize for this error but assure those younger mature-aged students that allowances will be made for the membership after consideration by the Committee.

The next function on our Agenda is a barbeque on Tuesday, 31st July. This will be held in the Northern Lounge and its adjoining balcony from 12.00 p.m. to 2.00 p.m. at a cost of $1, to be paid at the Union office. This is a bargain price for a steak and all the trimmings. Please come along and meet the other members and, by joining, helping us to get the Mature-Aged Students Association off to a good start.

SCHOOL RENAMED

Council has approved changing the name of the School of Creative Arts and Community Studies to the “School of Creative Arts”.

Campus Community Interface

HAYDN’S CREATION

130 voices from combined local choirs
40 piece ABC Sinfonia - orchestral backing 4 International Soloists

Conducted by David Vance

This choral masterpiece of the classics is presented to the City of Wollongong on its 150th Anniversary by the Friends of the University and the BHP Group of Companies

30th June only
8 p.m. Town Hall
Tickets from Town Hall or University Union
$5 or $3 Concession

COMMONWEALTH BANK HIGH SCHOOLS CHESS TOURNAMENT

Mr. John Tong is organizing the 1984 Commonwealth Bank High Schools Chess Tournament which will be held in the Pentagon Theatre on Sunday, 24th June, 1984, from 1.30 to 4.30 p.m. The tournament will be opened by the Chairman of the Membership Committee, Ald. Frank Arkell M.P. and the prizes will be presented by Friends member Roger McCombe, Regional Manager of the Commonwealth Banking Corporation.

Two new schools, Keira and Woonona High have joined the competition.
Opportunity Project

News from Council and Senate

by Peter Wood

The following matters were considered at the Senate Meeting held on 13th June, 1984:

- Appeals procedures for Tutors wishing to appeal against decisions made by Council on the recommendation of the Academic Promotions Committee.

- Initial course proposals for the following courses:
  - Bachelor of Applied Science (Human Movement)
  - Bachelor of Education (Secondary) Science Education
  - Associate Diploma in Industrial Waste Control

- Guidelines for granting advanced education awards with distinction.

- Joint degrees in Commerce and Engineering and in Civil and Mining Engineering.

- Establishment by the Graduate Studies Committee of a Postgraduate Candidature Review Committee.


- Conditions of appointment of Research Associates.

- Reports from the Academic Tenure and Academic Promotions Committees on proposed amendments to procedures.

- Pass Rate for Examinations held in 1983.

Equal Employment Opportunity Project

The Vice-Chancellor will shortly release the University’s Policy Statement on Equal Employment Opportunity. Copies will be made available throughout the University. The Policy Statement summarises the University’s commitment to Equal Employment Opportunity, including an outline of the Council resolutions on the topic and the membership and terms of Affirmative Action Working Party. In addition the terms “Equal Employment Opportunity and Affirmative Action” are outlined, as is the Commonwealth and State discrimination legislation. An outline of the stages in the preparation of the University’s Equal Employment Opportunity Management Plan is given and some of the key issues that might be addressed are listed.

The University will not wait till the Management Plan itself is completed and submitted to the N.S.W. Government before taking positive steps towards achieving equality of employment opportunity. As far as possible the University will be moving progressively on implementation. This will, of course, involve moving proposals through the normal University decision-making bodies.

"Affirmative Action for Women" Policy Discussion Paper

By now many members of the University will have read of the release of the “Affirmative Action Green Paper” by the Prime Minister on Tuesday 5 June. The E.E.O. Project is organising to obtain copies to be distributed throughout the University.

There has been considerable debate in the press about the Green Paper and about the pilot programme of affirmative action for women employed in 28 major companies and tertiary institutions. The bodies that agreed to take part in this pilot are: The AMP Society; Ansett Transport Industries Ltd., ANZ Banking Group Ltd; Boral Ltd; Borg-Warner (Australia) Ltd; Castlemaine Toohey’s Ltd; G.J. Coles and Coy Ltd; Argyle Diamond Mine Pty. Ltd. and Sulphide Corporation Pty. Ltd., divisions of CRA; CSR Ltd; Dunlop Olympic Ltd; Esso Australia Ltd; John Fairfax and Sons Ltd; Ford Motor Company of Australia Ltd; Mitsubishi Motors Australia Ltd; Reckitt and Colman Australia Ltd; Santos Ltd; Simpson Ltd; South Pacific Hotel Corporation Ltd; Thomas Nationwide Transport Ltd; Unilever Australia Ltd; Westpac Banking Corporation; Woolworths Ltd; Wormald International Ltd; J.B. Young Ltd; The Australian National University; Griffith University, and South Australian College of Advanced Education.

The Green Paper sets out clearly the Commonwealth Government’s commitment to encouraging policies which enable women who wish to enter the labour force the opportunity to participate fully in employment. In his preface the Prime Minister acknowledges that:

To date, women’s skills and talents have not been utilised in our workforce to the fullest extent possible. The country is the poorer for it. This policy Discussion Paper proposes a means of improving the participation of women at all levels and in all sectors of the labour market.

The Green Paper presents material on the nature of Affirmative Action for Women, the need for it to occur, and current measures to improve Women’s Labour Market Status. There is clear guidance on how to implement an Affirmative Action Programme and a Summary of the Government’s Proposals. In Volume 2 a series of appendices set out the National Labour Consultative Council Guidelines for Employers, statistics on women in the labour market, and an outline of Anti-Discrimination Legislation in Australia.

It is hoped that members of staff throughout the University community will find the discussion paper of interest and value in the context of the University developing its own affirmative action programmes.
Seminars

Details of the Seminars below are displayed on the "Campus News" Notice Board in the Administration Annexe.

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

Subject: Aboriginal Teacher Education - presented by Arthur Smith, Faculty of Education - 25th June, 4.30-6.30 p.m. in Room 1029, Social Science.

CENTRE FOR MULTICULTURAL STUDIES — MONTHLY SEMINAR SERIES

Carmel Niland, President of the N.S.W. Anti-Discrimination Board will be speaking on aspects of ethnicity and race with relevance to the workings of the N.S.W. Anti-Discrimination Board. Her talk will be in the open seminar series sponsored by the Centre for Multicultural Studies.

Wednesday, July 4th at 4.00 p.m., Northern Lounge, University Union.

All invited.

THE MEDIA IN CONTEMPT

A seminar on the media and the law, sponsored by the University of New South Wales Faculty of Law, and the Australian Communications Law Association - Tattersall's Club, 26 July 1984, 4 p.m. to 7.30 p.m.

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS FORUM

Sponsored by the Illawarra Industrial Development Board

Speaker: Mr. Justice Staples,
Deputy President, Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Commission.

Time: 11 a.m. - 12.30 p.m., Wednesday, June 27.

Place: Conference Room, Town Hall, Wollongong.

The Illawarra Industry Development Board is hoping to promote a better understanding and appreciation of industrial relations problems, particularly amongst small business.

Further enquiries to Peter Curtis - 286508.

WOMEN AND LABOUR CONFERENCE 1984

The fourth Women and Labour Conference will be held on 13-15 July, 1984. The Centre for Technology and Social Change is convening a public meeting on Saturday, 30th June, 1984 at 9 a.m. in the Pentagon at the University of Wollongong to discuss the implications for the Illawarra Region of the recently released National Technology Strategy Discussion Draft.

The Speaker, Neville Hurst, who is the First Assistant Secretary of the Department of Science and Technology in Canberra, will address the meeting to briefly explain the Strategy.

Further information may be obtained by contacting the Centre on 270639 or ext. 3639.

Concerts, Exhibitions and Entertainment

WEDNESDAY GALLERY

4/328 Crown Street, Wollongong.

Paintings, pots and paraphernalia.

Open Wednesdays only 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Enquiries to Bev - Phone 28.3863.

Eric Minchin's Paintings - 10 and 20 June.

WOLLONGONG ARTS DIARY

JUNE

Sat. 23rd - 8.00 p.m. - Port Kembla Leagues Club
"Tommy" (Last Evening Performance)

Sun. 24th - 5.30 p.m. - Port Kembla Leagues Club
"Tommy" (Last Performance)

Sun. 24th - 2.00 p.m. - Wollongong High School
Suzuki Annual Concert

Sun. 24th - 2.30 p.m. - Wollongong Town Hall
Free Sunday Afternoon Concert

Sun. 24th - 9.30 - 4 p.m. - University, Building 14
Wollongong Arts Council Festival of Ceramic Films

Sat. 30th - 8.00 p.m. - Wollongong Town Hall
Festival of Choirs - "The Creation" by Haydn

AN EVENING OF POETRY READING BY DANTE MEMBERS

Hosted by Vincent and Madeleine Cincotta at 19 Oleander Avenue, Figtree.

Saturday, July 14 at 8.00 p.m.

Any Dante member who would like to read and interpret an Italian poetry selection - be it past or present - is invited to come along to this Dante first and join the fun.

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Prof. Alfredo Luzi from the University of Urbino will give a seminar on "Italo-Australian Writers" on Tuesday, 17th July, from 10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m. in the Department of European Languages' Seminar Room.

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Prof. Alfredo Luzi from the University of Urbino will give a seminar on "Letteratura Italiana Contemporanea" on Wednesday, 18th July at the University of Wollongong, from 8.00 p.m. in Room 2106-2107.
BACHS PRELUDES AND FUGUES

The remaining numbers in the series of forty eight preludes and fugues will be performed at 2.30pm in the Conservatorium, Gleniffer Brae, on the following dates:

July 8, 29  
September 9, 23

Tickets $5.00, concession $3.00 from the Conservatorium of Music 28.1122.

THEATRE SOUTH PRESENTS TOMMY LIVE


Tickets will be selling for $20.00 and can be booked by Thursday, 21st June @ $4.

To book by mail write to Theatre South Party Bookings P.O. Box 1144, Wollongong, 2500, tel. (02) 270705.

DANTE ALIGHIERI SOCIETY DINNER

Saturday, 7 July - 7.30 p.m. at the International Centre.

Sixth Annual Italian Regional Dinner - La Campania - with a special entertainment treat: a Neapolitan intermezzo by the Cabonari Della Commedia, Incontro Con Eduardo De Filippo con la commedia "Pericoiosamente"

This year's dinner will feature a Neapolitan seafood menu.

As in the past, tickets will be selling for $20.00 and can be had from any committee member. This year we would like to see at least 200 guests at the dinner since it is being organized by a full team of professional "Neapolitan" chefs.

Enquiries: (042) 270635 or 270676.

FESTIVAL OF CERAMIC FILMS

Sunday, 24th June 1984 - 9.30 a.m. (Approx. finishing time 4.00 p.m.).

University of Wollongong Main Lecture Theatre (Building 14).

(Enter University Gate 2, Northfields Avenue, Gwynneville). (The Main Lecture Theatre is 100m north of the Union Building).

Films include: Potters of Hebron; Mideast: Arts, Crafts and Architecture; Potters of Japan - Part 1; Potters of Japan - Part 2; A Potter's World; A Busy Sort of Bloke.

Admission @ $3; Arts Council members, Ceramics Society members, Concession @ $2. Lunch (must be booked by Thursday, 21st June @ $4).

Please make cheque payable to "Wollongong Arts Council". Please enclose a stamped self-addressed envelope for return of tickets if applying by post.

THE Q THEATRE PRODUCTION OF A HARD GOD


Rich, warm, comic, big hearted - A story that will make you laugh and cry. A good yarn about the struggles of an Irish-Australian family living in Sydney's western suburbs who still bear the scars of the depression and accept their misfortune as the will of God.

A 1984 Higher School Certificate play. Starring Ben Gabriel, Philippe Baker (of No. 96), David Ives, Grant Smith and Leila Blake. The two young boys are played by Bret Climo and Michael Green. Directed by Terry Brady. Designed by Arthur Dicks (guest lecturer at the University's School of Creative Arts).

Tickets from Wollongong University Union or Wollongong Town Hall. Adults $10.80; W.A.C. Members $9.80; Concessions $6.30; Party bookings (minimum 20) $8.50 and $4.50.

Priority bookings for Arts Council Members until June 22 at University Union or send to Priority Bookings, University Union, P.O. Box 1144, Wollongong. (Enclose self-addressed envelope please).

WOLLONGONG ARTS COUNCIL (WAC)

WAC has provided the following news about its current projects:

* Wollongong Arts Diary - a service to the community funded by W.A.C.

* Art Competition - National Aboriginal Week - W.A.C. has donated book prizes and merit cards for this competition open to all schools in the Illawarra area. The competition is run by the Illawarra Aboriginal Corporation with Department of Education support.

* Arts Development Officer - W.A.C. has received C.E.P. (Community Employment Programme) funding for six months. The Officer will be located at the School of Creative Arts which has generously given support for the scheme. The Officer will build up W.A.C. files on the Illawarra arts as a resource for the community apart from helping co-ordinate W.A.C. activities.

* Music Grant Application - W.A.C. has applied to the Premier’s Department for funding for two contemporary music concerts and two ethnic music concerts.

* Aboriginal Islander Dance Company - Negotiations are under way for a performance of this brilliant company which has produced such outstanding performers as Kim Walker of the Sydney Dance Company and Richard Talonga of One Extra Dance Company.

ILLAWARRA PLAYWRIGHTS ASSOCIATION

Auditions for the evening of locally-written short plays to be produced by Illawarra Playwrights Association over September will be held on Sunday, July 15, 2 p.m. and Tuesday, July 17, 7 p.m. at Workshop Theatre, Gwynneville. Submissions of manuscripts to “Local Playwrights, P.O. Box 1, Wollongong East, 2500” close on July 6. Perusal of submitted manuscripts by interested actors, directors and technicians may be arranged by ringing 297307 Monday - Friday 8 - 10 a.m. General enquiries: Phone 281067.
ENTR’ACTE — AUSTRALIA’S THEATRE OF MIME AND MOVEMENT

ENTR’ACTE has combined Bauhaus design principles with the movement theatre of corporeal mime in a sequence of pieces entitled “Refractions”. An outstanding success among New Form in 1983 it comes to Wollongong after season in Adelaide, Perth, Sydney and Newcastle and will visit Canberra and Melbourne in July.

“An immaculate display ... magically mind-expanding” Brian Hood, The Bulletin

“A profusion of ideas in design and movement ... absorbing and stimulating” Jill Sykes, Sydney Morning Herald

“This small company is very special ... they celebrate the human spirit through exploration of the human form ... amongst the most absorbing performance events of the year” Jim Waites, National Times

“Thoroughly satisfying ... witty ... a new way of seeing and listening to movement” Terry Owen, The West Australian

To encourage community involvement in this unique company, workshops, master classes and lecture demonstrations will be conducted by Artistic Directors, Pierre Thibaudeau and Elisabeth Burke. These will be of interest not only to actors, dancers and models but architecture, art and design students.

Venue: Refractions will be presented on Thursday 12th, Friday 13th and Saturday 14th July at the Union Hall. Bookings are at Wilson Record Bard on 291470 and the Union Office on 297833.

Presented by the Australian Elizabethan Theatre Trust which gratefully acknowledges the financial assistance of the Theatre Board and the Touring and Access Fund of the Australian Council, a statutory body of the Commonwealth Government.

Job Vacancies

Details of the following positions are displayed on the Campus News Notice Board situated in the Administration Annexe.

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TO RENT

2 bedroom cottage set in large rambling garden at Wombarra.
Furnished and with piano. 2 minutes walk from transport, shops and beach.
Rent $100 per week with 6 month lease in the first instance.
Contact: (02) 6622108 or message on 6622173.

FLATS TO LET

West Wollongong - 3 bedroom flat in block of four. About 2.5 km. from University. Tel. 281784 evenings.

West Wollongong - 1 bedroom flat in block of four. About 2.5 km. from University. Tel. 281784 evenings.

FOR SALE

VW Beetle 1973 - good mechanical condition, bodywork fair. $800 o.n.o. Ph. (046) 259878 (Davis) or contact S. Rice 287761.
CARAVAN FOR RENT
1 x 4 berth caravan available during the winter for eager but penniless skiers. Van has 2 double berths, all gas power, situated at Berridale. Cost $7.00 a night per person. Ring 287761 if interested, for further details.

APPLE COMPUTERS
The University has entered into an agreement with Apple Computer Australia Pty. Ltd. to afford students and staff the opportunity to purchase their own microcomputer system at a discounted price.

Examples are:
1. Apple Macintosh with printer $2399.00
2. Apple Lisa 2/10 $4,385.00

Terms of sale are cash or bank cheque, payable to the cashier, Finance Office, who will issue a receipt enabling the buyer to pick up their system. Both students and staff will be required to complete a "conditions of purchase" agreement, which acts as a tax exemption and warranty certificate.

The Computing Science Department will provide warranty servicing for the first 90 days and fee-based servicing thereafter.

Delivery is unfortunately about 2 months, and, in order to establish a quantity for the initial order, students and staff are asked to advise the Supply Officer, in writing by Friday, 29th June, 1985, of their intention to purchase (no obligation), giving full details of the system required.

UNIVERSITY CATHOLIC SOCIETY
The Catholic Society holds Mass at 12.40 p.m. each Thursday during term time in the Union Common Room or the Northern Lounge where appropriate. Fr. Clem Hill, Catholic Chaplain, tel. 284941.

CAR FOR SALE
Corona Station Wagon, 1977. $3,400 o.n.o. Phone: 270727 or 286475 a.h.

HOUSE TO RENT
Family home, Balgownie, 5 bedrooms, at bus stop, handy local shops. Period 22 July to early December (could possibly be extended), $120 per week. Contact D. Dillon-Smith, General Studies, ext. 3709, home 831880.

MUST SELL
Sanyo vacuum cleaner; 2-door 3-drawer pine wardrobe; pine sidetable (4 drawers); plus assorted household items.

Owner going overseas - Phone 287627 or Michael Wagner ext. 3810.

FOR SALE

TYPEWRITER FOR SALE
Automatic self-correcting Olympia with 2½ doz. ribbons and lift off tapes. Two golf balls $450 o.n.o. Ring (046) 771674 or (042) 270562.

UNIT TO RENT
West Wollongong. Two bedroom unit in block of two only with garden. Rent $60 p.w. Ph. 281784 evenings.

WANTED TO RENT
Furnished accommodation required (two bedrooms) for visiting overseas lecturer for the period from beginning of July until the end of October. Please phone 270065.

DID YOU KNOW that the University needs the support of its graduates and that this can be delivered through the Graduates Committee of the Friends of the University?

Membership of the Graduates Committee is open to all members of Convocation for $10.00 p.a. or $40 for Life Membership.

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I'm not an elitist. I just believe small is beautiful.

Sometimes it's hard to remember I'm no longer working on a commission.

Sometimes I turn my back on the world — and scare the hell out of my secretary.

A worm's-eye view of academe.

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