

STUDENTS FIND SUMMER JOBS SCARCE

THE PROBLEM ...

☐ Student jobs will again be at a premium this summer according to the Lakehead University Placement Office.

But things appear to be "looking up" after reaching a record low last year. An estimated 60% of the students looking for work last summer went without jobs. This year the figure is expected to be 35-40% according to placement officials.

The problem is not an easy one. To begin with, the student population is growing at a much faster rate than job opportunities. Also there are a limited number of unskilled factory jobs in the Lakehead and other large population centres are too far away for any mobility. Job opportunities, to a great extent, depend on the shipping season. If it is good, more temporary employment is needed.

Wages for students average from \$1.50 to \$3.00 per hour. Students enrolled in forestry, biology, geology and engineering technology have had the least difficulty finding employment while arts students are the hardest to place.

...AND ONE SOLUTION

☐ No job?

Organize your own company!

At least that's what 30-40 young Lakehead University students have done to guarantee summer employment this year.

Under the leadership of third year science student Russel Kwailkowski, the Tree Planters Union was organized this spring to bid on tree-planting contracts. Many of the students were hired by the Dept. of Lands and Forests last year for the reforestation program. They decided to opt for free enterprise this year, bidding against other private companies on the tree planting contracts given out each year by private companies and the Dept. of Lands and Forests.

Last year approximately 7,000,000 trees were planted in Northwestern Ontario. This year it is estimated that 10,000,000 will be planted. The students are paid on a commission basis earning \$18-\$20 per 1,000 trees.

MONDAY, April 21

7 p.m. Cambrian Players Rehearsal Auditorium

TUESDAY, April 22

7 p.m. Cambrian Players Rehearsal Auditorium

WEDNESDAY, April 23

11 a.m. Committee on Registration and Councillor Meeting Room 020

8 p.m. Confederation College Arts Society Underground film — "Chelsea Girls" by Andy Warhol Auditorium

8:30 p.m. Lakehead University Women's Association Meeting Speaker: Mayor Saul Laskin. Topic: Amalgamation Faculty Lounge

THURSDAY, April 24

7 p.m. Cambrian Players Rehearsal Auditorium

FRIDAY, April 25

9 p.m. Lakehead Society of Fine Arts Ball "Beaux Arts Ball" Great Hall

SATURDAY, April 26

9 a.m. Cambrian Players Greenroom Productions Auditorium

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HOUSE WANTED

☐ House to buy or rent for at least one year. Occupancy needed by mid-June. Arriving mathematics faculty member with four small children. Four bedrooms needed. Please contact C. F. Kent, Department of Mathematics, Extension 224.

intimacy

☐ Maestro Boris Brott will conduct a full chamber orchestra in the final Intimacy Concert of the season on Tuesday, May 6.

Entitled "An Evening in Italy" the concert will feature the combined talents of the Princeton String Quartet, the St. Paul Woodwind Quintet, contrabass Susan Matthews of St. Paul, Minn. and musicians from the Lakehead Symphony Orchestra. The program will feature the works of Corelli, Schubert, Hindemith and Bartok.

Italian wines, breads and cheeses will be available to the concert goers during the evening. Tickets are available at all Crooks Pharmacies, Eatons and the university switchboard.

The Intimacy Concert Series was co-organized by the university's Music Department and the newly formed "Youth for Music" organization, a group of young adults whose main aim is to stimulate interest in music in the Lakehead community.



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FASTBALL TEAMS

☐ Two teams from Lakehead University will be competing in Lakehead fastball leagues this summer. Coach Henry Akervall for the third consecutive year will lead the university entry in the Fort William commercial league. Play starts on May 24th weekend.

Women's Athletic Director, Kathy Kangas is presently organizing a girls' fastball team which will play in the senior Women's League in Port Arthur this summer.

THE CRUNCH!



SUMMER SCHOOL CALENDAR READY

☐ The 1969 Lakehead University Summer School Calendar, complete with an attractive new format, is now available at the registrar's office.

Director of Summer School, Ken Morrison expects an enrollment of more than 800 students in the 57 courses this summer. Last year's enrollment was 725 students in 45 courses. This year's summer school faculty will be increased from 50 to 62 including 7 visiting professors.

Off-campus summer school courses will be held for the first time: two in Kenora, one in Dryden and two Spanish courses in Saltillo, Mexico. Applications are still open for the Spanish courses. Also for the first time, three evening courses and two non-credit courses are included in the program.

A Nursery School will be in operation at Confederation College for the children of students and academic and administrative staff.

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FACULTY APPOINTMENTS-'69-70

English

Mr. Eugene Bodzin, B.A. (Wayne State), M.A. (Wisconsin) Assistant Professor of English

Economics

Dr. Fu-Sen Chen, B.A. (Nanking), M.Sc., Ph.D. (London) Associate Professor of Economics

Engineering

Dr. W. Kochli, Ph.D. (Switzerland) Assistant Professor of Electrical Engineering

Mr. Edward Mazurkewich, Technician in the School of Engineering

Languages

Mr. Luis Alfonso Diez, B.A. (London) (in final year of Ph.D.) Assistant Professor in the Department of Languages

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MATH BROCHURE AVAILABLE

The Dept. of Mathematics has just completed a new undergraduate brochure. It is available from the mathematics secretary.

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CONVOCATION SPEAKER

☐ Dr. John B. MacDonald, Executive Vice Chairman of the Committee of Presidents will speak at Convocation Exercises at Lakehead University on May 31.

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IBM FELLOWSHIP

☐ The International Business Machines Company offers as part of its University Fellowship Program, a Fellowship to support research and development studies in the application of digital computers. The Fellowship has a value of \$2,000. Information concerning this Fellowship is available from the Director of the Computer Centre. Applications should be filed with the President's Office by Friday, May 9th, 1969.

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