

THE DISPATCH

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ANNUAL PUBLIC FUNDING DRIVE

CKDU-FM launches its second annual public funding drive; it will run from Feb. 27 to March 8. This year's goal of \$20,000 is twice that of last year. This funding will improve the station's service to the community.

CKDU-FM, broadcasting on 97.5 to the Halifax-Dartmouth area, is a non-profit community organization operated by 10 part- and full-time staff and more than 100 volunteers.

Funding comes from three main sources: students from Dalhousie, government funding, and sponsorships. "The money obtained from the fundraising drive amounts to about 15 per cent of the total funding for the station," said Mark MacLeod, station manager.

Active community support is the key element of this over-the-air funding drive. Listeners will be asked to dial and donate by calling 424-8812 during the 10-day drive.

CKDU-FM relies on the direct support of its listeners. "We call upon our audience, who benefit from our unique programming, to match the volunteer effort here at CKDU-FM, by financially supporting the station," said MacLeod.

Last year's successful campaign raised \$15,115, which was 50 per cent higher than their \$10,000 goal. CKDU-FM became more financially secure and according to MacLeod, "Listenership is up and programming has improved."

MacLeod approaches this year's drive with enthusiasm. "As the station grows, it will be able to better serve the community. Another successful funding drive will allow us to provide regular program guide and we'll push for our main goal — to increase broadcast power."

CKDU-FM creates a unique blend of music and public affairs programmes. "Our listeners tell us they really enjoy what we are doing. Their encouragement and financial support make all our efforts seem worthwhile," said MacLeod.

"Through generous contributions from our community, CKDU-FM will continue to provide the diverse programming that has established us as a popular alternative to commercial and public radio in Halifax-Dartmouth," he said.

CKDU-FM launches its second annual fundraising drive. Running from Feb. 27 to Mar. 8, the station hopes to raise \$20,000. The telephone number to dial and donate during the fundraising drive is 424-8812. CKDU-FM is a non-profit community radio station serving the Halifax-Dartmouth area.

FEB. 27 to MAR 8

GOAL 20,000

AT THE COHN...

JUST FOR KIDS PRESENTS PETER AND THE WOLF

Using animated puppets, synthesized music and animals on wheels, Nova Scotia's Mermaid Theatre will perform their wonderful production of **Peter and the Wolf** on Sunday, March 1 at 2:00 pm as part of the Just For Kids series.

Based on the Russian folktale, with music adapted from Prokofiev's score, Mermaid Theatre provides an hour filled with all of the magic that turns this tale into an afternoon's delight.

So who's afraid of the big bad wolf? Well, just about everyone in the audience will be as the sharp-toothed monster threatens Peter and his animal friends. But don't worry, the happy ending will have you leaving with a wonderful smile.

In this production of **Peter and the Wolf** the "hi-tech" Wolf, the use of the synthesizer, and the incorporation of gymnastics serve to stimulate older children. The younger members of the audience warm quickly to the delightful folk-like masks and animal puppets.

Peter and the Wolf provides an excellent showcase for Mermaid's versatile cast — Robert Dodds, Rod Glanville, and Bruce Pitkin. They're joined by musician Don McManus. The show is directed by Graham Whitehead. The score was prepared by Steven Naylor.



Mermaid Theatre has become an international leader in children's entertainment. Their commitment to the highest standards of quality have provided them with success in such places as the Smithsonian Institution, Kennedy Centre, London's Royal Theatre Court, and New York's Brooklyn Academy of Music. The Cohn is pleased to be on this list of presenters of the Mermaid Theatre.

Tickets for **Peter and the Wolf** are \$5.00 and are available at the Cohn box office. For more information, call 424-2646.

University Mass —

The Dalhousie Catholic Community celebrates Sunday Mass 7:00 pm in the Macmechan Room, (Ground Floor) of the Killam Library. All are Welcome.

Weekday Masses are celebrated in Room 314 of the SUB at 12:35 pm. All are Welcome.

WHAT'S NEW WITH THE D.S.U.?

— The DSU chair has resigned because he is moving to the big TO.

— Student Leadership Awards are being presented by the Alumni Office on University Night. For more information contact the Alumni Office.

— Ed Asner will be lecturing in the Sub sometime after the February break. Stay tuned for more information.

— Course Evaluation is finished and will soon be available in the Department Offices. They can't leave the Department but they are available for students' use. They will give you a good idea of how students perceive the courses.

CMS

What's going on?

Tuesday, Feb. 17 — Women's and Men's Basketball — SMU at Dal.

Thursday, Feb. 19 — Women's Volleyball — Exhibition.

Friday, Feb. 20 — Hockey — St. F.X. at Dal; **DSU Nominations close.**

Saturday, Feb. 21 — Men's Basketball — Acadia at Dal; Caribbean Dinner and Dance.

Monday, Feb. 23-27 — No School — Have a nice "Study" Break

UNIVERSITY NIGHT AWARDS

Awards will be given in the following categories on University Night:

1. Student Union Participation
2. Unsung Hero
3. Society Leadership
4. Society Award
5. Award of Special Recognition
6. Sub. Staff Awards
7. Grawood Staff Awards

Please pick up nomination forms in Room 222 of the SUB. The deadline for nominations is Feb. 20, 1987.

THEME FOR UNIVERSITY NIGHT



► PUBLIC — — SERVICE — — ANNOUNCEMENT —

The Alumni Association invites your society to nominate a senior student who exemplifies outstanding leadership qualities and who has made an overall contribution to the quality of student life.

Please return these nominations along with your reasons for the choice to the Alumni Office, 6250 South Street, by Friday, February 20, 1987.

A selection committee composed of alumni, staff, and students will review the nominations.

The award will be presented at the Student Union Leadership Banquet on March 13, 1987.

We appreciate your interest.

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Volunteering can be an incredibly rewarding use of time, particularly for a university student. And there are so many unmet needs in the community which require volunteers. Volunteering can be anything from tutoring to counselling, from painting to office work. If you are interested in volunteering, and whether you have a particular interest or not, the Dalhousie Student Union can help match your talents with a community need. For more information, come to Room 212 of the SUB and ask for Barney Savage, Community Affairs Coordinator. Or go into the Dalhousie Student Union offices and ask for a volunteer form.

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