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402 Sqn 70th Anniversary Reunion



402 Sqn Pipes & Drums Band leads the parade down Main Street

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Retired members of 402 Squadron continue to stand on guard at a ceremony at City Hall before making the "Freedom of the City" march to Portage and Main.



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Well it's that time of year again OCTOBER 31, and it is a time for trick or treating, candy and goblins.

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PARENTS:



- Supervise children under age 12.
- Educate children on proper Halloween and traffic safety.
- Ensure children do not eat treats until they are inspected.
- Only trick or treat in familiar, well lit routes.
- Ensure children eat an early meal prior to trick or treating.
- Establish a return time, and stress importance of maintaining this time.
- Report any suspicious activity or persons to the Military Police, 833-2633.



COSTUMES:



- Ensure they are made of fire retardant material.
- Costumes should not be too long so as to cause falls.
- Warm clothing should be worn underneath.
- Reflective tape, Glow sticks and or flashlights should be used to help your child be seen.
- If wearing a mask, ensure there is adequate eye space so the child can see.
- Makeup would be preferred.



ON THE WAY:



- Walk on sidewalks to avoid vehicle traffic.
- If children are not with an adult, ensure they travel as a group.
- Never enter a home/apartment without adult supervision.
- Walk, do not run.
- Place your child's name and address on a piece of paper and place it in their pocket in case they get separated from their group.

These are the major points of interest that as parents you should be aware of. If these reminders are followed then everyone will be able to enjoy Halloween.

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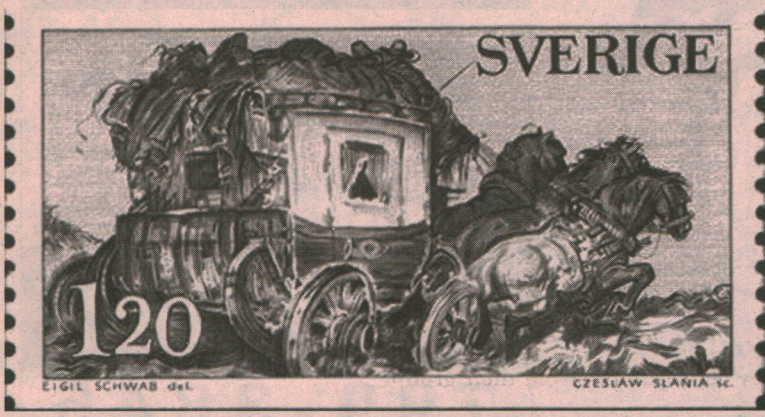
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A Rare Opportunity

by Alf Brooks

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EMPLOYMENT EQUITY NEWS

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DAAG
Defence Aboriginal Advisory Group

The mission of 17 Wing's Defence Aboriginal Advisory Group (DAAG) is to provide support and promote Aboriginal issues with 17 Wing and Community and to advise the Wing Commander. 17 Wing DAAG Chair - Sgt Vince Henderson Co-chairs - Brenda Everett & Cpl Corena Latendra.

8 Nov 2002
Aboriginal Veterans Day



DWAO
Defence Women's Advisory Organization

The mission of a Defence Women's Advisory Organization (DWAO) is to identify workforce concerns affecting women and advise on how to resolve them.

October 2002
Women's History Month in Canada

18 October 2002
Persons Day

6 December 2002
National Day of Remembrance and Action on Violence against Women



DAG PWD
Defence Advisory Group Persons with Disabilities

The purpose of a DAG PWD is to exchange information on issues affecting persons with disabilities within the department, maintains networks with the other departmental Advisory Groups, links with other Federal government Advisory Groups and external agencies.

3 December 2002
International Day of Disabled Persons



DVMAG
Defence Visible Minority Advisory Group

The purpose of a DVMAG is to exchange information on issues affecting the Visible Minority Persons within the department, maintains networks with the other departmental Advisory Groups, links with other Federal government Advisory Groups and external agencies.

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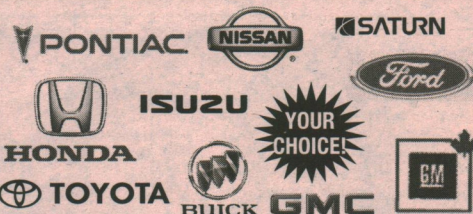
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It's all part of the Mystery in the Library fundraiser that will be held at the Junior Ranks Mess on the evening of Saturday, October 26. Starting at 6:30 P.M., the event is a dinner theatre extravaganza, featuring traditional English food and dramatic performance. The bill of fare for the evening is a delicious menu of roast beef and Yorkshire pudding, mashed pota-

toes, carrots and peas, with a rice pudding and cheesecake dessert. Tea and coffee will also be served.

The drama is a 'whodunnit' that will showcase the theatrical talents of nine actors from around the base, both civilians and military personnel. Although the mystery will play out with the actors, the dinner will be an interactive event. The players will move throughout the crowd and converse with audience members, who can ask questions and try to help solve the mystery. Be careful, though! Some of the players have 'character traits' that tend towards the mischievous.

Tickets are \$30.00 for individuals or \$220.00 to reserve a table for eight. Tickets can be purchased from the Library and the Recreation Office. The dress code for the event is black and white. All proceeds from the event will benefit the Library.

For more information, please call (204) 833-2500 ext. 2490.

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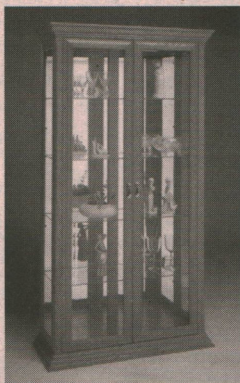
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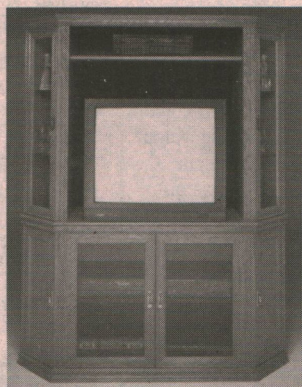
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Reunion Heritage Day Celebrates History of 402 Squadron

By David Lavallee



Past and present members of 402 "City of Winnipeg" Squadron pose in front of a CT-142 Dash-8 aircraft.



A 1941 Chevrolet staff car, on display at the Heritage Day.



The proud crest of 402 Squadron.



The de Havilland Tiger Moth, a retired aircraft from 402's history.

As part of 402 Squadron's 70th Anniversary, a "Heritage Day" was held at Hangar 16 on Saturday, October 5. The Heritage Day featured a variety of exhibits and aircraft of the squadron, from the early days up to the present. Current and retired members and guests mingled to share in the proud history of 402 Squadron.

A distinguished array of aircraft from 402 Squadron's history was on display, including a Beechcraft Expeditor, a de Havilland Tiger Moth, a Canadair Silver Star, and a CT-142 Dash-8. Also on display were a variety of aircraft engines and a staff car from the Second World War. One impressive item on display was the 402 Squadron history book, which was assembled by the 402 Squadron Association for the reunion. The book included history and photographs from squadron's past, and drew the interest of young and old alike.

There was also a lecture given by Arthur Bernard on the Spitfire, one of the fighter craft employed by the squadron during the Second World War. Tours were conducted throughout the afternoon, and entertainment came in the form of performances by the 402 Squadron Pipes and Drums Band and Highland Dancers.

At the heart of the entire event was the reuniting of friends and comrades. Many of the attendees travelled great

distances to take part in the event, see old friends, and celebrate the proud heritage of 402 Squadron.

"It's the people that make the reunions great," said LCol Bob Patrick, who first started with 402 Squadron as a pilot in 1956. "We have people here from all across Canada who have made it out for this." LCol Patrick served with 402 for two years as a reservist before joining the regular force. He returned to 402 Squadron in 1988, served as Commanding Officer until 1992, and is now a member of the 402 Squadron Association. "What made 402 Squadron great was the fact that it integrated both Regular and Reserve forces into a good working unit," said LCol Patrick. "We did very well."

Other events of the reunion included a "Meet and Greet" at the Radisson Suite Hotel Winnipeg Airport on Friday, October 4. After Heritage Day, a reunion dinner was held, during which two awards were presented for outstanding trade skills, leadership, deportment, and dress – the Jack Reeve Memorial award to Cpl Josephine Callis (Reserve force) and the Vernon Bastable Memorial award to MCpl Sven Olof Fritsch, CD (Regular force). The reunion wrapped up on Sunday, October 6, with a farewell brunch, after which the members of 402 Squadron bid farewell to one another until the 75th reunion in 2007.



A Beechcraft Expeditor on display.



The CT-142 Dash-8, sporting its unique paint job.

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402 Squadron "Freedom of the City" Parade

By David Lavallee



After making the brisk march from City Hall to Portage and Main, members of 402 Squadron take part in a brief ceremony to honour their history.



Sharply dressed airmen stand at attention during the ceremony at City Hall.



City Councillor and Deputy Mayor Gord Steeves conducts a review of the troops.

The cold weather could not stop the 402 "City of Winnipeg" Squadron from proudly carrying out their Freedom of the City parade at City Hall on Saturday, October 5. As part of their 70th Anniversary reunion, members of the Squadron, both old and new, turned out to make the march from City Hall to Portage and Main.

Current and retired squadron members alike were on hand for the drill ceremony at City Hall, which included some remarks from City Councillor and Deputy Mayor Gord Steeves. "The history of the city of Winnipeg and 402 Squadron are deeply intertwined," said Councillor Steeves. "The names of many of Winnipeg's sons and daughters can be found on 402 Squadron's honour roll." Councillor Steeves also conducted

a brief review of the troops.

After the ceremony, the squadron was given leave to exercise its right to "Freedom of the City" and march to Portage and Main. "Freedom of the City" is an honour dating back to the medieval era, when a city would allow the army (which usually remained outside the walls) to move freely through the city with their arms. While many units are granted this privilege today, it is still considered an honour.

Led by the 402 Squadron Pipes and Drums Band, the squadron members made the brisk march to Portage and Main, with the veteran and retired members occupying the honoured rearguard position. At the famous intersection, the acting squadron chaplain conducted a ceremony in honour of 402 Squadron and its history - after the end of the

Second World War, a celebration was held at Portage and Main for Winnipeg's returning troops, which included 402 Squadron.

402 Squadron was formed in Winnipeg in 1932. During the Second World War, the squadron saw action in the defence of Britain and in support of offensive missions, such as providing air support for the Dieppe raid and the invasion of Normandy. All told, 402 Squadron received eight Battle Honours. After the war, the squadron took on a number of duties such as training, search and rescue, transport, support for other units, and much more. The commitment, dedication and hard work of 402 Squadron over the past 70 years has been exemplary, both in war and peace, and has been asset to both the Canadian Forces and the City of Winnipeg.



The squadron's colours are marched past during the ceremony.

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By Captain
Dave Fouts,
UIC, 3CFFTS
Southport

On 13 September 2002, the three remaining students from the Advanced Flying Training-Rotary Wing course received their Canadian Forces pilot wings from Col Doug McLennan, WComd of 17 Wing Winnipeg. The occasion was marked with a Wings Presentation ceremony and reception in the Combined Mess of 3 Canadian Forces Flying Training School at Southport, where families and friends gathered to celebrate.

On 16 August 2002, three students from the Advanced Flying Training-Rotary Wing course and six students from the Advanced Flying Training-Multi-Engine course received their Canadian Forces pilot wings from BGen Angus Watt, A3 Operations from 1 CAD. The occasion was marked with a Wings Presentation Parade and formal dinner in the Combined Mess of 3 Canadian Forces Flying Training School at Southport, where families and friends gathered to celebrate.

Of interest, Maj Max Vilhelmson of the Danish Air Force presented Danish Air Force Wings to his countryman, Lt Rasmus Pedersen. Lt (Retd) Gordon Willden presented wings to his son-in-law, Capt Gary Wiebe and Maj (Retd) Harris Sugimoto presented wings to his son,

OFF AND FLYING

Photo credits: Cpl Bradley

The second group of graduates of course 0202 are as follows (standing, back row, left to right): Capt Louis Desrochers is posted to 444 Sqn in Goose Bay, Nfld and Labrador, to fly the Griffon helicopter, Capt Rock Bernard is posted to 430 Sqn in Valcartier PQ to fly the Griffon helicopter, and Capt Ian Robert is posted to 430 Sqn in Valcartier to fly the Griffon helicopter. (Seated front row, left to right): LCol Steve Bannister, Comdt 3 CFFTS, Col Doug McLennan, WComd 17 Wing Winnipeg, and Col Wishart, HCol 3 CFFTS. Congratulations to all the Wings Graduates of Course 0202 from the staff of 3CFFTS, Southport.

Capt Jeremy Sugimoto. Mr. Gerry Russell of the Wartime Pilots and Observers Association presented the Gos Goulding award for the top rotary wing student to Capt James Loose. HCol Wishart presented the award named in his honor to the best multi-engine student: Capt Mike McSween. Finally, Capts Aaron Twa and Kathy Ashton received their CDs from the Reviewing Officer.

Congratulations to all the Wings Graduates of Course 0202 from the staff of 3 CFFTS, Southport.



The graduates of course 0202 are as follows (standing, back row, left to right): Capt Andie Gallagher is posted to 408 Sqn in Edmonton AB to fly the Griffon helicopter, Capt Gary Wiebe is posted to 405 Sqn in Greenwood NS to fly the Aurora aircraft, Capt Mike McSween is posted to 415 Sqn in Greenwood NS to fly the Aurora aircraft, Lt Rasmus Pedersen is returning to Denmark to fly the Challenger aircraft, Capt Mike Hickman is posted to 442 Sqn in Comox BC to fly the Buffalo aircraft, Capt Jamie Loose is posted to 444 Sqn in Goose Bay, Nfld and Labrador to fly the Griffon helicopter, Lt Kelly Chan is returning to Singapore to fly the Hercules aircraft, Capt Jeremy Sugimoto is posted to 443 Sqn in Victoria BC to fly the Sea King helicopter, and Lt Joe Zhang is returning to Singapore to fly the Hercules aircraft. (Seated front row, left to right): Col Ben van Ruiten, HCol of 17 Wing Wpg, Col Doug McLennan, WComd 17 Wing Wpg, BGen Angus Watt, A3 Ops 1 CAD, LCol Steve Bannister, Comdt 3 CFFTS, and Col Wishart, HCol 3 CFFTS.



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Winnipeg MFRC Board of Directors

What is the Board of Directors?

The Winnipeg MFRC is governed by a Board of Directors, comprised of a minimum of 51% spouses of military members, which work as trustees on behalf of the community. Board members are voted in at the Annual General Meeting, which is usually held in early June. The Board may appoint interim Board members to fill vacancies to complete the current term. The Winnipeg Board of Directors operates with both Standing Committees and Ad Hoc Committees. Standing Committees include the Executive Committee (Chairperson, Past Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, MFRC Executive Director, Treasurer and Secretary.), Board Development Committee (responsible for Board membership), and Fund Raising Committee. Ad Hoc committees are committees stood up to deal with short-term issues.

The Winnipeg MFRC is a not-for-profit registered charitable organization that works in equal partnership with the Military Family Support Program (Directorate of Military Family Support) and 17 Wing Winnipeg.

The responsibilities of the Board are:

- * Develop policies and administrative orders for the MFRC;
- * Develop Vision Statement;
- * Review the Annual Business Plan;
- * Approve the Annual Budget;
- * Review the Financial posture of the Centre monthly;
- * Identify the community needs (Needs Assessment);
- * Evaluation of implemented Programs and services;
- * Public Relations in collaboration with the Information & Referral Coordinator;
- * Fundraising;
- * Conduct an Annual General Meeting; and
- * Attend monthly meetings, and special events.

How can I become a Board Member?

The Board of Directors Board Development Committee has established a policy that outlines the process a potential Board member must complete before being considered for acceptance to the Board. The process is as follows:

* Complete a Volunteer Profile Registration form and submit to the Coordinator of Volunteer Services. The candidate must consent to having a Criminal Reference Check and Child Abuse Registry Check and signing an Oath of Confidentiality;

- * Attend a Board Orientation Session;
- * Attend a monthly Board meeting as an observer; and
- * Be interviewed by the Board Development Committee.

The Board of Directors is always in search of new members to bring fresh ideas and talents. If you think you might be interested in serving as a Board member; and if you are prepared to donate approx 4 hours a month give us a call at 833-2500 ext 4507 and speak with the Coordinator of Volunteer Services.

Winnipeg MFRC Board of Directors 2002-2003

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Thank you to all our Volunteer Board Members. Your Dedication and Support has contributed greatly to the Winnipeg MFRC and 17 Wing Military Community!



**MFRC
Volunteer
of the
Month
October 2002
Jodi Chappel**

Jodi has been an active volunteer with the MFRC for well over 7 years. Jodi has volunteered at various special events, our Annual Women's Conference, our Warm Line program and for the past few years in our Newcomer Department.

Jodi's support and dedication to the Military Family Support Program and the 17 Wing military community has contributed greatly to the success of the Winnipeg MFRC's Programs and Services. We are so lucky to have Jodi as a member of our team!
Thank you Jodi!!

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For more information contact Kim at 895-1619

Parents' Network - Special Needs Service

If you or a member of your family has special needs, why not drop in to our evening meetings. We'll provide the coffee, snacks and speakers on various topics of interest - YOU supply the conversation.

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extension 5272

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Office 833-2500
extension 5417

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Carol Cochrane
Office 833-2500
extension 5087

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Sun

English language

1130 hrs

French language

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Religious Education

Religious Education classes are available to all students from Preschool to Grade 6. Please call the office for information on registration.

Confessions

The sacrament of reconciliation is offered by appointment. Contact the chaplain's office.

Baptisms

We recommend that you contact the chaplain's office for an appointment prior to the birth of your child.

Weddings -Marriages

Contact the chaplain at least six months in advance. A marriage-preparation course is a requirement.

Catholic Women's League

Meets the third Tue of the month at 1900 hrs in the Chapel Annex.

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Office 833-2500 ext 5349

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(Evangelical Lutheran)
Office-833-2500 ext 5785

Padre Brad Busch
(Evangelical Lutheran)

Office 833-2500 ext 6022

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Office 833-2500 ext. 5087

Sunday Services

English Only 0930 hrs

Sunday School

Sunday School is held during the service for children ages 3 to 12, except on the last Sunday of each month. Childcare is provided on an as- required basis for children under 3 years of age.

Marriages

Six months' notice is required for marriages, as counselling is necessary to prepare couples for Christian marriage. A marriage preparation course is also required.

Baptisms

The Sacrament of Holy Baptism is available by contacting a chaplain.

Time is required to give sufficient instruction about the meaning of baptism.

Protestant Guild

The Guild meets the first Monday of the month at 1900 hrs in the Chapel Annex. All women are welcome.

Prayer Service

An ecumenical prayer service is held in the Chapel each Wednesday (except during the summer) from 1210 to 1250 hrs. All are welcome. Bring your own lunch.

Food Bank

The Food Bank is a joint undertaking by both Catholic and Protestant congregations. Please help by giving any food you can spare. The donation box is located at the rear of the chapel.

Emergency Chaplain

After normal working hours, the Emergency Chaplain can be reached through the WOps Duty Centre, 833-2700, or the 2 PPCLI Duty Centre, ph. 833-2727.

Other Phone Numbers

For your convenience, a phone number has been set up to provide callers with information on service times and contact with the chaplain of your choice. Phone 833-2500 ext. 6800 and follow the prompts.

Become a Block Parent

By Cpl R. Jackson, 17 Wg, MP Sqn

More and more these days it is vital for people to become involved and help others in their communities. One such way that more and more Canadians are helping is by becoming a Block parent. For over 25 years the Block Parent Program has been helping make our communities safer.

HOW DOES THE PROGRAM WORK?

Block Parents are responsible adults who assist in the well being of children and volunteer their homes as a refuge in an emergency. All Block parents are screened by Police and given instructions on the Program by local volunteers.

The Block Parent Window Sign is shown only when someone over the age of 18 is available to answer the door. If the sign is not displayed, this does not mean that no one is home, only that the Block parent is not available to offer immediate assistance.

In addition, to the primary goal of making communities safer for children, the Block parent Program deters criminals and troublemakers. The network of Block parent Homes is a visible reminder that citizens are watchful in their neighborhood.

WHAT ARE THE GOALS OF THE PROGRAM?

Block Parent Volunteers work together to:

- expand the network of Block parents until there are several homes on every block in every community in Canada; and
- teach children and adults street proofing tips.

WHAT IS NOT EXPECTED OF A BLOCK PARENT?

Block parents are not expected to:

- provide food, transportation, toilet facilities
- administer first aid;
- leave their home to break up a fight; and
- open their door to anyone they feel uneasy about doing so to.

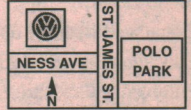
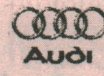
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For more information on the Block Parent Program contact the 17 Wg MP Sqn at 833-2633 or call the Block Parent Of Canada Program at 1-800-663-1134.

CF Womens Hockey

The 17 Wing Winnipeg Women's Hockey team is presently planning for the upcoming winter hockey season. A team (consisting of military, civilian & dependent women) will be registered in the Hylander Hockey League this season. In addition, practices for military women competing in the Regional tournament, will be scheduled every second week, commencing 10 October 2002.

New players from across the Manitoba and Saskatchewan regions are welcome to play.

The Prairie Region Women's Hockey Invitational Tournament will be held at CFB Shilo: 9-14 February 2003

The National Women's Hockey Tournament will be held at CFB Borden: 14-23 March 2003

If you are interested in playing, contact:

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17 Wing Sports Coordinator: Mr. Chris Merrithew ext. 5511



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By Nancy

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TAURUS (April 20 - May 20): Consider another point of view before indulging in a venting session. Long-term effects are experienced from sweeping something under the rug. Smoothing over of a conflict to keep the peace has a price. What you don't deal with now will bring aggravations later.

GEMINI (May 21 - June 21): If a trusted person takes something of yours, let it go. Right now they are taking a stand and can't back down even though they know they may be in the wrong. They are being stubborn to save face but the impression they're making isn't flattering.

CANCER (June 22 - July 22): The end of an unhealthy situation is in site but your view may be clouded by worries. Trust yourself to make the right decisions. Pay attention to the words of others and also to what you are telling yourself. There are messages in both.

LEO (July 23 - August 22): When you find a good deal, don't put off purchasing. You can't memorize everything, so make handy notes or create a reminder system. Changes occur before you're ready. Pay attention to your love life; chart your course wisely or you'll be in the doldrums.

VIRGO (August 23 - September 22): Rest, relax and pamper yourself. Read books for interest as well as education. To compensate for a period of low energy, organize yourself so you can at least do the necessities. Limit appointments, dress sensibly and avoid emotionally exhausting people.

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LIBRA (September 23 - October 23): Action alleviates worry. Take the lead if no one else will. There will be plenty of other people giving you their helpful advice along the way. Stay open to the possibility that your plans may need revisions or unforeseen outcomes might embarrass you.

SCORPIO (October 24 - November 21): What works at work, a singular focus, and getting the job done doesn't work at home right now. Be understanding and approachable. Let your home be a haven. Drop work issues and worries at the door.

SAGITARIUS (November 22 - December 21): Superiors give the go ahead when you present your idea as a guaranteed success. An opportunity for advancement is offered. If things don't move as quickly as expected investigate until you uncover the hold up.

CAPRICORN (December 22 - January 19): Check your finances carefully before committing to a dream. Do some juggling and comparing to keep costs down. Use your creativity to find ways to make things happen. If you have to be disciplined or get an extra job consider that as part of the cost.

AQUARIUS (January 20 - February 18): An opportunity to change jobs may require some extra training. Rediscover unused talents or reinvent yourself by acquiring new ones. Revise old limiting assumptions about yourself. Be willing to do something badly at first.

PISCES (February 19 - March 20): Forget about forcing fairness, just let your beauty and brilliance shine through. Seek balance, put things into perspective so you can put your energy to the right use and move on. Dress to make an impression that is reflective of the true you. You'll spark interest and intrigue.

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To ensure quality programming, classes are limited to 15 participants.

To register by telephone contact Community Recreation at 833-2500 ext. 5976 or drop in to the Community Center, Bldg. 33 during working hours. Program fees are \$28* or \$35.

Activity passes and drop-ins will not be permitted. Participants should bring a towel and wear comfortable clothes.

* Monday class is 8 weeks duration, no class on 11 November.

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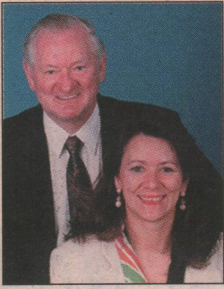
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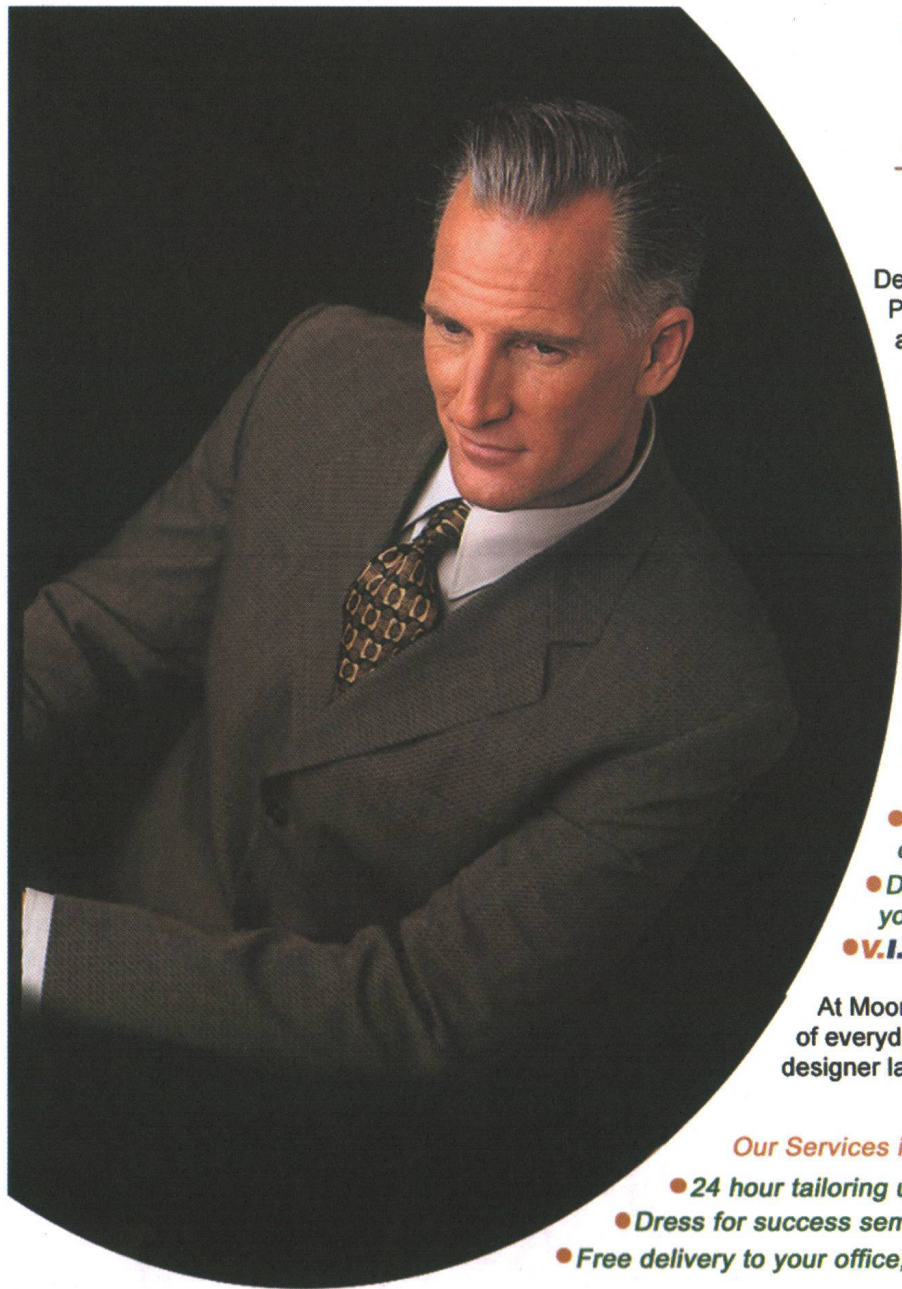
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