

THE GETAWAY

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SU to advocate at int'l level, somehow

“Michael Janzeroo is supa A-OKAY #1 best friend!” says United Nations Secretary General and offensive stereotype Ban Ki-moon



MR ALANA KNOPP
I do. Do you?

Amid internal criticisms that the University of Alberta Students' Union isn't doing enough for its constituents, SU President's Choice Michael Janz and Vice-President (Old-man Smell) Steve Dollansky have announced that they plan to start lobbying for student interests at the international level—just as soon as they figure out what the hell that means.

“We've been successful at the municipal level, lobbying for the U-Pass,” Janz explained, adding that provincial lobbying through the Council of Alberta University Students (CAUS) has been “pretty rockin',” and that the contemplation of joining a federal lobby group has spurred them to look even further.

“We figured, ‘Why stop there?’” Dollansky chimed in. “I mean, if it works at the national level—which, believe me, it more than likely most definitely without a shadow of a doubt probably will ... maybe—then, ipso facto, that means international lobbying will be that much more effective.

“It's, like, synergy, or something, right? Isn't it?”

However, some curmudgeonly hacks, including Business councillor Scott Nicol, pointed out some major flaws in the plan.

DON'T FORGET TO PUT DUDE'S NAME HERE

IT'S THE VERTICAL STRIPES SU President Michael Janz met with international leaders to discuss relevant student concerns such as rising tuition and landmines.

HALLO! PLEASE GO USELESS ♦ PAGE 4

Kirkham, APIRG create centralized SU opt-out

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Thanks to an Alberta Public Interest Research Group (APIRG) grant, Bear Scat creator Steve Kirkham has developed an online opt-out system for students no longer wishing to be a part of the Students' Union.

Kirkham, a former Science councillor, explained that the move was inevitable following the SU's decision not to fund the popular Bear Scat registration program, as well as the recent passing of the controversial Bill 6, which could potentially lead to a centralized opt-out system for dedicated fee units (DFUs).

“Let's face it; the Students' Union has screwed over the very people they're supposed to represent one time too many,” Kirkham said loudly during a videoconference from his elaborate command centre deep in the heart of Silicon Valley.

The new system, which is set to launch at the start of the winter semester, uses a simple and elegant tabbed-menu system. With the click of a mouse, students will no longer have to be affiliated with the organization best known for Antifreeze and its creepy posters in SUB.

However, SU representatives have been quick to denounce the move, citing their organization's continued commitment to students.

“I can promise you one thing: any student foolish enough to be one of Kirkham's little sheeps [sic] is in for a rude awakening—those who opt out will never get to eat at an SU-funded pancake breakfast again. Do you hear me? NEVER!” SU Vice-President (Suit-Wearing) Steven Dollansky screamed, much like an infant being dragged from a Toys 'R' Us after being denied a purchase would.

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TYPE II DIABETES: YOU ASKED FOR IT, FATTY

FATALIE FAT FAT
Baby Tiger (GRRRAWR)

The results of a groundbreaking study from the Alberta Diabetes Institute (ADI) have shown that individuals who contract type II diabetes were “most definitely asking for it.”

“What we essentially found was that virtually all individuals with type II diabetes are overweight. From this we were able to conclude that the disease is in fact the inevitable consequence of binge-eating on fattening foods,” lead researcher Dr Skinner Thon Ewe said.

Approximately 90 per cent of individuals who have diabetes have the type II variety, and according to Ewe, this comes as no surprise.

“With over 50 per cent of the population obese, it means that a lot of these fatties are going to get diabetes eventually,” Ewe said. “What this study has proven is that there is nothing we can do to prevent the robust bodies of these porkers from no longer producing enough insulin.”

Sadly, the study also concluded that being “big-boned” or having a family



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NEEDS MOAR SPRINKLEZ! Dude, think of your islets. Wait; what are islets?

history of fatness is no excuse.

“Sure, maybe your parents are fat too, but is that forcing those donairs into your mouth? If you don't want type II

diabetes, you shouldn't get so fat.”

With these indisputable results, ADI researchers pleasantly shook hands and shut down the two-month-old centre.

Prepare!

- pants 1
- check 1
- compass 2
- check 3
- canteen 5
- check 8
- BEARS! 13



Choose your own adventure, you lazy bastards!

You've been called up ter 'elp us wif de evol genius Baron 'rchimedes. But you'll 'ave ter pick yer partner for dis assignment. We've got bo'le agents free: Dirk Stallion, suave, charmin' but emotionally distant; or Buggy Sweats, the writ idiot savant.

TO CHOOSE BUGSY SWEATS, TURN TO PAGE 5

TO CHOOSE DIRK STALLION, TURN TO PAGE 17

