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SRC Election Special

August 1990

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Oppidan Grazzle: Wednesday 22 August

Grand Grazzle: Wednesday 22 August

Hall Grazzles: 16-22 August

Election Day: Thursday 23 August



Edward James Tillet

Kimberley Hall Representative

Nominated by:

K J Williams
C D John
P M Capel
J L Alho
J S Sieff
D Yatras
S Galbraith

Degree: BA Journ

Pensketch:

School — Northlands Boys' High in Durban — A Squad Swimming
1983 Matriculated
1985 Began Journalism Degree at Rhodes University.
1987 Began National Service — achieved the rank of full corporal.
Became editor of a military unit newspaper 1989
1989 Returned to Rhodes Advertising and Pro Portfolio Committee Member on RMR Disc Jockey Rhodes weight-training instructor.
Freelance journalist for Daily News and Sunday Tribune (Durban) and South African Press Association (SAPA)

Manifesto:

MY CAMPAIGN manifesto is simple: The NUSAS-SRC, as it stands in its present form, does not enjoy mass student support; indeed previous NUSAS-SRC election results have indicated a trend of apathy to student affairs.

Why? It can be argued (rightly or wrongly so) that the highly politicised profile of the NUSAS-SRC has led to the perception on campus that the NUSAS-SRC has neglected issues affecting students.

In my view the NUSAS-SRC cannot be seen as an autonomous body dedicated to fighting student issues; rather the NUSAS-SRC can be regarded as a partisan body reflecting sectional interests.

This is self evident in the viewpoints expressed in the prolific amount of NUSAS-SRC literature which regularly bombards unsuspecting students.

Our lives have been prescribed and dictated to by various institutions, such as the state, the education system and various



other organisations.

Now as Rhodes students, on a so-called "liberal" campus, we find ourselves in the unenviable position of being confronted with the sectional interests of the NUSAS-SRC.

The traditional function of a students' representative council is first and foremost to represent the diverse views of students.

The Rhodes SRC must be accountable to its student population and not to any external vested interest.

As your candidate for Kimberley Hall I commit myself to "independent thought". Your views are my views, irrespective of external influence. I am merely a springboard on which you can launch your views, and I will do this to the best of my ability.

The recent (unusually innovative) referendum to assess student opinion on certain issues - strategically timed to coincide with the impending SRC election - will provide the launch pad for my campaign.



Camilla van Coppenhagen

Allen Webb Hall Representative

Nominated by:

Wendy Rowlands
Melinda Gatche
Nikki Belford
Liz Horner
Kanize Hussain
Jeanette Gwint
Lisa Crawford-Brunt
S Dolby
S Duncan
M Coetzer
Carol Starke
Mandy Hampton
Louise Page
Stephen Rowland
Belinda Murphy
Martin Victor
J Braack

Degree: B Journ

Pensketch:

I am a 1st Year B Journ student. I do not believe that any of my past achievements have any relevance to this election.

However, I am an experienced debator and usually achieve what I undertake to do which is what I hope to do if elected.

I have had experience of student representation at high school level and some knowledge of junior town council level representation.

Manifesto:

I BELIEVE that the students of Allen Webb Hall have not had adequate representation recently and I hope to rectify this by ensuring that I familiarise myself with the needs of the students in my Hall.

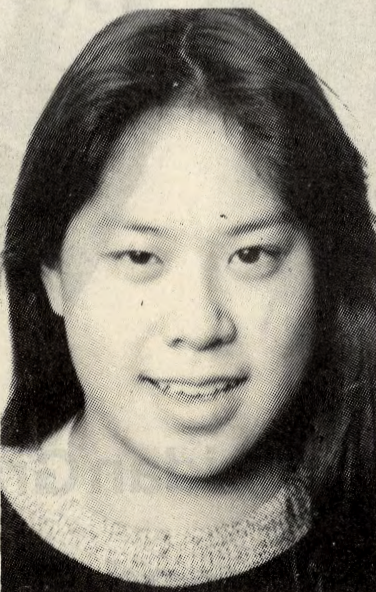
In the past, basic needs have been overshadowed by political and sexist issues.

Although these are important issues in our society, I believe that the needs and grievances of the students should be served by the SRC before major issues can be dealt with.

The SRC should operate as a council for the students before acting as a political body.

It is my aim to support the students without making an issue of their race, sex or creed.

If elected, I undertake to fulfill all responsibilities designated to me by the council with much enthusiasm and to the best of my ability.



Tanya Alexandra Accone

Kimberley Hall Representative

Nominated by:

Shaun Wilmot
Greyling Park
Brad Cunningham
Kieron Chambers
Darryl Cotton
Alistair Duff
Kim Routly

Degree: B Journ 1

Pensketch:

I have participated in SRC elections and campaigning before, at school (Woodmead).

I am also Journalism I Rep, Geography I Rep, GeogSoc Rep.

I am also a member (fully-participating) of RUCSA and of the Surf Club.

I have also been elected by my fellow residents in Pringle, onto the Hall Ball Committee.

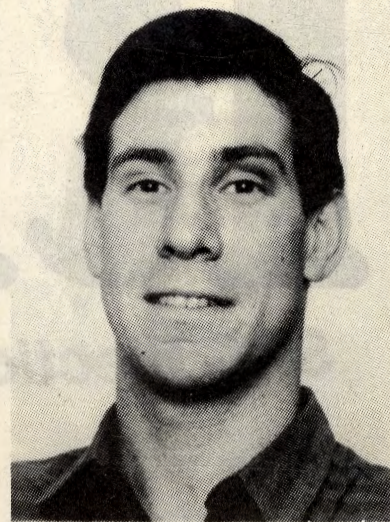
Manifesto:

I, THE prospective candidate, pledge myself to voicing and negotiating for the requests of my fellow students. Various areas which I would undertake to deal with are:

- the rectifying of inequalities in the rules governing men's and women's residences.
- the codifying and renegotiation of fines (limits).
- the possible re-arrangement of laws restricting the use, possession and consumption of alcohol in Kimberley Hall residences.
- extension of intervisiting hours e.g. Stellenbosch.
- up-grading the standard of the food and stabilising the Catering Services.
- renegotiating bans e.g. alcohol - Walker House.

Concerning my involvement in the SRC, I would like to approach the commonly-voiced complaint that the political portfolio is over-emphasised, to the possible detriment of the others.

My solution would not involve de-emphasis, but rather emphasising the focussing more attention on the other various SRC concerns, so that they develop on par with the present high standard of political coverage.



Owen J Prior

Allen Webb Hall Representative

Nominated by:

C Young
D Johnson
J More
L Page
G Baker
T Houreld
N Jenkin
N Gazi
A Lang

Degree: B Com III

Pensketch:

Born 4 January 1967 - Cape Town.
Matriculated Grey College.
1985/6 Personnel Officer — Pretoria and Walvis Bay.
1987 Registered for BSc (Information Processing)
1988 Converted to B Comm (Legal Theory)
1988/9 House Committee

Member
1990 Senior Student of Salisbury House

Manifesto:

I BELIEVE that the SRC should be used as a mechanism to further student benefits and increase their rights.

Furthermore, I feel that the SRC Hall Rep should be constantly available to assist any student or group within the Hall whose needs are not being met within the existing House Committee structure.

I aim to facilitate a growing spirit of co-operation between the Administration and the students in order to secure the greatest possible benefits for the Hall.

Particular areas of interest to me, will be:

- the re-imbursement of laundry service fees to every student not using the laundry — this money could possibly be used to provide washing machines and driers, instead of using House Committee funds.
- the re-introduction of the milk, juice and yoghurt scheme - hopefully on an account system
- the up-grading of the Hall Sports facilities and the arterial road past Salisbury and Truro will also enjoy my support and attention.

Basically I want to put Allen Webb students' needs first!



Diane D de Marigny

Oriel Hall Representative

Nominated by:

Kimberley Farrow
Sarah Weldrick
Miriam Breytenbach
Cathy Kindlimann
C Bingham
Nicola Kirkman
Elise Mcloed
Hayley Leibowitz

Degree: BA (English Drama)

Pensketch:

- 1971 Born in Harare - grew up on a farm etc.
1989 Completed A-levels at Chisipite High School in Zimbabwe.
Won the Drama Cup.
Prefect. Deputy House Captian, Student Council President. Debating President. Toastmasters.
1990 Registered at Rhodes University for a BA and am flinging myself into Drama and working part-time to pay off the odd res fine.

Manifesto:

LIKE MOST other Hall Reps on the SRC for 1991, I would like to foster a good relationship between Oriel Hall and the SRC.

To this end I would endeavour to ensure that my Hall is at all times aware of SRC activities (through media and House Meetings) and play an active role in SRC decision making.

I would be very proud to represent a Hall as free-thinking and long-standing as Oriel.



Debbie Roux

Drostdy Hall Representative

Nominated by:

Emma Durden
Michael Craig
Phillip Grenfell
Mike Carclin
Andile Xayiya

Degree: B Com.

Pensketch:

- 1987 Matriculated from Bedfordview High School in Johannesburg.

- 1988 Registered for a Bachelor of Commerce Degree at Rhodes University.
1989 Worked on Orientation Committee and member of the Rhodes Second-Hand Book Shop.
1990 Sub-Warden of Prince Alfred House as well as Chairperson and Treasurer of the Rhodes Second-Hand Bookshop.

Manifesto:

AS SRC Representative of Drostdy Hall I aim to further the interests of the students in Drostdy in as many ways as possible.

I am sure my enthusiasm and determination will result in positive action.

As I have been in Drostdy Hall for three years and am aware of the problems and needs of the students I feel that I can make a constructive contribution to the Hall through the SRC.



Kelly Hilton-Green

Founder's Hall Representative

Nominated by:

Alan Redfern
Chris Daffy
Mark Carson
Riko Slabbert
Ross Stewart
Loren Leltvonn
Andrew Crawford

Degree: B. Soc Sci I

Pensketch:

- 1988 Matriculated at Kingwood College - I was a prefect and second in charge of hostel. Secretary for SRC at KC for 2 years. Gained colours for Cultural Activities and Honours for Sporting Activities.
Played 1st XV Rugby for 3 years. Represented EP Project Side and Craven Week side and South African School Project

Left KC at end of 1989 after post matric course where I represented the Post Matrics on the SRC.

Manifesto:

I FEEL the SRC should be exactly what it stands for - representing the students in all facets of university life.

I believe it is being used as a political tool. Although I do not feel it must distance itself from the politics and changes going on in our country at this time, I feel the SRC could play a bigger role in campus life as a whole includ-

ing; sports, residences, societies and the administration.

I believe that the majority of students feel the same way as I do about the SRC.

In conclusion I would just like to say that if I am chosen to represent my hall on the SRC I know that the right choice would have been taken and the SRC would not have any regrets.

I believe I am the man to represent the Founder's Hall students.



Jennifer Roberts

Hobson and Livingstone Hall

Nominated by:

Shereen Essof
Richard Thomson
Jane Cherry
Mehroonisha Sheik
Janice Limson
Gillian McGregor
Richard Menatsi

Degree: BA II

Pensketch:

Gen: Second year BA - majors Linguistics and Legal Theory. Intend to study for an LLB.

School Academic Colours, Service and Orchestra Awards, Orchestra Section Leader and Principal French Horn Player. Senior Library Prefect and Chairperson of Library Societv.

University Secretary of Cathsoc (1990/1991)
Member of Students For Human Rights.

Manifesto:

I AM very concerned about many campus issues, especially those affecting the residences.

I believe that the students need to be an integral part of the decision making process.

For these reasons I have decided to stand for the SRC. I am prepared to take a firm stand on issues concerning my Hall and the individual residences in it.

I wish to ensure that all residences are run democratically and that all the students have a say in the decisions affecting the residences.

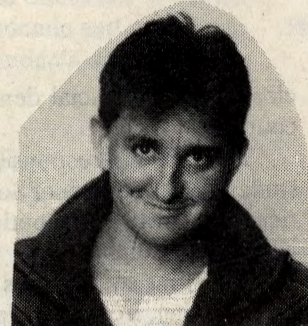
Hopefully this will prevent problems like those which have arisen in Milner recently when those affected were not consulted first.

I will also take forward the very important issues concerning the residences which were raised in the recent SRC referendum.

These include permanent front door keys for 1st years and

the introduction of meal and laundry cards and electronic locks. These important issues need to be followed up.

The role of the House Committees needs to be re-evaluated and they should participate more in the decision making processes. I am willing to work and strive for the benefit of those whom I represent - Hobson and Livingstone Halls.



Andy de la Mare

Jan Smuts Hall Representative

Nominated by:

P Loverdos
G Schlaphoff
M S Rugunanan
Z M Notshulwana
Anya Doherty
L C Mali

Degree: B Soc Sci II

Pensketch:

- 1985 I matriculated from St Andrew's College Grahamstown where I was awarded academic honours.
I also competed in both provincial and national moto-cross, and after an injury developed an interest in gym, holding the position of weights captain in my final year.
1986/9 (July National Service).
1989 Registered at Rhodes for B Soc Sci I and joined UNCEDO Black Taxi Association.
1990 Rhodes B Soc Sci II.

Manifesto:

I THINK that greater communication between the SRC and all students should be aimed at, especially as many students feel the SRC does not actually represent them.

Greater attention should also be placed on student needs regarding issues such as the quality of res life.

In addition I feel that a more concerted effort should be made to reduce racial tension and encourage more interaction between different groups in Jan Smuts.

I also find the problem of Black Education disturbing and would encourage the introduction by Rhodes of "tut" groups aimed at assisting these pupils and providing them with something similar to our ASP.



Sarah Basson

St Mary's Hall Representative

Nominated by:

Tracy Visser
Cathy McMaster
Stacey Cubitt
Nikki von Abo
Maxine Harding
Brendon Grunewald
Toni Loizides
Janet Howse
Katja Berker
Karin Stoll

Degree: BA

Pensketch:

- 19 years old.
1988 Matriculated from St Anne's Diocesan College, Pietermaritzburg, Prefect and Vice Head of House.
1989 Rotary Exchange Student, Canada.
1990 1st Year at Rhodes University. Degree BA. NUSAS Sub-Committee : Projects Committee.

Manifesto:

"THE GREATEST Happiness of the Greatest Number". My intention as prospective representative for St Mary's Hall is to create an atmosphere where the importance of the SRC can be recognised and used to the benefit of the Hall.

It is of utmost importance that individuals identify with their positions and through a democratic process obtain what is best for themselves and St Mary's Hall.

If elected I would like to bring about unification of the four houses within St Mary's whereby all members of the Hall have a choice.

I intend to take forward and see implement those issues brought to the fore by last year's SRC; meal tickets, laundry cards, smoke free- zones, and keys for 1st years.

Sexism is another issue I would like to address, investigating as to why men are given a more responsible position in the university.

One of my concerns relates to security in our residences. Direct consultation with the House Committees is another area I would like to see developed.

I would like all the disadvantaged, racially or otherwise to come forward and express their grievances which they are so often forced to accept, so that these can be amended and a happy and fulfilling university career can be enjoyed by all.



Rod Amner

General

Nominated by:

Noel Ndhlovu
Rod Dixon
Anthony Tyler
Paul Andersson
Clifford Nxomani
Di Wayne
Mzwandile Poswa
Toni Hugill
Leanne Billett
Chule Papiyana
Michael Drewett
Pamela Yako

Degree: BA (Hons)

Pensketch:

Matriculated Rondebosch Boys' High school.
1986

Registered at Rhodes for a B Journ degree. Joined NUSAS Education Action Group and Rhodexo; co-wrote and directed and acted in Allen Webb Hall Play in Campus Drama Competition.

1987 Core Group of NUSAS Projects Committee, Rhodexo Member.

1988 Rhodexo News Editor, Executive Member of South African Students' Press Union (SASPU).

1989 Graduated with B Journ, Vice President of SASPU, Rhodexo Features Editor.

1990 Registered for BA (Hons), Co-Chair of NUSAS- SRC Projects Committee, Sociology I Tutor.

Manifesto:

IN THE last year the SRC has worked effectively for students at Rhodes.

At Rhodes we have debated and challenged the quality and appropriateness of the education we receive as well as the composition and authority structure of our University.

The SRC has provided information and forums to allow students to actively challenge apartheid, in so doing students have played no small part in bringing us closer to a non-racial and democratic society.

The 1991 SRC needs to expand the work already done in advancing students' interests on campus.

If elected I want to continue a well-balanced approach to student affairs that emphasises four important areas: student representation, education, political action and benefits.

The most crucial challenge facing us in the coming year is that of building a single non-racial student organisation by uniting NUSAS and SANSO.

1990 has seen dramatic changes in the South African political landscape. We are much

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closer to a non-racial democratic country.

This places a responsibility on students as the youth of South Africa to make a contribution to a just and peaceful future.

The first step on this path is the building of non-racial unity amongst students on campus.

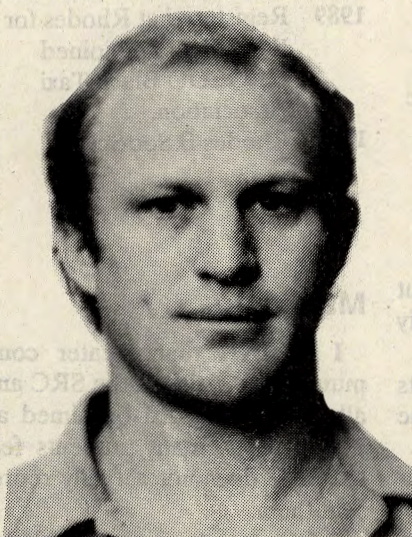
This needs to be done through the formation of one organisation which would change the face of our campus and play a profoundly important role in reconstructing and transforming our society.

But, the formation of one organisation will be a hollow event if all students are not involved in its creation.

We need to determine the direction of the new organisation, what issues it will take-up, what it will look like and even what it will be called.

We will also need to look closely and critically at a new role for the SRC in the light of this development. We need to prepare ourselves for these exciting challenges.

And the 1991 SRC has a crucial role in facilitating the participation of students in meeting them. Who knows...this time next year, we might be voting for a non-racial SRC.



Kim Hodgson

General

Nominated by:

Kevin Hopkins
Debbie Malherbe
Adrian Lush
Nick Longden
Kim Boucher
George Schweitzer
Angus Sholto-Douglas
Mike Cook

Degree: BA III

Pensketch:

Matriculated Maritzburg College where I was Deputy Head Boy, Head of House, Exec School Council, Ist XV Rugby,

Head Master's Prize, Full School Colours; Vice-Captain (athletics); Victor Ludorum

Completed National Service;

1984/5 Played Natal U20 Rugby Vice Captain in 1985

1986 Natal Seniors Invitation XV;

1987 Registered at Rhodes; 1st XV Rugby Team Award; 2nd XI Cricket;

Law Students' Council; Executive member of numerous societies current member of Zimsoc;

Ecanah (Environmental Society)

Geography Society, Students For Human Rights

RUSCO

Wine Cultural Society

Manifesto:

THE SRC has, in my opinion, been used as a political instrument for far too long. The primary function of unbiased student representation has been neglected and it is time this is rectified.

In a country with such political diversity, an SRC should not be affiliated to any political body, affiliation creates bias which is not representative of all students.

I would like to see a non-political SRC, with genuine student representation as the primary function.

The SRC either demonstrates against or does nothing for the main events on campus e.g. Miss Fresher, Rag, Intervarsity and SAU events.

I would like to support these functions and actively promote them and others similar. If elected, I will strive for better communication between students of all persuasions and the SRC. I will support the establishment and function of a body to represent students in Disciplinary Hearings and will fight for equal rights for all students.

If you are not satisfied with the SRC for the reasons I have outlined, vote for me and I'll do my best to rectify the present unacceptable situation.



Emma Durden

General

Nominated by:

Sandy Lawson
Mike Carlin
Tove Kane
Ant Tyler
Lincoln Mali
Noel Ndhlovu
Brad Dowdle
Calum Stevenson

Degree: BA

Pensketch:

1987 Matriculated Witdrift High School

1988 Registered for BA at Rhodes
Joined NUSAS Projects Committee

1989 NUSAS Projects Committee
Elected onto Oppidan Board as Media Councillor

1990 Elected onto SRC as Projects Councillor and Oppidan Representative, also an SRC Exec Member Oppidan Board

Secretary/Treasurer



Manifesto:

THERE IS much discussion taking place at Rhodes on the direction of the University in a changing South Africa.

It is necessary for us to move beyond the debate and make some concrete changes to the University's policies.

These issues affect all students, and we need to participate in this process. I believe it is the SRC's role to ensure that students contribute to these discussions and that our opinions are taken into account.

I propose to do this in two ways:

- Open forums should be established on campus to discuss issues such as admissions/exclusions policies, allocation of bursaries, course content and teaching methods.

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Michael Carklin

General

Nominated by:

Kyle Hannan
Grant Shimmin
Simphiwe Tshabalala
Idrees Manga
Iain S Scott
Lerato Maklele
Clifford Nxomani
Dion van Niekerk
Rob Verseput

Pensketch:

Grew up in Johannesburg
1986 Matriculated from Edenglen High School
1987 Registered for a B Journ at Rhodes;
Elected to SAUJS Committee as Media Officer.
1988 Elected Chairperson of SAUJS; Sub-Warden in res;
Teaching assistant in Journ Department;
3rd Year of B Journ majoring in Drama.
1989 Elected onto the SRC as Drosty Hall Rep and Societies Councillor;
Co-ordinator of Campus Leadership Forum;
4th Year of Journalism.

Degree: B Journ IV

Manifesto:

I BELIEVE that the role of the SRC is first and foremost to represent students. There is a lot that still needs to be done to build a more representative and accountable SRC.

In particular, direct student involvement in the activities and decision-making processes of the SRC needs to be increased.

It is also necessary to increase the SRC's negotiating strength with the Rhodes Administration so that student needs and grievances are clearly articulated, and positive and meaningful results are achieved.

I further believe that if we are to build our university in a way which will benefit all, that it will be necessary to forge far closer links with the other sectors in the university, namely the administration, the academic staff, the workers, and other staff members.

I think that the NUSAS-SRC has already gone a long way to improving its representative capacity through the strengthening and building of the Campus Leadership Forum over the last year, which drew in society and residence leadership.

In particular, the referendum held earlier this year demonstrated the possibilities of involving all students in decision-making, and in proving

the SRC to be a strong and viable force through which to express student needs.

Other ways of extending representation in the future could also include the establishment of Faculty Councils, the drawing in of Oppidan students into the Leadership Forum.

I believe that my direct involvement in the co-ordination of the Campus Leadership Forum has equipped me to be able to undertake future work in making the SRC more of a representative body.

Whilst I believe that representation is central to the SRC, I am also fully aware that there are a number of exciting challenges facing us as students, both within the university, and in South Africa more broadly.

It is vital that at this stage, we move forward clearly and confidently to building one non-racial student organisation.

A lot of active work has already been undertaken by NUSAS and SANSCO in this regard, and the SRC will have a vital role to play in ensuring that the building of this organisation involves as many students as possible and reflects the aspirations of all students in South Africa.



Daryl Lee

General

Nominated by:

Alex Erasmus
Graham Welch
Edgar Papiyana
Jerri Mderdempes
Leanne Billett
Sam Pienaar
Laurian Miles
Thapelo Pitso
Solly Lethale

Degree: BA II

Pensketch:

1987 Member of Pupils for Peace Group
1988 Matriculated from Glenwood High School
Dux of School - obtained 6 distinctions, Public Speaking Honours.
Prefect, Current Affairs Society Chair.
1989 Registered at Rhodes - BA (Law), member of NUSAS-SRC Projects Committee.
1990 Projects Committee Core Group Member.
Member of ECC.
Member of Creative Arts.

Manifesto:

IN THIS challenging time of change, we are being confronted increasingly with decisions that will determine the future of South Africa. Students as South Africans of voting age, may soon be called upon to vote in the first non-racial, democratic election for a constituent assembly.

I believe that we, as recipients of higher learning, have an obligation to make these decisions informed and responsible ones.

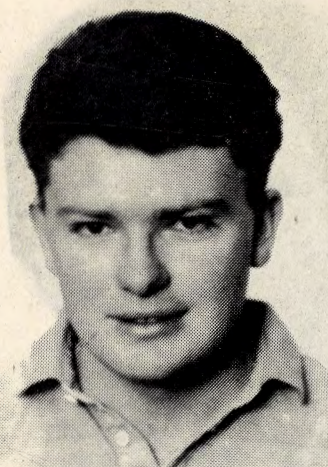
To counter the misconception that political discussion is the domain of academic and post-grads, I feel all students should be encouraged to look beyond the half-truths and double-speak of the past and to meaningfully discuss the issues of today.

This means, in my opinion, that we need more information and political debate on campus. The political work of the SRC and its political action sub-committee, Projects, must address itself to this area.

This could include residence discussion groups, Oppie debate forums, and seminars etc. The SRC must play this role of facilitating the sharing of political ideas between students to ensure a well-balanced representation of students' concerns.

Lastly, I believe that students have the skills and knowledge to substantially improve the quality of life of all people and a vital part of the SRC's political component must be to facilitate and encourage this community work.

In this way, the SRC and students can contribute to bringing together all sections of the Grahamstown community. If elected, I would commit myself to ensuring that it fulfills this vital role.



Andrew Bulter

General

Nominated by:

Grant Burrows
G Olivieri
C Stevenson
Marco Cocciantie
Andrew Baillie
Dave Styles

Degree: BA Law III

Pensketch:

1986 Matriculated Witbank High School
1988 Registered at Rhodes for BA Law
Became member of MSO
1989 Elected to MSO Committee
1990 Elected to NSF National Council
MSO Treasurer

Manifesto:

I BELIEVE the SRC's role should be far less political, and instead SRC members should work to further student interest, not the interests of NUSAS.

This cannot be achieved within the framework of a NUSAS affiliated SRC. I believe NUSAS has hijacked the role of the SRC, alleviating it from Rhodes student concerns.

If elected to the SRC I would like to see the Rhodes SRC become a real Students' Representative Council.

The SRC is currently seen by most students as having a poor image because its activities are dominated by radical politics. I aim to put local student issues first.

Students should be involved in decision-making processes at a Faculty level, around issues affecting our academic life. To this end, I want to work towards the establishment of Faculty Councils. This could start with class representatives getting together to discuss department-related issues and taking these to Faculty Boards.

Through my experience on the SRC, I have gained an understanding of how the University works, and how to take forward students demands effectively.

I also feel that the SRC should create avenues for us to channel the knowledge we gain at University into the community. Many students have expressed an interest in tutoring projects.

If elected onto the SRC, I want to develop a project to involve students parctically in alleviating the crisis in our schools.

I believe I have the necessary skills to achieve real gains for students.





Leanne Billett

General

Nominated by:

Mike Carklin
Rod Dixon
Tina Ehlers
Pia Stockenstrom
Emma Durden
Rashid Joosub
Rod Amner

Degree: BA

Pensketch:

1988 Matriculated from the Johannesburg Art, Ballet, Drama and Music School. I was school and hostel prefect. Throughout my school career I have been actively involved in professional theatre and public speaking at Rhodes. I have been involved with Filmsoc and was a Committee member. I was also connected with the Legal Aid Clinic on a voluntary basis. In **1989** I was elected onto the SRC as Jan Smuts Hall Representative and Residence Liaison Councillor. I am on the Green Earth Committee.

Manifesto:

THE ENVIRONMENT is often a neglected area. I feel strongly that the environment is something we all have to take an active role in preserving.

Enviromental issues have become a concern worldwide and in South Africa. We must also take up this challenge.

These issues cannot be divorced from political and social factors in our society, and I would seek, if elected, to explore these areas and encourage debate on campus.

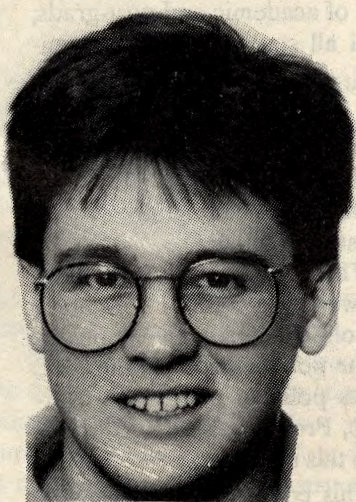
However, this should not hamper the immediate practical implementation of solutions. Amongst the issues I plan to take up are:

- Bringing glass and paper recycling scheme on to campus.
- Create a greater consciousness amongst students by making them aware of the environment and the problems facing it.
- To look at alternative energy forms for campus.
- Health and safety for students and workers
- The preservation of our natural resources.

I feel that my work on the SRC during the past year, particularly my work around the referendum, the residential issues and the launching of the enviromental

group, Greeneearth, has equipped me to achieve positive results and to work effectively with the administration.

My involvement with the Campus Leadership Forum has convinced me of the need to draw student participation from all areas, and to make the environmental campaigns really effective, student participation is crucial.



Andrew Baillie

General

Nominated by:

Myron Michel
Lynette Dicey
Shona Thomson
Marco Coccianti
Andrea Leiper
Grant Burrows

Degree: BA II

Pensketch:

1986 Matriculated Witbank High School
1988 Registered for a BA degree at Rhodes
Member of Moderate Student Organisation
1990 Moderate Student Organisation Chairperson

Manifesto:

THOUGH I believe the SRC has a political role I also believe the SRC's primary objective is to serve students and address their concerns.

I do not believe that this objective has presently been adequately achieved, and on this basis I would like to see the SRC become more involved in student issues and not simply radical politics.

At present the SRC is rightly percieved as largely being a platform from which radical party politics is pursued. I am deeply committed to ending racial discrimination in our society and I support the replacement of the apartheid system with a liberal order, but increasingly it appears as if organisations like NUSAS and SANSCO are simply carrying out an ANC programe on campus.

By standing for the SRC I aim to ensure that other viewpoints are also heard on campus, and that real student issues are placed at the top of the SRC's agenda.



GKF, the candidate most likely to win the hearts and minds of all and sundry

Gerald Keith Frankel

General

Nominated by:

Hussian (rightful ruler of all Iraq....and Kuwait!)
Jani Allan
Ayotollah (vote moderate or I'll chop your right hand off) Khomeni
Robert van Tonder (Grand old man of the right)
Zeph Mothopeng (Statement of Support still being prepared for him)
Tony Leon (Statement of Support judiciously withheld)
Piet de Pontes and our mutual friend Mr Palazollo

Degree: PhD IV

Pensketch:

Mind your own business. You don't need to know about my past or where I get my money from to run this campaign. That's all private.

Manifesto:

VOTE FRANKEL FOR AN A-POLITICAL SRC.

By now, what with all the changes in South Africa, most of you will be sick to death of politics. I know I am. Take the average newspaper and what are the main stories? Not benefits for the students, not the latest society news, oh no, they are political. I'm not just thinking of Rhodoe. Think of the SABC

since our so-called Vice-Chancellor has been on the board ... , politics, politics, politics, negotiations this, releases that. It's time for somebody to say we've had enough of this irrelevant claptrap that has no bearing on our lives and the shape of a future South Africa. We need a moderate on the SRC who will be able to stand up to the politicians and deal with the real issues.

FRANKEL FOR A METHODOICAL SRC

Some people might think that this amounts to a call for a grey, irrelative, mediocrity. Let's not knock mediocrity. Some of our finest leaders and institutions are mediocre. One thinks of the Post Office, of George Bush, the Morke's lady and, of course, our own Rhodes University and the methodical, yet not overly ponderous, Senior Administration at its helm.

Another myth that I must dispel once and for all is that moderation amounts to fence sitting. Moderates have never been afraid to take brave decisions. For instance we've always been opposed to talking to the ANC, we've time upon time labelled the UDF "terrorist" and firmly slated the End Conscription Campaign since before I can remember. These stands are not to be confused with political decisions as such. They are simply a manifestation of our opposition to politics! Other manifestations that will distinguish us from the run of the mill politico are; a firm belief in the law, the sanctity of marriage and dark glasses.

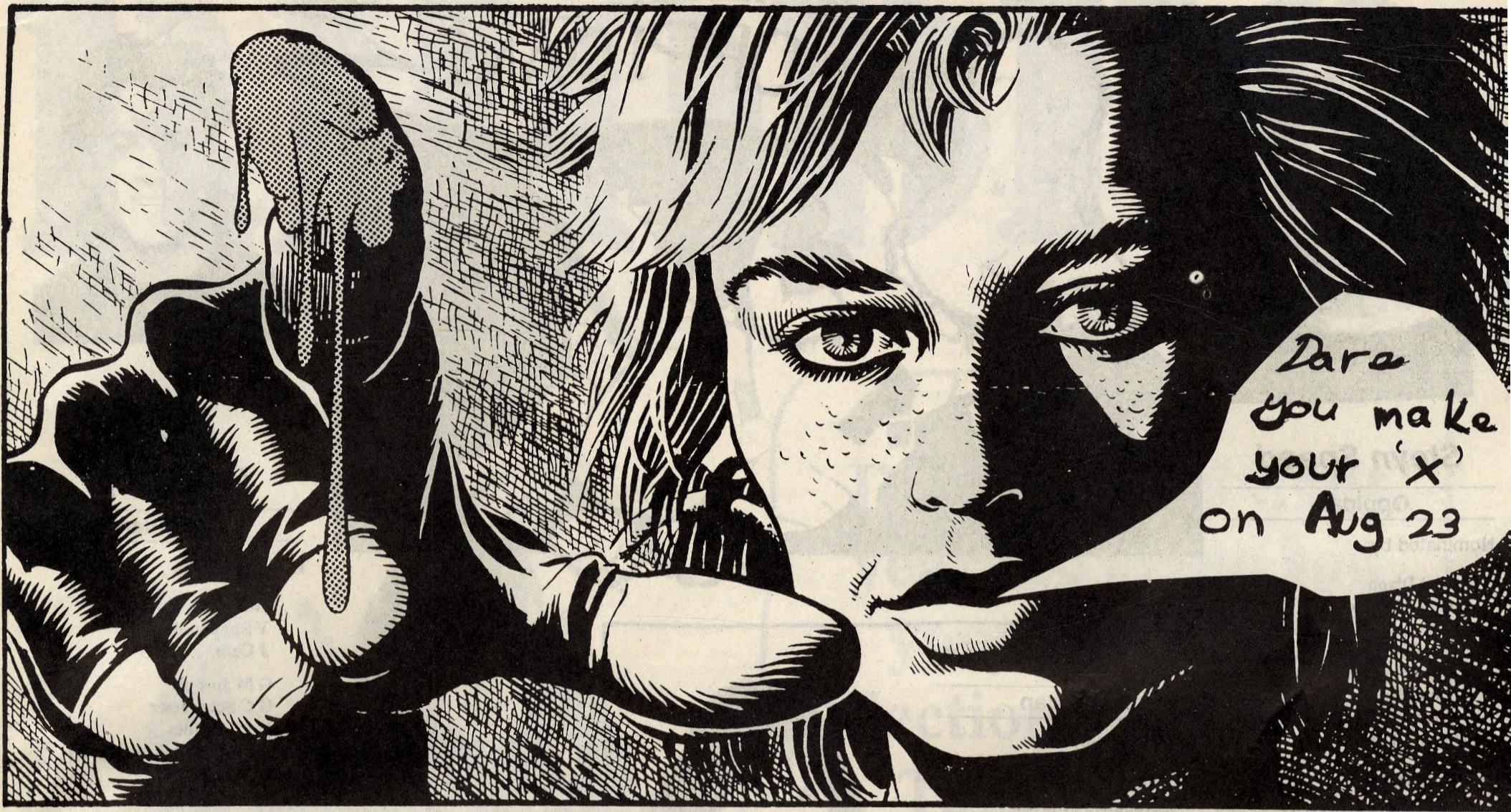
As you may by now have realised moderation does not involve falling between two stools. Moderation does not mean flying the South African flag at half-mast. Oh no, it is to rip the ANC flag down. Now more than ever before on this campus we need moderation as the dark clouds of "liberalism" and so-called "enlightenment" are a-massing. Onwards and upwards, moderates everywhere must rally to the call to stamp out fanaticism wherever we find it and with whatever it takes.

MODERATION UBER ALLES!

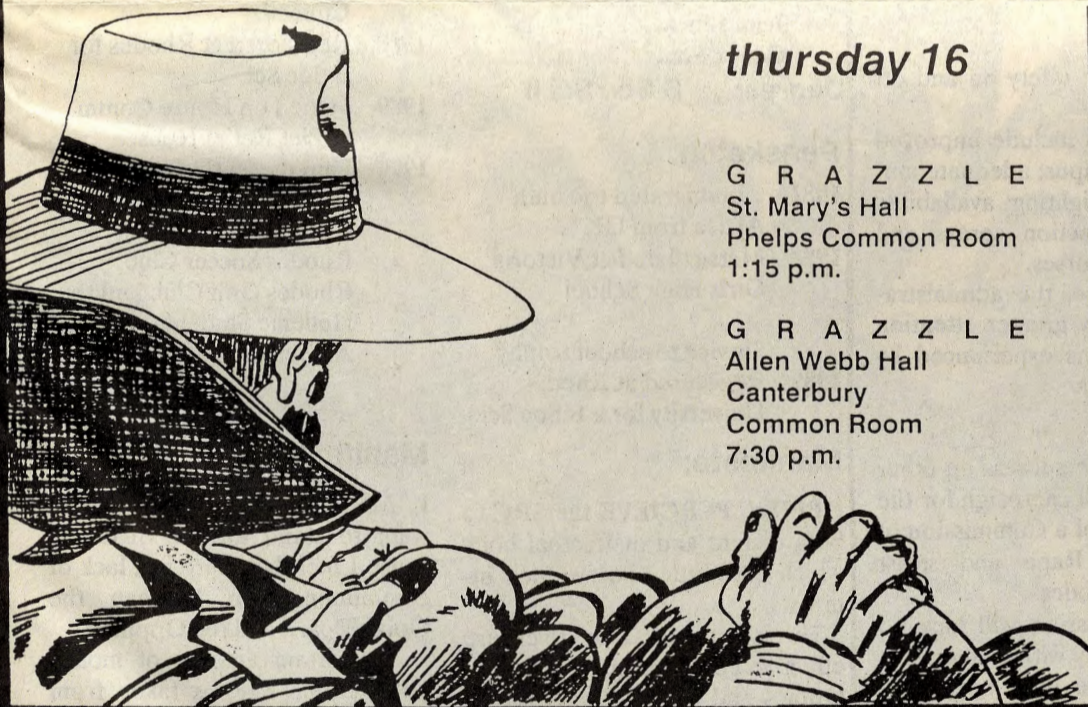
I seem to have strayed somewhat from my original point, but in a nutshell, what I mean to say is that we students should stay out of politics. Think of the past injustices that have been wrought by the sectarian NUSAS SRC railroading through one political motion after another. What of those who didn't support such nonsense as 'all God's beaches for all God's people'. Think of those who don't endorse pinko

concepts like negotiations and one man one vote, and of those who see nothing wrong with detention without trial, hangings, police killings, SADF occupation of our campuses, a censored press, unreasonable wages for campus workers, the list goes on I mean really, if God had meant all South Africans to have equal rights, peace and friendship He would have created the world like that.

AWAY WITH POLITICS, VOTE FRANKEL!



SRC ELECTION 1990



thursday 16

G R A Z Z L E
St. Mary's Hall
Phelps Common Room
1:15 p.m.

G R A Z Z L E
Allen Webb Hall
Canterbury
Common Room
7:30 p.m.

friday 17

G R A Z Z L E
Founders Hall
Botha Common Room
1:15 p.m.

GRAZZLE

Hall and general
candidates grilled
by a panel of staff
and students, and
your questions!

monday 20

G R A Z Z L E
Kimberley Hall
Hall A
1:35pm

G R A Z Z L E
Hobson Hall
Hobson Common Room
7:30 p.m.

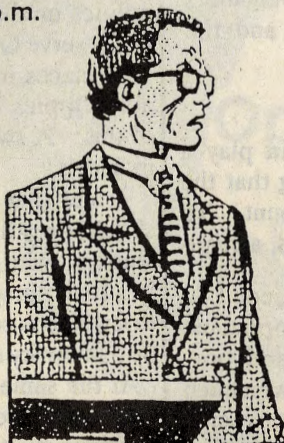
tuesday 21

G R A Z Z L E
Oriel Hall
Jameson
Common Room
1:15 p.m.

G R A Z Z L E
Smuts Hall
Smuts Common Room
7:30 p.m.

wednesday 22

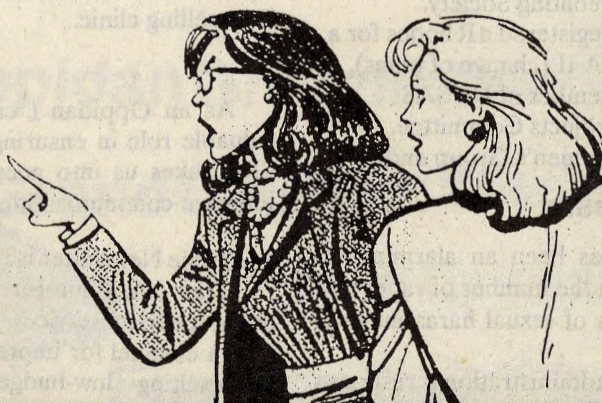
G R A Z Z L E
Drosty Hall
Graham Common Room
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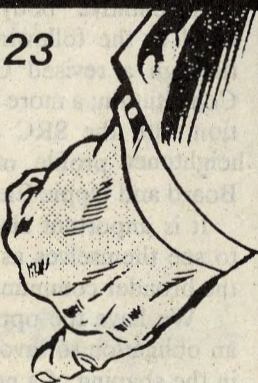
INTERROGATIONS

All General and Oppie candidates face the music in the final showdown!

7:30 p.m. GLT



thursday 23



ELECTION DAY



Steyn Speed

Oppidan

Nominated by:

Rod Dixon
Glenn Bownes
R Casewell
T Lebert
Thandi O'Hagan
Chandre Gould
Diane Hellmann

Degree: BA

Pensketch:

- 1988 Matriculated from Glenwood High School, Durban
Public speaking and Debating Honours
1989 Registered for BA at Rhodes
Joined NUSAS Projects Committee
1990 NUSAS Projects Committee
Oppie Board
SATISCO Tennis Team
Juluks Soccer Team

Manifesto:

THERE IS a need, I believe, for students to be involved in all areas that affect our lives; we are at a stage both in the history of our country, and our university, where such involvement is not only increasingly possible, but also necessary.

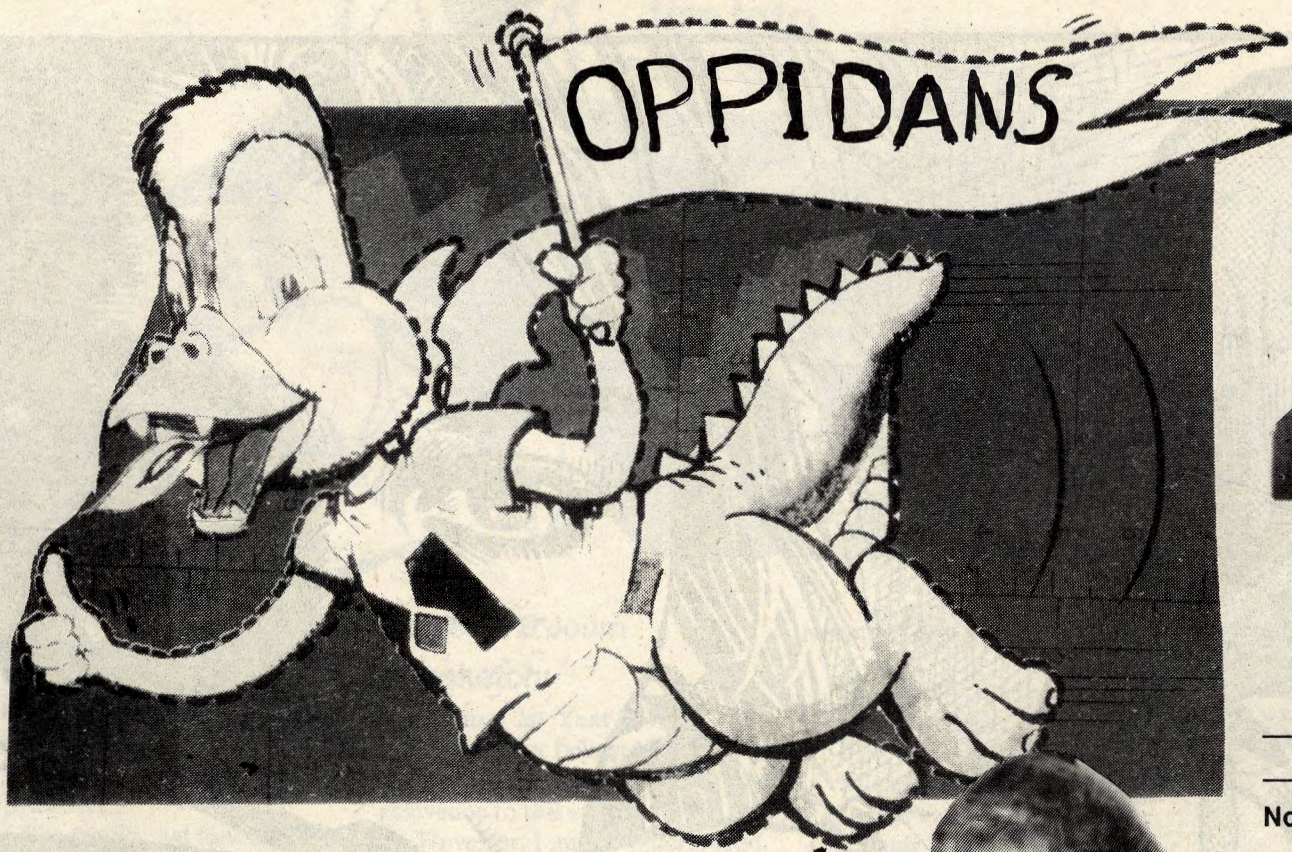
As an Oppie Constituency we have a right to actively participate both in the Oppie Board and the SRC, and would ensure that these structures serve the needs of Oppie students.

As an Oppie Rep, I would ensure that current moves to transform the Board into a truly representative body are continued in the following ways: — through a revised Oppie Board Constitution; a more defined relation with the SRC and BSM, a heightened profile of the Oppie Board and Oppie Elections.

It is important also for Oppies to see themselves as members of the broader community.

We have the opportunity and an obligation to involve ourselves in the shaping of a non-racial and democratic South Africa.

This can be achieved through: Creating an awareness of the vital issues facing our society; establishing means through which students can constructively work against the current divisions in our society; deepen the democratic function of all representative structures on campus.



Marco Coccianti

Oppidan

Nominated by:

Gavin Parsons
V Spanoudis
J Cain

G M Joseph
G C Schweitzer
N A Savvides

Degree: B Soc Sci III

Pensketch:

- 1987 I matriculated from St Henry's, Durban (Marist Brothers), where I represented the school in both cricket and rugby. Other social activities included being a member of the Durban Youth Council.
1988 Registered at Rhodes for B Soc Sci.
1989 I stood on House Comm in Piet Retief House.
1990 I am presently actively involved in the following societies on campus: Rhodes Soccer Club; Rhodes Golf Club and the Hellenic Students Association.

Manifesto:

I, AS a non-political candidate want to stand for the SRC because I feel that there is a lack of communication between the Oppie Board and the Oppidans.

A certain amount of money (R27 Oppie Fee) is taken from each Oppidan for the Oppie Board, the benefits of which, aren't perceived by most Oppidans.

I will make sure that Oppidans are made aware of how their money is spent. I also believe that the SRC should do all in its power to support Rag and other student events on campus, especially sports functions such as Intervarsity and SAU tournaments.

In the past, elements in the SRC have expressed their dislike of popular student events, e.g. the above mentioned.

Whilst the SRC does have a political role, I feel the SRC is presently too involved therein.

I would like to restore a balance and make sure that real student concerns and issues are given more attention.

Thandi O'Hagan

Oppidan

Nominated by:

Shannon Wright
Siyabulela Manona
Di Wayne
Laurian Miles
Jessie Breytenbach
Glenn Bownes
N Chaine
Anil Rugunanan
Gavin Greenstone
R Kreser
R Casewell

Degree: BA II

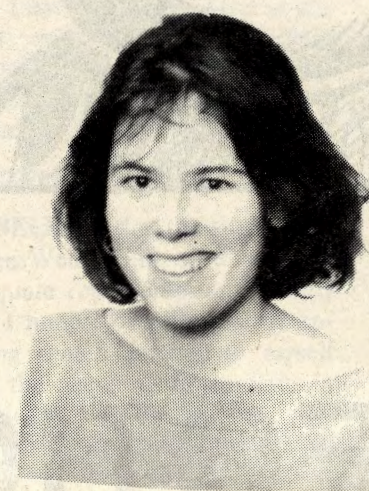
Pensketch:

- 1986 Enrolled at Rosebank Convent
Finalist in Computer Section of the General Electric Expo.
Top 20 of National Old Mutual Computer Science Olympiad.
Co-produced a house play.
1987 Matriculated from Rosebank Convent
Prefect and Head of House
Member of the Debating Team and School Speech Team.
Awarded an Honours blazer as well as the Computer Science Prize.
1988 Enrolled at Kingswood College Bridging Year.
Member of Kingswood Toastmaster's Society and African Studies.
1989 Registered at Rhodes for a BSc II
Joined NUSAS Projects Committee and Rhodes Debating Society.
1990 Registered at Rhodes for a BA II (change of plans), member of NUSAS Projects Committee, Women's Group and ECC.

Manifesto:

There has been an alarming increase in the number of rapes and incidents of sexual harassment of campus.

The administration's response to this is inadequate. If elected I will ensure steps are taken to im-



prove women's safety on and off campus.

These could include improved lighting on campus; adequate municipal street lighting; availability of mace protection sprays and self defence courses.

Furthermore, the administration should pay greater attention to the problems experienced by women students.

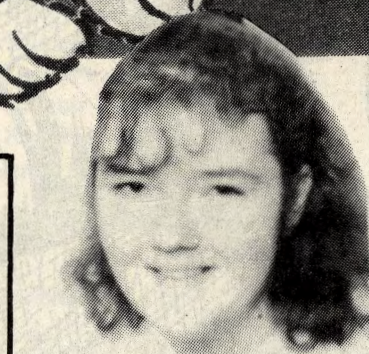
Following the success on other campuses, I will campaign for the establishment of a Commission of Enquiry into Rape and sexist practises at Rhodes.

This commission will have to consult regularly with women students, to ensure their needs are being addressed.

If elected as Women's Councillor, I will liaise with the Women's Group, especially around their rape Campaign which aims to provide trained Rape Councillors for women's residences and the Counselling clinic.

As an Oppidan I can play a valuable role in ensuring that the SRC takes us into account. To improve communications, a regular Oppie Newsletter is needed.

This could inform oppidans about existing services and provide a channel for improvements; an exciting low-budget recipe book, is a priority!



Shelley Smith

Oppidan

Nominated by:

Andrew Baille
Jill Smith
Tracy Baines
Marco Coccianti
Gavin Parsons
Jean Black
Gower Shaw

Degree: B Soc Sci II

Pensketch:

- 1981 Immigrated to South Africa from UK
1988 Matriculated at Victoria Girls High School
Service to school trophy
1989 Registered at Rhodes University for a B Soc Sci

Manifesto:

OPPIES PERCIEVE the SRC to be a distant and ineffectual body which does little to serve their interests.

This is not true. I aim to ensure effective communication between Oppies and the SRC and also to find out what Oppie concerns are and how the SRC can most effectively address these.

For example I think Oppies should receive an Oppie Newsletter at least once a month. This would not just be to promote politics or the SRC image but to really serve Oppies.

If places in digs become available Oppies should be informed of this. A swap column could be included.

I feel that in future the SRC should spend more time helping students with their problems and less time pursuing a brand of politics which is really only supported by a minority of students.

At the same time the SRC does have a political role and should continue to take a strong stand against apartheid.