

# The Normal Vector $\Sigma$ SS

*Not Just Another Cross Product*

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## VANCOUVER...

On October 23, 1990 the Administration Board was presented with the Mathematica Sciences Society's funding proposal for the Vancouver Trip by President Rob Davis. The board decided to give the MSS \$750 towards this excursion. Rob requested \$1600

which means that other fundraising efforts will take place to make up the difference.

Those members wishing to partake in the trip, are encouraged to pay their deposits to Treasurer Graham Denham as soon as possible. The trip has been budgeted for twenty people maximum. Places will be reserved on a first come first basis. This spots are going to fill quickly, pay your deposit as soon as possible to ensure a place is reserved for you on the Reading Week trip.

## *About the Normal Vector...*

The Normal Vector is the official newsletter of the U of A Mathematical Sciences Society. Its mandate is to communicate to members ongoing MSS events. Your comments are welcome and encouraged. Give Rhonda Rosychuk your feedback, it will be appreciated.

## *MSS Sells Snack*

In an effort to continually serve the members who frequent the Math Common Room, the MSS has introduced a new culinary delicacy. Not only are carbonated beverages available for a nominal fee of 75 cents, but the MSS has introduced the sale of Nachos.



*Happy Halloween!*

These zesty snacks are priced at half a loonie per bag and are located in the CAB 549 fridge.

If you are not interested in these items, coffee is available in the Math Lounge for a cheap 25 cents a cup. Bring your favorite mug to enjoy the fresh coffee before your classes.

## **Not Another Lecture**

Daryle Tilroe is currently arranging the next of the "Not Just Another Lecture" lecture series. Dr. Khanna of the Physics Department will be the the next speaker to give a lecture in November. A tentative date has not been chosen as yet, members are advised to watch for publicity posters for the final date and time for the upcoming lecture.