The return of The Well.

After a two-year

absence, Regent's

café has returned.

What are we Regent students if not machines specialized in the transformation of caffeine into theology? Unfortunately for us, however, our past two years as a student body have been marked by treacherous walks beyond the safe borders of Regent's campus into an unforgiving sea of extremely un-theological café or restaurant environments which probably don't even play our favourite Disney soundtracks while we wait in line.

It is true that the wider UBC campus which surrounds Regent attempts to offer some semblance of our beloved Well - but let's be honest about them for a moment.

Loafe Café is a great place to go if you intend to remortgage your home in exchange for a small latte.

Great Dane? More like "pug", amirite?

JJ Bean? Awesome place if you survive the deadly game of Frogger that you have to play with roughly 18 city buses in order to get there.

"But what about our beloved McDonald's?" I can hear you all asking. And you know what, I actually love McDonald's coffee in a very nostalgic comfort-food sort of way, but what I don't love so much is having to hear a chorus of McDonald's employees fearfully shouting "IT'S THE ONE-HUNDRED NUGGET MAN!" as soon as I walk in.

(Seriously - that was **ONE** time, it was **FOUR** years ago, and I am **TIRED** of hearing about it)

But anyway, all of this is beside the point.

What matters is that Regent's own beloved Café has reopened its doors this last week, and our faithful barista, AJ, plans to be there every weekday from 8 AM - 1 PM to serve you up some espresso, sing you some Disney tunes, and earnestly inform you that you are absolutely rocking your outfit that day. Is there anything else you could possibly want at 8 AM on a Tuesday?

The Well offers fresh drip coffee every morning, as well as a variety of espresso-based beverages.

As members of the Regent community I would suggest that it is right and good for us to rally around AJ as he reopens his doors, and support our own community Café insofar as we are able to. Coming out of the lonely messiness of the last two years has been a slow and emotional road for all of us, but the reopening of the Well might just be the ray of sunshine on the horizon that we all needed this fall to remind us that our community is still very much alive and thriving.





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WE ARE SORRY, HAPE.

- The ETC. Team

It is with great shame and remorse that the editorial team of ETC. must admit that the previous issue (Fall 2022, Issue #2) contained a grievous typo in which the name of our beloved friend, Hape Teggert, was misspelled.

The typo in question occurred in a short reflective piece titled "38 Dollars", in which the author reflected on the human capacity for evil in light of the \$38 he owed to the library in late fees.

Hape Teggert appeared briefly in the beginning of the story, though, much to our chagrin, her name erroneously appeared as "Hope Teggert".

Since publication of the article, numerous members of the Regent community have contacted the editor in defence of their favourite library employee.

"Do you guys know that her name is spelled with an 'a'?" one concerned text message read.

"You guvs should have the common decency to proofread your articles for these typos." Another message suggested - less friendly than the first.

But most of the complaints came in person. Numerous concerned ETC. readers made the commendable effort to find us in person on campus and inform us that Hape's name should have been spelled with an "a".

The ETC. team does not deny nor downplay the seriousness of this offence. ETC. strives to be the voice of the Regent student body, and such abysmal errors and signs of disrespect cannot be compatible with this goal.

It is thus with sorrow in our chests and tears burning in our eyes that we repent of this mistake and beg the forgiveness of the community.

Hape, we are sorry.

Overheard at Regent

"It was in a secular airplane...well, I guess most airplanes are secular."

"Bird of Paradise

My friends show me pictures they've longed to capture, of birds they've been chasing their whole lives, the years of patient desire suddenly enough closed in the snap of a camera's shutter; the memory of a single moment that calls out, rustles its feathers, and disappears into the trees.

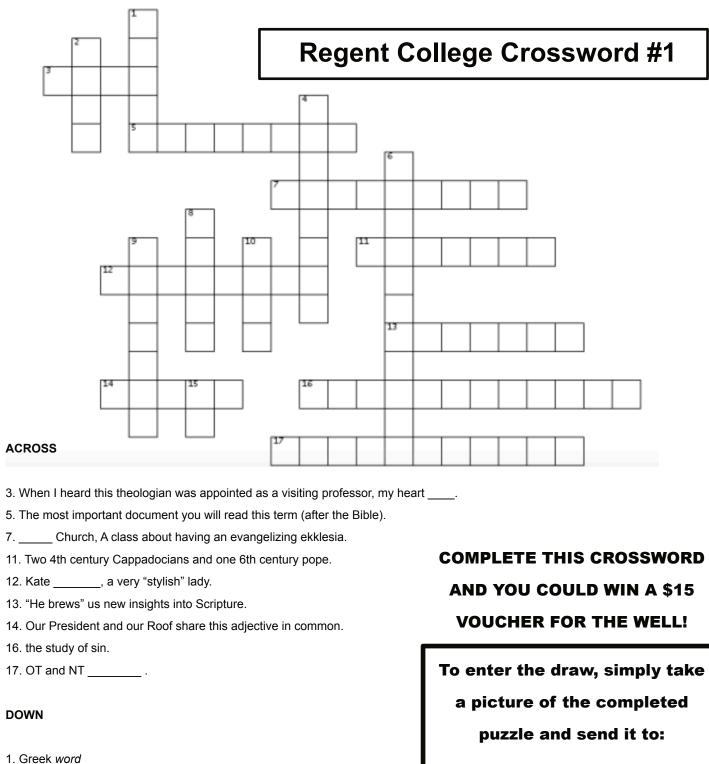
Good feels like such a moment: suddenly before me, Deus ex nihilo, displaying His along for an instant, the Light imprinting Himself on me for what I hope is forever but then is gone almost before I realize it and all I have telt is the snapshot of a memory which I puzzle over and pin to the wall chasing understanding like a voird of paradise.

- Steven Gomez

Dad Joke of the Week

I have accepted a new senior position at Old MacDonald's Farm.

I will be the new CIEIO.



4. Treasured book collection of the Allison Library.

10. The first name of a Professor who is simply electric.

15. Cetera, Latin phrase meaning "And the rest of such things"

6. Søren ____

8. a Hebrew breeze.

9. Christian Thought and

etcetera@regent-college.edu 2. One accidental tap will render speechless the most loquacious lecturers. Deadline to enter is 12:00 PM, October 11, 2022.