

THE LINGUIST'S GUIDE TO CLARK: TERMS TO KNOW

DAKA: the food service, no matter what its name is now; also used to refer to the UC dining hall.
[pronounced DAY-kuh]

DAPPERJACKS: UC clique known for their unpretentious elitism and snappy dressing style.

THE DAPPERJACK LOUNGE: once the Specialty Store, now the UC's first-floor tv lounge

THE GREEN: semi-common name for the big grassy area in the middle of campus.

ICK: Pronouncement of the abbreviation I.C., refers to the International Cafe, where the Bistro is located.

MCCF FORM: green piece of heavy paper/light cardboard where you finalize your class registration, either by getting signatures or defaulting to your pre-registration choices. Nobody knows what "MCCF" really means.

THE NARROW VIEW: 1.) The view taken by a person or group who refuses to get the big picture ("I deserve to graduate, but the College Board takes the Narrow View.") 2.) ironic: as in, "I tried to get a loan with no collateral, but the bank took the Narrow View." [origin: film Brain Candy, 1996]

PACKING A HOWIE: A person who is outwardly uninspiring, but is a tough, resourceful, quality individual, is said to be this. (eg, "I know he's not much to look at, but his roommate says he's packing a howie.")

STUDCo: Student Council.

TRICKY DICK: Once President Nixon, now President Traina

VAX GEEKS: regular contributors in the Bulletin community, opposite of a "lurker." [not a pejorative!]

VAX LURKER (OR SIMPLY "LURKER"): one who reads Bulletin semi-regularly but rarely if ever posts.