

READERS WRITE

On the sidelines

I happened to be reading *The Casket* and once again I am seeing Mike Brown's name in print. I am not so sure how others feel about his continuous rambling.

Mr. Brown has become tiresome in his opinions and I believe that the public has democratically voted to put someone else in his seat. Might I suggest that maybe his out-of-line comments (i.e. "glorified welfare recipients," referring to the Women's Resource Centre) and his treatment of other board member may have put him in the position he sits: on the sidelines instead of on the board.

Please allow the board to at least make an attempt to get off the ground before we start shooting. I believe we have some fresh faces as well as some of old experience; the members of the board I would hope have the best interest of our students in mind. Just allow these people we have elected to represent our children do their jobs.

Furthermore, I have never noticed that Mr. Machnik is unable to speak for himself; he holds the seat and let him represent us. Stop the mud-slinging and face the reality, Mr. Brown — that you are no longer a SRSB member and we have elected competent individuals that, surprisingly enough, are able to make informed decisions. I have every confidence they will be able to function without Mr. Brown's help.

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