



Rod Noble



Adrian Shackley

At the end of this year Adrian Shackley and Rod Noble will be leaving UNE. Both Adrian and Rod have been extensively involved in student affairs for a number of years (Adrian 5 years and Rod 3 years) and have left an indelible mark on the student body as far as participation, involvement and convictions are concerned.

Adrian, besides being a past president of the Students Representative Council, has been involved in activities concerning aborigines (especially the local people), workers control, conscription (draft resister), Vietnam, CMF, student housing, academic government, Australian University Students (AUS) attending approximately 8 Council Meetings and effectively making Armidale's presence felt, socialism (SAM), Fees increase issue, Nucleus, Rural Science Faculty, Chile and many other issues that have been of concern to the students of New England.

Rod in his relatively short time here has significantly contributed to student life at UNE. Especially the SRC and AUS (as AUS secretary). Rod's other activities (including most of those mentioned for Adrian) could be summarized by the dictum of "Socialist Australia".

Whether or not you agree with their methods or some of their objectives, it must be acknowledged that both Adrian and Rod have worked for students and generally society.

I thank them and I hope others will do so.

Paul Bayfield

