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Students 'Forge' ahead with naming of fitness centre

The new fitness centre at the University of Windsor's St. Denis Centre was christened "**The Forge**" at a ribbon-cutting grand opening ceremony yesterday.~



University of Windsor President Ross Paul, architect Joseph Passa, Organization of Part-time University Students President Ed King, University of Windsor Students' Alliance President Julia Campbell and Vice President Finance Tahir Amlani, and Campus Recreation Coordinator Sandra Ondracka prepare to cut a ribbon marking the official grand opening of the new fitness centre, The Forge.

The name was selected from more than 300 entries in a contest run by the University of Windsor Students' Alliance and the student newspaper, *the Lance*. Two students independently suggested the name: Andrew J. Sasso and Andy Pilkington. They will each receive a lifetime membership to the centre, have their contribution noted on a permanent plaque mounted at the entrance — and a random draw will determine which receives a free iPod.

First-year law student Simmi Sidhu exercised on a cross-training machine during the ceremony, and said the new centre is a big improvement: "It's really impressive. I like all the new equipment."

[Click here for the full story](#), including the reasoning behind the name The Forge.