MSC GOES UNIVERSITY

Collegewide Meeting
Sets 1970 Plans for University Status.

By Michael Heaney
Staff Reporter

A collegewide meeting to inform students concerning recent developments and future plans affecting the division of Montclair State College into five schools will be held this morning at 9:30 in Panzer gym.

Four speakers will outline changes made in the college structure during the past year. President Thomas H. Richardson will briefly describe the reorganization of the college structure. Kenneth Traynor, SGA president, will describe the planned change from departmental representation to school representation in the SGA legislature.

Dr. Samuel Pratt, resident planner for academic affairs, will give a rundown of the progress being made in each of the new schools. Mr. John Zvosec, master plan architect, will outline the physical development of the college.

Beginning at 1:30 p.m., meetings of the five schools will be held to discuss the new structure. Students will be excused from classes to attend these meetings. Meeting places of the individual schools will be announced at the morning session.

5 Schools Provide Added Courses, Departments.

By Don Pendley
Editorial Assistant

The most recent developments concerning MSC's changeover from a teacher-preparation/liberal arts college to a multipurpose university status institution will be discussed today at six meetings; one, a collegewide meeting to be held in Panzer gym at 9:30 a.m.; the other five to be meetings of each of the five schools to be held at 1:30 p.m.

Changes in the MSC structure originally stem from a document released last October by the institutional planning committee and called "The Tentative Statement of Policies and Goals," which categorized each of Montclair State's needs.

These included: "Communication Among Scholars," in developing an institution where people join together in the pursuit of knowledge; "Synthesis of Knowledge," including the reorganization of MSC into several schools; "Recording, Publishing, and Circulating." "Service to Social Institutions" developing programs which would involve MSC with the basic social institutions, presently including Project TRY and Upward Bound; "Comprehensive Personal Growth"; and a "Direct Confrontation of Alternative Ideas" permitting MSC to be constantly reviewing and planning.

New schools, developed in conjunction with the statement are:

**Applied Arts and Sciences** comprising the departments of social work, home economics, physical education, industrial education and technology, library science and crime professions.

**Creative Arts** including the departments of speech and theatre, dance, creative writing, music and art.

**Humanities** in which will be the departments of English, Spanish, French, Italian, Russian, German, Latin, Greek, Swahili and philosophy.

**Mathematics and Science** including the departments of mathematics, biology, chemistry, and physics-earth science.

**Social and Behavioral Sciences** composed of the departments of history, anthropology, economics, geography, sociology, psychology and political science.

SIGNING OFF

Warning of the campus roadblock to turn the Life Hall area into a pedestrian mall, all traffic has now been rerouted behind Sprague library. The idea is to turn MSC into a "walking campus." See story on page 2.
Traffic Takes a Turn

Life Hall Mall Eliminates Roadway

By Susan Dominski
Staff Reporter

"We'd like to make this a walking campus," declared Mr. Vincent B. Calabrese, vice-president of business services in reference to the experimental pedestrian mall which is taking shape on the MSC campus.

To create this mall which will consist of the area between Life Hall and the Finley-Mallory complex, the road entering campus from Valley road at the south end of the campus will be blocked off. Through traffic in front of Life, Finley and Mallory halls will also be stopped. All traffic will be rerouted behind Mallory.

Calabrese stated that this plan is an experiment to test the feasibility of a permanently landscaped park area in the heart of the campus.

To enter and leave the parking lot behind Webster Hall it will be necessary to drive through the main parking lot behind the library. This road leading back to Webster Hall will be converted into a two-lane road on which parking will be prohibited.

Calabrese claimed that the idea was formed last June and was studied by students, faculty and administrators over the summer. He added that the majority of the group were enthusiastic about the idea. He called it "an effort to resolve the conflict between the automobile and the human being." He said the number of pedestrians and cars in this area creates a serious safety hazard.

The business director mentioned that one problem which is anticipated will be channelling all traffic entering the campus through the library parking lot. He assured that the snow removal process will be facilitated by this change, but warned that there may be slight parking shortages because the parking lot between the music building and the speech wing will be closed.

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Necessary Repairs Aid Campus Dorms

By Jeanne Schneider
Staff Reporter

Residence-hall students may find some compensation for the $185 rent increase they are paying this year. Work was done during the summer to make dormitory living more comfortable.

Bathrooms in the north-end of Chapin Hall were renovated. Remodeling of the south end will be completed this fall. Color schemes for showers and walls were chosen by residents last spring. Carpets in the main lounge and television-room were cleaned.

Freeman Hall residents have new stoves and ovens in the fifth and seventh floor lounges. Beds for bathroom shelves will be distributed this week. Installation is expected this semester.

Students returning to Russ Hall will find that their rooms have been painted the colors they selected last spring. Draperies in that building have been cleaned also. Preliminary work has been done for the renovation of the main lounge. Plans are now in Trenton awaiting approval.

Stone Hall men will also be living in newly painted rooms this year. Draperies which last year's residents chose are being hung.

Trenton officials approved the installation of "sound barriers" for Webster Hall — rugs have been placed in the main lounge and hallways to reduce noise. Draperies were replaced where needed. Stairways and kitchen areas were painted. Heating problems in Webster Hall are being investigated for solutions this year.

Traffic congestion at Montclair State College will be lessened as the plans for the construction of an overpass bridge and a parking lot are undertaken. The main purpose of this bridge is to provide an additional entrance and exit for the campus. At present, only three access and two exit points exist, all located on Normal avenue.

Present plans, to be completed Oct. 15, indicate that the bridge is to be built over the existing Erie-Lackawanna railroad tracks that parallel the campus along the west side and is to connect Clove road, a municipal road belonging to Little Falls, and the existing on-campus freshman parking lot, which also parallels the west boundary.

Studies are so underway to determine the economic and physical feasibilities of creating either a parking lot at the Clove road approach to the bridge or a multilevel parking garage on the freshman parking lot. The new lot at Clove road would provide 200 spaces while the garage could handle approximately 1500 to 2000 cars.

Funds for the garage would be handled through the Higher Educational Facilities Authority and would most likely come from the $10 rates students now pay for parking decals, according to Mr. Vincent B. Calabrese, vice-president of business services.

Calabrese also estimated that these rates would probably increase, if the decision to build the garage were approved.

Although the land across the planned bridge site is presently owned by a private owner, Calabrese sees no problem for the future regarding Montclair State's eventual ownership of this property once the state purchases the land.

The campus architects responsible for studying and planning these proposed constructions are Urbahn-Mahony and Zvosec, together with Mr. Anton Tedesco, a consulting engineer.
Club Plans Festive '69-'70

By Mike Andrea
Staff Reporter

The College Life Union Board's social calendar starts off this year with soul singers' Sam and Dave high-lighting the Homecoming weekend Oct. 10-12.

CLUB has again planned numerous concerts, films, lectures and plays. Among the additions this year will be varying Alley Club themes and Late Afternoon Fun Sessions (LAFS).

CLUB's first major event will be a dramatic production by the Negro Ensemble Company on Oct. 7. Following this will be Homecoming, with its float construction and Friday night concert, Saturday's Homecoming parade and game against Central Connecticut; with the Sam and Dave concert concluding this big weekend.

The annual Christmas Ball is set for Dec. 18 with a Late Afternoon Fun Session planned on Dec. 19 prior to the Christmas recess.

CLUB's Winter Weekend (Feb. 6-8) will feature winter sports, a current movie and a concert. The performers of the concert have not yet been chosen.

Carnival is planned for May 8 and 9. This year Carnival will run two days instead of the traditional three, probably to aid the massive cleanup which always follows this weekend.

The Spring Weekend (May 15-17) with another popular concert, movie, etc., concludes the CLUB calendar for 1969-70.

BUZZ DAY AT MSC

Col. Edwin E. Aldrin Jr. looks pensive as he enters Life Hall cafeteria with the Mrs. on Sept. 6 — the day MSC and the town joined in welcoming its moonwalking son. During the daylong festivities the astro went through numerous speeches, a parade and a dinner at the college. A highlight of the dinner was the college's presentation to Buzz of an honorary doctor of letters degree, the first such degree to be awarded at MSC. Buzz presented the college with a framed picture of himself on the moon's surface inscribed to the faculty and students of Montclair State College.

Social-Emotional Problems Cause College Drop Outs

By Donald S. Rosser
Special to the Montclarion

Some students leaving this month for college may return sooner than expected. Fifty per cent of all entering freshmen never make it through the four years to graduation.

Because dropouts often pack up and leave without an exit interview, colleges do not know the specific reasons for many departures. However, they can lump most of them into two categories: academic failure and emotional-social troubles.

More students quit college for academic reasons than any other. Attrition is especially high among freshmen, even those who coasted through high school earning top grades.

Social and emotional problems rank a close second as the cause of college quitting. These range from severe mental disorders to such problems as immaturity and non-conformity. In most cases, say the psychologists, the emotional problem does not originate at college. The student brings it to college with him.

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One fear nagging college officials is that the best minds are dropping out - some with complaints about course irrelevance, others just disappearing into the night.

Colleges are finally recognizing that they do not fulfill their responsibility to youth by simply dropping them onto the campus to sink or swim.

Reception Set

A reception and tea recognizing students who have qualified for the academic honors list for the spring semester will be held on Oct. 13 from 4 through 5:30 p.m.

Invitations are being mailed to students who have attained an average of 3.5 or better for the spring semester. All members of the faculty and the administration are also being invited to attend.

Dr. Samson McDowell, recently appointed acting vice-president for instruction, will be in charge of the event.

QUARTERLY

The Literary Magazine of Montclair State College announces a "Get Acquainted Tea" on Wednesday, Sept. 24, 10-2 p.m.

in the Quarterly office, 2nd Floor, Life Hall.

QUARTERLY is now accepting submissions year-round.

Prose, Poetry, and Art Work may be submitted to boxes outside Fishbowl, in the Quarterly office, 2nd Floor, Life Hall, and to any Quarterly staff member.
Road Blocking

Probably the most obvious change to the MSC campus this fall is the installation of a road block across the Life Hall-Sprague library area. The new setup prohibits cars to utilize the roads in front of the Life Hall area forcing almost all traffic to wind up behind the library.

The intentions of this traffic reroute are to provide a safer walkway for pedestrians by creating a pedestrian mall. The area will be landscaped and the roadways at this present center of campus activity will eventually be done away with.

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Dorm Feed

It's not easy to justify a $182 rise in dormitory fees, especially to financially overburdened student who hears that the reason for the price rise is that the money will be used for the construction of future dormitories.

Since the increase was initiated by the state, there was nothing that the local administration could do to reverse the fee.

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However, there was something they could do to make dormitory conditions a little more pleasant - paint the walls, redecorate the lounges - and fortunately improvements were made in all five dormitories over the summer.

Hopefully, these improvements will be maintained throughout the year. The $182 fee can't very well be justified but at least maintenance will make it bearable.

Illegal in Argentina!

By Penny Lernoux

Buenos Aires - A rose by any other name may smell as sweet, but in Argentina it could be illegal. The authoritarian military regime is now concerned with nomenclature.

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Karyn Sauvigne: Opinion Right

Government by Remote Control

Conservatives come in all shapes and forms, and are far from united. But one basic assumption of conservatism today is that personal freedoms are being eroded away by the "power structure" and the liberals than are being eroded away by the "power structure" and the liberals than is presently, associated with curtailment of personal freedoms - freedoms often called human rights. These freedoms have been eroded away by power-hungry legislators and self-appointed benevolent planners within the power structure.

Barbara Fischer: Opinion Left

The Group Stays Together

...TO SAY HELLO IN VIETNAMESE ...

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A Little Ditty That Gets To the Nitty Gritty

By Donald S. Rosser

Special In the Montclarion

City dwellers rioted; the poor people demonstrated; students closed down their schools; but the biggest blow struck against "the establishment" this year was a song entitled "Harper Valley PTA." So successful was this humorous piece of social criticism that at least one college professor is analyzing its deeper meanings.

"Doublet, the underdog syndrome to which Americans are particularly vulnerable is operating here," says Dr. John Jarolimek, chairman of curriculum and instruction at the University of Washington. That a "little nobody" could confront "one of society's most sacred institutions, the PTA - and win - disarms the listener completely.

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The Old Testament advises: "Let him who is without sin cast the first stone," says Jarolimek, himself a former PTA president. "They keep the rest of us honest."

"I am delighted that we have people like Misses Johnson around," says Jarolimek, himself a former PTA president. "They keep the rest of us honest."

In the lyrics, a junior high school student relates how her mother, a swinging young widow named Misses Johnson, "socked it to the Harper Valley PTA" after receiving a note signed by the PTA secretary admonishing her for wearing her skirts "way too high," "running around with men," and generally "going wild."
understand how strong a grip this war has on us, you know. Why, at a dinner party: "You can't high powered rifle and my friend's in the elevator shaft." A woman talks to the man in the street, a Chicago policeman, "and my friend's inside', I'm covering the roof — and my friend's inside'."

A view of 1968:

There is an old Negro spiritual about the Great Deluge which ended "No more water, the fire next time." Max Hastings, a 23-year-old British journalist, has written a book to show that the fire has come. It hit the American continent in 1968 and it came in many forms: radical leftist and rightist backlash. The political death of Lyndon Johnson and all too real deaths of Kennedy and King.

"The Fire This Time" is a startling book about "America's year of crisis" by a man who traveled over the country to get to the root of the problem. All too many people have sat back and analyzed 1968; the worthwhileness of Hastings' book is that he lets the people talk for themselves. A Chicago policeman: "I'm covering the roof with my high powered rifle and my friend's in the elevator shaft." A woman at a dinner party: "You can't understand how strong a grip this war has on us, you know. Why, Vietnam is like... like a pet charity!" The man in the street who says that he'll accept "anything to stop these damn riots," and cast his vote for George Wallace. These are the people who make up America, and these are the people who make up this book.

Max Hastings is young and idealistic. He is very much like the creeping majority of young people in America — those who are draft dodgers, or college revolutionaries or civil rights workers in the ghetto. And this is one of the few weaknesses of the book: he is prejudiced. No matter how hard he tries to subvert his own feelings and attempts to be objective, his own personality seeps through.

But this should not be held against him. He is only human, but a human who has written a book that should be read by everyone who is concerned with what happened to America in the 60's and, perhaps more important, what lies ahead in the 70's.

Simon's 'Barefoot' bows at MSC

Players, the drama society of MSC, gets off to a racing start tonight with the first performance of "Barefoot in the Park" at 8:30 p.m. in Memorial Auditorium. Written by Neil Simon, whose "Promises, Promises" is presently a Broadway hit, the play concerns the trials and tribulations of a married couple's first few weeks.

Kathy MacAter and Greg Doucette share the leading roles as Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bratter, living out their life in a one-room apartment high atop a sivery-topped building in Manhattan. Tom Lesko plays Victor Velasco, the "dirty old man" who finally ends up with Corie Bratter's mother, played by Barbara Sholl. Scott Watson and Frank Stanciub wind up the small cast as a telephone repair man and the delivery man, respectively.

Simon Experience

"Barefoot in the Park" is a comic look at married life, largely based on the experiences of Neil Simon. He expresses the hope that all those who view the play will experience a shock of recognition at the universal events and laugh at ourselves.

Players are already planning for the future. "Marathon" by P.C. Weis Auditions will be held Sept. 23, from noon till 3 p.m. and Sept. 24, from 1 to 5 and 7 to 8.

Soliology

TODAY'S ENTERTAINMENT HAS GONE FROM BAD TO WORSE...

...THE LATEST OF THESE MOVIES IS SO AWFUL...

THEY CAN'T MAKE A BOOK OUT OF THIS...

America the Beautiful, an account of its disappearance. Gary MacFarland: Skye Records.

"Oh beautiful for spacious skies, for amber waves of grain..." It was many years ago when those words ceased to be true concerning America the Beautiful. Today, the view of America is more one of purple haze than purple mountains. It's a problem of which the entire population is aware. Now, Gary MacFarland has transmitted the problem into music.

Composers are usually inspired by an emotional issue for their music. Beethoven was fired by Napoleon's armies leveling Europe. MacFarland is enraged by the litter-al armies of garbage that line our city streets. "And what will we leave?" he asks, "Art, beauty, and grandeur — or garbage and more garbage?"

There should be no doubt that MacFarland has made an important record, but it can't stop here, at MSC. Gary MacFarland will not be happy until someone elsewhere has written his theme on the highway and then stops the car to help keep America beautiful.
Clary’s Crew Opens Grid Schedule

By John Aneson
Sports Editor

Head Coach Clary Anderson greeted 65 candidates at Sprague Field on Mon., Sept. 1, as MSC opened preseason drills for its intercollegiate football season.

Anderson, appointed as the Indians’ head coach last January, opened preseason drills for its Field on Mon., Sept. 1, as MSC greeted 65 candidates at Sprague intercollegiate football season.

"there’s no escaping . . ."

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Laugh a lot

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at the Inter-Fraternity Inter-Sorority Dance

Sat. Sept. 20 8 p.m.-midnight

Life Hall Cafeteria

Featuring "The Top of the Ladder"

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The 1969 Indian gridiron machine will open its season this Saturday at East Stroudsburg State Field on the road. The first home contest will be under the lights on Sprague Field against Curry College on Oct. 5.