Montclair State College will open its doors to 2450 new students when the 1974-75 academic year begins on Sept. 5. Alan Buechler, director of admissions, said that 1700 freshmen and 750 transfer students have paid their deposits to hold a place at MSC.

Buechler explained that the number of new students admitted last year when 1900 freshmen and 750 transfers entered MSC's ranks as fulltime undergraduates.

HE ADDED that there was an effort to cut back in this year's freshman enrollment. 'We had too many freshmen last year,' he said.

Although the college was seeking 1800 freshmen both last year and this year, Buechler remarked that more students who received acceptances enrolled than was planned for the 73-74 school year.

Richard Davis, assistant registrar explained that the actual number of students who will attend MSC will be slightly lower than what Buechler termed 'rounded figures' because enrollment would be from 7300 to 7500.

He estimated that the total fulltime undergraduate enrollment would be 'from 7300 to 7500.'

**datebook**

**Mon., Aug. 26**

Students receiving 0-3 credits report to Panzer Gym between 9am and 11am.

Students receiving 4-6 credits between 1 pm - 3 pm.

Evening matriculated students report between 5 pm and 9 pm.

**Tues., Aug. 27**

Students receiving 7-9 credits report between 9 am and 11am.

Students receiving 10-12 credits report between 1 pm and 3 pm.

Evening non-matriculated students report between 5 pm and 9 pm.

**Weds., Aug. 28**

Students receiving 13-15 credits whose name begin with A-L report between 9 am and 11 pm.

Those with names beginning with M-Z between 1 pm and 3 pm.

**Thurs., Aug. 29**

Students receiving 16 or more credits whose names begin with A-L report between 9 am and 11 am.

Those with names beginning M-Z report between 1 pm and 3 pm.
Dear Freshman:

As you glance through this orientation issue, we hope that you will get some idea of what Montclair State College has to offer in extracurricular activities. Mostly, though, we hope that your class will bring with it a character that will change MSC from a ‘commuter school’ to an involved school.

A college where a large majority of the students do not live on campus has a tendency to become impersonal and passive. Students merely go to their classes, spending their time between the classroom and the dorm room. It should be a preparation for the outside world as well as a lesson in cooperation with others to reach some goal or purpose.

College Life Union Board (CLUB) offers cheap and free services and entertainment to those involved and the campus community as a whole. The College Life Union Board (CLUB) offers various services and entertainment. The Black Student cooperative Union (BSCU) provides services and entertainment to those involved and the campus community as a whole.

Every year that you spend here as a undergraduate student, you will give $60 to a Student Government Association which will distribute that cash to provide these services and entertainments.

As you can see, if you register for courses, buy books, have money or eat, you’ve got to stand in a line here sooner or later, most probable sooner. Lines at MSC are quiet, almost passive. The upperclassmen are used to it by now and most tactics to beat the lines fail.

Of course you might try haggling over parking spaces, looking for parking spaces amidst the illegally parked cars without getting a ticket, and, once you’ve gotten the ticket, can meet someone new while you exchange registration info.

Some courses require signatures for admittance and the most fortunate can get to see at least three different buildings while trying to hunt down some elusive prof or department head.

Another campus tour is tied in with the blocked in car. This fun-and-games situation crops up when you’ve got to get to work in half an hour or they’ll dock you a day’s pay and some station wagon is blocking your VW bug. You’ll get to see College Hall and perhaps one or two buildings on campus until searching out the kind soul who thought your car looked lonely.

As you can see, these activities are not by your choice. But such things are a part of the every day life at MSC-and every day life in general.

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MSC: A Lot To Offer

Waiting In Line: MSC Style

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Arts at MSC Thrive and Flourish

In a metropolitan area overflowing with the fine arts, MSC is a reflective microcosm in the areas of theater, film, television, radio, music, dance and art.

Live drama thrives on campus on a year-round basis. Summerfun, the speech/theater department's summer stock program, recently completed its third successful season. Players, the student-run drama organization will present 'The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds' in September, as well as at least two other productions during the 1974-75 year. The Major Theater Series will begin its second season of four productions on Oct. 23 with 'The Happy Hunter.' Audition dates for this production will be announced next month.

MSC's colony of Student Filmmakers screens frequent festivals of their creations and welcomes incoming Bergmans and Fellinis. Low-cost screenings of recent popular and unusual feature films are frequently sponsored by the College Life Union Board (CLUB) and the English department.

Radio station WMSC has assumed FM broadcasting this month after a long campaign to acquire its license. Television facilities include a studio in College Hall and other portable equipment available for student projects through the Audio/Visual center.

Music, constantly in the air, is provided by various organizations in frequent concerts. The Concert Choir, College Choir and the Contemporary Gospel Ensemble are among the prominent choral groups on campus, while the Concert Band and College Orchestra present many recitals.

Dance is a growing field at MSC, with the Dance Club active in rehearsals and recitals, culminating the annual Spring Dance Festival. MSC provides an on-campus showplace for the creations of student artists.

Gallery One in Life Hall spotlights the work of graduate students and off-campus artists, while the newly instituted Gallery 1/2 in the fine arts building features the work of undergraduate students.

There is more to see and experience throughout the year, and MSC, like the arts it provides, is for your own sake.

IN SEARCH OF A TEAHOUSE: Capt. Fisby (at the wheel) listens to the ideas of Lotus Blossom (left) and Sakini when the village decides to build a 'Teahouse of the August Moon,' the final Summerfun Theater presentation at MSC. The summer theater program is just one of the dramatic and artistic outlets for students at MSC.

Hey, Dummy!

get the message.

Now that we've got your attention, we'd like to tell you a little about us. We are your newspaper, the MONTCLARION. You spend the money that makes us exist without you we wouldn't be here. But we also wouldn't be here without students who write for us, take pictures for us, keep our books for us, do our graphics and art work for us. Even if you've never written or snapped a shutter, it you've got the desire and the willingness to learn, we need you.

A newspaper can only be as good as the people involved in it. We do not hire writers or editors. We are strictly a non-profit volunteer enterprise. If you're interested in lending a hand, don't be shy. Drop by anytime after Labor Day. We're on the fourth floor of the Student Center, the last office all the way to the right as you get off the elevator. True, it's work. But you'd be surprised how much fun work can be.
Montclair State enters the fall athletic season defending titles in two sports and chasing honors in two others. Here’s a sport by sport rundown of their chances, who to watch and where to watch them:

**Football**

Who to Watch- With star performers Bob Hermanni and Mo Lajterman on the offensive, the award falls into the hands of fullback Ray Vander May and quarterback Craig Hugger. Vander May is a bullish runner from a 188-pounder with good credentials. Hugger failed to impress in '73 but it appears that Hugger, with depth in the backfield, will be the key to the team's offense. A 6-0, 200-pounder with good credentials, Hugger failed to impress in '73 with a .360 completion percentage. The Tribe was able to overcome that last year with depth in the backfield, but it appears that Hugger must come through if MSC is going to go anywhere in '74.

**Cross Country**
Coach-Dr. George Horn, 1973 Record- 7-7-1, NJSCAC Finish-fourth in standings, first in NJSCAC meet, '74 prediction-second, home course-Garrett Mountain, West Paterson, opening meet- Sept. 21 at New London, Conn. vs. Albany State and U.S. Coast Guard Academy.

Who to Watch- Tim O'Donoghue, an All-America selection last year in addition to firsts in the NJSCAC's and Collegiate Track Conference meets, returns to the roads without Joe Kornakowski, another All-America in '73. O'Donoghue took or tied for first place in nine of the Indians' fifteen meets last year, but it will take a little more from the rest of the squad if MSC expects to get over .500 for the season. Other returning harriers include Bill Arata, Mike Exton, Jon Frankel, Jim Fairbanks and Craig Vanderbeck.

**Soccer**
Coach-Bob Wolfarth, 1973 Record- 7-3-5, NJSCAC Finish-third, '74 prediction-second, home field-Brookdale Park, Bloomfield, opening game - Sept. 21 vs Hartwick

Leading goal scorer Joe Cozza and stellar fullback Nick Mykulak are gone, but the slack should be taken up by junior Manny Menendez, who scored six goals last season. Bill Gaertner, who collected six, and Dick Moore with five in '73. Chuck Doran returns to the nets that earned him an honorable mention on the All-NJSCAC team while Bob Fixter is back as fullback. The schedule doesn’t give the Tribe any breaks, with games slated against nationally ranked Hartwick, Long Island University, Adelphi University and defending state champ, Newark College of Engineering.

**Field Hockey**
Coach- Donna Olson, 1973 Record- 6-4, home field- Brookdale Park, opening game- Oct. 9 vs Kings College

Who to Watch- Sophomore right inner Kim Hamilton made the New Atlantic All-College third team last year and will return with Karin Dahnstrom, another third team selection. MSC loses only two players to graduation, with Kathy Serback, Pat Carty, Marianne Valenti, Julie Schrader and Maria Chappell all coming back.

**Women's Tennis**
Coach- Linda Galate, 1973 Record- 4-4, home courts-behind Pittser Field, opening match- Sept. 17 vs Seton Hall

Linda Galate is the new coach, taking over the reins from Denise Fiore, as women's tennis, previously a spring sport, is moved to the fall. Mary Ellen Mahan and Roberta Vasko come off a fine season as doubles partners while Didi Wein and Pixie Falcon return to their singles spots.

**Sports Scene**

**Hank Gola**

O.K., so you’re about to enter Montclair State with little or no expectations of a major athletic program. And somewhere between kindergarten and eighth grade you had you heart set on attending Notre Dame or UCLA.

Well, while this institution on the hill doesn’t have Ara Parseghian, the Longhorn Band or Bill Walton, it does offer a varied and powerful small college sports schedule.

**The MSC Indians** are a perennial power in most sports in the New Jersey State College Athletic Conference, and took three loop titles in ’73-74 in addition to one national crown and a Metropolitan Conference championship in wrestling.

But the Tribe’s squads aren’t the only teams to watch. MSC has the most developed women’s program in the state, with teams in seven sports, including the nationally ranked and defending state champ basketball contingent.

**Last year’s biggest thrills were provided by the weightlifting and wrestling squads, both of which perform in the winter season. Led by record shattering performances by US champ and Olympian Phil Grippaldi, the Indians swept to the AAU National Collegiate Weightlifting Championships before a sellout Panzer Gym throng last March.**

**MEANWHILE, THE grapplers set a new record in capturing the Metropolitan championship by sending nine men out of a possible ten to the final mat at Panzer. Then the Tribe took off for Wilkes Barre, Pa. only to finish a disappointing third in the College Division III nationals. Nabil Guketlov was the lone Tribesman to win a championship, sweeping through the 126 pound class to add to his 4-0 season record. Guketlov, who returns this year, later put the only blemish on that mark when he lost, 6-5, to Lehigh’s Mike Fricke in the University Division championships at Ames, Iowa.**

The Squawks won their third straight state title in basketball when they topped Glassboro State at Seton Hall. But they had the misfortune of drawing national champ Immaculata College in the first round of the Atlantic Coast regionals and dropped a tough decision to the Mighty Mights from Pennsylvania.

It was a wierd season for the football team, which went unbeaten in the NJSCAC, including a convincing win over Lambert Bowl candidate Jersey City State. But both stars didn’t have nearly the same success against their independent foes, losing four out of six contests to round out their overall record at 6-4.

**THE LEGS of little Bob Hermanni and the talented instep of Moses Lajterman made the difference for the gridders last year. But both stars have become New York Stars, leaving Coach Clary Anderson with a lot of hole to fill up.**

In baseball, the Indians rode power hitting to the conference championship and a berth in the College Division Eastern Regionals. They came within one game of capturing the tourney, losing in the deciding game against Seton Hall University.

The other conference championship went to the cross-country team, which won the state college meet behind Tim O'Donoghue and Joe Kornakowski. O'Donoghue, a native of Ireland, is back but the other half of the All-America duo has graduated.

**GREAT THINGS** are also expected from the soccer team, with its gregling slate, and the basketball five, which opens up with its toughest game ever against Memphis State.

So MSC sports are more than what they’re cranked up to be. It’s an exciting program even without the big-time trimmings.