President of college announces resignation

By Frank Rosa

At the board of trustees meeting last Thursday, Dr. David W. D. Dickson, president of the college since 1973, announced that he will resign his post three months after his 65th birthday (Feb. 16, 1984). Although he did not nominate a successor to his office, Dickson described some of the problems that lie ahead for the next president of MSC.

"We are expected to fulfill the legitimate financial needs of the college, but our influence and even that of our board on our budget is very slight," Dickson said. "The budget which is finally adopted comes about through labyrinthine processes, especially after it leaves the Board of Higher Education and goes to the Treasurer and the Bureau of the Budget. What happens there is often outside of understood formulas and beyond the knowledge or effective intervention of the president or the board."

After the meeting, Dickson discussed some of the details of his resignation. He said his decision to retire was made entirely on his own. He said he was getting "weary" of the office and the restrictions he and the school continually faced from the "Trenton bureaucracy."

Dickson said the academic and physical growth of the college were two of his major accomplishments during his administration. Dickson also described some of his other major accomplishments during his administration at MSC. He said he was responsible in part for improving the general education requirement and the writing skills of the students. He influenced the construction of Sprague field, Blanton Hall, and the Student Center Annex. Dickson also developed the Project THISTLE and the Institution for the Advancement of Philosophy for Children, which educates children in conceptual and philosophical skills.

Dickson emphasized that he played a valuable role in forming a faculty senate to deal with major issues concerning the college and effectively reorganizing MSC's academic structure into five separate schools, a task he described as the most controversial he ever undertook.

Dickson applauded the fund raising efforts of the college which has seen alumni contributions increase by tenfold in the last decade. "We have lost endowments from corporations and individuals double since he took office. Along with the accomplishments, Dickson admitted to some failures during his term. Many of those, he said, stemmed from the reduction of aid and the financial restriction put upon him by the state. He said these hampered efforts in improving faculty research and development, purchasing supplies and upgrading minority hiring.

"We've done well in the administrative, clerical and non-teaching fields with regard to minorities," Dickson said, "but we're lacking minorities in teaching positions."

Dickson said that over the years he has had a good rapport with the faculty. However, he does admit that faculty morale has declined, because of decreasing enrollment and salary reductions.

"The faculty feel I should have been more vigorous in opposing the Chancellor (of Higher Education) and the cutbacks," Dickson said. "The faculty doesn't realize how powerless a president is in these cases."

Just as in other areas of life, Dickson said politics play too much of a role in the MSC administration.

"One of the big troubles of being a college president is you have many constituencies with different expectations," Dickson said. "Contrary to what people say, that's why the average tenure of a college president is only five years."

He also pointed to the matters of tenure and promotion as the most frustrating to him. "When you place a person in his position you have to make it identifiable. Although he thought he was "approachable" to the students over the years, Dickson said he was not as visible as he could have been.

As for the condition of state colleges, Dickson said that it has improved since the time he took office, despite the cutbacks in aid.

"The market for faculty is much better than it has been," Dickson said. But he did admit that the public institutions in the east are still considered poor cousins to private colleges in the state. "We have the Trenton bureaucracy that the private institutions don't have," Dickson said. "But we need more flexibility to change and grow. We've got to let people know the quality and importance of our schools." After he leaves office in 1984, Dickson said he plans to return to teaching English, preferably at MSC, until shortly after his 70th birthday.

"I long to go back to the books and the students," Dickson said.
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Document on student cheating reviewed at faculty meeting

By Margaret Readdy

Student grievances and sanctions, faculty promotions, and classroom evaluations were among the topics discussed at the faculty senate meeting last week.

The Administrative Affairs Council distributed copies of policy 7B and 8 of the student grievance and sanctions document. Section 7B defines academic dishonesty, which includes plagiarism, cheating, and duplicate assignments. The section also outlines procedures to be followed in any case.

Section 8 describes sanctions for non-academic offenses, which refer to anything contrary to state law and the rules of the school. Vandalism was among the violations described.

Concerning these files, Armstrong said, "We routinely destroy files one to two years after the student graduates or transfers. The student has the right to examine the files before this takes place."

It was reported at the meeting there is a great deal of dissatisfaction concerning the current procedures. The faculty wants to strengthen the faculty review board, which receives appeals from faculty who have been denied promotions. One way to accomplish this would be for the board to review resumes.

According to the administration, a central committee composed of representatives from each school would decrease the number of grievances and claims. It was noted that the psychology, math, and English departments have the most appeals and grievances. Many of the Spanish and English departments also leaning toward this trend.

The purpose of the classroom evaluation committee is to determine whether there is any correlation between the learning environment and student performance.

The first phase of this evaluation was a form devised by the committee to rate the quality of classroom instruction. Approximately 20 classrooms that were designated substandard were evaluated. The second phase is for all general purpose classrooms to be evaluated by those faculty who use those classrooms.

By Frank Rosa

The resignation of Dr. David W. Dickson as vice president for academic affairs and the resignation of Dr. Armstrong as chair of the personnel committee, called for an improvement in the "promotion and retention of minorities." She said the college had a net gain of only three black professors this year.

Dr. Armstrong has been my mentor, chairman of the board, discussed the deficiencies in the computer science department, referring to a summer jobs recruitment program by the Bell Telephone Company. Hawkins said, "Bellevue was helpful, so to MSC in computer science, their students get jobs over MSC students."

McNair said the college had asked the state for one million dollars for the budget, but was promised $50,000. The state board also promised $50,000 for the budget. Hawkins said the state is not tracking the right dollar or the right school for each of the last two years was never appropriated because of an error made by the state's treasury department.

"The academic computer readout was never corrected," Hawkins said. "I talked to the treasury department, but nobody there is willing to say, 'I made a mistake,'" he said.

This prompted May to call a vote for a formal protest to the treasury department. It was approved unanimously.

After the vote, Dr. Catherine Wilkins, faculty representative to the board, said the faculty-student ratio will increase to 15:1 next year, the highest in the state. Dr. Milicent Anisfeld, secretary to the board, attributed this to the reductions in state aid for MSC.

"We get less money per full-time student than any other college in the state," Anisfeld said.

May scheduled a meeting of the Honor's Committee for March 4. He announced that a GSA proposal to open a better lines of communication between both organizations. The GSA has been celebrating its tenth anniversary and is now open 24 hours a day and has a staff of 35 people. Maramaldi said that the center is much more than a suicide hot-line, providing information and referrals on a variety of topics.

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SGA plugs student lobby day

By Dianne Szahe

Peter Maramaldi, director of the Drop-in Center, addressed the legislature at this week's meeting of the SGA to open better lines of communication between both organizations.

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Business administration minor planned for liberal art majors

By Lidia Willenberg

In response to student demand, the school of business administration is proposing a business administration minor for liberal arts majors. This proposal must first be approved by the All-College Curriculum Committee, the board of trustees, and the president and vice president of academic affairs.

Dr. Desai, dean of the school of business administration, said he does not anticipate any obstacles. His "optimistic assessment" is that the new academic program will be put into effect as early as next fall.

Presently, the possibility for non-majors to take business courses is very slim due to over-enrollment in the department. Desai said. The new minor, however, will provide the necessary foundation for liberal arts students who wish to pursue graduate education in the field of business.

According to Desai, only 100 students will be admitted into this program each year because of limited resources and an already high number of business majors. Eligible applicants must maintain a 3.2 GPA in their liberal arts major or a 3.2 GPA in the prerequisite courses for the program by the fall of their sophomore year.


Desai said the intensity involved in completing this curriculum warrants individual counseling for the student starting his or her freshman year. MSC plans to hold two information sessions in the fall of each year to reach and explain this program to interested students.

"When looking for a job, you have to be marketable," Alan Swinefach, a sophomore psychology major, said. "At one point or another, you're going to be involved in a business setting, so this minor would be very advantageous," he said.

To accommodate this program, the business department will hire two more teachers and slowly restrict admission to the school of business. "We wish to reduce the intake of freshmen, especially in the evening division, and utilize the available resources to serve liberal arts majors," Desai said.

"Liberal arts majors will benefit from such a program," John Scott Falkenberg, a senior psychology major, said. "The English language and its clear usage is important in business transactions and the program should be an asset to the student as well as the employer," he said.

Members of the faculty senate at last week's meeting discussed student grievances, faculty promotions, and classroom evaluations.

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Medieval and Renaissance club sheds a light on Dark Ages

By Jackie Lola

Eat, drink, and be merry. Fantasize. Romantcize. Idolize. The possibilities are endless. And no one knows this better than the Medieval and Renaissance Society.

The Medieval and Renaissance Society is a Class IV organization, chartered by the SGA. Janet Hirsch, president and founder of the society, explains, "Sharing similar interests with others is more than just fun—it's a real learning experience. Dressing up in Medieval costumes, for example, allows the channeling of one's energy into something spectacular."

Dressing in handmade, ornamental attire is just one of the activities this assemblage engages in. Ceremonial gatherings are held annually. Roast pheasant, mustard soup, cabbage salad, and wassail, a medieval spiced drink are just samplings from the menu followed at the Christmas party.

Also, each year, the medievalists spend "a day with a knight," acting, dancing, and jousting at the Sterling Forest Medieval Fair. Trips to the Metropolitan Museum of Art and the Cloisters are included in the group's activities as well.

The society, which has been together for two years, is assisted in part, by faculty advisor Dr. Peter Macaluso, professor in the history department. A written account of activities, accompanied by photographs, is kept in order by Debbie Conner. They even have their own library, which includes classical literature, as well as historical textbooks.

Individual talents are a special attraction this group has to offer. Its cast of characters, all MSC students, include juggler Martha Schulze, magician Dave Stevens, and gallant sword fighters Kirk Wendt and Dan McGee, vice president of the society. And one can't forget Stephanie Wood, the fearless musketeer nor Wayne Bushell, the jeweler who made his very own brass armor.

Anyone interested in joining the society, is always welcome. Meetings are held Thursday mornings at 11 a.m. To find out where they take place, contact Hirsch in The Montclarion office, or stop by Macaluso's office in Rugs Hall.

As a word from Hirsch, "Amidst the Medieval mayhem and Renaissance rambunctiousness, we are trying to shed a little light on the Dark Ages."

MSC students get down to business at computer seminar

By Judy Mongiello

The Administrative Management Society (AMS) is a Class IV organization at MSC which is open to all office systems administration majors and management majors. Presently, the chapter is 100 members strong. The senior chapter of AMS is a national professional organization whose members hold positions in business management.

Last week at the Friar Tuck Inn, Cedar Grove, a joint meeting of these two chapters was held on College Night. The theme of the program was productivity.

Lewis Tappan, an IBM advisory marketing representative, conducted a workshop on "People Side of Office Automation. He discussed the interaction of computers and people. He said, "To relieve fears that a move to office automation jeopardizes jobs and competence we need to point to an example that says the process of automation has been going on since the manual typewriter replaced quill pens in the office. A well-engineered piece of equipment is only as good as the person using it."

Fred Bocchino, IBM systems engineer and MSC graduate, demonstrated the IBM displaywriter and printer. "The machine which is best suited for you will depend on your office needs. The IBM displaywriter may be able to meet these needs," Bocchino said. He referred to the displaywriter as a "smarth terminal," which has a 50,000 word dictionary that highlights a spelling error, knows where and when to hyphenate, and can total columns of figures. Bocchino said, "The displaywriter is unique because of its flexibility. It can turn and adjust to suit the operator. The printer can be started from the keyboard and it prints bidirectionally at 60 characters per second."

Another speaker, Tom Tomlinson, IBM representative, addressed the topic, Excellence is Productivity. He said, "Excellence is looking right, sound right, and being right most of the time. Productivity equals output over input. If you increase output, you will increase productivity."

Bocchino jokingly said, "It is machine technologically advanced. You don't even have to know how to type. After his demonstration, members were given "hands-on" opportunity and were encouraged to ask questions.

Tomlinson discussed the advances in the technology of computers. He said, 'The first computer was called a vacuum tube and required the capacity of one room. Today, the IBM displaywriter fits on top of a desk. Not only has the computer been down-sized to better suit the office needs of the business world, but the time it takes the computer to make a decision has decreased. "Today's technology allows a computer to make a decision in one-trillionth of a second."

Twenty-nine members represented MSC at College Night. Also attending were six representatives from Concordia College's AMS Chapter, Westchester County, N.Y. Upon graduation from Concordia, AMS members are eligible and encouraged to join AMS on the professional level.

Student takes off with Peoplexpress and Co-op

By Dianne Trafiet

Michael Dolan, a junior, marketing and finance major, said he will be one step ahead of his classmates when he walks down the aisle on graduation day. "I will have more than just a diploma," he explained. "I will already have had the job training and experience." Through his involvement in Cooperative Education, Dolan is acquiring that experience while also gaining college credits. Dolan is a sales representative at Peoplexpress Airlines in Newark, where he has many diversified duties.

He handles reservations and cancellations for the airline, and deals with passenger comments and customer problems. His job also entails public relations activities such as answering questions concerning company policies and some aspects of management. According to Dolan, these responsibilities have exposed him to an entry level in the marketing field which has, in turn, enabled him to become more aware of marketing in general.

One advantage of being a Co-op student at Peoplexpress is "that my employers go out of their way to help me," Dolan said. Once a week he is taken on a tour of other departments in the company. Dolan said that it is through this opportunity that he is better able to understand what is involved in his career choice.

Dolan explained, "In a classroom, you learn to take other people's word for what's involved in a certain field. With actual job experience, you are confronted with real situations which you have to learn to handle."

Dolan said Co-op is also an advantageous means of earning money. "I'm receiving a good salary, which will help me to defray my tuition costs next year."
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**student spotlight**

Mike Koval stands for comedy and he's seriously funny

By Eileen Oleksiak

Mike Koval, a freshman philosophy major, has appeared in local NYC clubs as Catch A Rising Star, The Comic Strip, and The Improv. As a stand-up comedian, Mike is most concerned with fulfilling what he calls his "role" — to make people have a good time.

Mike took the stage about two years ago "when my brother dragged me to have a good time." When I learned how to put down the hecklers, deal with the bar animals and change my material to suit the NY crowd, I started getting more bookings.

Behind the scenes, Mike said the comedy business is no laughing matter. He was surprised to discover how many fellow comedians, who weren't genuinely funny on stage, were really serious or even nasty when out of the limelight. Mike said that because it's such a "dog eat dog" business, competitive in every way, some comedians are afraid to be naturally funny because they might influence another comedian in a positive way.

Mike said to be really good, you must "set, sleep, and be funny. You also have to be able to look at the most mundane object, an ash tray for instance, Mike light."

Comedy is not Mike's only area of interest. His first love is music. Mike plays keyboards, rhythm guitar, and vocally is a band called the Standard Poodles. This may sound like like any of the new music coming out, "the quality level has slid so low," one can't predict what type of programming he has planned for his career at WMSC-FM music radio.

Concerning humor Mike said, "All comedy is a derivative of vaudeville and there are only six or seven original jokes. You have to be innovative with what's already there." As a DJ, you may be sure Mike will be just as innovative.

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**Dial for alumni dollars!**

By Alan Frankel

The Alumni Association is preparing for the 10th Annual Phonathon to be held on March 7 through 10 and March 14 through 17 from 5 to 9:30 p.m. The phonathon, designed primarily to raise money for student scholarships and faculty grants, depends on student and alumni volunteers for its success. The above dates refer to student participation in the phonathon.

The Alumni Association offers many incentives to attract students. All eight nights will begin with a light sandwich supper and a brief orientation. Prizes will be awarded to both the group and the individual that raise the most money. The grand prize for a group is $250, and for an individual is $50. Prizes will be awarded to the top individual caller each night.

The students raised $39,147 in 1982. Combined with the $15,651 raised by the alumni portion of last year’s phonathon, the total raised was just under $55,000. This accounted for approximately 50 percent of the total funds of the M.S.C.

Ann Marie Kahwaty, assistant to Cindi Lepore, director of alumni affairs, said she is very optimistic about this year’s phonathon. She said, however, "without volunteers, the phonathon can’t work."

Kahwaty urges interested alumni or individuals to contact her at 893-4141.
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**The end of an era, but challenges lie ahead**

When Dr. David W.D. Dickson became president of MSC in 1973, a story in The Montclarion read, "Dr. Dickson will begin a difficult job in the fall--a job in which two additional difficulties have been added. As the new president he will be entering an unfamiliar campus to which he must adjust quickly in order to handle the many problems which will be thrust upon him. He also replaces Dr. Thomas Richardson. It is hard enough to succeed a man who has been in office for almost a decade."

Almost 11 years later Dickson's statement regarding his resignation reads, "Some very demanding tasks lie ahead for me and my successor in the next few years."

Virtually no college president leaves office with all problems solved. Dickson is no exception. But no president can solve all of the problems a campus has, more importantly, he can't solve them alone. He must have the support of the students, faculty and board of trustees.

Dickson's successor may enter as president with more problems than Dickson did, not because he failed to do a good job, but because the problems surrounding state colleges today are deeply rooted and more complex. State colleges, and especially MSC are in desperate need of funds.

It has also been argued that Dickson was concerned with academia more than the budget, after the college budget leaves the Board of Higher Education and goes to the Treasurer and Bureau of the Budget, the president of the college and board have little influence in the matter.

With Dickson's academic credentials, it is easy to understand why he devoted much of his term to improving academic standards at MSC. He was the valedictorian of Portland High School and Bowdoin College, and won the Faculty Fellowship of the Foundation for Advancement of Education for his postdoctoral work at Harvard University in 1956. He has also worked at numerous universities, including the University of Damascus in Syria.

Dr. Dickson was chosen to be president of the college from over 600 candidates. We feel the board's extensive search produced a quality president and hope that they search as diligently for Dickson's successor.

**cultural column**

**An insight into the workings of BSCU**

By Gloria L. Paulus

This is for those people on our campus who perhaps do not understand what BSCU's purpose is. BSCU is an organization maintained by black college students, which benefits the entire campus community by promoting Black American culture and making it available to all.

We have sponsored numerous events on campus, encouraging people of all cultures to participate in them with us. For some reason people seem to believe that the BSCU is for blacks only. It is not—BSCU is open to the entire college community. Because there are not many blacks on MSC's campus, it is important to offer an organization that promotes black culture, and offers everyone the opportunity to stay in touch or get in touch with a culture such as ours.

Anyone who has ever really belonged and participated in any organization knows that there will almost always be internal conflicts. Unfortunately, it seems that whenever there is something not quite right in our organization, someone always seems to blow it out of proportion. Internal conflicts are inherent in any organization.

The following will give you an example of what BSCU has produced just last semester alone. We have our own literary magazine entitled Strive. A copy can be found in the Kitabu, which is a section on the third floor of Sprague Library featuring a collection of volumes by black authors. We were blessed with a concert by our Gospel Choir. Our Drama Workshop produced two variety shows, and a reader's theater. We sponsored a seven-day Kwanza celebration, as well as a chicken sale during the Federation Octoberfest. We also held an art exhibit featuring the famed black artist Herbert Gentry.

Last, but not least, BSCU sponsored a Faculty-Student Administrative Day Luncheon, where the black students, staff, faculty, and administrators had the opportunity to become acquainted. Take note that this event was not open only to blacks, but to the whole campus to see just who the blacks on campus are, and what part they take in this system.

In closing, I suggest that as your contribution to Black History Month, you get involved in BSCU and find out what our rich culture has to offer. After all, you owe it to yourself.

**OWLs needed for fall semester '83**

For the last several years MSC has depended upon enthusiastic, knowledgeable volunteers called OWLs, an acronym for Orientation Workshop Leaders, to serve as the backbone of the new Student Orientation Program each fall.

It is our intent, in the fall of '83, to again implement the OWL program. We are especially anxious to have sophomore volunteers who have been through the program serve in this activity. Volunteers—present freshmen, sophomores, and juniors—are asked to contact Dr. Edward C. Martin, Associate Dean of Student Affairs, 217 College Hall, as soon as possible. Please provide us with your name, class level, permanent address, college address, and telephone number at which you can be reached.

Several orientation programs for the OWLs will be conducted prior to the end of spring semester in preparation for the fall program.
Letters

Basic skills made hard by red tape

To the Editor:

For the past several weeks I have been on the verge of being thrown out of MSC. In fact, when I received a letter stating that I had been withdrawn from all my classes and I could pick up my refund at any time, I began to get slightly nervous. It seemed that the reason for my sudden expulsion was because I had never taken a basic skills test last semester. Can you ever possibly understand the reason for the death penalty and guilt I felt? Imagine—myself, assistant general manager of WMSC-FM, distant general manager of WMSC-FM, and guilt I felt? I was out of luck and if I wanted to pursue the matter further I would have to see Dr. Robert Garfinkle, and equally as important, Dean Edward Martin, that I was given the test because I was first accepted as a transfer student. It was not until the next day that I realized its importance. Dean Martin told me that as a transfer student I was exempt from the test. When I received a notice concerning a second test, I was unable to take it due to a job that I was fortunate enough to have. The result, she said, was that I was out of luck and if I wanted to pursue the matter further I would have to see Dr. Robert Garfinkle, who simply refused to discuss it and told me to try again next semester.

Fortunately, as the plot was thickening (at least, the BS was), I was told to approach Dean Lynde of the math and science department. The best way to describe what he did to me academically, is to say that I have been trying to do the very same thing to this beautiful blonde I know romantically. And even after the fact, when it was discovered that I had never received certain letters, he refused to admit the college and some of its procedures were wrong. He claimed that they were followed "religiously," not realizing that 1) God is dead, and 2) where every student I know can name at least one time the college screwed them for something.

What finally resulted was that I then approached Harris Neckers, vice-president of academic affairs on the SGA cabinet. It was through the help of him, and equally as important, Dean Edward Martin, that I was given the test that evening (as one was scheduled) and cleared the matter up. What I would like to do most is express my gratitude to these gentlemen. Harris Neckers and Dean Edward Martin, for seeing a flaw in the system and helping, or rather, saving me greatly, as I know they would for any student in need of such help. Also, I'd again like to comment on some of the instructors I've mentioned and express shock on how they have managed to get so far with the apparently soft shoe leather they must have in the mouths.

Howard Leon
Sophomore/broadcasting

Students speak

Teenagers have a right to privacy. The squeal law would not encourage better communication between parents and children.

Lit Kemp
Sophomore/anthropology

The judge did the right thing because there would be more pregnancies without contraceptives.

David Mechling
Sophomore/biology

It was unfair that parents should know. If one reaches an age at which he/she is mature enough to take care of his/her own body, then parents shouldn't interfere.

Don Reiley
Junior/English

The law discriminates against women because most prescription contraceptives are for women. I'm happy that the judge overruled it.

Kim Shelly
Sophomore/physical education

If a minor feels that he or she is responsible enough to have sex, then let them have contraceptives. They will do it with or without them anyway.

Regina Reduniewicz
Sophomore/physical education

Senior wants priority time explanation

To the editor:

Last semester after filing for final evaluation, I was informed that aside from the 15 credits I had registered for this semester, I would still be three credits short for graduation. I then decided that I needed a couple of credits, to pick them up during winter session (my mistake). This is where I have to ask who runs the procedures of winter scheduling?

Also, what is the purpose of having a "priority" time for registering? My "priority" time was 8:30 and by then the only courses open were "Welding IV" and "Teaching Advanced Physics."

While I was moping on me that there were freshmen, sophomores, and juniors ahead of me. I asked myself could they possibly all be short of credits for graduation, too? And why were these "priority" times written in ink? Many students changed their times simply by putting a new digit in front of their old ones. (For example I 30 became 11.30, and so on.)

I could have done this also, but I figured the registrar's office must have a reason for doing things the way they do (my mistake).

I suggest in the future that procedures be changed to fully ensure and accommodate seniors who are in dire need of credits for graduation—before even giving any consideration to students who have more opportunities to pick up credits at a later date.

Harold Valentino
Senior/psychology

Thank-you for all your caring

To the editor:

I wish to thank all the people who aided me during the accident that occurred Friday, Feb. 11 in the Banton Hall parking lot. I sincerely thank all the RAs, assistant managers, campus security, and the several anonymous people who brought blankets to help me. I would also like to thank the maintenance staff and the Montclair First Aid Squad for their services.

When I was made aware of all the people who aided me during the accident I felt very lucky. It was nice to know that there are still people around who are willing to get involved and lend a hand during a crisis.

Again, I would like to thank everyone for their blankets and assistance and tell you that you are all special people.

I would like to extend a special thanks to Caroline, Eric, Doug, Ron, Dave, Sue, and especially Steve, who were with me at the time of the accident. Your quick thinking and strong support is deeply appreciated.

I have a piece of advice I would like to offer the student body. Never steal a cafeteria tray—they get you back when you're not looking.

Debbie Fisch
Sophomore/psychology

Efficient snow plowing of lots

To the editor:

It seems that the snow plowing situation at MSC is getting worse with each new snow storm. At a college where at least 70 percent of the students commute, you would think the parking lots would get cleared properly and immediately. But instead we get sloppy plowing with hills of snow taking up most of the spaces.

The job is so sloppily done that a good inch of snow is left to freeze in the few parking spaces that are left, making it very dangerous to drive into the lots and park.

We are paying a good sum of money to attend this school, which, I might add, will be increased in the near future. I think the least we should get is good service. Something should be done about this situation, and be done before the next snow storm.

Rita Cartella
Freshman/fine arts

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Howard Leon
Sophomore/broadcasting
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-Attention home computer owners: I will program your computer, teach you basic or teach your children; call Paul at 744-0262. -Undeclared Majors: Faculty will discuss nine majors which prepare you for "helping" careers on Wednesday, March 9 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the Student Center Ballrooms; details in Career Services. -Want to help people? "Careers in the Helping Professions" is coming Wednesday, March 9; details in Career Services, Student Center Annex, Room 104. -Have job search jitters? A five week job search group starts Friday, Feb. 25 from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.; students helping students find jobs; details in Career Services. -Anyone interested in helping the Conservation Club organize Earth Day events please contact us in the Student Center, fourth floor, Room 423; office hours are 12 to 2 p.m. daily.

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-Male Keyboardist/Singer: Needs help forming a band; contact Tony Scarn at 742-5689 by 5 p.m.
MSC celebrates Black History Month with selected artists

By Michael J. McKee

To celebrate Black History Month, MSC is featuring works by selected black artists which combine art with a dash of culture. These paintings are currently on exhibit in the College Art Gallery located in Life Hall.

Upon entering the picturesque studio your body succumbs to a feeling of solitude which is quickly enhanced by a variety of colorful and culturally exciting paintings.

The artists themselves stem from a wide variety of educational backgrounds which are augmented by extensive travel and reflect in the wide array of techniques used. Edward Clark, Vincent Smith, Janet Pickett, Avel De Knight and A.J. Smith are only a handful of accomplished black artists who are making clear-cut artistic statements utilizing many methods.

Their diverse backgrounds are characteristic of their extensive use of the mediums portrayed. They apply their skills using not only oils and acrylics, but also by presenting us with refreshing techniques such as oil and sand, pen and ink, mixed media, lithographs and casein on board, amongst a host of others.

The nature of the themes are also quite diverse. Scattered among the still life, abstractions and old homes you will also encounter paintings depicting African culture, ancestral trees, falling rocks, a festival, and many others.

Selected Black Artists will run through Feb. 25 and is an exhibit which is a rather unique and stimulating experience.

Mangione fills the Ritz with music that ‘Feels So Good’

By Kathleen Carroll

Chuck Mangione, the outstanding jazz composer and performer, gave an exciting concert Feb. 19 at the Ritz Theatre in Elizabeth, N.J.

The concert began with "Medley: Land of Make-Believe." It included the very mellow "Chase the Clouds" and featured Mangione on electric piano. The medley ended with the rockin' "Bella Via," a spicy brass tune with Mangione demonstrating his skillful flugelhorn playing, followed by an upbeat song called "Give It All You Got."

An outstanding number of the first set was "Love Notes," from his first album of the same title. This entrancing piece soothed the audience with its tenderness. As the song concluded, Mangione, feeling the peacefulness, held his flugelhorn close to him and rocked with it as if putting a child to sleep.

He went on to some funky tunes, "Steppin' Out." "XI Commandment" and "Children of Sanchez." "Seventy Miles High" was dedicated to Chuck's 72-year-old father, who is also a musician, and has been an inspiration to his son.

At intervals, Chuck would stop playing and just stand back and watch, or dance around with his band. He obviously enjoys his band and likes to see them do their own thing. Mangione is like a painter who stands back and views his creation in a greater perspective.

The audience consisted of jazz lovers ranging in age from the early 20s to late 50s. They were very friendly and receptive to Chuck as well as each other. Sharing conversations before the show and clapping during it united the audience and formed an amiable atmosphere just right for Mangione's kind of music.

Mangione's "kind of music" is highly acclaimed. Chuck says that the Sicilian work ethic he was brought up with has had much influence on his determination when the odds were against him. "My Sicilian temperament flares up," he says, "when the world says we're working too hard and people should have a four-day work week and retire at age 55 and go home and lay back more. Can you imagine forced retirement for the likes of Dizzie Gillespie, Arthur Rubinstein, Duke Ellington, or Eubie Blake?"

A dedicated approach like this is what directed Mangione's career to the stardom he has achieved. In the early 70s, he became a Columbia recording artist; was nominated seven times for a Grammy; and tours in Europe and Japan. He was also named "Composer/Arranger of the Decade" by Cashbox magazine, with similar reviews from Playboy and Rolling Stone. Later, Mangione was requested by ABC-TV Sports to compose their theme song for the Winter Olympic Games at Lake Placid. The song, "Give It All You Got," from the Fun and Games album, won an Emmy for Music Composition/Direction. Throughout his career, Mangione's band members have changed from time to time. His current group, consisting of Chris Vadala on piccolo and saxophone, Gordon Johnson on bass and Everett Silver on drums, demonstrate the true meaning of a band. They play together without striving for personal glorification. Instead, they blend as a unit, making beautiful music.

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Best Movie
Best Actor
Best Actress
Worst Movie
Worst Actor
Worst Actress
Other

(special effects, etc.)

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**Personal**

- Cole: Thank you for being my sister, granddaughter, friend, and family. Know that I'm always here for you. It's not easy being green. Love, Nana.

- Col-e: Thank you for being my sister, I know that I'm always here for you. It's common? The Dean.

- Michael: Living for the weekends! Missing you, Jan.

- Edox: You should stop by the nearest Shell station to pick up some "no pest strips." The Dean.

- Bill: Don't try to get rid of me yet. We have many things to do. Although this is long overdue—I love you. Love, Amanda.

- Patty E.: I've still been golfing. But I also hate to break up your good thing! M.M.

- Franz: Welcome back. Happy Birthday, and Happy Valentine's Day. (Sorry—couldn't get the front page.) Love ya, Bubbles.


- James: As Steve Stills would say: "If you can't be with the one you love/Love the one you're with!" Eat a peach, Neil. (The Dean of JB School of Music.)

- Laura: Happy 22nd Birthday!! From your favorite Business Manager. Karen: Happy two-and-a-half weeks!! Let us know when you will need help with the invitations. Love ya, Joyce and Mary.

- Karen and Laura: Reminder for Florida—tall men are out of your reach; but you can send them in my direction. Mary.

- Joyce: From one long-legged beauty to another, I'm willing to share. Mary.

- Hey lady with the murder shoes: I'm no sleeping beauty, but you make my ears fall over. When can we make yellow snow?

- To My Two Brothers: Thanks for being there when I need you. P.S. The bods aren't bad either.

- Michael: A Holiday Inn?! In Key West?! Why bother—go to Miami instead.

- Hey Sisters: Only 29 hours 'till our wonderful tonight! Stay beautiful, I love you. Your Individual-I Prez.

- Mike: How did you get my top and I need you. It helps to know I have a friend. P.S. I'm definitely in "like." Luke.

- Joe: I'm not telling what I did with the teapot. Pattikins. P.S. Now do you believe that I put this in!—S. A. Chappelle: Thanks for everything. See ya at our next Industrial Arts Club function. L.A., Your Secretary.

- To the Geis in S03 Bohn: Thanks for all the laughs in your room. Love always, Wendy.

- Diane Szabo: Thanks for the great coverage in the SGA News. MSC Marching Band Council.

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Clapton gives quality not quantity

By CC Ryder

What does it take for an artist to go beyond the point of playing his top hits as his material for concert performances? Granted, there are those hits that you want to hear, but when someone like Eric Clapton comes to the stage after years of silence, it is a shame when he plays for little more than an hour.

In spite of Clapton’s short performance, the energy of the crowd at the Meadowlands Tuesday night was explosive. Clapton fans, many from the Derek and the Dominos days, gave Clapton a warm welcome. What they got back in return, beside the obvious excitement to have Clapton back on stage, was a repertoire of the songs that have made Clapton famous.

Opening with “After Midnight,” Clapton created a climactic build-up that peaked with the song “Tulsa Time.” When that white spotlight beamed in on the “slowhand” that was bringing Good times offens c a g c a u v.

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- Resume Writing: The theory and practice of writing a job winning resume. 
- Free Pregnancy Testing & Free Counseling Service

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- First Tuesdays at the Newman Center: Who wants to hear about the Newman Community and its activities? Meet and greet with the Newman Community at 7 p.m. in Charter Hall, Room 3116.

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Class I of SGA
Indian gymnasts tumble toward state championship competition

By Kathy Sorentini

Final scores do not always indicate the quality of a team. Such is the case with the MSC women's gymnastics team. The Indian tumblers who are 5-9 for the season, lost their last two triangular meets, but they are constantly closing the gap between the tougher Division II schools which will be at the NCAA competition.

The Indians broke their high score of 146.5 against the Southern University of New York (Albany) with a 147.1 last Friday, and repeated the task Tuesday night against West Chester State College and the University of Bridgeport with a 148.45 total score.

This Sunday, the talented, young team will host the New Jersey State Gymnastics Championships where coach Mike Dow said, "we're realistically looking for second place, but we're still shooting for first on Sunday." The Indians' strength lies in the uneven parallel bars and the all-around competition. Sophomore Wendy Brossier, junior Margie Breznak and freshman Pam Vertes are the team's leaders and hope to qualify for the regional competition in March.

Brossier was awarded all-American honors in the all-around competition last season and is expected to qualify for this year's regionals. In her last two meets she scored 31.35 and 31.55 in the all-around, and scored highly on the balance beam (7.95), the uneven bars (8.45) and the vault.

Breznak scored an 8.6 in the uneven bars last Friday for her personal best, as well as a team best for the season. Tuesday she was a strong competitor, scoring an 8.3 in the uneven and a 7.55 in the vault.

Vertes gained experience with the Piscataway Chiefs in high school, and has a chance to qualify for regionals in the all-around. She improved her 27.7 score from the SUNY meet with a 29.35 Tuesday night, earning high scores in the vault, the uneven bars and the floor exercise.

At the state championships, Dow said, "we're looking for a strong effort and we want to take as many medals as possible in the bars competition. Margie, Stephanie Grohoski, and Wendy are consistently doing well in their routines and scoring. Our floor exercises are good but we do need to improve in the vault."

The state championships will be held this Sunday at 2 p.m. in the Panzer Gymnasium. Admission is $2.

Attention:
Anyone interested in joining the MSC tennis team should contact Chet Mazula at 746-2363, or Geoff Lawes at 744-0683.

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Indian’s season ends with playoff loss to JCS, 77-72

By Jim Coridli

The season ended abruptly for the MSC basketball team last night as the Indians were upended in the first round of the NJ State Athletic Conference (NJ SACC) playoffs by Jersey City State College, 77-72.

The gambling man will tell you that the home court advantage in basketball is worth anywhere from four to six points. The entire NJ SACC regular season seeding device to determine which teams play host in the playoffs. Going against the odds caught up with them.

MSC went out to a 14-4 margin at the outset of the game, only to allow JCS to fight back to a 30-29 lead at the end of the first.

Gelston pointed to a game earlier in the year against the Gothics that the head coach Ollie Gelston about JCS. "We were the better team," Gelston added. "We had been "superb" of late, led MSC with 12 points. Durkac and Bryan Gabriel added seven points, with Sai Genco, Ketch, Chris Mann, and Bob Smith pitching in to the balanced attack with six apiece.

MSC finished the season with a 16-6 overall record. Although they lost to a mediocre 3-4 at home to fight back to a 30-29 lead at the end of the first. "W e needed it," Gelston said.

Gelston added. "We were the better team." MSC's Robert Smith goes up for two points against Stockton State defenders in a game MSC won to enter the NJ SACC playoffs.

Men's swim team cruises to state championship title

By Kathy Szorentini

The men's swim team topped Rider College by a slim three point victory for the NJ State swimming and diving championship held at Monmouth College last weekend. To add to the Indian title, junior Calvin Navatto qualified for the NCAA Division III national championships in the 100 and 200 butterfly events, with a time of 53.66, a new school record.

Navatto also placed second in the 200 individual medley (IM) and set another school record in the 400 IM, swimming a 3:43.85 to break the previous school record of 3:48.68.

Indian coach Greg Lockard said, "it was the best state championship we've ever had," and through a total team effort the swimmers not only gained the state title, but five gold medal winners and nine MSC varsity records.

Navatto's finish in the 100 fly earned him his first gold and, and named MSC medley relay. Navatto's finish in the 100 fly earned him his first gold, and joined Mike Sarni, Paul Galenkamp, and Jim Schmidt for the 400 medley relay for a second place finish.

Photo by Chris Garcia

Junior Calvin Navatto qualified for the NCAA Division III national championships in the 100 yard butterfly at the state championships held last weekend at Monmouth College. Navatto, photo by Chris Garcia, won the 100 fly in a time of 53.66, setting another record time of 7.50.83. Severud also set a new school record of 18:48.3 in the 1650 free, finishing fifth for MSC.

Junior Mike Sarni had an outstanding day, taking second place in the 100 backstroke with a time of 58.39, breaking his seed time by two seconds. Again, Sarni broke his expected time of 2:16.9 in the 200 back to take third place with a time of 2:09.14.

Griffin finished second in the first heat of the 100 freestyle event and placed eighth overall with a time of 19:45. In the 200 free, Griffin also took eighth for the Indians, swimming a 2:00.18.

Paul Boc added to the team's winning efforts placing fifth in a 100 butterfly event for MSC, placing fifth in the 100 fly and seventh in the 200 fly. Senior Ken Dioguardi's top finish of 288.25 points to take seventh place in the 100 free.

Pyhel was a tough competitor in the butterfly events for MSC, placing fifth in the 100 fly and seventh in the 200 fly. Senior Ken Dioguardi's top finish of the day was in the 100 free taking fifth, while Joe Wasulak took a sixth place in the 200 fly. In the diving competition, John Sarni earned 288.25 points to take seventh place in the 1 meter dive.

The Indians raced with Rider for the lead throughout the competition. Rider dropped to second after the final relay finish of the meet, the 400 freestyle. The event lost them vital team points when they finished in third place behind Monmouth College, allowing MSC to pull ahead 278-275 for the championship.