Restructure of senior year suggested

By Lynn M. Cowan

The fourth annual Presidential Fall Faculty Seminar discussed the controversial practice of college outcomes assessment in both the pre- and the faculty respondent period.

The symposium, entitled, “Assessing the Undergraduate Experience,” was held on Oct. 14 in Memorial Auditorium.

Dr. Ernest L. Boyer, president of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, and Senior Fellow of the Woodrow Wilson Foundation, spoke to Boyer, University, was the keynote speaker.

Boyer, listed for five consecutive years by US News and World Report as one of the nation’s top educators, began his speech by stating outcomes assessment is an “arresting, essential, and dangerous topic” in higher education today.

The recent possibility of New Jersey state-mandated assessment testing has raised many questions for students and educators alike.

Boyer stated that the public’s most common misconception regarding outcomes assessment is the belief that it is a test to assess what students have learned.

However, this is not true, according to Boyer.

The purpose of assessment is to evaluate whether or not “the pieces (of a student’s education) add up to a coherent whole.”

Boyer stated, “New Jersey is being gently nudged to consider evaluation of college students through outcomes assessment, and a general fear is that ‘politicians will impose it if we do not choose it.’

The result of this fear is the current trend of colleges forming their own outcomes assessment programs.

MSC’s Outcomes Assessment Program concerned 10 percent of the campus Bridges of the Department of Philosophy and Religion, and has begun to formulate an approach to assessment of undergraduate students.

A problem with outcomes assessment programs is the tendency to “measure programs before agreeing on objectives.” Two facts colleges must consider, in his opinion, are the goals of assessment and the process of implementing these goals.

Boyer stressed the importance of language proficiency in college students, saying, “language is a means to larger ends...it is a tool, a skill that can control the lives of others.”

The current debate on language proficiency, he said, concerns the fact that, “when we evaluate, we don’t evaluate the language process at its best.”

Basic Skills tests that assess language proficiency, stated Boyer, “diminish the meaning of a college education with minimal achievement goals.”

A more feasible approach to language proficiency in colleges would begin with better pre-college education. A policy of higher admission standards and remedial work at the start of a student’s college years would yield higher results.

The eventual outcome of language proficiency should enable a student to “think critically, draw inferences, and see subtle shades of meanings” in language, said Boyer.

Another point that Boyer stressed was the need for “cultural literacy.” Colleges, he felt, should have a “global perspective.”

Campuses tend to be very parochial, without a sense of the outside world. Boyer illustrated this when he related the story of a classroom where students could not find El Salvador on a map. He went on to say, “We are willing to go to war with a country that we cannot locate on a map. What’s happening?”

Boyer expanded on this when he spoke. MSC was working to focus on their major and ignore other disciplines. “The problem with students,” he said, “is not their technical capacity. It is their ability to put technical skills in a historical and cultural perspective.” Students must begin to relate “liberal” and “useful” arts, and integrate them in college as they are integrated in life.

Boyer then spoke of outcomes assessment’s role in this integration, saying, “Colleges should evaluate beyond separate courses-they should evaluate a student’s overall comprehension.”

His suggestion of testing for overall comprehension consists of three steps before a student graduates.

The first step would be a senior thesis within the each student’s major.

The thesis topic would have to relate to social, historical, and ethical perspectives of the Department of Economics all related their reactions to the preceding address.

Of the four respondents, Reilly-Petrone presented a complete, detailed model of Boyer’s ideal of college assessment. Her model added that “Boyer’s four part plan to fit MSC’s academic structure. It used the college’s five-school design to form an assessment program unique to MSC.

Boyer’s first and second steps would be rearranged and specified by Reilly-Petrone. To integrate disciplines, she restructured the senior seminar into a format of five-week periods, where the dean and a chosen professor of each school would rotate through each of the other four schools for one semester, lecturing the other disciplines.

The role of the visiting dean and professor would be to integrate their own discipline into the student’s major. Topical discussions might be the impact of the visiting school’s General Education Requirements (GER) on a non-major’s education.

Reilly-Petrone said that after the 10-week visitation period, each seminar student would choose a thesis topic within his major that would integrate the other four disciplines.

The second semester of her model would be spent writing the senior thesis, to be presented in the seminar.

Reilly-Petrone admitted that her model was not fool-proof, last year however, 60 percent of MSC students completed their senior theses.

According to budget officer Charles Moore, there has been a yearly increase in tuition for the last four to five years, usually by $2.00-$3.00 per credit hour.

The tuition increase for 1987 is the largest ever.

Tuition increase for 1987 is the largest ever

By Shawn Smith

MSC students and their parents may have found that they had to dig a little deeper into their pockets this semester in order to pay for the tuition increase.

The tuition rate, $40.00 per credit hour last semester, has increased by 10 percent, making the current tuition rate $44.00 per credit hour.

The capital is so that we can go ahead with day-to-day operations.”

The increase was voted by the Board of Trustees in the spring semester of 1987, said Nancy Carver, assistant to the Vice President for Administration and Finance William Griffith.

It is unknown at this time if an increased will be approved for next year.

President Walters update

President Walters is still under consideration for an invite to brain lesions at Columbia-Presbyterian Hospital according to Dr. Edward Martin, Dean of Students.

Martin said that “I have no further information regarding the president. I don’t know anything new or different that hasn’t been presented to the college community already.”

He said that he will inform the students as soon as anything was learned.

Mitra Achtiani 1963-1987

By Paul Mampilly

MSC student Mitra Achtiani, 21, died Fri., Oct. 16 at approximately 9:40 am in Mountainside Hospital, Glen Ridge.

Achtiani, of Nutley, suffered a seizure on Oct. 15 at approximately 5:30 p.m. while in class.

Dr. Edward Martin, Dean of Student Affairs, said “CPR was rendered almost immediately by students in the class or students at the scene. Campus police arrived soon after and continued the treatment and also gave her oxygen.”

“Shet was then transported by ambulance to Mountainside Hospital and at that time the doctors told us she was doing the best that could be expected under the circumstances,” said Martin. He also said that she “probably resulted from complications out of a serious heart problem as a child.”

Martin, who talked to Achtiani’s parents, said “They told me that Mitra loved coming to college and it was an important part of her life. The parents also expressed their appreciation to all who had tried to help.”

Achtiani transferred from Bergen Community College to MSC and according to Martin, was a “very good student.”

The funeral was held at the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Nutley on Oct. 19.
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Blanton Hall receives its first bomb threat

By Lynn M. Cowan
News Editor

On Oct. 11 at 8:30 pm, a Blanton Hall desk assistant received a call from an unidentified person stating that there was a bomb on the third floor. The building was evacuated; no devices were found.

A female student suffered a seizure in a Life Hall classroom at 5:30 pm on Oct. 15. The student's heart stopped, and two classmates performed CPR between 3:00 pm and 4:30 pm.

A College Hall secretary reported a swivel chair and an IBM typewriter stolen between 6:00 pm on Oct. 8 and 8:00 am the next morning.

A telephone was stolen from Russ Hall between 4:30 pm on Oct. 12 and 9:00 am Oct. 13.

A Blanton Hall female received five obscene phone calls in a row at 6:00 am on Oct. 9. A maintenance man chased a group of people, believed to be students through Calica Fine Arts building on Oct. 11. He suspected the people of dumping a garbage bin and displaying other destructive behavior earlier that night, but was unable to catch or identify the people.

SGA free phones given a last chance by the president

By Mike Heelan
Staff Writer

The SGA free phone service to the 609, 212, 718, 215, 516, 914, 703, 301 and 202 area codes have been re-installed in Room 112 of the Student Center.

In the past, the phones have been vandalized and destroyed. "If the phones get abused again they have to be taken out permanently," said SGA president, Rob Accera. These phones are open to all students interested in making calls within the area codes above.

During last night's SGA meeting president, Rob Accera, vetoed last week's legislative approval of $474 from the Montclair Transportation Authority (MTA) to Panzer Student Association for a trip to Atlantic City.

According to Accera, this bill as written requires those going to attend a convention and therefore limits the number of students who can utilize the funds. The SGA may overturn the veto at next week's meeting with a two-thirds vote.

The SGA legislature appropriated $7,770 to Quarterly, for the 1987-88 academic year. It is clear that the SGA and class IIs are establishing closer ties. This was confirmed today with the passing of Quarterly's budget proposal, "said editor-in-chief of Quarterly, Tom Mergola.

A $55 appropriation was granted by the SGA legislature to the Pre-Law Society, a class II organization of the SGA, for Law School Admissions Day.

A theft from the men's locker room in Panzer Gymnasium was reported on Oct. 11. A gym bag was stolen containing car keys and various items of clothing between 3:00 pm and 4:30 pm.

A student arrested by campus police on Oct. 2 for removing a car bra from a vehicle was also fined $150.00.

A student arrested by campus police for trespassing on Oct. 9 in Blanton Hall was tried in Little Falls Municipal Court. He was found guilty and fined $150.00.

A stolen car was returned to its owner on Oct. 10 with a new lock and key.

A maintenance man chased a group of people through Calica Fine Arts building on Oct. 11. He suspected the people of dumping a garbage bin and displaying other destructive behavior earlier that night, but was unable to catch or identify the people.

Europe tour

Visits to Europe's most exciting cities are planned for a European Study Tour under the direction of Dr. Jack Sacher, of the music department.

The course, earning 3 s.h., is open to all students, regardless of major, and will include theatrical and musical performances as well as visits to art museums and historical sites.

Each activity will be preceded by explanatory lectures or will be led by experienced guides. Among these activities are ballets, concerts, and opera; performances; plays, tours of cities and their important sites; and visits to Southeast Asian cities.

Students interested should contact Prof. Sacher at the Music Department, extension 5226, as the number of participants is limited to 20.

China tour

Professor Ellen Mohammed of MSC fine arts dept. is leading a tour of Southeast Asian cities.

The tour costs $2,499.00, which includes round trip air fare from New York to China, tours, travel expenses, and hotel and meal costs.

Further information is available from Prof. Ellen Mohammed at 893-7205.

Tutors available

The College Tutorial Center has posted its hours for Fall 87. The center is located in Annex E, and is open from 9 am-5 pm, Mon. through Fri.

For further information contact 893-4364.

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Eye on MSC

Midterm paranoia hits some typical MSC students this week. Pictured cramming on the left are (l-r) Stone Hall residents Andy Goldman and Mike Zurich, as Dave Kern, Kyle Flaherty, and Jeff Vanderof (below, l-r) of Clove Road do the same.

Volunteer Ambulance Unit in critical condition

The Montclair Volunteer Ambulance Unit (MVAU) is in critical condition and we need your help. The Unit operates twenty-four hours a day as an Emergency Medical responder for the town of Montclair. We also respond to MSC when requested by Campus Police. If you are a returning student this semester, you may well have seen us responding to emergencies in the dorms, Panzer Gym, or even classrooms.

The Ambulance Unit is staffed by volunteers 18 years and older, who contribute their time once a week on a day or night shift. Unfortunately, there is a severe shortage of volunteers, and we are appealing to you for help.

If you have a day off from classes or can spare an evening we need you.

Being part of the MVAU can be a rewarding experience. It is especially good for Pre-medor Nursing students because it will pay off with essential practical experience. Many of our members have used their tenure with the Unit as a stepping stone to more advanced levels of the medical profession. Volunteers came from a wide range of careers, and even if you are a business major, performing arts, or undeclared, the Unit can be a fun and rewarding experience.

The first aid training we’ll provide will benefit you for years to come, no matter what your career goals. Being part of the MVAU will look great on your resume as well; whether it’s listed under previous experience, hobbies or even background information! Your time commitment will be valuable to both the community and yourself.

The unit extends this invitation to any man or woman who feels they are ready for a challenging and exciting commitment. If you think you’ve got what it takes, stop by the Unit building 2 miles south of campus at 86 Valley Road, pick up an application and get involved. Applicants to the Ambulance Unit must have a valid New Jersey drivers license.

By John Wright, Volunteer Director of Public Relations
How secure are dorm residents?

If you've ever lived in a residence hall during your college career, more than likely you've had to contend with security guards amidst your travels. These guards appear behind the front desks of hall lobbies around 12 midnight and settle down to begin their shift of providing security for dorm residents. The sun comes up and another safe night passes at MSC.

Wells Fargo Security is the company contracted by Residence Life to provide dorm security. As a resident, you pay plenty of money for housing. Part of the housing fee is used to provide security while living on campus. But, does simply having a person present behind a desk ensure your safety?

Did you ever question how safe you really are? Your Security for dorm residents. The sun comes up and another safe night passes at MSC. Were the concerns and opt for a new company?

The new contract lists provisions which define major and minor violations by security personnel. A violation may constitute grounds for termination of the contract. Going to this extent to get good service seems a bit ridiculous. Good service should be expected of a company when you're dealing with the safety of students. Resorting to petty threats shows what kind of quality we're dealing with.

There may be a number of reasons which have not been publicized behind the decision to renew, however. According to some campus officials, a copy of the new contract was allegedly signed by an administrator. The contract is confidential and expected to remain so. This would have put the college and the individual in awkward legal predicaments. Also of concern is the company's ability to contract elsewhere with New Jersey state divisions. If the contract was not renewed, Wells Fargo would not be able to bid on other state contracts.

It appears that the needs of we the students were outweighed by other considerations. How long will we have to wait out the administration's realizations that students are the focal point of the school?

We can still have a dream

Now that the dust seems to have settled, the Iota Kappa Phi (IKP) versus the Black Student Cooperative Union (BSCU) of Montclair State College quarrel can be reviewed in perspective. The Montclarion, The New York Times, and The Star Ledger all covered the fraternity's "Howard Beach Goes to Trial" party and claims of racism by students against the group.

The Montclarion's editorial called for rational thinking and education on race relations. This was followed first by a commendation from an alumnus and then by criticism from William Nash, who expressed both worthy and unworthy ideas.

The most obvious point of contention is Nash's comment that if an organization used the Holocaust as a theme for its party, The Montclarion would not have approached the issue as it did. The Holocaust and the Howard Beach attack are not comparable. The Holocaust has been judged by history, its perpetrators brought to justice. Few realize that the Allied powers at first refused to believe reports of the German slaughter of Jews. Howard Beach is still in the making, the trial ongoing.

I agree, however, with Mr. Nash's point that "racism is present in America." While minority students may have found the poster by IKP "intimidating, harassing, and infuriating," their response was equally so. The offended students chose to respond to the incident with the theory of winning through rational intimidation.

The president of IKP, Mike DiVincenzo, explained the activities of the group to everyone involved. He noted that theme parties are a regular program for the group and that no racial or judgemental comment was intended. When he learned of the complaints, two were disciplined and the social chairperson dismissed.

The offended minority groups wanted more. The fraternity issued two apologies. The first was considered unacceptable; the second left a rift in the offended community, some still refusing to accept it. Apologies, community service, and possibly even charter revocation were desired.

The Star Ledger reported that Saul Fenster, president of NJIT, "acknowledged that in his judgment the students acted naively and sought desperately to make amends for distribution of the poster, but maintained the damage done to a portion of the student body could not be overlooked."

What was Fenster supposed to say? If he declined to respond to the demands of the black groups, he realized that he probably faced being called "NJIT President Fails to Punish Racist Fraternity."

The result of this whole incident is probably a polarization in race relations. This will only create a backward movement for everyone. Blacks will be segregated in society.

This is not the only time blacks have contributed to segregation. A few years ago, the fraternities and sororities on campus initiated a Greek Council. Parallel groups for fraternities, sororities, and black Greeks were established. Why? Because black Greeks were different. If someone had tried to establish a solely white greek council, neither the students nor the administration would have permitted it. Why the reverse discrimination for black greeks?

In an editorial cartoon in a newspaper a few weeks ago, one character commented that there was a reverend with no experience in political office and an apparently small constituency running for President of the United States. The other character thought he was talking about Jesse Jackson. Suddenly disagreement with a politician's views is a matter of race according to some.

A few years ago, BSCU decided to have Louis Farrakhan speak on campus. Farrakhan, a black muslim minister, was widely quoted across the country as calling Adolf Hitler "a great man" and for calling the Jewish faith "a gutter religion." People who took offense to Farrakhan's views and his appearance on campus were termed racist or intolerant, although most of the country was "intimidated, harassed, and infuriated." His appearance resulted in campus groups getting together to discuss and resolve racial tension. No one called for apologies, community service or charter revocation.

This record shows that Dr. King's dream is nowhere near being recognized. Discrimination is being practised by everyone, whites and blacks alike. The difference is that when blacks are offended they use the looming political threat of protests, marches, and lawsuits. It's time that we all grew up. We need to live with each other, appreciating cultural differences and erasing racial distinctions.

Larry Oberman
Senior Business Administration
**Comics**

**Gag Reflex**

by John Paul

![Gag Reflex comic strip](image)

**Mystery Realm**

by Ray Mauro

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Setzuan is excellent

By Michael J. Cullen
Co-Editor

The following review is from the final dress rehearsal of The Good Woman of Setzuan.

There is only one word to describe Major Theatre Series' version of The Good Woman of Setzuan - excellent. When I first read the play by Bertolt Brecht, I thought no one could make it fit into two hours without losing any of the story. Director, Ramon Delgado, did it.

The play is set in the same style as the work of the Wakefield Master, giving an important message in a humorous setting. It poses the question "How can a person be good and survive in today's world?"

The play opens with one of several mime scenes depicting life in the city of Setzuan. The characters show the crime in the city and the desperation of its citizens. The actors were trained in mime by Lavinia Plonka. These characters are referred to as "riffraff." Prostitutes pick up men, men are assaulted, and the policeman takes a "swig" from a concealed bottle.

The opening scene of the "riffraff" that plays a relatively large part is Wong, the water carrier. Wong is portrayed by Mark Cooper, a visiting foreign exchange student from England. Wong is well portrayed. Cooper delivers his lines with genuine feeling. He begins by breaking the fourth wall and provides the audience with some background information about Setzuan.

Wong introduces three gods who come to Setzuan in search of an honest man. The three gods have a certain straight faced humor that makes them the most entertaining characters of the play. The gods, costumed in brilliant red flowing gowns, were played by Mark T. Paraz, Celeste Russo, and Jeffrey L. Wingfield.

The protagonist, played by Amy Figuereo, is at a constant battle between her emotional, good-hearted side (Shen Te) and her logical, business-minded side (Shui Ta). When Shen Te put on her mask she became her alter ego "cousin" Shui Ta, Amy handles the character's personality switches in a very professional manner.

The two personalities inside of her are constantly at battle over the man Shen Te has fallen in love with, an unfeeling, unemployed, pilot named Yang Sun (Jay Coldren). He, like everyone else, takes advantage of Shen Te's goodwill and despises her alter ego Shui Ta because she is not taken in by him. Jay shows a deep understanding of Yang Sun's character or rather, lack of character.

The set was simple, composed of wood steps, platforms, an old pipe, a green threshold, and some beige panels. However, the magnificent costumes, well controlled lighting, and Bob Logan's excellent job as the traditional Oriental prop man brings the set to life. Great job all around!

BSCU sings gospel praises

By Shawn Smith
Staff Writer

The Gospel Choir of the Black Student Cooperative Union lifted its voice to praise God at its opening debut Wednesday night in Blanton Hall Atrium, a perfect arena for the choir's resounding echoes.

The 37-member choir performed the spirituals, "Oh Happy Day," "In God There Is No Failure," "Count on Jesus," "Refuge for My Soul," "For the Harvest Is Ripe," and "Pass Me Not." Wanda Bell, a choir alumna who returned for the debut, rendered a solo, "God Will Open Doors." Founded in 1969, the choir has been under the capable direction of chairperson Amanda Williams and pianist Donald Parker for the last two years.

The members, who are from MSC and First Hopewell Baptist Church, meet Thursday nights to rehearse their songs which they perform on campus and at various church services in the surrounding communities.

Williams stated that the purpose of the choir is to "...expose this campus to the spiritual heritage of African Americans."

In a brief synopsis of the history of gospel music, Williams said that "Gospel music, originally called 'traditional music,' was used during slavery times to relate events. Later people took this form of message-sending and substituted what was written in the Bible."

Williams encourages students to join the choir: "Come and hear us perform; we're open for everyone."

Other highlights included an acoustic version of "Bringing on the Heartache." Joe Elliot's convincingly emotional vocal performance made it one of the show's high points. During an electrifying "Rock of Ages" Mr. Elliot got the crowd to sing along as the audience sang with enthusiasm.

Def Leppard performed two encores. The band reappeared to play their biggest hit "Photograph" which got the biggest crowd response. Then they came back to play a somewhat uninspired medley of 50's rockers including "Good Golly Miss Molly" and "Whole Lotta Shakin'."

All things considered the Leppards put on quite an energetic performance. They used the four sides of the stage to their advantage. The sound of their music was remarkably good considering the amount of distortion used. Following a three year absence from the musical arena, Def Leppard showed they still had what it takes to stay on top.

In concert

Leppard pounces on stage

WMSC Top Ten
1. Songs About Ing ... Big Black
2. Halfway to Sanity .... Ramones
3. Cucumber ... Cucumbers
4. Beautiful Thing ... Ben Vaughn Combo
5. Creta: Talk of the Town ... Rockin' Sidney
6. VI ... Circle Jerks
7. High Priest ... Alex Chilton
8. Saturday Night ... Schooly D
9. Man of Colours ... Icehouse
10. Strangeways, Here We Come ... Smiths

By Ray Icke
Correspondent

Def Leppard is the English hard rock band that burst onto the American music scene in 1980. Since then they've had many obstacles to overcome in producing their latest album Hysteria and its supporting tour. Their success started in 1981 with their platinum High and Dry release and they finally hit the jackpot with Pyromania which sold close to seven million copies.

Def Leppard appeared to be at the pinnacle of their career when disaster struck. Many fights and personal conflicts plagued the band resulting in the scrapping of over a year and a half worth of work. After this, drummer Rick Allen was involved in a car accident that took him from his left arm. Many thought their career was finished.

Def Leppard proved doubters wrong on Saturday night at the Meadowlands Arena. Their show, which was delayed a few minutes due to traffic, was electrifying. Mr. Leppard's electrifying "Rock of Ages" was a highlight of the show.

Leppard's performance made it one of the high points during the show. During an electrifying "Another Hit and Run" off of High and Dry and into "Women" off their latest effort Hysteria.

The remarkable stage was lit from underneath by what seemed to be neon lights that constantly flashed and changed colors. A staircase led to a small platform that divided the stage into two sections. In the center of the platform Rick Allen's drum rotated consistently throughout the show. At both sides were lasers and video screens which provided some mesmerizing visual productions to some of their songs.

Despite his handicap, drummer Rick Allen gave an absolutely first rate performance. He made his drum set look like a concealed bottle.

All in all the Leppard's put on quite an energetic performance. They used the four sides of the stage to their advantage and the sound of their music was remarkably good considering the amount of distortion used. Following a three year absence from the musical arena, Def Leppard showed that they still had what it takes to stay on top.
**Rock-n-Roll Corner**

Paquale DiFulco

Don’t know why you say good-bye, I say hello... Ex-Beatle George Harrison has a hot new single out. “Got My Mind Set On You” is catchy, crisp and cool. By the way, ex-ELo frontman Jeff Lynne handles the production. One question though: What took you so long George?... Pink Floyd’s Dark Side of the Moon logs its 700th week on the Billboard Top 200 this month. Unbelievable!... Speaking of staying power, Stevie Winwood’s Back in the High Life refuses to budge... The Dixie Dregs have released a “Best Of”... Early reports say Lynyrd Skynyrd is tearing up the concert circuit... New stuff from The Alarm sounds hip... Joe Cocker has an album set for release soon. Tour follows... Doesn’t Bruce Springsteen look funny on his new album cover? Looks like he could pass for one of your dad’s poker-playing buddies... Whitesnake can do no wrong, huh?... Megadeth is in court, fighting it out with an L.A.-based band who call themselves Megadeth... Will someone tell The Dream Academy that the 60s ended 17 years ago?... Sean Penn is back on the streets and he’ll be in NYC this weekend to host Saturday Night Live. I know it has nothing to do with r-n-r, but I keep seeing Madonna’s guy slugging a camaraman. Force of habit... Jazz enthusiasts must get a copy of Miles Davis’ new live LP Cookin’ at the Plugged Nickel. Recorded in Dec 1965 (when I was mere days old), the album features Miles blowing his horn, Herbie Hancock on acoustic piano, Ron Carter on acoustic bass, Tony Williams on drums and Wayne Shorter on tenor sax... Answer to last week’s question: Mick Jagger is the proud owner of a gunshot wound (suffered on the set of Ned Kelly) 1968. Ahh, the lifestyles of the rich and famous... This week: On Mott the Hoople’s “All the Young Dudes,” what three bands are mentioned in the lyrics?... See you here next week, same rock time, same rock corner... Don’t...
Keep up the good work. Love, Your Prospective big.

To Miss Little, Kelly—I'm so proud you're sticking with it. I can't wait for you to be in my family and celebrate! Love, Your Prospective Big.

To my Prospective Little, Sheila—I'm so excited that you will be my little. Just keep it up! Love, Your Prospective Big, Janice.

To my Prospective Family I can't wait to be a part of the family. Thanks for standing by me. I love you! Love, Pledge Mich.

—Miss Brown— I just can't tell you how happy I am that you're my prospective big. I love ya! Sayreville Sisters (hopefully). Love, Your Prospective Little.

—(To my prospective little) Keep up the good work! You're doing great. You're going to make a great sister.

—Love, (Your prospective big partner). Non-bio major.

—Dawn—Love is a long, hard journey, but you were worth the trip, Jo. John.

—Dear Wen—One day this will all seem so easy. For now move on. I'll be there if you need me. Know that I love you.

—To Jen, Rose and Heather at URI: I love you, Bobby.

—Jeanette and Dawn—Jen at marauder? Quand va-t-on finir? Votre “petit copain”

—To the Volleyball Squad—Thanks for the complement. Hope you can pull it all together and play volleyball again. Wait till you see the next outfit. Love, Ms. Minskirk.

—LCF—Thanks for everything. You're the best friend a girl ever had. Love ya, LC2.

—I would have done it anyway even if I wasn't blasted.

—MSC Bowling Team—What do you think about Caninus? A great bunch of guys! BUXFALO!

—MSC Bowling Team—Great emphasis in all events, including pasteurization.


—Dear Gary, Karen, John, and Jim: It was a rockin' weekend! The best is yet to come! Thank you all for a great time.

—Gary—???, ???, to ??? bed, you, idiot!

—John—Sorry for stepping on you! JS.

—Dave rules with a blinder!

—To Joe Belladonna— I still want to mosh w/you, but you still have to realize a good thing when you see it! Love, Moshette.

—Madaly— I love you! Let's have dinner, my treat! Love, Jay.

—Fr. Art—To the best advisor with the best heart. Thanks! Love, The Men's Senate.

—Brother Scott—Thanks for the support. If you need me, we'll be there dude! Screaming Eagles of Iota Gamma XI. Love, your blonde metalhead sisters.

—Dear TKE—Why were your knees so dirty after Homecoming? I'm sorry.


—Happy Belated Birthday Happy Cross-eyed B—H! Guess who? Love, the guy in Stone.

—To the Fairlaw Majorette of Bohn—We always say hi, but don't know each other's name. I think it's about time. Sincerely Interested.

—Poll Person—Make yourself known! - Possible Interested Penguin Person.


Sigma Pledges—You're almost there. Stick with it!!!


—Miss Catfons—Love a voice in the air, a face in the wind. Where you end is where I begin. Vinnie.

—IOTA GAMMA XI—Get your pledges a tuning fork.

—Delia—I want you in the worst way, but I'm afraid it can never be. Happy Birthday.

—To Roots— I just wanted you to know that you are the best cousin, sister, roommate, and friend that a girl could have. Love ya, Platter.

—To Sue Nixson—Aren't you excited about pledging?! Just wanted to let you know that you do have a secret pal. Love ya.

—Kim Bohn 1125—I think you're the ultimate! I think you're cool enough though I haven't talked to you yet.

—To my Middlebuddy—Buddy I hope you keep the carnation in the beer bottle, love ya, Suzanna Love, Miss Rochford.

—To May Hemingway—Hope you enjoyed your birthday, keep up the positive strokes. From "The Cane Guy." Two Xes.

—Out of the depths of the kennekohee-hole comes the swamp moose! Saub, women, watch out! You have only to look inside your mind to find The Montclairian.

—To SGA and Class I-External Alert!! Remember, Linda. Jules—Are we going to party or are you going to give back your pledges? Love, Michelle.

—To SGA—You're the best little, your big, Amy. You're doing great! Dinner tonight? With UCL—Amy.

—To the pledges of Iota Gamma XI—Good Luck. You're going to make it. Iota Pledges—Hang in there.

—Love, Amy V.

—L.K.—Just like old times! Can't wait till next time. Love, L.T.

—to the News Editor—Each day we spend together, my heart grows heavier. Your love is without compassion. Love, John P. Navarro.

—To John Paul—I love you (I've lost count). So here is one: You are the best advisor with the best heart. I hope thou methistera ith juht the beginning. Sorry if I lilti; juth the thought of you maketh me tongue-tied.

—Sisterly—The Bird—I'll be sorely missed by Tom, Peggy & the entire SGA. What cruel fate? You shouldn't mess with Hawks.

—Lenny—In 193B—Come to my concert! I want to see you again. You're my #1 fan! Love, The Women of Sigma.

—To Stripes—All I need is a little time and affection. I want to spend time with you. Late night kisses and pillow.

—Raymond—Play candy-colored clown. Play it now.

—Frank Book.

—To the pledges of Alpha Iota Chi—Keep up the good work ladies! We're behind you all the way.

—To the guys in 1218 Bohn—Freshman grow up or grow home!!

—To my pseudo Big Sister—Love ya lots. Thanks for being a great sister.

—Mo—I told you everything would work out okay. Those 6 weeks might be coming to an end! Love, Your Little.

—Jane—This is so much fun. I don't want it to end! Love, Sue.

—Hey Coolie—I love you. Emily. I enjoyed your chat. Let's do it again soon.

—Pledges of Iota Gamma XI—You're doing great! Stay with it! Love, Miss Dixon.

—Margaret—I've never been so happy. I love you always, Bob.

—Dear Carole, Congratulations on winning Homecoming Queen '87!! Enjoy your reign. Love, Laura C.

—Dearest Mike (Skippy) and Oren—Thank you for your help with our float. We made us very happy raisins. Love, The Sigma Delta Phi Floatbuilders.

—To all my friends who made Homecoming '87 a time to remember, Verle, Jeff, Carolyn, Richard, Bev, Lisa, Theresia, Cindy, Cheryl, Mike C., Amy & Colleen!!! Love, Laura.

—To the members of AIX and everyone—Just think, only 6 weeks until Homecoming. Breaking Bound again? Just think, only 6 weeks until Homecoming.

—To the News Editor—Each paper flower!

—To the Phi Chi Omega Pledges—You guys are doing great! Oct. 30th is around the corner. You're almost there. Keep it up! Love, the Sisters of Phi Chi Omega.

—Renée K—You asked if I was going to the ball this year. Who would have thought it? Not me. But I'll admit—You'd really like to know. Keep on dancing.

—Claire 4th Floor Bonn—Let's use this floor to love and what Ron said was true.

—To our fan club—How about getting us intoxicated sometime and the pledge advantage of us three. Jack, Jeff, and Spencer.

—Annie—You're doing a great job as Pledge Mistress for Delta. Keep up the good work. Your Secret Delta.

—To the women in pink—Good luck pledging!! Love, The Padre of Sigma.

—Ace—When can I buy you a cup of coffee? GB.

—Dear Frankie—Happy two years anniversary! These have been the best two years of my life because of you. Thanks for always being there and for loving me. To John P. Navarro, my life, and my best friend, and I love you! '91.

—Love, Nancy.

—Russ—Thanks for being there when I needed someone to talk to! G.H.

—To the Sisters of Phi Chi Omega—We hope we are meeting up to your expectations! Love, Jim.

—Dear '16—How come you can't walk up to 6 stairs. Think hard! 15.
Soccer team knocks off Roadrunners, 2-0

By Dennis Campbell
Staff Writer

The Indians controlled the game from start to finish as they cruised to an easy 2-0 victory over Ramapo at Sprague Field Friday night. MSC upped their record to 6-2-2, while the loss dropped the more experienced Indians to 1-9-2.

Although MSC came out flat early into the game, the contest was never seriously challenged by the Roadrunners. Rick Costantino, the Roadrunners' spark for the night, Robert Brig's shot almost hit home as the goalkeeper had to make a brilliant move to keep it out of the net.

The second half started with a free kick being awarded to Ramapo. They booted the ball wide, however, failing to capitalize. The Indians had a few chances to add to their lead but failed to convert on each.

On a throw-in taken by Tom Conroy, the Roadrunners were called on a penalty, and a free kick was awarded. Chesney's shot was wide of the mark.

The Indians had their best scoring chance as Lewis made a quick pass to Chesney, whose shot was wide of the mark. MSC had another free kick opportunity when Rubinetti was brought down outside the penalty area. But once again, the Indians failed to convert.

The Roadrunners did man the wings and really used their full play, said, "Rick played a great game. He created a lot of scoring chances for us. He has a lot of speed, he got out on the wings and really used his quickness." Chesney (Robert) and Billy (Fitzpatrick) each played their best game of the season," added Nothofer.

The Indians had a chance to grab an early lead off a corner kick taken by Caruso, but the ball was headed wide by Roger Rubinetti. The Indians had a few scoring opportunities early but failed to connect, as first Derek Lewis' shot went wide and then Chesney's blast was off target.

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MSC drew first blood as Lewis scored his second goal on the sixth corner kick of the night, Robert Brig's shot went straight to the goalkeeper for an easy save.

Nothofer felt that "things got relaxed the rest of the way as they cruised to an easy victory. Nothofer felt that "things got sloppy in the final minutes but we still played well enough to win."
By Kenny Peck
Sports Editor

When a team is in the midst of a winning streak, everything seems to fall their way. Regardless of an injury to their top running back, a blocked extra point, or the opposing team’s homecoming crowd, they find a way to win.

MSC did just that and stretched their winning streak to three games with a 12-0 victory over William Paterson in a New Jersey Athletic Conference affair, spoiling the Pioneer homecoming celebration.

The Indians are now tied for second place in the NJAC with WPC, as each team has a 2-1 conference record. Glassboro State is the divisional leader.

Freshman quarterback Ed Baffige threw for 129 yards and a touchdown, a 45-yard bomb to sophomore John Fiore in the second quarter. Fiore finished the day with three catches for 80 yards.

The Indians seemed to be in trouble early, however, as senior running back Leroy Horn went down with a sprained ankle. But freshman Scott Vega stepped in and finished with 123 yards on 28 carries.

Senior fullback Ed Hernandez also played well, adding 50 yards on 13 rushing attempts.

Junior placekicker Tony Colasurdo kicked two field goals for the Indians. His first was a 23-yarder, as MSC recovered a John Milnroe fumble inside the Pioneer 10-yard line but couldn’t get into the end zone. This gave the Indians a 3-0 lead.

His second, a career high 47-yard boot late in the fourth quarter, put MSC up by a score of 12-0 and just about put the game out of reach.

Colasurdo’s lone extra point attempt was blocked by the Pioneers’ Dom Stainano. Defensively, the Indians were once again outstanding. Sophomore defensive end Paul Cioffi was named the ECAC Defensive Player of the Week for his performance. Cioffi caused two fumbles, recovered one, had six solo and seven assisted tackles, one sack, and blocked a 42-yard field goal attempt by Tom Mulroy.

Junior nose guard Mark Wittal had 12 total tackles for MSC, which improved to 4-2 on the season with the win, and 16-0-1 in the series with WPC, which dates back to 1971.

127 yards on game passing. Running back Mike Coppa didn’t play against Wesley but will see action this week. The senior has rushed for 409 yards this season and has scored four touchdowns. He also doubles as the punt returner.

Senior fullback Frank Oliver is the team’s leading scorer with 11 touchdowns. Oliver scored three of his touchdowns last week.

The defense is led by senior defensive ends Mike Burton and Mark Hair, and senior linebackers Keith Rawlings and Christopher Snyder.

In the secondary, senior cornerbacks Paul Washington and Robert Wagner and free safety Joey Lautsch form an experienced unit.