Dr. Walters resigns from presidency

By Virginia Delgado
Correspondent

On Sept. 15 the Board of Trustees held their first meeting of the 1988-89 academic year. At the meeting, it was reported that President Donald E. Walters will terminate his presidency due to medical reasons and will be on medical leave through August 31.

Walters had more than 20 years of experience in higher education. According to Griffith, $308 million would be used to provide construction and renovation of buildings. The remaining $42 million would be dedicated to expanding the state's network of advanced technology centers.

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Griffith updated the board on the Jobs, Education, and Competitiveness Bond Issue.

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Sprague Library's 25th anniversary celebrated

By Amber Smith
Correspondent

With a festive, fall spirit, staff members will kick off Sprague Library's 25th anniversary in October.

Spearheading the event is Luis Rodriguez, circulation librarian. The focus of this year's celebration is to reflect on the library's history, the changes in services over the years, and its future, said Rodriguez.

Student related activities include a "Do You Know Your Library?" contest, where prizes will be awarded, and amnesty at the circulation desk, where students will get breaks on book fines.

A student reception will take place Oct. 4 and 5 in front of the library. Balloons, pencils, bookmarks, and book bags will be handed out and refreshments will be served. In the event of inclement weather, the event will take place in the library lobby.

A formal reception will take place on Oct. 7. The keynote speaker will be Joan Segal, executive director of the Association of College and Research Libraries, American Library Association, said Rodriguez. Segal will speak about the relationship between the future scholar and library.

Other speakers will include Gregory Walters, acting vice president of academic affairs, and a retired MSC librarian. The reception is by invitation only, and Montclair State deans, faculty, retired librarians, top area administrators and library directors are expected to attend.

An exhibit will be on display the entire month of October, said Rodriguez. It will show the changes Sprague Library has undergone since it was built.

The Sprague building was constructed in 1963, according to Rodriguez. Library services were formerly conducted in College Hall.

The library was built in honor of Dr. Harry A. Sprague, educator and former MSC president, who visualized a "great" central library and "adequate facilities" for Montclair State College, according to a library document.

As stated in a 1977 Star Ledger article, Sprague received his B.S., M.A., and Ph.D from Columbia University. He received his honorary documents from Fairleigh Dickinson University and Montclair State College.

Library Director Blanche Haller was able to see the changes the library has gone through in the past 25 years. Haller said, "Montclair State has grown tremendously, which has resulted in the library's growth and expansion."

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One million dollars would also go towards a new building to house the campus police, security staff, and central stores and receiving functions. A new access road into the north parking lot would be constructed with $1.5 million of the funds, said Griffith.

A coalition has been formed to urge voter approval of the bond issue. Robert E. Allen, chairman and chief executive officer of AT&T, will serve as chairman of the coalition. The coalition urges voters to support the bond issue to maintain New Jersey's standards in education, Allen said.

The committee includes organizations from all parts of New Jersey life such as business, industry, labor, educators, and scientists.

End of active career

By Jane Bech Nielsen
Assignment Editor

At last week's Board of Trustees meeting it was announced that Dr. Donald E. Walters has decided not to return to his active status as president of MSC. He will continue to be on medical leave through August 31.

According to a memo released by Murray L. Cole, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees, Walters has been on medical leave since last fall, following a diagnosis of a type of cancer of the brain. In a letter to the board, Walters said he had made his decision after consultation with and upon recommendation of his physicians.

Walters, 54, was named president of the college in 1984, following a national search for a successor to Dr. W.D. Dickson. Before coming to MSC, Walters had more than 20 years of experience in higher education, according to a press release from the Office of Public Information.

Walters initiated several new programs at MSC, according to the press release. These included an ongoing series of Ethics and Values Seminars for corporate executives and other professional, academic and community leaders, and a series of Public Policy Forums designed to focus attention on matters of relevance to New Jersey and its citizens.

Walters also instituted the annual Presidential Symposium, which gives participants an opportunity to examine issues of national concern to higher education.

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Mentors help minorities overcome their difficulties

By Lynn M. Cowan
Editor-in-Chief

The Minority Student Mentor Program held its first reception on Monday, Sept. 19.

The “Get Acquainted Reception” was held in the Student Center Ballrooms at 4:00 p.m. Dr. Richard A. Lynde, acting president, said in his welcoming address that the program is a unique experiment.

“These students now know they have someone to go to, someone to talk to who has been there before,” Lynde said.

Dr. Curtis M. Jackson, director of Intra-Collegiate Academic Programs (ICAP), provided a brief history of the program.

“It was modest to begin with,” Jackson said. “The program’s original goal was to provide a maximum of 75 students with about 20 mentors to help them in their transition to college.”

Jackson added, “Presently, there are over 100 mentors to serve 226 potential minority mentees.”

Dr. Carlos Pratt, assistant professor of psychology, stressed to the minority mentees that “faculty members want you to succeed—they are ready to help you.”

After the reception, Jackson spoke of the reason the college instituted the program.

“The program began as an effort to improve the retention of students,” Jackson noted. “Research tells us that the people who make a connection—a bridge between themselves and someone who can guide them—early in their college career, are more likely to stay at college.”

“A minority student has a more difficult time making such connections at college,” Jackson added. “Most students find the first few weeks of school traumatic, and are afraid of reaching out or getting involved in college activities.”

“Because of the racism that is prevalent in our society, minority students are faced with additional barriers such as preconceptions of their backrounds and values,” Jackson said.

He added that he hopes this program will be able to cut across racial barriers.

“I want these students to see Montclair State as a caring place,” Jackson said.

Jackson believes the program is the first of its kind in New Jersey, and he hopes that the advantages of the program will eventually spread to other students.

News Notes

Registration

Confirmation schedules were mailed to all students for the fall 1988 semester, on Sept. 22, 1988. Schedules for students who live on campus were sent to their home address.

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All copies of your registration transactions should be brought with you when making inquiries.

Tour South America

The sociology department at MSC announces its “comparative social analysis” course, to be offered in the Winter intersession. This 3 s.h. course will combine lecture time with a 2-week tour of Brazil and Argentina. Dr. Benjamin Hadis will teach and conduct this course/tour.

The price of the tour is $1,250. This includes round-trip air transportation (Pan American); lodging (double occupancy) for 5 nights in Rio and 8 nights in Buenos Aires; airport transfers; and tips to porters at airports and hotels.

The tour will have a maximum of 15 participants. It can also be taken not-for-credit by both MSC students and friends/relatives, but enrolled students will be given priority.

For a brochure call Dr. Hadis at 893-7276.

SGA News

Greek’s meet with SGA

By Barbara Di Maria
Correspondent

The SGA has scheduled a mandatory meeting for two representatives from the Greek Council to meet with two representatives from the SGA to be conducted on Sept. 29.

The bond issue was discussed once again at last night’s meeting. The issue can be voted on by registered voters in the upcoming election. The SGA is planning a voter registration week which will be announced in the upcoming next week.

The SGA congratulated John Dorval, who was re-elected as athletic director, and Tammy Burke, who was elected as president pro temp, at last night’s SGA meeting.

The SGA congratulated the Montclair Indians for winning their first home game of the season this past Saturday night. The final score was MSC-14 and East Stroudsburg-12.

The SGA is informing all those who are planning to turn in their petitions for legislature and board member positions that these are due in the office of the SGA on Friday Sept. 23 at noon sharp.

General meeting September 27 at 6 pm

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Vehicle recovered in Lincoln Tunnel

By Robert Tomeo
Correspondent

Between 8:30 p.m. on Sept. 6 and 1:00 a.m. Sept. 7, a 1982 Grand Prix was stolen from lot 20.

The car was stopped at 1:30 a.m., Sept. 7, in the Lincoln Tunnel for a motor vehicle violation by a Port Authority police officer. When the officer pulled the driver of the car, Tito Ortiz, over he noticed that the key was missing from the ignition and that there was damage to the steering column.

The patrolman opened the door to grab Ortiz, but was pulled in by the driver and dragged 500 feet before the car crashed head-on into a bus.

The officer suffered superficial wounds. Ortiz was charged with aggravated assault, resisting arrest, possession of a stolen vehicle, and possession of burglary's tools.

In October 1987, several students were arrested for possession of marijuana.

On Sept. 13, the offenders appeared before Judge Savenda in Little Falls Municipal Court. They entered a pre-trial intervention program for first time offenders, receiving 6 months of drug rehabilitation in a program supervised by the Passaic County probational department. Each offender also received a $95 fine.

Between 11:00 p.m. Sept. 5 and 3:00 p.m. Sept. 7, a Ford Mustang parked in lot 23 had its stereo stolen.

A car's window was smashed sometime between 1:00 p.m., Sept. 4 and 7:00 p.m., Sept. 7. The item stolen from the car, which was parked in lot 30, was a stuffed animal.

A Clove Road resident reported that she was being harassed by her ex-boyfriend on Sept. 7. No complaints were filed, but the resident said she would file one if the harassment continued.

A radar detector was stolen from the glove compartment of a 1984 Ford Tempo sometime between 1:00 a.m. and noon Sept. 10. The car was parked in lot 23.

A 1967 Pontiac was stolen from lot 24 between 11:00 p.m. Sept. 11 and 10:30 a.m. Sept. 12.

A Plymouth Horizon was broken into between 7:30 p.m., Sept. 11 and 2:30 p.m., Sept. 12. The item stolen from the car, which was parked in lot 23, was a stuffed animal.

A stereo and a radar detector were stolen from a 1988 Volkswagen sometime between 4:45 and 9:14 p.m. on Sept. 12. The car was parked in lot 25.

A television and a VCR were stolen from an A-floor Clove Road Apartment sometime between 11:30 p.m., Sept. 12 and 5:00 a.m., Sept. 13. The apartment was entered through a front window.

A bomb threat was called into the Montclair Police Department on Sept. 9. The caller identified the Rathskellar as the location of the bomb. The area was evacuated but no device was found.

A ground-floor Clove Road Apartment was burglarized between 11:30 p.m. on Sept. 12 and 5:00 a.m. on Sept. 13. The intruder entered through the front window and stole a T.V. and V.C.R.

Between 3:30 p.m. on Sept. 15 and 6:30 a.m. on Sept. 16, the side and hood of 1986 Toyota parked behind Blanton Hall was scratched.

A 1975 Chevy was broken into in lot 24 and a radar detector was stolen from the car. The theft occurred between 11:30 p.m. on Sept. 14 and 1:40 a.m. on Sept. 15.

A 1977 Toyota Corolla was broken into and an attempt was made to steal the car, which was parked in lot 30. This occurred on Sept. 19 between 5:00 and 9:15 p.m.

On Sept. 16, Mallory Hall was illegally entered between 5:30 and 6:30 a.m. A candy machine was broken into.

On Sept. 17, the campus police received a report from a pedestrian that she was being harassed by a male in a car. The male was later found in a parking lot. The male, who was not an MSC student, was arrested for harassment.

Two speakers were stolen, and an attempt was made to steal a stereo from a 1980 Dodge Omni parked in lot 19. The theft occurred between 2:00 p.m. on Sept. 17 and 12:00 p.m. on Sept. 18.

A 1988 Jeep Cherokee was stolen from lot 28 between 11 p.m. on Sept. 17 and 1:00 a.m. on Sept. 18.

Between 8:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Sept. 15, a 1979 Chevy Monte Carlo was stolen from Lot 30.
Sprague Library celebrated
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She added, “We’ve gone from the small, essentially teacher’s college collection, to the sophisticated state-of-art library we have today.”
Commenting on the 25th library anniversary, Haller said it is the perfect opportunity for a festive occasion.
Rodriguez also commented on the library’s expansion. “I think we’ve made an enormous amount of progress since the Sprague building has been open.”
Rodriguez added that there are up-to-date services which have allowed the library to expand. New services include an increased book collection, computerized retrieval services, interlibrary loan services, a separate government document depository department, non-print media services, and a change from the Dewey Decimal to the Library of Congress system.

Jarieau Israel, a junior majoring in political science, was asked if he was pleased with library efficiency and services. “It’s fine, except for the hours. I wish they would extend them,” said Israel.
Another student, who asked not to be identified, said, “the services are excellent in regard to updated book selections. However, the fault of the system is that there are no renewals of books. The highest mark is given for access time and updated book selections.”

The last library anniversary took place in 1978, according to Pat Sanders, coordinator of reference services. Sanders said this year’s anniversary is expected to be larger because of increased publicity.

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**Personal**

- To Goretti—I truely admire
- 9/6/88-Lauren wore pants!?!
- Dave—3 years down and a
- come to the 22 club, wuv ya
- your beauty. From the Quiet
- "Springtime for Hitler and
- Thanx to the Rush committe
- I'm still alive. I luv ya, Gail
- Jim, Jeff, & Ralph You guys
- choice. Go National!
- Phi Sigma Sigma is the best
- there without you. Love Lisa
- been the best. Thanks for Sat­
- Mark-The last few weeks have
- Germany. Winter for Poland
- You are the other best
- Rick—Wow! You Stud! Blue is
- a new born. Your pipe offer
- been denied, unless you come
- -GAY—DAG! You're King!
- Mr. Pencil meet Mr. Paper. The
- Kamikaze shake. Don't fall
- the best anymore! 3D
- -GUYS—GOOD LUCK THIS
- -Bill—Do you like music? Thanx
- for our litter sign. We miss you
- on the weekends. Where's the
- steam coming from?

**Gag Reflex**

- Lynn—I love you more than you
- think.
- John—Bravo for being a
- great guy. I hope this semester
- we'll be able to get some more
- pictures from fun times ahead.
- Lisa—Thanks for helping me
- get adjusted to the new living
- arrangements, you're really
- great! Jennifer.
- Hey! You're the best thing that
- ever happened to me. I love you
- a whole lot...Me!
- To The 8th floor zoo—You guys
- are a happening bunch of dudes,
- but when is the fun going to
- start? -A Lonely Female Bohn
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**Lost**

- Antique gold bracelet with
- seven small opals in design. Lost
- September 7 in Parking Lot 13
- for enlightenment on SBD's.
- My college career wouldn't have
- been complete. Love, the other
- babypuss
- Hammerhead—You found out the
- secret word!! Oh nooooo.

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- To Mary—Okay, okay, so
- you're not Miss America, but,
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Quality should be job one

Though it comes as no great surprise to many, the Board of Trustees announced last Thursday the resignation of the college president, Dr. Donald E. Walters.

For many students the choice of a new president is no great concern, but before one simply ignores it, consider what Dr. Walters had done during his four year term.

Walters set high standards for himself, his faculty, and the students. These standards contributed to many different and conflicting views of our former president.

Some saw Walters as a man dedicated to improving the quality of the college by raising standards of admission and supporting the organization of programs such as the college honors program. When Walters viewed the pass/fail option as one that should not be extended to General Education Requirement (GER) courses, the student body rose in uproar. Students complained of not being able to carry the same course loads they had carried previously. Sad tales of work schedules and the car payments that necessitated these schedules were traded among students around campus.

Others saw him as an elitist who was driving away the standards that MSC had come to expect from high schools every year. Students without competitive grades or SAT scores knew they were to continuing MSC's tradition of quality. When students speak of a need for taller buildings.

Walters sought to change this view and raise the quality of the student body rose in uproar. Students complained of not being able to carry the same course loads they had carried previously. Sad tales of work schedules and the car payments that necessitated these schedules were traded among students around campus.

In addition, Walters fought in a statewide campaign for the passage of autonomy legislation, in essence making MSC responsible not to the state, but to itself for budgeting.

It Walters had not put a strong case for excellence at this institution, would we have been the only state college to receive two challenge grants totaling $6.9 million? No one can say for sure.

But why list a man's credentials if he won't be our president any longer? Simply stated, we hope the search committee that reviews candidates for the presidency can recognize the same qualities in another individual.

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Professor differs with SGA president

Reverse racism vs. pure racism

To the editor:

Tom Mergola wrote last week of Senator Wynona Lipman's "unmitigated gall" in referring to what Mergola terms "the track coach incident" of last Spring as an example of racial conflict.

Mergola suggested Lipman "ought to get her facts straight," but himself fails to state the facts as he sees them.

I am far from wanting to defend Lipman. But I followed this incident carefully in the press. Let me summarize what seem to me to be the "facts" as they emerged.

Some MSC faculty and students attacked the hiring of a black applicant, Mr. John Blount, over a white one, Vic Mizzone, as an example of something called "reverse racism." However, no evidence to support this charge was ever printed in the articles on the subject that I saw, whether in The Montclarion or elsewhere.

Mr. Mizzone were among the top three candidates). Charges of "racism" and of "reverse racism" are so serious that they should never be made without the presentation of full evidence, carefully presented. Those who brought the "reverse racism" charge certainly had ample access to the press and every opportunity to present their evidence. That they never did so strongly suggests their case is very weak, and they know it.

It appeared to me then, and still does today, that the "track coach" case was more probably an example, not of "reverse racism," but of racism pure and simple. Since no evidence was presented, those who made the inflammatory charge of "reverse racism" seem to think that the hiring of a black candidate over a white one was illegitimate or immoral on the face of it, with no proof of the charge of "reverse racism" even being necessary.

If it is not anti-black racism to suggest that the hiring of a black over a white candidate is prima facie evidence of "reverse racism," I don't know what racism is.

The mass media deserves criticism as well for the way in which they echoed or gave publicity to the charge of "reverse racism," without demanding evidence or pointing out, in their articles, the lack of it. I'm sorry to have to include The Montclarion in this criticism,
since I am one of their strongest supporters.

In short: the charge of "reverse racism" was touted about at MSC and elsewhere, and then dropped without the evidence for the chance to examine the validity of the charge for themselves. This whole affair stinks of racism. Until Mr. Mergola, and those who raised the charge in this irresponsible manner, set forth their evidence publicly, some of the stink will stick to them.

Grover Furr
Assistant Professor of English

Tommy talks

Candidates avoid college vote

It's that time again. Cool-breezes, autumn leaves, campaign promises. Campaign promises? That's right, it's an election year. Your thoughts should now be directed toward the political races on the local, state and national levels.

Those politicians, such as Pete Dawkins and Frank Lautenberg, want you to get it, they're supposed to act concerned about your needs and show their support by visiting your campus. They're supposed to send their campaign managers and representatives to various colleges and universities to drum up student support. Well, where are they?

Maybe the fact that only 17 percent of all eligible students actually vote allows these politicians to think they should concentrate elsewhere in their quest for voter turnout. Maybe they feel that students just don't care enough to vote and make a difference. Or maybe they realize that students are simply too intellectual and want the promises cast aside to reveal the real issues.

Whatever the reason, it seems they're reluctant to face our concerns without all the unnecessary political jargon.

For example, I received a phone call regarding an invitation to lunch with senator hopeful Pete Dawkins (R). I was asked how I stood on the Dawkins campaign.

What I was basically and cleverly being asked was would I vote for Dawkins. When I responded that my political stance as an SGA president was non-partisan, that lunch invitation was withdrawn.

It was clear to me that as a student leader, unless you supported the Dawkins campaign, you could not have the privilege to meet with someone that might represent you in public office. Since my non-partisan approach didn't please those invitation senders, I guess my concerns and those of my peers at MSC just don't matter enough to warrant a meeting, let alone lunch.

An example of reluctance from the Dawkins' group is their educational stance, or lack of, in this case. Upon meeting with the Dawkins' constituency this summer, I constantly requested information on his educational platform. I was told that the entire educational viewpoint from Dawkins would be released as soon as possible.

To this day, the Dawkins campaign has released minimal information on this issue, while touting in the Dawkins' televised commercials that he was once a teacher.

And what's Frank Lautenberg's excuse? Several SGAs across the state have banded together to get the two to agree on a debate or political forum sponsored by students. Every time that Dawkins has agreed and committed to a date and place, Lautenberg bows out, claiming some conflict with his scheduling.

Come on, Frank and Pete; cut us some slack and let's make this election year something today's students can look back upon with some sense of history.

This all leads me to implore you, the student, to register, vote and be heard. The SGA will be there to assist you. Keep your eyes open next week for information about the voter registration drive being sponsored by the SGA.

Minorities lack representation

To the Editor:

After reading over and over the article by Tommy Mergola, Sept. 15, 1988 entitled "Unmitigated Gall Ruins Commencement Ceremony," I felt inclined to respond to some of the questions Tommy wants answers to!

First, to believe that racism does not exist, on M.S.C.'s campus is blind ignorance. If there are people who entertain the farce that this campus is free of this degrading and terrible problem, then he or she needs to talk with any of the multi-culture, multi-ethnic groups on this campus.

I believe that if it wasn't for certain departments here on campus (i.e. Residence Life, Student Activities, Student Center...) providing a great deal of proactive/prudent training this campus would not be as harmonious as Tom proclaims.

Tommy, with all due respect, if MSC was as utopic and free of racial problems as you state, we would be able to set a precedence. We could sell our success to people all over the world and end this deplorable act and make a lot of money!

I challenge you to not spend a meager six minutes to discuss real racial problems here at MSC, but spend 60 minutes or more disseminating this issue in an open forum. You may not believe what you will hear!

Paul B. Lucas
Senior/Mathematics


editorial/letters

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Speed and intensity beat at Drum Festival '88

By Matt Mendres
Correspondent

This past Saturday saw the gathering of five of the world's best drummers in Memorial Auditorium, as Modern Drummer Magazine presented Drum Festival '88.

The day-long event left hardly a seat unfilled as drummers, percussionists and fans from as far away as Jerusalem, Israel, gathered to learn from, and enjoy the performances of, some of music's top players.

The show began with an appearance from legendary drummer/percussionist Carl Palmer. Best known for his work with Emerson, Lake and Palmer and Asia, he entertained questions from the audience and demonstrated various techniques and exercises for better playing. Always enthusiastic and exhibiting a wry English sense of humor, Palmer commented on the "animalistic" nature of the instrument and climaxxed his segment with a thunderous solo that left jaws hanging wide open.

Following Palmer was West Coast studio whiz Harvey Mason who, before saying a word to the crowd, sat down and performed an alternately subtle and not-so-subtle piece of playing. He went on to play along with recorded tracks from an upcoming George Benson album, and explained his use of triggering effects sounds from his acoustic drums.

Next up was a relatively new star on the drumming scene, Dennis Chambers, who amped with his speed and intensity on the drum set. Chambers, who is currently playing with fusion guitarist John Scofield, took rquests from those in the audience and drew a few laughs when he revealed that he wasn't actually using the drum pedals of the company that he was endorsing.

After a brief intermission, the clinic continued with a performance from New Jersey's own Peter Erskine (Erskine, who is the author of Modern Drummer's Jazz Workshop column as well as his own book, spoke about his feelings about jazz in general and drumming in particular.

He said that the role of the drummer was to "make the music feel good, and to make the musicians making the music feel good."

Formerly with Weather Report and currently a solo artist, Erskine expressed his interest in "improvized instrumental music" and stressed the importance of clarity in one's playing.

Rounding out the event was a special performance from Steve Smith and his jazz/rock band, Vital Information. Recognized for his work with jazz violinist Jean-Luc Ponty and Journey, Smith turned his segment more into a concert than a clinic; in the end, the rest of the five-piece band ripped through selections from the band's past and current recordings.

The one-hour-plus performance brought a standing ovation from the audience, which had been there for over seven hours by that point.

Drum Festival '88 was also marked by special appearances from Anton Fig (Freddie's Comets, The World's Most Dangerous Band) and Rod Morgenstein (voted best progressive rock drummer in M.D.'s 1988 Reader's Poll), both of whom drew winning tickets for various door prizes.

Noted session player Danny Gottlieb was also on hand to present the 1988 Hall of Fame Award to renowned drummer/teacher LouieBellson, who received a generous amount of applause from the audience.

By the end of the day, a very satisfied crowd was left to compare notes and to look forward to Drum Festival '89.

Charly Sheen (Wall Street).
Surprisingly, Sheen was cast in a minor role, however, which provided the audience with a character that gave the film a breath of fresh air.

The sets and costumes for Young Guns were realistic and actually captured the magnetism of the old West. However, there was something missing from this film. Maybe it was the fact that it never possessed the careful storytelling of a traditional Western.

Young Guns neither illustrated the violent, vigilant theme of a Clint Eastwood film, nor did the film contain the suspens­ful, supporting the bad guy theme of Butch Cassidy and the Sundance Kid. It portrayed too much Hollywood style with the sound track of a music video. Young Guns demonstrated no foresight beyond the movie's theme of the outlaws' violence. However, it was entertaining and the cast presented competent, memorable performances. Although Young Guns is not the best Western created, it is worth the money to see.

Drum Festival '88 scored big with music fans of Smith, Erskine and Palmer.

By Dominic Pandiscia
Correspondent

On September 10 & 11, the 1988 New York Guitar Show made its way to 12th Street in Greenwich Village. This annual event provides one with the chance to play vintage guitars and the satisfaction of giving to charity. This year, the guitar show was held as a benefit for the Aids Resource Foundation.

For a mere six dollars, one got the opportunity to see and play dream guitars, get a cool Elvis stamp on the back, and give money to help solve the growing problem of children born with AIDS.

In addition to some great sounding guitars, the show provided its attendees with the priceless opportunity to talk with others with a common love; music! Even Billy (from ZZ Top) showed up for some "down-home" jams and sweet guitars.

Because of the size of the show, guitarists were able to purchase a vintage guitar at reasonable prices. Guitars which sell for upwards of $10,000 over the counter were available to the public for as little as $1,500.

These prices were not the only deals which were offered to the public; at one table, one could purchase a packet of actual grass from Grace-land or a bottle of Mississippi River water.

So what, "you ask? Okay, you're right; so what, but the table did exemplify the friendly, open and generally fun attitude of most of the people in attendance.

Guitars such as vintage '57 Stratocasters and '59 Sunburst Les Paul's were widespread, but the real (and truly affordable) treasures of the show were hidden within the bizarre realm of "innovative" craftsmanship. Such creations as the all-aluminum guitar, and the see-through electric violin were prime for the picking.

This reporter purchased a home-made Telecaster which plays like a dream and sounds like the end of the world for a mere $50. Other such "buys" were widespread. Some tables had box after box of used effects, cables, microphones, etc., for as much as $20.

The show also provided the opportunity to play the collection of guitars in the auction. Entries came from as far as Texas and Rhode Island to sell their guitars at the show. The variety of dealers spurned competitive price slashing and a great cross-section of vintage guitars which are still available for purchase today.

Overall, the show was a success and left this reporter looking forward to next year, and the next New York Guitar Show.

If anyone is interested in giving a donation to the AIDS Resource Foundation for Children, they can correspond with the organization at 182 Roosevelt Avenue, Newark, New Jersey 07107.
Nolan's Notes

By Jarrett Nolan

The chimes of freedom rang quite clear in Philadelphia Monday, as the Amnesty Human Rights Now tour made its only East Coast area stop at the John F. Kennedy Arena. The show which featured; Peter Gabriel, Tracy Chapman, Sting and Bruce Springsteen and the E Street Band, got under way around 5 p.m. with a surprise performance by folk legend Joan Baez.

Standing alone center stage a young and obviously a little nervous Chapman began the eight and a half hour show. In a set that included songs like “Fast Car” and “Talkin’ Bout a Revolution” she truly set the mood for what was forthcoming.

I only wish that Chapman had used a full band. In a small club the acoustic guitar would have sufficed but with a crowd as large as the one at JFK, some of her message may have lost its impact.

Beginning with “King of Pain,” Sting performed like a man with a cause. Looking quite dapper, the ex-policeman played many of his more political songs like “If You Love Somebody Set Them Free” and “They Dance Alone.” During the latter he was joined by Gabriel who helped out on vocals.

At the end of Sting’s set he was surprised everyone with a remarkable version of “Every Breath You Take.” Gabriel was introduced by Springsteen who called Gabriel a constant source of inspiration during the whole tour. Without a doubt Gabriel turned in the most intense and creative performance of the evening. Many of his songs are the essence of the cause. Songs like “Games Without Frontiers” where Gabriel sang while he and the band marched military style around the stage added to the already prevalent feeling of anti-war.

“Biko,” a song about the murdered South African leader was truly a sight to behold. With a tear in his eye Gabriel said “the rest is up to you.” He turned his microphone towards the audience and walked off the stage while the crowd continued to chant the final words of the song.

If Gabriel was the conscience of the show then Springsteen was the heart. Sporting six earrings in his left ear and one in his right, he played with more muscle than on any of the Tunnel of Love tour dates.

A Boss set would not be complete without a few surprises and this one had two. First, Sting joined in for a wonderful version of “The River” and later he played “Jungle Land,” which he hasn’t played since 1980. The show was capped off with all of the performers together singing Bob Marley’s classic “Stand Up For Your Rights.” It was a fitting end to an amazing day of music and awareness.

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The production opens Thurs., Sept. 22 and runs through Sat., Sept. 24, as well as, Thurs., Sept. 29 through Sat., Oct. 1. Performances will be at 8 p.m. in the Studio Theatre.

Ticket prices are: standard, senior citizen, MSC faculty, and alumni $2; students with MSC ID $1. The box office opens at 7:30 p.m. on the nights of the performance. For further information, call 893-5112.

Art forum lecture series

Beginning on Sept. 8, the Art Forum Lecture Series will resume its free Thurs. afternoon presentations by working artists and professionals in the Calcia Fine Arts Building Auditorium. From 3 to 5 p.m., the series features experts giving presentations on various art forms.

Among the professional artists to appear are Lori Lindenfield, fiber artist; Ed Ruda, abstract painter; Sandi Fellman, artist/photographer; Deidre Bibby, curator of American art; Nancy Bowen, sculptor; and Pat Oleszko, performance artist. For more information, call Patricia Lay 893-4307.

Chapman art exhibit

Painting, ceramic sculpture, handblown glass and photography are just a few of the diverse media plied by former MSC professor M. Anne Chapman during her lifetime. An exhibition of her work in these and other media is now on display in the College Art Gallery, Life Hall.

The exhibition will be open to the public Tues. through Sat. from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Fri. and Sat. from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. through Oct. 5. Further information can be obtained from the gallery's director, Lorenzo Pace, at 893-5113.
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Stahl leads booters past Sony Brook, Jersey City

By Ian Saarmann
Staff Writer

One thing is certain about the 1988 MSC soccer team. As goalie Jim Stahl goes, so go the Indians.

Stahl has recorded four shutouts in the young season, and it is by no coincidence that the Indians have a record of 4-2-2. This fact is not overlooked by Coach Masur.

"Jim's come on real well for us," Coach Masur said. "He's always had the potential; but not the right motivation. At summer camp his play became much sharper. Now that he's playing every day, his intensity has grown and he has become a real leader for the team."

Stahl has been so good that Coach Masur has developed a small concern. It is the type of concern that a coach can live with, however.

"It bothers me a little that we have not won a game when the other team has scored," Coach Masur said. "I'd like to see the team respond in a more positive way when an opponent scores."

Coach Masur didn't get a chance to see that this week, however, because the Indians shut out both Stony Brook and Jersey City State.

Rob Chesney scored a goal and added two assists to lead MSC to a 4-0 win at Jersey City on last night.

Vinny McGowan opened the scoring for the Indians, and his goal was followed by Chesney's tally. The Indians took a 2-0 lead into halftime, and put the game out of reach early in the second half with two quick goals.

Freshman Louie Ken-Kwofie and Scott Logan finished off the scoring and gave some of the younger players a chance for some valuable playing time.

"Overall, we played well," co-captain Mike Nothofer said. "We're starting to develop some consistency and everyone is contributing. That's what were going to need in the long run."

Last Monday, the Indians traveled to Stony Brook for a game with the Patriots. Chesney's goal at 35:36 of the first half held up as the Indians beat the Patriots 1-0. Stahl had eight saves for MSC and the tough Indian defense recorded another shutout.

Midfielder Bobby Brig suffered a broken nose and a third degree concussion after being headed by an opponent right before halftime. The junior is expected to recover and be back in the Indian lineup shortly.

The Indians host Stockton on Friday, September 23rd with a high school game between Kearney H.S. and Montclair H.S. preceding that.

Errors last week

In last week's issue of The Montclarion, the calendar of activities incorrectly lists CLUB as showing the movie "Raw" on Sept. 2 to Sept. 6. The correct date is Sept. 26, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

The Montclarion regrets any confusion this error may have caused.
Chesney receives Montclair honor

By Mary Carlomagno
Staff Writer

Returning to the soccer field last week after a two game absence was junior co-captain Rob Chesney.

Chesney, who was suffering from a viral infection, came back Monday and scored MSC's only goal against Stony Brook, putting an end to a two-game Indian winless streak and earning him this week's Athlete of the Week honors.

"Rob started out having a great season, but then he was sidelined. We suffered a tie to NJIT, which was a mental letdown, and then a loss to Rutgers Camden. Without Rob, we were missing some leadership," said Head Coach Dave Masur.

The Indians are a young team, as their roster includes five freshman. Chesney, with three years of experience, offers leadership and sets an example for the younger players.

"The team has a lot of talent. Hopefully we will be able to put everything together, hit the right combinations and have a winning season," said Chesney.

Team unity will be a major factor for a winning season. Chesney attributed the Indian success to the combination of Coach Masur's new system and team unity.

Coach Masur is in his second coaching season at MSC. He feels that given leadership and composure, the team will be able "to play the kind of soccer we are capable of."

As far as what the season holds, Chesney feels very confident.

"We have a shot to win the conference. The teams to beat are Kean, Glassboro, and Trenton. We just have to go there with the attitude that we have to beat everyone," he said.

The team's schedule has many home games remaining, and Chesney hopes that fans will come out and support.

Chesney stated, "It takes unity. Everyone working together is essential. What is most important is to maintain a positive winning attitude."

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Welcome
MSC tops E. Stroudsburg

By Bryan Morytko
Staff Writer

When MSC quarterback Ed Baffige called "split right 55 bangle" on third and ten from East Stroudsburg's 36-yard line, he wasn't exactly expecting what was about to occur.

The play called for Baffige to throw to his right, but it was broken up, and Baffige was forced to scramble as the Warrior defense swarmed in. Seeing receiver John Fiore open, Baffige lofted a pass just as he was crunched by a Warrior tackle, causing the ball to act, as some would say, like a "duck."

The pass wasn't pretty, but it was successful, as Fiore leaped and grabbed the Indians' first touchdown of the game.

Baffige, meanwhile, lay on the ground, his only clue to the result being the roar of the 3,901 fans.

Baffige's second scoring pass of the game went to Scott Vega, which gave the Indians a 14-5 lead, enough of a cushion for the Indians to hold on to win.

The pass to Vega came just three plays after Baffige hit sophomore receiver Frank Mariconda, who raced down the right sideline for a 48-yard gain to the ESU 20 yard line.

Baffige has played quarterback for championship caliber teams since high school. Playing for Union High, the dominant team in Group IV New Jersey high school football, prepared Baffige well for the rigors of college ball.

While playing for Union, Baffige won three consecutive state championships, the final one coming in his senior season when he started and led the Farmers to a hard fought 15-8 victory over Roxbury.

MSC's young quarterback has started every game since replacing Leon Kisilowski in the second half of last year's opener versus Wagner.

Baffige completed 77 of his 151 attempts last year for a 51% completion rate and racked up 1059 yards and seven touchdowns. This year, Baffige has already thrown for 279 yards and three touchdowns in just two games.

The young MSC quarterback has improved with every game and "sees good things coming up for the team" in this season.

Indian info: The Warriors were coming off a banner game against Southern Connecticut, in which they prevailed, 19-9.

Some highlights for East Stroudsburg were punter Todd McNamee's school record-breaking 78-yard boot and senior safety Joe McLaughlin's 53-yard punt return for a touchdown...ESU holds an overall lead in their series with the Indians at 20-15, but have found the Indians tough to beat in the 1980's, as MSC holds a 7-2 advantage...

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Placekicker Tony Colasurdo follows through on the first of his two extra points Saturday against East Stroudsburg. The Indians won, 14-12.
Let's (not) see the replay  The opening kickoff of Sunday's Giants-Cowboys game was mishandled by Dallas' Darryl Clack on the one-yard line. The ball rolled into the end zone, and Clack retrieved it and attempted to run it out. But Mark Collins tackled Clack after a few steps, and referee Pat Haggerty mistakenly called it a safety when it should have been a touchback.

The Giants then went on to win the game by the margin of the safety, 12-10.

In this era of technological advances, such a blown call is not likely to escape the eyes of the replay official. This one did and, but one should not blame Haggerty, or even the replay official, Armen Terzian. The blame should go to the NFL for instituting the replay rule and not carrying it out 100%. Because now every close play or questionable call is expected to be not only reviewed, but called correctly every time. And that's just not going to happen, because the officials are human and are going to make mistakes.

The point is, the replay rule stinks. Yes, there have been many instances where the replay has shown the initial call by the official to be incorrect, and the calls were then changed. But what about when there's a late hit, holding, or even illegal motion that the officials miss? Technically, these are also blown calls, but since these are judgement calls, they are not subject to review. (In actuality, isn't every call a judgement call? Didn't Haggerty make a split-second decision, thereby using his own "judgement").

It's up to the NFL to either abolish the rule or modify it to ensure more consistency. As it stands now, it seems unlikely that the league will take a step backward and totally eliminate it. And that's probably good. But if the NFL should choose to keep the rule, it should be done right, or not at all.

Say it ain't so, Bobby O  Disaster struck the Mets' pitching staff yesterday afternoon when Bob Ojeda severely lacerated his left index finger while trimming the hedges at his home. Mets officials say the microsurgery performed yesterday afternoon and night to reattach the tip of the finger lasted 5½ hours.

At the Meadowlands  Two Penns didn't run last week, so we'll continue to look for him in moderate to high allowances against horses of his own age (two).
Soccer team a' rollin'
The MSC soccer team has won their last two games, both by shutout.

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Indian tri-captain Doug Robb (78) congratulates junior John Fiore after the split end caught a 36-yard touchdown pass from Ed Baffige Saturday at Sprague Field. The touchdown gave the Indians a 6-0 lead enroute to a 14-12 triumph over East Stroudsburg in MSC’s home opener.

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Sophomore Ed Baffige led the MSC football squad to their ninth straight victory with a 14-12 win over East Stroudsburg University Saturday at Sprague Field.

The MSC streak has been running since October 3 of last year, when the Indians rolled past Ramapo, 65-0, and has continued since.

The Indians’ home opener was plagued by rain and a slight wind. But those fans who braved the cold were fortunate to see a very close game.

Both teams found the weather to be a major factor, as the ball and field became extremely slippery. Coach Giancola’s Indians prevailed despite the weather and despite the fact that they were playing a very respectable division II team in East Stroudsburg.

Baffige threw for two touchdowns in the game, accounting for all of the scoring for the home team. The first score of the game came on a strange but effective 36-yard pass play, resulting in an MSC touchdown.

Baffige dropped back to pass on the ESU 36-yard line, scrambled, and just as he was hit, let loose to receiver John Fiore, who leaped and came down with it for a score. The ensuing extra point by senior Tony Colasurdo made it 7-0, and MSC took that lead into halftime.

The Warriors scored in the third quarter on a field goal from 35 yards out and later benefited from a safety when the snap to MSC punter Paul Castiglia was high and he was forced to run the ball out of the end zone.

Towards the very end of the quarter, MSC struck back with Baffige hitting Scott Vega for 14 yards and six more points. The extra point kick was good, and the Indian lead jumped to 14-5.

The Warriors took the ensuing kickoff and began what was to become a 74-yard touchdown drive, highlighted by a 56-yard pass completion on a crossing pattern to a streaking Dennis Mailhot. After the extra point, the score stood at 14-12.

The MSC defense was led by senior Matt Clark, who had two cont. on p. 22