Negotiations fail to produce settlement

By Richard E. Buckley, Jr.
Assignment Editor

There are still no visible signs of a faculty contract settlement after negotiation sessions yesterday, last Friday and Wednesday, according to Dr. Richard Franke, vice president of the Montclair State Federation of College Teachers (MSFCT).

Jim Kenen, MSFCT vice president of personnel, said he doesn't expect anything significant to happen with the contract negotiations until the weekend. Kenen said the possibility of a strike could be avoided with an agreement made after a strike is officially called.

"Judging from the past, these matters are usually resolved at two or three in the morning (after the strike is called)," Kenen said.

Greg Waters, vice president of Academic Affairs, said, "It is our intention to keep classes open as possible." Waters also said that the administration still hopes there will be a settlement without a strike.

Joseph Moore, strike coordinator, said preparations for the strike continue and Newman House, strike headquarters, will be open on Monday Feb. 26 at 12 p.m. Newman will be staffed to keep the lines of communication open between faculty and administration, as well as staying updated on negotiations in New Brunswick.

Moore urged all students to call the SGA to stay updated on whether or not classes are in session (see box this page). "The secretaries in the administration offices will be instructed to tell callers classes are in session," said Moore.

Although some professors plan to hold classes, no student can be penalized for missing those classes, said Moore. A grievance procedure was adopted last fall by the Faculty Senate, the SGA, Dr. Edward Martin and Dr. Jean Armstrong, vice president of Student Affairs. Any student who is pressured by a faculty member should go to the SGA and utilize the grievance procedure, said Moore.

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Student body wins two voting seats in MSC College Senate

By Eric Erb
Staff Writer

Students will have voting representation on the proposed College Senate as part of an amendment passed by the Faculty Senate on Wednesday, Feb. 22.

The amendment, passed 14 to 9, allocates two voting positions and three ex-officio positions to students selected to the College Senate, a governing body designed as a Shared Governance proposal to replace the Faculty Senate.

The original proposal for student representation called for five voting members, but senate members expressed concern that that amount would be too large. "I'm in favor of students getting a vote, but I'm uncomfortable with the number of students being greater than the four non-teaching professional representatives," said senate member Denise DeBlassio, MSC's assistant registrar.

The accepted amendment to the proposal does not specify a process for selecting the student representatives for the College Senate. The selection process will be decided in the Faculty Senate's constitution committee.

The Faculty Senate also voted to select an amount of faculty members on the proposed College Senate in proportion to the size of the school they represented. It was also decided that administrative representatives and the four MSC vice presidents on the proposed senate will be ex-officio members.

MSC teachers pay just can't compete with figures like these

By R. A. Campos
Staff Writer

As the possibility of a faculty strike draws near, administrators and teacher union members this week discussed their views on contract negotiation issues.

Vice President Jesse Rosenblum said that the college values the faculty's important contributions to this educational facility and hopes the final outcome will be both fair and equitable.

Neither the faculty nor the administration claims they want a strike, but at this point no grounds have been made for negotiations.

The Montclair State College Federation of Teachers (MSFCT) claims that they are grossly underpaid compared to public school teachers and even more so when compared to administrators/managers at our college.

Public school teachers with bachelor's degrees and no teaching experience have a starting salary from $21,543 to almost $25,000 a year depending on which district they work for. If teachers have their master's degree, their minimum salary is $23,194 a year.

Public school teachers had an average increase in salary of 8.67 percent in the 1988-89 year, according to the MSFCT.

Members of the administration/managerial staff at this college make from $27,200 to $85,000 a year, not including an average 6.5 percent retroactive increase in salary due this year, according to a list of salaries published by the MSFCT.

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In case of strike, SGA is neutral

By Gall Pietranera
Correspondent

There was opposition over the SGA's stance towards the faculty strike in 1990. The SGA meeting was held on Wednesday, Feb. 21.

The conditions of many of the Bohn Hall bathrooms are similar to vandalism, but he added that the vandalism often is a result of frustration. Vandalism such as crazy glue in the buttons, jamming the doors and throwing things into the shaft only makes the situation worse, he said.

The conditions of many of the Bohn Hall bathrooms are another problem. Lack of toilet paper, paper towels, and shower heads are among the biggest problems. Some of the workers, who asked not to be identified, said that there is a lack of supplies, but Cooper said this is not true. He said he has a stock room full of supplies and he can not explain why they are not getting to the bathrooms.

A source, who wished to remain anonymous, also reported that sometimes the supervi sor holds back supplies if he or she feels that the residents are abusing the bathroom. Cooper said, "That's not right—that's not fair," but added that he can not know the actions of every employee.

There is also construction needed in the bathrooms, according to Cooper. He said that the shower heads are poorly constructed, but he added that he wants to exhaust every possibility before reconstruc ting them. By "pumping money into it" for reconstruc tion, there would have to be an "increase in the rent...(and)...that's not fair. Students didn't cause the problem," he said.

Kris Miller, a resident of Bohn Hall, said that the showers in her dorm are too small. An employee, who asked to remain anonymous, said that new shower curtains were ordered a year ago but they never arrived. The employee said that they were told to wash the old curtains for September of '89. Cooper denied this and said that new shower curtains were installed last summer. He explained that they are too small because the shower curtains are standard size and need to be custom made. He said he expects to have custom made curtains by this summer.

There are two people working to clean Bohn Hall on weekends, said Cooper. He added that there isn't enough money to hire enough workers and that he also can't find people willing to work. "I am paying people overtime to come in on weekends to clean the building and all they do is take out the garbage," he said.

In 13 years, Cooper said, he has never had the problem of getting people to work like he has here. "I have cleaned bathrooms myself," he said. "Some people are going to have to go and get some good people are going to have to come in.

The problem of hiring more workers is partly due to starting salaries averaging at about $3,000 a year for the cleaning staff and $14,000 a year for repair personnel, said Cooper. He added that in order to raise the salaries the college must go through the state, which is resistant.

Cooper does place some of the blame on vandalism, which he said is mostly in the men's bathrooms. He said that there are things such as stealing toilet paper or flushing rolls down the toilets, but he said he would like to put locks on the toilet paper holders. This was done in Blan ton Hall public bathrooms.

Cooper's staff has completed several deep-cleaning projects since he first took office as director of facilities 18 months ago. Stone Hall has been completely ren ovated and much work has also been done in Freeman and Webster, he said. As for Bohn, a new roof was placed this past summer. Cooper said he hopes to make more changes. He said he would like to see Bohn Hall have new furnitures, new alarm system, rugs, a boiler (all the buildings must pump all their heat and hot water from a power plant), and air conditioning.

The conditions of any other campus dormitories are not as bad, but Cooper said that he can not know the actions of every employee.
Professors’ pay can’t match these figures

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Each year the MSFCT must negotiate professors’ salary increases with the state. The administration’s increases are set each year by the state, according to Rosenblum.

Administration members can get salary increases from one percent to 11 percent each year based on their performances. The average of salary increases, however, can not exceed 6.5 percent.

Many teachers claim that a raise is necessary to keep up with the cost of living.

It is more likely that teachers are negotiating for higher salaries, according to Rosenblum.

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“New Jersey state law imposes a limit on promotions,” said Moore. “No more than 60 percent of the faculty can hold top positions of full professor and associate professor. Thirty-five people applied for promotions, but only three or four will be promoted because of the caps,” said Moore.

“The AFT also represents librarians, staff counsellors and non-teaching professionals, who are experiencing similar predicaments with their contracts,” said Moore.

T. Edward Hollander, Chancellor for Higher Education for N.J., announced Friday he will resign from his position which he has held since 1977. Hollander’s retirement comes two years before his five year term expires. Moore said, “Hollander’s resignation will strengthen the hand of the governor. He (Hollander) will be a lame duck for four months before his official resignation in June.”

Administrative officials could not be reached for comment on the effect of Hollander’s resignation on negotiations.

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“Do you think it is the student’s right or privilege to vote on a faculty strike?”

By Peter S. Rebovich Jr.

“It most definitely is a right not a privilege, because the issues they are voting on directly influence the students. The students should have a voice on these matters.”

Hope Nixon
sophomore/biology

“It’s the student’s right because we are the majority and should be more involved in school policies.”

Nancy Smith
freshman/geoscience

“It’s without a question a right to the students here at MSC. We should have a part in making decisions that will be directly affecting us.”

Leslie DeLuca
senior/communications

“I feel it’s a right because students are directly affected by these decisions, they should have some type of an impact on these issues.”

Jason Field
sophomore/undeclared

“Voting is a privilege. If the SGA is appointing these students they will be at the calibre to make these decisions for the good of the student body.”

Marie Wallace
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4. Don’t listen to rumors. If you want information, call one of the numbers above.

5. Stay calm. When the strike is over, return to classes.
Why books cost so much at the School Store

By R. Campos  
Staff Writer

The average college student can pay up to $250 a semester for books on top of the cost of tuition. Students at MSC are no exception. According to the director of the campus bookstore, Richard Ammerman, textbook prices are ridiculously high. The average price for a hardcover textbook is $40 and the average price for a softcover textbook ranges from $25 to $35, he said. The reason book prices are so high is because publishers know they have a steady market and they take advantage of it. One way publishers keep their market thriving according to Ammerman, is to continuously release new editions of previously published books so a student must buy a new updated edition rather than a used copy of a previous edition. The campus bookstore promotes the sale of used books. They have adopted a "Buy Back" policy, buying books back from students at 50% of their new list price. Ammerman explains, as an example, if a student bought a new textbook from the bookstore for $40, it would be bought back from the student for $20 and put on sale as a used book for $30.

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Finley lab rats bustling loose

By George Obielewski  
Staff Writer

Students entering the "rat room," a third floor Finley lab where experimental rats are housed, would find three loose rats running freely, water bottles empty, a dead rat, and wood shavings from the cages littering the floor last week. An MSC biology major, who asked not to be identified, said that finding dead or diseased rats in the "rat room" is not uncommon. He added that it is also common that the lab rats are not fed or watered regularly. The student attributed the conditions to neglect. Nearby maintenance workers, who also wished to remain anonymous, said that loose rats were fairly common in the room.

Dr. Judith Shillcock, the professor in charge of the rat room, said that the students who take care of the rats make sure that they are watered and fed regularly. "Rats can't live for much more than twenty-four hours without water, so we make sure that they have a regular supply," said Shillcock.

She added that the small rats have a tendency to squeeze between the bars, but said, "the room is isolated so that none of the rats are able to get out and roam the campus."

However, the isolation is limited to an ordinary steel door with a paper-backed window. The anonymous student agrees that there is a set schedule for feeding and watering, but it is seldom followed. "Typical biology students in all honesty don't care," he said. "The dead rats are left up there for a maximum of a week." He also said that he feels this is gross neglect, and this treatment of the lab animals is totally unnecessary.

Shillcock said that the room is only accessible to authorized personnel, but last Wednesday, the "rat room" door was wide open, and the door was lacking a sign stating "Authorized Personnel Only." Linda Hackmann, president of the Conservation Club, said that such conditions are inhumane. "This shouldn't be happening. The animals should be treated in a humane manner. Someone from the biology department should know what exactly is going on up there."

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Quarry gates closed to combat theft

The Quarry Road gates were closed Feb. 12 by Campus Police to combat the recent rise in car thefts, said Police Chief Phillip Calitre. Police are conducting an investigation in coordination with local police, said Calitre, and he could not specify how soon the gates would reopen.

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By Gail Pietranera
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The Montclarion is two-tone! What happened?

No, we haven’t gotten creative with the format, or decided to pay a tribute to 60’s psychedelia.

The only chemical substances involved were those that run our printer, which after fumes, pleas, delays, and frustration, decided the news would look better in shades of gray.

So, pardon our faux pas (or rather, circumstances beyond our control), and enjoy one of the rarest issues you’ll probably ever see.

Hopefully, we’ll be back to normal (or as normal as it gets around here) by next week.

Sincerely,
The Editors

(a.k.a. Lynn, Mike, Mags, Barc, Rich, Sarah, Val, Carl, Kris, and Mike.)
Residence Life workshops

By Mary Kwapiszewski
Correspondent

You're bored, tired of sitting around the dorm, and your roommate is driving you crazy.

Now, there's a way to "survive." Residence Life is offering workshops and programs especially for freshmen and underclassmen who live on campus designed to help them make the most of their free time.

Kathleen Bott, director of programming and retention at MSC, whose responsibilities include reducing the student drop-out rate, believes that a lot of student time is wasted watching television in the dorm rooms when not in class.

"Students only spend about 15 hours in the class room per week. We want to make the most of the rest of their time on campus," she says.

The Academic Survival Skills Program, sponsored by Residence Life, is a series of workshops intended to help these students reach their potential as individuals.

One session on self-motivation has already taken place earlier this month, and six others dealing with topics such as study habits, communicating, managing stress, and planning for the future are scheduled for this semester. Speakers, such as a certified yoga instructor, are paid from the Residence Life budget.

"These programs offer growth potential and help the students become more academically oriented," Bott says.

Bott wants to turn dorms into "living learning centers." With the students' well-being as the central focus, she says she wants the dorms to be a place to grow.

Along with the upcoming sessions, in the future she plans to accomplish this by developing a weekly "rap session" to give residents a chance to air their grievances towards their roommates.

The schedule for the spring semester is listed below. For further information, students may contact Bott at the Programming and Retention Office of Residence Life at 893-5248.

### Interpersonal Skills/Communication:

**With the Human Relations Organization**
- **Date and Time:** Wed., Mar. 28, 8-9 p.m.
- **Location:** Bohm Hall lounge

**Organizing your study habits**
- **Student:** With an MSC honor student
- **Date and Time:** Tues., Mar. 6, 8-9 p.m.
- **Location:** Bohm Hall lounge

**Resume Writing**
- **Student:** With Debra Lobiondo
- **Date and Time:** Wed., March 28, 8-9 p.m.
- **Location:** Bohm Hall lounge

**Anorexia/Bulimia Seminar**
- **Date and Time:** Mon. April 24, 8-9 p.m.
- **Location:** Webster Hall lounge

**Stress Management**
- **Date and Time:** Mon., Apr. 23, 8-9 p.m.
- **Location:** Webster Hall lounge

**Information on Co-op and Career Opportunities**
- **Date:** May.
- **Time:** To be announced.

### Getting a taste of the campus cuisine

**By Anthony DiPasquale Staff Writer**

For everyone who eats MSC cafeteria food and has heard rumors that the hot dogs are secretly unloaded and concealed in boxes labeled "Grade D but edible," you now have a chance to find out the truth.

"Students only spend about 70% of their free time," she says. "We want to make the students' well-being as the central focus, she says she wants to help plan special dinner menus such as steak night.

For now the food service department has many problems it must overcome, but Glick asks the students and faculty who are their customers to help them understand what needs to be changed. He urges the students to drum up interest in the dinner table and attend the next committee meeting held in Blanton cafeteria, and tell them exactly how they feel about the food.

This "featured" information might help give you a step in the right direction.

Getting chatty in the cafe

Le Cercle, invites everyone to practice their French at their Cafe Conversations in the Student Center Cafeteria.

But if your French is a little rusty, don't worry. You can still plan on soaking up the culture for the spring semester with Le Cercle.

Parly at the Mardi Gras Dance on March 1st at 7 p.m. in the Rat ($4.00 with MSC ID, $5.00 without; snacks provided), or say Bon Voyage on your way to see Les Miserables and a presentation of Marivaux's L'E Fie des Esclaves.

During Spring Week, you can toast with their Neige Tropicale Pina Coladas, or try for one of the two $50.00 book scholarships awarded each semester to a French major or minor.

Interested? Stop by their meetings on Mondays from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. in Partridge Hall Room 412 and just say Bonjour!


Race relations aim toward a positive light

By Carl Chase
News Editor

MSC has an image as a state college, whereas ugly words like racial tension don't seem to fit.

Yet to many professionals, this is part of the problem.

James Harris, associate dean of students, said in December 1988 at an MSC forum on race relations and student life that problems arise when students are not presenting their concerns in a systematic way.

In the past few years, reasons for concern have grown more evident. As special assistant to the vice president for student affairs, Sharon Spencer's job is to make the MSC campus a more comfortable and inviting place for non-white students.

Yet systematic or not, concerns have been voiced before.

A speaker scheduled to address the 1988 commencement had received death threats because she was black. The BSCU, as it was then known, received complaints from black members who felt that color was a handicap in interaction with non-blacks.

BSCU members also report that black fraternities' pledging demonstrations often draw shouts of racial epithets from non-blacks in dorm windows above. Sensational racial stories come from the campuses of Fairleigh Dickinson, Rutgers-NB, Ramapo College and Princeton as well.

Former SGA president Tommy Mergola said publicly in such complaints that the SGA had "not heard one report of racial conflict all year." He later reversed his position on race relations.

Others seemed to have acknowledged theirs as well. Cam-
puses all over the country have taken steps to alleviate the tension and noncommunication between racial lines.

And thanks to Sharon Spencer and the office of Student Affairs, one of these steps is coming to MSC.

The idea of interactive remedies for racism is anything but new. Academic anti-prejudice experiments go back to the total failures of the 1960's where scholars would interact from a position of superiority.

However, this latest effort uses a familiar medium—television.

Fifteen minority students were interviewed on tape in various MSC settings about the experience of minorities in an institution where their classmates and others reveal attitudes that complicate their college lives.

The videotapes, based on a pioneered effort at the University of California at Santa Barbara, are for supervised, institutional use only, so as to help guard against misuse of usually candid statements. They will be used in areas such as freshmen orientation and training of R.A.'s and counselors.

To speak freely about racism before a camera is difficult, but Spencer says that as the only interviewer she managed to make the subjects really talk.

Also included in the tapes is footage meant simply to "document college life," according to Spencer.

The additional footage covers a wide range. Scenes such as a lecture on motivation given by the EOF program, a concert performed by a multi-racial steel band last December, Hispanic visitation day, a mentor program reception, and Puerto Rican Flag-Raising Day were all shot to provide a feel of how the way of life here appears to the casual observer. There is also the interesting story of a late 1960's MSC graduate, an artist neither black nor hispanic, lecturing about how teachers supported his college career by lending him bus money and accepting his paintings as payment for services rendered.

Two videos—one on the African-American experience, the other on that of Latin Americans—are now in the editing process and may be ready before the end of this semester.

Spencer invites students to volunteer to serve on an advisory committee that will program how the videos will be used. For those with the time and the inclination, this invitation represents a real opportunity.

The Montclarion/Friday, February 23, 1990 11.
Make up your own mind

If there is a teacher's strike next week, what will you do? Should you go to class and cross the picket line? Or should you stay away? If you feel that the strike is an inconvenience and you don't want to support the strike, what are your options? Should you stay home and honor the strike? These two options have students in a bind. What will you do if there is a teacher's strike next week?

Some professors say that they will not honor the strike and that if one is called, their classes will be held. Other professors are urging students to stay away from school to demonstrate support for the faculty and the state. Or everyone on campus will be forced to honor the union's demands. If the strike does happen, it will start at 7:00 a.m. Tuesday morning. For more information, call the SGA office.

Either way, the Montclarion will print next Thursday with the union's permission to cross the picket line, so look for us.

Student Voice

Fourth Reich?

By Dan Grossman
Contributing Columnist

As the benevolent winds of change sweep through East Germany, we begin to re-member the hurricanes of the past, kicking up the dust and turmoil of yesteryear. German reunification has become much more than an inevitable goal. It has become a haunting reality and many people are conjuring up memories of destruction and death. Could reunification breed another German hegemony, which wrecked havoc in Europe three times in a span of 70 years (1870-1940)?

Are we suffering from a paranoia of the past or are our fears justified? As Bob Dylan said in 1962, the answers to those questions are "blowin' in the wind.

Although a democratized German government and/or an aware, nuclear-equipped world would probably prevent the Central European nation from creating trouble again, it is interesting to note that there are similarities between present times and the time of Hitler's rise to power (late 20's, early 30's). The German people are creating an intense nationalism as reunification inches closer.

There is nothing wrong with pride in one's country, but there is a fine line between nationalism and fanaticism, something that the Germans have never understood. Obviously, there is a rampant hatred of communism running across Germany.

One of Hitler's most successful platforms was his bitter anti-communism doctrine.

Hitler also used Germany's humiliation in WWI to spearhead a drive for vengeance. He promised that the Third Reich would regain its lost empire. Although no one has screamed vengeance yet for Germany's defeat in WWII, what could possibly be more humiliating than having your country stripped, divided and occupied for years, as was Germany after her defeat.

After the war, Poland geographically moved westward, incorporating millions of Germans into new Polish territories. West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl still refuses to diplomatically accept those new boundaries. The ruling East German Communists do accept those boundaries, but upcoming elections are more than likely going to remove the Communists from power.

Many Germans turned to the Nazis during their rise to power because of the chaos and economic turbulence that was paralyzing Germany at the time. Even though West Germany has one of the strongest economies, East Germany is, as we have all seen, experiencing severe economic crises. Furthermore, the attempt to monetarily join an economic powerhouse (West) and a financial disaster (East) could create unexpected problems.

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Keep in mind that the East Germans have been anxiously demanding change and have also been flocking to the West, which simply can not handle the influx of people. The Western powers and the Soviet Union are also failing to regulate a slow, gradual reunification process to ensure a peaceful transition. A chaotic reunification can easily mean trouble.

One of the most anachronistic elements of German reunification is the increasing growth and support of the extreme right-wing Conservative Party in both the West and the East. They are both expected to make substantial gains in the upcoming elections.

All similarities aside, the only hope for a "new" Germany lies in the people that will bring about her creation. It has been over fifty years since the start of WWII and with every generation comes a renewed hope for mankind. Could the Germans' historic pride allow them to be duped into disaster again?

Probably not, but as we have all seen, blind faith in Germany tends to be dangerous. The true answer to this question is lost in the fog of the future. We will only know when that fog lifts and becomes the present.

When the Berlin Wall was opened last year, I, like most people, watched with joy as millions celebrated their newfound freedom by dancing and partying around the graffiti-covered barrier.

It's funny, though. Amid all the other spray-painted "art" on the Wall, I noticed that a large, red swastika had also been painted. It seemed that it was just staring out at everybody, waiting. What's funny is that no one really seemed to notice it...
'College campuses of the 80's are 'basions of rest' - Abbie Hoffman

To the Editor:

I hope to disturb your sleep but someone must. Too many important issues that affect this campus are not getting the attention they deserve. The food in the cafeteria is terrible. Tuition is being raised, again. Living in Bohn Hall is like living in a slum in Jersey City. All the classes I wanted to take are closed already.

The campus seems to know what's going on, but all these issues are trivialized into casual conversation and hot air. All this campus does is complain. It's become a "whining campus." There are even some

who are too stupid to do that, and ignore it all.

How can anyone bitch about war, communism, world hunger, or apartheid when he can't even secure his own rights on our small campus college?

Luckily, the students don't have any control over the upcoming teachers' strike. Most of the student body is excited about the teachers' strike. Unluckily, everyone is looking at it as an early spring break.

If you are in the teaching program, you should be following this strike closely. These professors are shaping the future of anyone who wants to go into their field.

The teachers are grossly underpaid compared to our administration and even high school teachers.

Who sets the teachers' salaries? The State of New Jersey. Who sets the administration's salaries? The State of New Jersey.

Who has the power to raise tuition if the teachers do get an increase in salaries? The State of New Jersey.

The teachers at this school, unlike the students, are doing something about their problem. I hope if the State of New Jersey starts taking advantage of the students by raising our tuition again to compensate for teachers' salaries, we will do something about it.

The state government will just keep on trying to abuse someone until they find a passive target. I hope we are not that passive target. I also hope the teachers will support us if we go on strike. But on this campus, that's a big "if."

I'm glad to see someone on this campus take action for what they think is unjust treatment, and I'm also glad to announce that the Montclarion supports the teachers' strike.

The best way you can help the teachers' strike is to go back to sleep, remain passive, party if you want to, but don't attend classes until the strike is over.

Peace,

Rob Campos
Sophomore/English

To the Editor:

I would like to bring to the attention of the students and faculty at MSC a great injustice that is occurring to the dance majors of the Speech and Theater Department.

I, along with my fellow classmates, are subject to in Morehead Hall. For those of you who don't know, the dance department has two studios: one in Life Hall and one in Morehead Hall. The administration is planning to build a new dance building, they are totally disregarding the conditions in Morehead Hall to an even greater extent than experienced in the past.

Every classroom on campus has a designated Janitor. It is a rare and religious experience when a janitor steps foot into H104. Considering that the space we work in is directly related to our progress, it should be a main concern to keep it clean and healthy. There are various accounts of students cutting their feet and becoming sick because of the unkempt, porous marley floor. Last year, a student was rushed to the hospital due to a serious rash that was induced by the filthy floor.

Do you know of any other school in which the head of the department comes in on weekends to mop the floor?

What other school closes off the bathrooms in a building filled with business students as well as dance majors? There is one faculty bathroom, on the top floor, that is kept locked at times. This must be an infringement of a health regulation as well as a violation of the code of ethics.

If every other building on campus has clean classrooms and bathroom facilities, why on earth doesn't Morehead Hall adhere to this guideline?

We are students, not cattle.

Luis Carrozzo
Junior/Dance Major

To the Editor:

As a Broadcasting student at MSC, I have the advantage to use and gain experience from state-of-the-art video equipment. Once I am trained on such equipment, I then can record various events taking place on or around campus. By taping small segments of these events, such as the Studio Theater Series recent hit play "A Day in the Life", my only intention is to promote the play on MSC-TV news, an on-campus news program.

To my disappointment, I was unable to capture the creativity and talent in "A Day..." on tape, and for reasons I am quite unclear on.

Had I been informed of a valid reason not to tape, my crew and I would not have been there. I saw no harm in taping, especially since many of the players wanted to see themselves on tape. I also felt I was not treated with respect or professionalism. My fellow broadcasters and I were rudely told to pack up our equipment and leave immediately.

Because of this incident, I feel I have been discouraged from recording any future theater events. This is an unfortunate reality, and I feel this builds an unmonoyous wall between two very important divisions of the Speech and Theater Department.

To the Editor:

In reference to the distribution of condoms during National Condom Week, I felt that the idea was an issue that needed to be dealt with on campus. Safe sex is the only way to go these days, and I'm glad that SGA was responsible enough to take the initiative.

However, if SGA felt that MSC students were mature enough to handle such a controversial issue, then I would have expected their volunteers to have been equally mature in their distribution of the condoms.

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The time is 1979 and the sexual revolution is in full gear in Chicago. Danny Shapiro and Deborah Soloman, much to the dismay of their respective best friends, (Bernie Litko and Joan Webber), find themselves involved in a sexually charged relationship. The play is a hilarious exploration into the contrasting attitudes and relationships of the single men and women of the late seventies. The play is directed by John Wooten and will take place in the Student Center Annex: Rm. 126, February 21-25 at 8:00 pm with a 2:15 matinee on Friday the 23rd.
**Sexual Perversity at MSC**

**By Audrey Regan**
Correspondent

If you like short words, short skirts and short scenes, then you’ll love “Sexual Perversity in Chicago” now playing at the Student Center Annex.

The year is 1979. The Bee Gees are singing “Night Fever” while John Travolta is swinging his hips and everyone’s hitting the disco. Remember? No? Doesn’t matter. The play, written by David Mamet, deals with the discos. Remember? No?

Remember last month when about 40,000 copies of “We Didn’t Start the Fire” by Billy Joel were sent to junior and senior high schools nationwide to help promote students to study history? Well, not to be left out, Tracy Chapman’s publicists have devised an essay contest geared for high school students that is also tied to her current album. “Crossroads in Black History” has students in 15 major cities writing about “African-Americans who made crossroads in American history.” Three winners will be chosen and awarded scholarships at the end of March. The contest is also designed to lift Chapman’s visibility in the Black community...

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The dialogue is mostly four-letter words strung together by occasional “Did you ever do it under water?” or “Nobody does it normally anymore.” But it works. It’s realistic and so is the acting. We can laugh at the characters and at ourselves. John Wooten did a good job directing and designing the set although at times I wished the scenes were longer. Just as it gets juicy the lights dim and the action moves to another time and situation.

Picture it - a bedroom fight between Danny and Debra. He’s calling her other names for female organs. She’s laughing back with obscenities of her own. He grabs her...she pulls away...he pulls away...he shakes her...and just when you think there’s going to be a serious confrontation the scene is over. But isn’t that fitting?

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If the play doesn’t make you laugh, then it should make you think. Have we really changed over the decade? Are our attitudes toward sex too liberal? If so, are we responsible for them? If that’s too heavy to think about just read the bizarre pornography on our bathroom walls. Or, just enjoy the play.

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Jarrett Nolan

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The 90's look for The School of Fine and Performing Arts

By Chris Rohloff Staff Writer

A fresh new face is being added to the Fine and Performing Arts Department and its facilities.

On January 22nd, students who entered the Studio Theater, Memorial Auditorium, McEachern Music Building and the Calcia Fine Arts Building, were greeted by numerous contractors and the beginnings of the extensive renovation that would be giving their training centers and performance forums the facelift they needed.

According to Mr. John Figola, who is in charge of special projects for the Governor's Challenge Grant, "The overall objectives were to bridge the gap between the academic and professional world and to expand upon programs already in place at the college."

In addition to these projects, $1 1/2 million of this $5.7 million grant was allocated to the renovation.

Mr. Figola, also a member of the production faculty for the Department of Speech and Theater, detailed that this $1 1/2 million facelift would entail an upgrading of the three primary theater training spaces. A-125 was used for experimental theater, the Studio Theater and Memorial Auditorium.

Presently, state-of-the-art equipment including a walking wire rope ceiling to provide for better lighting control, a computerized lighting system new seating and a computerized box office are being installed in Memorial Auditorium.

Both A-125 and the Studio Theater are receiving a new sprung floor which will allow these facilities to hold dance productions as well as theatrical productions.

In addition to this sprung floor, the Studio Theater will be equipped with adaptable seating and the installation of a moveable, sound-proof partition which will alleviate any inconvenience suffered by the Studio Theater and organizations such as Class One Concerts who often need to schedule productions on the same night.

McEachern Music Hall and Calcia Fine Arts Building will be upgraded as well.

McEachern concert hall will be acoustically enhanced. The Calcia Fine Arts Building will be receiving new production and dubbing equipment and will soon be handicapped accessible.

Both will be receiving new seating.

Figola is enthusiastic about the progress that has been made and commented that although the campus has been inconvenienced, all have adapted, and will soon be able to enjoy a more modern and more professional facility.

"The completion of this renovation is contingent upon the delivery of materials," said Figola.

However, with Summerfest 90 fastly approaching, Figola certifies that the majority of the work will be completed by the end of the semester.

The media is even calling her "The first Czech Donald Trump ever bunced." What has Ivana done? I mean, besides asking for more time on her prenuptial agreement allows? Nobody can tell me that after twelve years of marriage, Ivana is only entitled to $25 million and the house in Greenwich. She managed a nice chunk of Donald's little empire (which started out as a joke, until Ivana actually did a good job of it), and would like to keep it. Hey, why not? Oh, I'm sure that a settlement like that would bankrupt him. I hear it from both sides, the pro-Dons who say, "Let her be happy with what 'little' she gets!" and the Eddie Murphy fans who say, "Donald! I want half, Donald!"

But we just HAVE to know what goes on. Why? Because he's got enough money to buy Rhode Island and kill the National Guard. No, because he's famous! He's a famous person.

Whoop-de-do-do-da-day.

When you think of it as just another one of the 50% of the marriages that fail, it kind of loses something. They become human, not like they are just a foot short of being God. Because that's just what it is. Just another divorce case.

So, I give those scandal-hungry reporters and Enquirers this message: LEAVE THEM ALONE!

Your lives might be a little more boring, but I'm sure that both Donald and Ivana would thank you.

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An open letter to the campus
From President Irvin Reid

It has been announced that faculty and other members of the negotiating unit represented by AFT Local 1904 may participate in a job action. We sincerely hope that good faith efforts on the part of the State and the AFT will avoid any disruption of the education program.

The State will make every effort to resolve outstanding issues so that we can maintain our commitment to provide instructional and educational services to students without interruption. Our primary concern is to preserve the opportunity of students to complete their academic program. To that end, the following policy guidelines will be used to minimize the impact of any job action on students.

1. Every effort will be made to keep the College open and to maintain campus conditions as close to normal as possible. The campus and classroom buildings will be accessible to faculty and students so that those wishing to attend their classes may do so.

2. All essential services will be maintained and will be available to students; residence halls will be open, food service will operate, the Student Center and library will be open, and infirmary service will be available.

3. In the event of a job action, students should assume that faculty members will be available to teach at all regularly scheduled class sessions. If a faculty member does not appear within 15 minutes of the scheduled class time, students should presume that the faculty member is not present for that particular day only. In the event this occurs, students should complete their class assignments. If the faculty member continues to be absent from class, students should undertake independent study and continue to maintain normal progress in the course by reading textbooks and working on termpapers.

4. In the event of a prolonged job action, specific procedures for class time missed will be developed. Any decision to lengthen or cancel the spring semester will be made after consultation with the college community and the Department of Higher Education. We realize that this possibility may cause great inconvenience to students and others, but it may be necessary if the educational standards of the college are to be maintained.

5. A central “hot-line” number for student use has been established. You may call 893-4334 from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. each day of any job action. Individuals will be available to answer your questions, ensure that your right to study is not being interfered with and, if necessary, make arrangements to escort you on or off campus.
Ten years ago, U.S. hockey team captured the gold

By Matt Winther
Staff Writer

Ten years ago the class of 1990 was in sixth grade, the country was in the midst of an economic recession, and 52 Americans were held hostage in Iran.

At Lake Placid, the United States Olympic Hockey team captured the gold medal and the hearts of a nation.

Team U.S.A.'s triumph at the 1980 Winter Olympics was one of the finest and proudest moments in the history of American sports. Coach Herb Brooks' 20 members of the U.S. Olympic Hockey team consisted mostly of college hockey players who had little, if any, international game experience.

They were given only the slimmest of chances to win a medal. Those slim chances grew ever slimmer when Team U.S.A. lost an exhibition game to Russia 10-3, at Madison Square Garden only three days before the start of the Games. Despite the Russian rout, U.S.A. had a simple game plan to beat the world's best team. We were going to try to stay as close as we could with them for as long as we could and get into the third period with a chance to maybe tie it or win. We thought if we kept it close maybe we could get a lucky bounce or a break and basically we were able to stick to that game plan. With the score deadlock at 3-3, captain Mike Eruzione scored late in the final period to give Team U.S.A. an amazing 4-3 upset victory over the Soviets.

The final game to complete the "Miracle on Ice." The most emotional part of the Tournament came during the awards ceremony. After each team member received their medal, the American flag was raised and accompanied by the playing of the National Anthem. The dream had been realized. It was something I'll never forget and it has been a major influence in my life. I consider myself fortunate to be one of the 20 guys on that team. The awards ceremony was great because we knew the whole world was watching. The feeling that went through my body and the sense of pride I felt is really indescribable," Johnson said. It's been 10 years since Lake Placid. Ten 20-team members are scattered throughout the country, separated by time. The Olympic Games lasted for two weeks but the memories of Lake Placid will last a lifetime.

Women beat TSC in NJAC playoff

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should be a tough game and a good game to watch." So let's get out there Friday night and support the Lady Hawks. Hawk notes...MSC had three players who led the NJAC in the following categories: Cathy Madalone handed out 85 assists (4.8 per game). Kim Wilson was the top scorer with 18.2 ppg and Carolyn Savio averaged 16.2 rebounds per game. At last week's end, she was the nation's top rebounder at 17.2 a game.

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Come one, come all to the

1990 PANZER VARIETY SHOW

Thursday, March 8, 1990 From 7:00 - 9:00 pm at Panzer Gymnasium

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But that's not all students, you can redeem your ticket after the show for $1.00 admission into the Panzer Party to follow!! (Gen. admission: $5.00)

PANZER PARTY

9:30 - 12:30 pm at the American Legion Post 238 in West Paterson
by Matt Warner

The rivalry between the New Jersey Devils and the New York Rangers is becoming one of the hottest contested matches in all of hockey. I attended the Devils-Rangers game at the Brendan Byrne Arena this past Friday night. The Rangers beat the home team (supposedly) Devils by the score of 2-1.

The game was electric from the opening whistle. The hitting that paced the '84-'85 intensity level was at its highest. Great goaltending by John Vanbiesbrouck (Devil star) and Sean Burke (second star), raised the crowd of 20,000 to their feet on a countless number of acrobatic saves. The atmosphere was buzzing with competitiveness in and out of the stands.

I chose to sit in the stands this week rather than the press box or at home in front of the TV. I'm glad I did, because there is no energy like the energy you feel when the Rangers' faithful compete with the Devils' mainstays for air time. The chant or LET'S GO (insert team preference here), shakes the building sporadically throughout the game.

I actually felt like I was in the Garden for a night. I was witness to a number of drunken, uprooted blue seaters from MSG, flashing their Ranger colors in their rude and flamboyant tradition. This is what hockey is all about, and I'm happy to be a fan as well as a writer of this sport.

A few words of experienced advice to all New Jersey Devils fans in general: WAKE UP AND GET INVOLVED! You are your own traditionalist. You are not true hard-core hockey fans yet. I think we can all learn some valuable lessons from our rivals across the river.

There is not a more dedicated fan in all of sports than a New York Rangers fan. I don't agree with the open drunkenness or brawling, but it sure adds some life to the game. (OK maybe a few beers and a slap fight is appropriate.) I'm torn, as you can see, between rationality and hockey.

I told you a few weeks ago about my trip to the Cap Center in Maryland. There were four (big boys) Devils fans with Devils jerseys cheering loudly when the Devils did something well and when 16,000 people sat silently because their home team was faltering, the four Devils traditionalists were drunk and disorderly. They were not drunk to the point of being arrested, but to the point of happiness, dedication, and pride.

To see the envy on the Capital fans' faces was what I felt Friday night watching the Ranger fans in New Jersey. I felt more like a Devils faithful that night in Maryland than I did at the Meadowlands this past weekend.

Sports

Women's soccer team begins playing in fall

Coach Peter Latartara to head team

By Michael Frasco

This fall, MSC is going to have a new addition to its already flourishing sports program. Women's soccer will take to the field under the direction of head coach Peter Latartara. Captain Leslie DeLuca originally formed a club team which basically consisted of teammates practicing against each other. After two years of hard work, and the constant persistence of her superiors, DeLuca's hope of having a women's soccer team was realized. Coach Latartara was hired and he began organizing the team soon after.

The team practices every Tuesday at Panzer Gym and on Thursdays the team competes in an indoor soccer league at Union Community College. On non-practice days the team concentrates on conditioning to meet the demands of soccer, which requires plenty of running.

Coach Latartara says he has high hopes for his new team, but at the same time he realizes it will take a few years to make the team a serious contender. He said, "I have built the team around defense, however, it's not an easy way to play. We should be pretty competitive. We play very controlled, pass, take our time. I am looking forward to an interesting season." Latartara added, "The girls are enthusiastic, and work hard."

What motivated Leslie DeLuca to start the soccer program? She said, "I started the program for the love of the game. I want our team to put everything they have into making MSC women's soccer a success."

It took Leslie DeLuca much time to convince some of her teammates, especially the freshmen, that they can compete with the seniors. "I feel especially bad for the seniors because they went through four years of not taking a winner with them by getting the conference title."

Although the Hawks came back in dramatic fashion in the season finale against Rutgers, the pain of winning only six games this season hurts Gelston, who said, "You can steal a game, but you can't steal a season."

But Gelston says he remains confident about the team's future. "If we can retain what we have, we will win. We lost some quality people last year due to a variety of reasons, so we must retain the nucleus we have now. You must have experience to win this conference and we lived with a lot of freshmen mistakes this season," he said.

Gelston said he is hoping that lessons were learned from those mistakes, and that they will make the Hawks a better team next season. The coach also downplayed the importance of winning his 300th game as MSC coach and was philosophical in reminiscing about his career in coaching.

"You're never as good as your best team and you're never as bad as your worst team. You just hope to fall somewhere in between," Gelston said.

Gelston said that a bulk of the credit in achieving 300 wins goes to his players. "You can plan the strategy, but in the final essence the players do the job," he said.

Leading the Hawks in scoring was senior Amod Field who averaged 32.1. Sophomore Mike Tinley led the Hawks with 8.4 rebounds per game and also was second on the team with 12.3 ppg. Senior Pat Brunner led the team with 4.8 assists per game and also had the most minutes per game, averaging 32.1.
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Chip Shots
by Michael Frasco

Bowling Team Places 10th

Over the past weekend, the Montclair State Bowling Team attended the Brunswick Memorial Open in Edgewood, Maryland. The team finished tenth in a field of thirty-five teams.

This is the strongest field of competition ever faced by MSC. With most of the teams there in the top twenty-five in the nation, MSC needed to bowl some of the best games ever, and that's what they did.

The team was led by Gary McCarthy's individual championship and record-breaking bowling of 2,083 for a nine game total which comes out to a 231 average. Gary had games of 258, 248, 247, 244, and 257 with a three game series of 706 and 700.

Also pacing the Red Hawks was Scott Cirigliano with a high game of 257 and a three game series of 702 and a nine game series of 1,946.

Jim Jourdan's game of 246 and 619 three game series was a tremendous effort was Dave Oldenhage with a 205 and 557 third best on the team. Rounding out the Red Hawks were Lamont Halsey and Harvey Bierman second, Jeff Conover third.

“With this effort complete, the Montclair State Bowling Team has their eyes set on a bid to the sectionals which will be held in South Carolina some time in March.”

Ski Team Results

Ski Team Results: New Jersey Collegiate Ski Association (NJCSA). First race: Men and women's slalom fifth place. Top skiers: Jeff Conover fourth place Maureen Harrington tenth place.

Second Race: Men second, Women fifth.

Top skiers: Maureen Harrington sixth, Amy Rakowski seventh, Harvey Bierman second, Jeff Conover third.

Season results in the NJCSA:

The men's team finished fourth overall, which qualifies them for the Mid-Atlantic regionals next weekend at Great Gorge.

Individual Qualifiers: Harvey Bierman -- first place Jeff Conover -- fifth place

The women's team finished sixth overall, which does not qualify them for the regionals. However, an individual skier, Maureen Harrington, did qualify after placing fourth.

Hoop Mania

Hoop-Mania! Intramural basketball is underway. The league features 23 teams, composed of the NBA and the ABA. The NBA top three are: BDP 5-0, Just Us 5-1, Delta X B 5-1. The ABA top three are: Crash Crew 5-0, Brew Crew 4-1, Space Ghosts 4-1. Action is continuing this week.

Women Clinch Playoffs

Women Playoffs: The MSC women's basketball team has clinched home court advantage in the NJAC playoffs...

Correction

Correction: Last week's article, "Men's hoops split two games," was written by Tom Reid, a staff writer, not Michael Frasco, as published.

Men's basketball wins their final game for coach's 300th win

By Tom Reid
Staff Writer

The men's basketball team split a pair of games last week losing one against Ramapo, and winning their final game of the season against Rutgers-Newark for the 300th win of coach Ollee Gelston's career at MSC.

The loss at home to Ramapo was an 80 to 75 defeat which saw the Hawks take a 3-2 lead into the lockerroom at the half. But Ramapo came back to outscore the Hawks in the second half to post the victory. MSC was led by Lamont Halsey who scored 20 points, including three 3 pointers, and Mike Tinley who pulled down 12 rebounds.

The win at Rutgers-Newark was special for two reasons. One is that it was coach Ollee Gelston's 300th career win as MSC coach. But the thing that really made the coach proud and this victory special, was the way the Hawks came back to win the game.

MSC battled back from a 19 point deficit with 6:05 left in the first half, and were able to cut the deficit to only 7 points at halftime with Rutgers-Newark leading 29-22.

In the second half, MSC "came out like wildfire," said coach Jeffrey, as they went on a 20-6 run. Cathy Madalone's hot shooting combined with Tracy Moffat's 12 points and Kim Wilson's 10, gave MSC a 38-22 half time edge.

Moffat has been a key bright spot for MSC, especially in the past two games which she has shot 16 for 23 from the field. In those games (Rutgers-Newark and TSC), she had 18 points. She has earned the praise of coach Jill Jeffrey, who said, "Tracy has added a new dimension to the team. She has taken the scoring pressure off Kim Wilson."

Returning to the game, things were no different, as MSC began the second half with a 9-2 run and held TSC to just one basket in the first six minutes to open the lead to 47-24.

The Lady Hawks, showcasing the nation's no. 1 defense, held TSC to another dry spurt, this time for 7½ minutes. Here is where MSC closed the door, going on a 11-0 run to extend the lead to 60-30.

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When asked if her team did what she wanted, coach Jeffrey said, "We did what we wanted, we made it tough by putting pressure on and had a well balanced attack."

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Women beat TSC in NJAC playoff opener

By Jim Jourdan
Staff Writer

The MSC women's basketball team closed out the regular season by beating Ramapo College and Rutgers-Newark last week. Both wins came in convincing fashion.

In the game against Ramapo, MSC rolled 67-18, enabling them to clinch the NJAC title. In the Rutgers-Newark contest, the Lady Hawks used their top ranked defense to gain a 61-43 victory.

With the victory over Rutgers-Newark, MSC captured home court advantage for the NJAC playoffs.

The top-seeded Lady Hawks used this to their advantage Wednesday night, as they hosted Trenton State College and won 63-38.

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