MSC student workers benefit from minimum wage increase

by Kelly Kren

Many working students of MSC will see an increase in their paycheck due to yesterday’s increase of New Jersey’s minimum wage, which went from $4.25 to $5.05 an hour. New Jersey now has the highest minimum wage in the country.

Glen Florio said that the increase was too take effect immediately because the people of New Jersey should get all the money they deserve; he vetoed a bill which would have increased minimum wage only $4.00 now and another $1.00 in April 1993.

On campus, the students most likely to benefit are the Residence Life staff, although the college may have to cut student employee hours because of budget reasons, said Thomas Auch, vice president of Administration and Finance.

Currently, Residence Life employees make less than minimum wage. Desk Assistants (D.A.’s) make $4.50 an hour; Resident Assistants (R.A.’s) make $4.75 an hour, and Assistant Managers (A.M.’s) make $5.00 an hour. Residence Life could not be reached for comment on salary increases for employees.

Auch added that while he is not completely sure what the effects of the increase will be, he feels that the college will have to budget money more wisely. SGA President Anthony Susco said that the increase in minimum wage will not affect the SGA, as most of their employees are not paid hourly, but contracted. The only employees that are paid hourly under the new minimum wage are secretaries for the Student Center, Susco said, and they already make $5.00 an hour.

Student employees around campus agreed that the increase is helpful, but were mixed otherwise.

Jeffrey Ceterko, manager of the College Store and a D.A. in Blanton Hall, said the increase was long overdue. “It’ll be a big help to other people on campus who are earning minimum wage already, but should be making more for the work they do,” Ceterko said.

He added that the Residence Life staff were the most underpaid of all workers on campus. “They’ve been at $4.50 an hour for two years,” he said. “This will be a major help.”

Janine Klein, a Blanton Hall D.A., agreed. “It’s going to make life better,” she said. “It’s going to make a big difference in my paycheck.”

Dawn DelRosa added, “I don’t think we make enough right now.”

Freeman Hall D.A. Eunice Washington felt that more was needed. “I think the increase should be a dollar,” she said. “There are still people starving.”

Eight million dollar renovation plan to start on Bohn Hall this summer

by Christopher Miguel

Bohn Hall will be undergoing an estimated $8 million 3-year renovation plan to implement much needed improvements in the residence hall starting this summer, Margaree Coleman-Carter, director of Residence Life, said.

Dr. Domenica A. DeSiderioscioli, acting vice president of Student Affairs and Campus Life, said that the plans for renovations will include replacing the elevators, installing new bathrooms and upgrading the fire safety with new sprinklers and fire safety screens.

Sherrill Cantrell, director of Bohn Hall, said that other considerations may include installing new air conditioning, new carpeting and re-painting the stairwells and hallways.

Doug Cooper, assistant director of Facilities, said the renovations will begin when all the residents have moved out at the end of this semester. He also said that renovations will occur during the school year, but will not be a major inconvenience to the resident students.

“Most of the planning will be done while the students are here,” Cooper said, and added that most of the actual physical changes will occur between semesters. No floors or sections of the dorms will be closed off, at most, a bathroom might be closed off to accommodate reconstruction, he said.

Cooper also said that the Clove Road Apartments are also under consideration for renovations, possibly beginning in the second or third year of the plan.

Cooper is currently working on assembling a planning committee made up of Bohn Hall residents to give input as to what changes are needed. Candidates for this committee must be present residents, non-graduating, hope­fully those who will be living on campus for the next two years, though not necessarily in Bohn. Anyone interested should contact their Resident Director by April 18.

Coleman-Carter said that planning for renovations be­gan as a result of a tour of the residence halls last summer by President Irvin Reid.

Cooper said that another factor in this decision was the dissatisfaction of the students living in Bohn Hall. Many residents voiced their concerns regarding the living condi­tions in Bohn Hall and that this was a major consideration in the planning, he said.

Coleman-Carter said that the renovations should curtail the degree of vandalism in Bohn Hall, which is the highest on campus. Lounge chairs and cots have been thrown out of windows as a sign of frustration over the living conditions. She hopes the renovations will improve this situation.

“When you improve the people’s environment, they tend to want to keep the environment in good condition,” she said.

SGA Ad Hoc Committee finds Costa guilty

by Maureen McGowan and Valerie Katrln

An Ad Hoc Judicial Committee of the SGA recom­mended the impeachment of Legislator Michael Costa after finding him guilty of unethical practices dealing with The Montclarion in a three-hour meeting last night.

Costa was found guilty of threatening to remove News Editor Robert Campos from his position on the newspaper. The threat was allegedly made to Maureen McGowan, assistant editor, on February 28.

The committee was comprised of five voting mem­bers: Legislators Peggy Bane, Ritu Chib, Steve Khalaf and Samantha Shortino and President Pro Tempore Gouti Sathwari.

SGA President Anthony Susco acted as prosecutor and called former SGA legislator David Blacker, Cam­pos, McGowan and Montclarion Editor-in-Chief John Tibbett as witnesses.

“I'm innocent,” Costa said. “They found me guilty on a charge that wasn't even officially made.”

Committee chairperson and SGA Attorney General Richard Kazne said that the Legislature will vote Wednesday on accepting the committee's recommen­dation for Costa’s impeachment.

“They (the Legislature) can adjust the sanction,” Kazne said.

If impeached, Costa would be asked to resign but may still run for an SGA position next semester.

Costa and Blacker, both members of Theta Xi na­tionality, were convicted of harassment two weeks ago for sending a dead squirrel through the mail to Bohn Hall Assistant Manager Toni Ann Bernardo.

The newspaper alleges that Blacker attempted to influence the content of the original article about the arrest by threatening to make future budget appropriations “difficult” if the fraternity’s name was mentioned.

Campos stated that it was the newspaper’s policy to mention any campus affiliations in order to identify the individuals involved and better inform the campus.

Shortly thereafter, the two allegedly threatened to have Campos removed from his position as news editor.

Blacker was called as a witness on Costa’s behalf, but was not officially charged with unethical practices. He resigned from the Legislature the week The Mont­clarion officially brought charges against him and Costa for abuse of their legislative powers.

He declined to comment on the committee or the verdict.

Costa, however, felt that the proceeding were mis­managed. “No trial order was kept in the meeting, and no minutes were kept. One committee member was liter­ally asleep the whole time,” he said. “Another member was in and out of the room, and yet another showed bias.

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Follow Up...

Ernest Harris and Lamont Suttit pleaded not guilty to charges of simple and aggravated assault, respectively. Both Harris and Suttit are scheduled to reappear in Montclair Municipal Court on April 30 at 11 a.m.

National Library Week

National Library Week is from April 6 to April 11, 1992. The American Library Association will sponsor the “Night of a Thousand Stars,” also known as the “Great American Read Aloud,” which will have First Lady Nancy Reagan as a patron. The American Library Association will sponsor the National Library Week activities, including a lecture on “fighting illiteracy” with Curtis Aikins, the author of “Aloud,” which will have First Lady Nancy Reagan as a patron.

Registration

Academic Advising is offering pre-registration advisement services to undeclared students from Monday, March 30, through Thursday, April 23, in the Academic Advising Center. Hours are 9 to 11 a.m. and 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday and 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday.

Scholarship

Six $500 scholarships for the 1992-93 academic year will be awarded by the Student Government Association (SGA), in conjunction with ArtCarved Ring Company. This scholarship fund was developed to reward student leadership and involvement in student activities, and enhance student life at MSCP. Candidates must be nominated by a faculty member or an administrator to be eligible. Those wishing to nominate a student can obtain an application from a dean.

International

Russia is faced with a possible ethnic breakup. Eighteen of the 20 republics signed a treaty that affirms their federation. Caucasus and Chechen-Inguishetia refused to sign. Chechen-Inguishetia is ruled by a military strongman who wishes to secede from the Russian Federation. Caucasus has opted for self rule without succession. Fighting has erupted in Chechna, Moldova, and Tajikistan. Battles continued in Georgia.

Britain’s labor party leads in the polls by four to seven percent. The ruling conservative party could lose and John Major would no longer be Prime Minister. Of the three major parties, labor leads with 42%, the conservatives have 35% and 19% goes to the liberal democrats. The elections have also resumed serious talk of secession from Scotland.

David Levy, the strongest backer of peace talks in the Israeli cabinet, resigned. The move is expected to cost Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir votes in the upcoming parliamentary elections. Eleven percent of Israelis are out of work and Russian Jews are angry because of a lack of jobs and housing. Shamir’s statement that Levy’s resignation was a “Joke” may cause the Likud Bloc to lose votes amongst Jews who support peace talks.

National

Jerry Brown stole the Vermont caucuses with 46% to 25% uncommitted. Bill Clinton took 17% and 96% to win the caucuses. Paul Tsongas. Polls show Clinton with a 6% advantage in New York which should be a major show down on April 7.

Protesters stopped the Department of Agriculture from killing 800 pigs it planned to use to test an incinerator made for the disposal of animals quarantined because of disease.

Mike Tyson was sentenced to six years in prison and will be eligible for parole in three years. Tyson is already facing problems in jail. He refused to take a psychiatric test and was reprimanded for signing his autobiography for other prisoners. His motion to be freed during appeal was denied.

Five Bush aides boycotted a Capitol Hill hearing on the “perks” of the executive branch of government. Perks include automobiles and drivers, free medical care, recreational facilities, and other benefits. It costs $7.3 million to run the White House alone. The White House said the congressional hearings were to focus attention away from the recent House Banking and Post Office scandals.

One out of every five people on the planet tuned in to the Oscars Monday night.

Regional

Police are currently investigating a possible connection in the murder of a Franklin Lakes woman, Parvish Rafizadeh, last week. Rafizadeh’s sister-in-law is the author of a book which has portrayed Iran as a corrupt and unjust culture. The relationship between the two has caused much controversy. Middle East expert, Eric Hoogland feels that she was not the intended victim.

The New York Mets have collectively chosen not to speak to the media. They cite what they call the “unfair” treatment of David Cone, a pitcher charged with sexual harassment, and several Mets facing rape charges. They feel that the media has ignored their stories and focused only on the accusations against them. Police in Florida are investigating charges by a New York woman who says she was raped last year.

The Pentagon has announced deep cuts in the National Guard and reserves. 140,000 jobs will be lost nationwide, 4,700 in New Jersey. New Jersey Senator Frank Lautenberg is critical of the plan because he says it is going to hit NJ significantly harder than most other states. The Pentagon is working to adjust the plans with congress.

Weather

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CORRECTIONS

It is the policy of The Montclarion to correct any errors. If you find an error, call us at 893-5169.
Four residents get cars towed after accidently parking illegally

by Nicole Pisano

Four students had their cars towed on Wednesday, March 26, after they parked their cars illegally because snow was covering the parking spaces in lot 21.

David Ross, a resident of Bohn Hall and one of the students who had his car towed, said that when he parked in lot 21 on Sunday night, March 23, it was snowing and he could not see the lines that defined the spaces. He apparently parked illegally and when he returned to move his car the next day, he was blocked in by other cars and was unable to move his vehicle.

Sgt. Debra Newcombe of Campus Police said that she began receiving complaints about the cars that were illegally parked. Campus Police tried to trace the owners of the cars and made announcements in the residence halls for the owners to move their vehicles. The cars were towed at 3:30 p.m. on Wednesday after the owners of the vehicles still could not be located.

Ross said that he didn’t hear the announcements because he was studying in the library when the announcements were made. He also said that he was charged $120 for towing and three days storage, plus a $10 parking ticket.

Ross said he believed that the whole situation was unfair because he was unable to move his car. He said it was blocked in on all sides by other cars.

Roach Towing Service is the towing company contracted for MSC. According to the owner of the towing service, there is a $25 charge for towing, $40 if the car must be towed on a flatbed truck. The fee is increased to $35 and $50 if the towing is at night. There is a $15 charge for labor involved with entering the car to release the emergency brake and a $10 a day storage fee.

According to Campus Police, they were contracted because they offered the lowest rates in a bid to the college.

Roach Towing service fees

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Two men arrested for trespassing plead not guilty

by Jennifer Zsarko

Lamont Suits and Ernest L. Harris, a student and former student charged with trespassing, appeared in Montclair Municipal Court on Thursday, March 26, with a plea of not guilty. Both young men will return to court again on April 30, at 11:00 a.m.

On March 2, both Harris and Suits were arrested for trespassing in Blanton Hall. Harris was again arrested on March 4 trespassing in Panzer Gym, at which time he was also arrested for an earlier assault on two Ramapo students after an athletic event on February 4 of this year.

Both Suits and Harris were charged with trespassing. Suits was also charged with two counts of aggravated assault and Harris with two counts of simple assault.

"The college has taken some steps toward restraining Suits and Harris. Suits is banned from the residence halls and Harris is administratively banned from the campus. Since Suits is at this time a student, it is not yet known if he will be disciplined through MSC. It was said by Dean Martin that the question of college discipline cannot be answered at this time since the outcome of the court case is still pending."

Bohn Hall D.A. reassigned to Stone Hall

by Anthony Pagliaroli

Kenneth "Rusty" Treible, former Bohn Hall Desk Assistant, began his new assignment Tuesday, following suspension from his position for the letter printed in The Montclarion on March 12.

The letter accused Bohn Hall Assistant Manager Toni Ann Bernardo of displaying preferential treatment towards certain D.A.’s and misusing her powers as a supervisor.

Following a meeting on Friday, March 27, Treible was reassigned to the Stone Hall desk. The reassignment was a compromise between Treible, Director of Residence Life Margaret Coleman-Carter, Bohn Hall Director Sherry Cantrell and Bernardo herself.

Treible said that he is happy to have a new manager, but did not request the transfer. Bernardo commenting on the reassignment said Tuesday, “I’m unable to work with him, knowing how he feels about me.”

While this is the second incident regarding Bernardo, no investigation is taking place. Cantrell believes that Bernardo has come under scrutiny simply because of her position, and sees “no further repercussions from this incident.”

Trees get second life at MSC and town of Montclair

by Robert Wintermute

An effort is underway at MSC and in the town of Montclair to replant young growth trees from construction sites on campus, said Carol Wilson, Conservation Club member and student member to the Master Planning Facilities Committee.

In a continuation of the replanting of trees from the library construction site, trees have been replanted from the construction site at the music building and are being prepared for replanting at the site for the new security building, Wilson said.

Wilson said that the administration was interested in replanting as many trees on campus as possible. She said that the Conversation Club would select sites on campus and present them to the Planning Committee for approval. "The first priority is on campus," she said. "The second priority is giving them to the town for planting."

At the security building site, Lawton was eager to explain what his job entailed. "I can easily plant 500 trees on this campus, with no problem," he said, pointing out that there are ample places on MSC for replanting. However, he said that he anticipated only being able to remove only 100 saplings and young trees. "I’m doing this alone," he said.

Lawton pointed out that he had removed a variety of trees from MSC. "A lot of birch, with some oaks and maples, too," he said. Trees that he removed are being stored at an undisclosed location on campus until they are ready for replanting, he said.

"The problem is keeping them alive until they are replanted," Lawton said as he pulled several saplings, root systems intact, to the storage site. "The roots of the trees need to be covered until they are put back in the ground, and that has to be before they come out of dormancy," he said. If that is not done, he said, then the chances of the trees surviving are lessened.

When asked what motivated him to be so concerned about trees and the environment, Lawton told how he had grown up with a love for trees. "I remember my great-grandfather taking me with him to the cemetery near my house," he said. "He wore these to replant trees he had found. I guess I became an environmentalist because of him," he added.

Lawton also told how, as a landscaper, he used to ask his employer if he could take uprooted trees home with him, so he could replant them. "Even then," he said, "I hated to hurt trees. If I could save them, I would take them home with me."

Over 10 trees from the music building site were planted in Montclair at the Bay Street Railroad Station, said Lonnie Brandon, director of Parks in the Town of Montclair. Brandon explained that recent construction there left the area “Pretty rough,” and that the trees were used to beautify the station.

"We more or less changed the character of the area with the trees we planted, some of the viburnum that we received from MSC last fall and landscaped the area around the new building," Brandon said.

Brandon described the “gift” of trees from MSC in glowing terms. "We spend three to four thousand dollars a year on plants," he said. "The stuff that we get from the college is a godsend. It helps us to stretch out our money further. For example, the trees we received last year were planted along Grove Street and at the Mountainside Pool," he added.
The International Student Organization presents...

**INTERNATIONAL WEEK**

April 6th & April 10, 1992

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International Week is supported by The Hellenic Organization, Spanish Club, Haitian Club, ISCEC, Karate Club, and Amnesty International, as well as other Class I and Class II organizations.

I.S.O. is a Class II organization of the SCA
La comunidad hispanoamericana celebra el quinto centenario del encuentro de dos continentes

por Jorge Cruz

El próximo 10 de abril del año en curso, a las 9 a.m. en el "Student Center, Ballroom A." se llevará a cabo la décimo tercera conferencia sobre literatura latinoamericana.

Dicha conferencia se ofrece anualmente como un esfuerzo del departamento de Español e Italiano y el departamento de Humanidades y Ciencias Sociales por expandir la cultura latinoamericana en MSC. Este año el evento se hará con el patrocinio de la Casa de España en Nueva York y una de las organizaciones latinoamericanas más importantes de Nueva Jersey, la Organización de Estudiantes Latinoamericanos (LASO) de MSC.

El comité organizador se encuentra a cargo de las doctoras Carmen Alverio, Linda Gould Levine, Ana Ramíndal y el Dr. Vincenzo Bollittino, así como de las profesoras Osakana Baier, Irene Ero, Diana Gómez-Cruz, Nancy-López-Balboa y Ada Monrath, estas bajo la supervisión de la Dra. Jo Anne Engelbert.

El año la conferencia se llamará "Encuentros con el otro: Latinoamérica y España," que tiene como principal objetivo conmemorar el quinto centenario del encuentro entre dos continentes. Dicho encuentro no solo se refiere al aspecto político, sino que también abarca los encuenros culturales, históricos, religiosos y literarios.

La conferencia constará básicamente de cinco partes y de una bienvenida por parte del Dr. Irving Reid, presidente de MSC; del Dr. Philip Cohen, decano del departamento de Humanidades y Ciencias Sociales y del Sr. Enrique Camacho, director de la Casa de España.

La primera parte lleva el mismo nombre de la conferencia y contará con la presencia de Alfonso Chase, poeta costarricense, Charles Alegado de El Salvador, Masserrnat Gómez Vila de Colombia y Ernesto Cardenal de Nicaragua representando al Continente Americano. El Continente Europeo estará representado por los españoles Fernando Quiñones y José Agustín Goytisolo.

En la primera parte se contará también con la presencia de Beatriz Pastor de Dartmouth College y Rolena Adorno de la Universidad de Princeton.

La segunda parte tiene como título: "Testimonio del encuentro" y entre los panelistas destaca la presencia de Federico Patán de la Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México (U.N.A.M.), con restarle importancia a Francisco Nájera de CUNY, Jorge Marcone de la Universidad de Rutgers y Amy Fass Emery de la Universidad de Columbia.

La tercera parte hablará sobre los "Encuentros en el exilio," y será ofrecida por Alejandro Hdezzeck de la Universidad de Pittsburgh, Laura Chesek de Swarthmore College y Betina Kaplan de la Universidad de Columbia.

Conforme la conferencia se desarrolle, esta se tornará más interesante, ya que en la cuarta parte se hablará de los "Encuentros del mundo indígena," y concurrirá a cargo de María Zielinski de Gettysburg College, Diane M. Bono de William Paterson College, Liliana Turevich de la Universidad de Oregon y Julio Noriega de la Universidad de Pittsburgh.

La quinta y última parte se llamará: "Encuentros a través de los textos," y será ofrecida por Raúl Neira de Buffalo State College, Maag Mitton de Hackley School, Nancy Gray Díaz de la Universidad de Rutgers y Liliana Uribe de la Universidad Estatal de Connecticut.

Al final de la conferencia, será ofrecida un recepción en el "Ballroom C" del "Student Center," en la cual el público en general tendrá la oportunidad de conversar con los poetas y conferenciantes invitados, brindando así un atractivo más para los amantes de la literatura hispanoamericana.

Como se puede apreciar la selección de los conferenciantes ha sido muy cuidadosa, lo cual promete ofrecer un evento magnífico, digno de conmemorar los quinientos años del encuentro.
ATTENTION ALL GRADUATE STUDENTS!
The GSO is your Graduate Student Organization. As a graduate student, you are automatically a member of GSO. Join us for our meeting on Thursday, April 9, at 6:30 in Room 423 of the Student Center.

Check postings in the Montclarion or on the GSO bulletin board outside Room C-208 in College Hall for further details. If you have any questions regarding the GSO, please call the GSO office, Ext. 7393, or write to us at our mailing address:

Graduate Student Organization
Montclair State College
Student Center, Room 423,
Upper Montclair, NJ 07043

MARCH MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

The officers discussed the future direction of the GSO as well as upcoming events. Topics presented were:
* Transformation of power via election of officers for the upcoming year
* Social event for end-of-year meeting
* Plans for orientation of incoming Senior graduate students

GSO OFFICE NEWS

The GSO is grateful for the establishment of our new office located in Room 423 of the Student Center. The office boasts such amenities as a conference table, our own telephone extension, and a computer for the staff’s use. All graduate students may call the office at Ext. 7393 and leave a message on AUDIX, the college voice mail answering system. All messages will be checked by the officers and answered as soon as possible.

SPECIAL THANKS!

The members of the GSO wish to express their special thanks to Dr. Edward Martin, Dean of Students, Dr. Margaret Mukherjee, Director of Graduate Studies, Dr. Greg Waters, Deputy Provost of Academic Affairs, and the Student Center staff who made it possible to obtain office space, to acquire furniture and equipment, and to publish news articles and announcements. The members of GSO appreciate the support and encouragement of all those who have given their time to help make this organization a more viable one for the graduate students.

The GSO wishes to poll the graduate community regarding events of interest to graduate students. Please fill out the questionnaire below and return it to the GSO office:

1. Which event would you wish the GSO to sponsor?
   A. Panel discussion with graduate alumni YES__NO__
   B. Networking function for your particular school YES__NO__
   C. Your suggestion(s) for future events:

2. How do feel the GSO can best serve your needs?

3. Are you a full-time graduate student?

4. Which day(s) of the week and times would you be able to attend GSO meetings?

We would greatly appreciate the input of our graduate student community. Please send your responses to the GSO office in the Student Center, Room 423.
NOTICE TO ALL CURRENTLY ENROLLED STUDENTS WHO WILL BE RETURNING IN THE SUMMER SESSIONS 1992 AND/OR FALL SEMESTER 1992

Registration for the Summer Sessions 1992 and the Fall Semester 1992 will occur simultaneously between April 7-23, 1992.

All students who are enrolled for the Spring 1992 and who are eligible to return for the Summer or Fall 1992 will have a Registration Appointment Card mailed to their home address during the week of Spring Break, March 16, 1992.

Undergraduate students who are currently enrolled for 12 or more credits were assigned an in-person registration appointment date and time. Undergraduate students who are currently enrolled for less than 12 credits and Graduate students were assigned a range of dates during which they should submit their registration form and Appointment Card to the Office of the Registrar.

Cards were not generated for students who are on the May 1992 Graduation list. Undergraduate students who are graduating in May and who wish to register for Summer or Fall 1992 courses should contact the Office of the Registrar at 893-4376 for direction.

Adult students who do not fulfill their Basic Skills requirements and students who had an outstanding financial obligation to the College were not sent their cards. These students must report to either the Basic Skills Office or the Business Office to obtain their card. You must have this card in order to register.

Registration forms submitted to the Office of the Registrar without the Registration Appointment Card will not be processed.

STUDENTS WHO DID NOT RECEIVE A CARD OR WHO HAVE MISPLACED THEIR CARD SHOULD CONTACT THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR IMMEDIATELY AT 893-4376.

PLEASE READ THE SUMMER SESSIONS CATALOG AND THE FALL 1992 SCHEDULE OF COURSES BOOK CAREFULLY!

Advisement should be obtained prior to registration.
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- Job readiness seminar: Resume writing. Free. 6-7:30 p.m. Student Center 417.

4-3 FRIDAY - Lecture: "The House in a Bottle." A college student speaks on living with an alcoholic. Free. 7:30 p.m. Freeman Hall lounge.

4-4 SATURDAY - CLEP Review Workshop: Humanities. Three-hour review session to prepare for the College Level Examination Program. Open to new and prospective Second Careers and part-time students. Fee: $4 per session. 10 a.m.-1 p.m. College Hall 121.

4-6 MONDAY - Seminar: Interviewing. Free. 2-3:30 p.m. Student Center 417.

4-7 TUESDAY - Seminar: Skills assessment. Free. 3-4 p.m. Student Center Annex 106.

4-8 WEDNESDAY - Breakfast seminar: John Turner of management and Andrea Zinz, vice president of human resources, Ohio Biotech Division of Johnson & Johnson on "Ethics in Management." Admission: $25. 8-10 a.m. Student Center Ballrooms. Call 893-7035.

- Seminar: Getting into graduate school. Free. 10-11 a.m. Student Center Annex 106.
- Panel discussion: Education around the world. Free. 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Student Center 411.
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- Guest lecture: Curtis Aikens, literacy activist and author of The GreenGrocer's Guide to the Harvest. Free. 4 p.m. Sprague Library, non-print media department room 2.
- Lecture: Professor Eric Douge on "Haiti: Past, Present and Future." Free. 5 p.m. Student Center 417.
- Hiroshi Manabe, deputy director of information, Consulate General of Japan, on "U.S.-Japan Relations." Free. 7:30 p.m. Russ Hall, Kops Lounge.

4-6 MONDAY - Godspell. Free. 8 p.m. Sponsored by the Newman Center and C.L.U.B. Student Center Ballrooms.

4-7 TUESDAY - "Lunatics, Lovers and Poets: Scenes from Shakespeare's Greatest Hits." Tickets: $4 standard; $3 senior citizens; $2 students. 8 p.m. through Saturday, 4-11. Studio Theatre.

4-8 WEDNESDAY - Haitian folkloric dances. Free. 7 p.m. Rathskellar.

4-3 FRIDAY - Chamber ensemble: Preview of Weill Hall Concert on 4-12. Free. Noon. Also on Friday, 4-10. McEachern Recital Hall.

- Junior recital: Melanie Pearson, piano. Free. 8 p.m. McEachern Recital Hall.

4-4 SATURDAY - Performathon: Music prep. Free. 9 a.m.-5 p.m. McEachern Recital Hall.

- Graduate recital: Lisa King, soprano. Free. 8 p.m. McEachern Recital Hall.

4-7 TUESDAY - Faculty concert: Andrew Schulman and friends. Free. 8 p.m. McEachern Recital Hall

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It's OK to say no to alcohol and drugs
MSC student shares her personal experiences

by Karen Lee Stratford
We all know someone who drinks too much. The person can't have fun without drinking and plans the day according to when the next swig is coming. We never see the person sober. In fact, the person probably is having fun, wanting to party all the time. The problem is most of us probably either shrug it off as a lack of character or hope the person will grow out of it in time. Well, think again.

Alcoholism is a disease. This was the message sent Monday night for National Alcohol Awareness Week by Margie C., an MSC student and unit manager from Clove Road. Margie spoke to several students in the lounge at Webster Hall, making them aware of the horrors of alcohol and drugs.

Margie started by saying that she began drinking alcohol and taking drugs (hash, cocaine, pills and mushrooms) at 13. She described going to her first alcohol and drug party at 13. She remembered being in several car accidents while under the influence but was never seriously hurt. She said that she somehow always managed to get out of trouble when a case was taken to court.

She added that everyone has an addiction, whether it's drugs, sex or food. She emphatically said, "No." Margie said that her father was also an alcoholic, but she was too involved in her own life to realize how much.

"Alcoholism is hereditary," she said. "I come from an alcoholic family." Margie said she just wants to live a happy life and stay involved with Alcoholics Anonymous programs, teaching kids that it's alright to say no to alcohol and any other kinds of drugs. "I'm a walking miracle and God is very important to me," she said. "My mom is my best friend."

Many of the students shared their personal experiences, and Margie was willing to answer their questions. A student asked, "Do you still get the urge for alcohol?" She emphatically said, "No." Margie said that she accused everyone who happens to be famous.

"Do you think the Mets' players are being treated fairly?" The press is treating the Mets' players unfairly. The woman is crying wolf too many times. There were no witnesses, and it's her word against theirs. It is just funny that she accused everyone who happens to be famous.

Celeste Narciso
Sophomore, communication studies

They are being treated unfairly. However, I do not think that it should be brought to trial now after the Tyson case, rather than a year ago when it happened.

Rich Volpi
Senior, industrial technology

If the only thing she wants is money and not persecution, then they are being treated unfairly.

Brett Sicola
Junior, undeclared

No, she's beating a dead horse.

Rick Leto
Freshman, undeclared

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Noteworthy

Jewish Family Services of Northern Middlesex County presents a day of discussion and workshops on Jewish Gay Concerns. On Sunday, May 17, JFS presents "Healing Family-Bridging Community" for Jewish Gays, Lesbians, their family and friends. The program is scheduled from 12:30-5:30 p.m. at Temple Emanu-el, 100 James Street in Edison. For information, call (908) 738-5225.

Bendall International Cultural Exchange is offering American college students the opportunity to legally attend a French university during one academic year for French language and culture. The course is 15 hours per week plus language laboratory. Qualifying students will pay a program fee of $9,700. For information, contact Bendall International at (216) 238-3711.

Genocide? You decide...

by Audrey Regan

While the headlines have raged on the 500-year anniversary of Columbus' discovery of America, saying, "Don’t Celebrate 1492 - Mourn It," Dr. Charles Carreras, scholar in Latin American history and politics at Ramapo College says, "Don’t Celebrate 1492 - Observe It."

At a lecture held Tuesday in Kops Lounge, Carreras made the case that the 25-to-one million population decline in the Americas after 1492 was not genocide. Why? "Genocide is a specific term referring to a specific event during World War II. It is the official policy of a state to systematically destroy a race of people," he said.

While Carreras did not dismiss the amount of "murder, suffering and pain" of the Native Americans during the conquests, he did say that it was not a result of a "policy of the Spanish crown."

What did cause the decline? The 75 or so audience members wanted to know.

"The number one killer was disease," said Carreras, who cited small pox as the biggest killer, followed by measles, typhus, influenza, malaria and yellow fever - all brought over by the Spaniards and by Negro slaves. This onslaught of disease to a race of people who had never been exposed to germs such as these contributed to over half of the decline, he said.

Other causes Carreras cited were the wars of conquest waged by men such as Columbus, Cortez and Pizarro; the Native Americans battling each other; overworking the Native Americans taken into slavery by the conquerors; and changes in diet and food production.

"What we need to do is look at these men as men of their times," said Carreras. "Their crimes must be recognized and condemned. We must understand that behind the chill and cold numbers are people. Whole societies fell apart. Values - rumble and old ways of doing things were lost."

"It is arrogant to condemn while, at the same time, applaud our own nation's actions," he added. "It demeans what happened to the Jews in Germany."
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4/2 Theta Xi and Sigma Delta Tau Mixer at Stevens Tech.
4/3 Delta Phi Epsilon and Tau Phi Beta mixer.
4/3 Alpha Omega is having its first annual Spring Formal, "Infinity."
4/4 Lambda Sigma Upsilon and Mu Sigma Upsilon party.
4/4 Delta Phi Epsilon and TKE mixer.
4/4 Sigma Delta Phi celebrates its 45th anniversary at MSC at its Alumni Formal.
4/11 Zeta Phi Beta will be having an Easter party for the children at The Isaiah House in East Orange.

Service

Alpha Chi Rho helps raise funds at Alumni House.
Support Delta Phi Epsilon's canned goods drive.
4/4 Zeta Phi Beta will be sponsoring a program entitled "Project Teens" at MSC from 11 a.m.-2:30 p.m. All are invited to participate.
4/4 Delta Phi Epsilon and TKE car wash at Exxon next to McDonald’s for Cystic Fibrosis.

Fundraising

AXP selling M & M's. Help get rid of them! Buy a big box for a buck.
Sigma Delta Tau is sponsoring a book drive for the Children's Therapeutic Center. Boxes will be available in the Student Center and Dorms.
4/15 Delta Epsilon Chi is sponsoring a fashion show at 7 p.m.

Athletic

Delta Chi is open for challenges in both football and ultimate frisbee. Call 893-5071.

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Do the right thing

An Ad Hoc Judicial Committee, which was formed several weeks ago to investigate charges that two SGA legislators abused their legislative powers, found one of those legislators guilty Wednesday night. Originally, the committee was to investigate both Michael Costa and David Blacker. Blacker was dropped from the investigation when he resigned from the SGA on March 4. That was a mistake.

The SGA has a responsibility to the students to get to the truth of the matter. To let the charges against Blacker go uninvestigated is an abandonment of that responsibility.

The SGA’s reasoning behind letting the matter drop is this: The strongest sanction the SGA can levy against its legislators is impeachment. Since Blacker has already resigned his position, the SGA is incapable of levying any penalty against Blacker.

The fault in this logic lies in the fact that it confuses punishment with the finding of wrongdoing. The accusations made against Blacker are far more serious than those made against Costa, yet, by resigning, Blacker has sidestepped an official investigation. Unless the SGA reconsiders the matter, there will never be a public record of what actually transpired. This situation is especially dangerous considering that Blacker is running for a legislative seat for the Fall semester in the upcoming SGA elections.

We at The Montclarion strongly urge the SGA to investigate this matter. It is too important to ignore.

Next time it snows, try walking

Snowstorms usually bring school delays, hazardous driving conditions, snowball fights and an occasionally aching back for overzealous shovelers. For four MSC students, however, last week’s snowstorm brought a major headache along with a hefty pricetag.

These students returned to a parking lot that was obscured by the snowfall, and inadvertently parked outside of the painted parking lines. The next day, when the snow melted, their cars were blocked in by others who parking in legal spots. On Wednesday, their cars were towed.

Although announcements were made in the residence halls on the afternoon of the towing, not everyone received the message.

When filling out a form to receive a parking sticker, you must include your campus address and phone number. This information is presumably kept on file somewhere. Why then, was no attempt made to contact any of the car-owners?

This was certainly a special situation, and four simple phone calls could have saved four students over $100 apiece.

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Nomination process needs major repairs

The current presidential primary system was created shortly after Watergate to make the decision-making of the nominating process more inclusive to the voting public. The reform indeed achieved that goal. However, there are after-effects from this system that tarnish the qualities of candidates and damage the national unity within parties.

For one thing, the primary system gives the incumbent party an unfair advantage. In almost all cases, the party in power grants the nomination to the incumbent. Meanwhile, on the other side, the challenging party usually fights within itself to determine the prevailing nominee, consequently producing a burnt out and/or wounded challenger who must win two major battles to become the Chief Executive.

Consider the Democrats. Just at a time when George Bush is more vulnerable than ever on all kinds of issues, the Democrats still haven’t unified themselves. They could be using Bush as a punching bag - his veto of the Tax Relief Act (a bill creating a more graduated tax base), his support of the Gag Rule (preventing clinics from using the “A” word) or even his failure to unseat Saddam Hussein from Iraq.

Any observer would think that Democrats would have gotten their act together by now. Instead of focusing on their greater enemy, the party is shooting its own foot as the Clinton and Brown campaigns intensify with negative attacks and accusations.

With Jerry Brown gaining momentum from his upset victory over Bill Clinton in Connecticut, there appears to be no clear favorite. The Brown and Clinton campaign TV commercials have hit our home state last weekend, with each candidate trash ing his opponent. Such vigorous competition establishes a weight dilemma: The Democrats stretch out the primary campaign into an all-out bloody war, the nominee will be extensively wounded to the point that it would be most beneficial to their Republican rivals. On the other hand, if they agree on a nominee now, the party risks the chance that the best electable candidate may not be chosen.

Yet with the New York primary approaching this Tuesday, and pre-election polls predicting a close race, there are clear indications that the nominee most likely will not be selected until the final June primaries in California and New Jersey. And by then, the Brown/Clinton race could get really ugly.

The 1992 presidential primaries epitomizes the illus of the process. The current method is conducive for all kinds of negative side-tracks.

It’s only April and already the public is being swamped with campaign news through the mass media. It’s no wonder people are so adamently disinterested in politics.

I do not favor going back to the days of ‘smoke-filled rooms’ where a select number of party elites decide the nominees without public input. Such a system must be some middle-ground that our nation can shoot for.

This primary system has produced our last three presidents, Carter, Reagan and Bush - none of whom will go down in American history as great visionary leaders. The time has come to drastically reform the primary system, in order not entirely scrap the whole program.
We're forwarding a copy to the Secret Service

It has become virtually impossible for me not to advocate violence to effect change. Why? The reasons are legion: the destruction of the world's rain forests, both equatorial and north coastal, this country's resistance to alternative fuel sources, the thousands of acres of farmland wasted to feed cattle which we should eat in far fewer numbers and just the general state of the environment which affects us all economically and socially. The obstacles I have encountered while trying to plant a few trees, alone, is overwhelmimgly daunting.

The wall of ignorance and greed we must either hurdle or destroy makes the great wall of China pale in comparison.

In the so-called developed world, we create pollution like there is no tomorrow. At the rate we are going, there won't be a tomorrow. We waste precious forests, ours and tropical, for ornament, furniture and paper. Recycled wood, plastic, selective cutting and forest management can meet our needs just, if not more, effectively.

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How do we deal with these people? How do we deal with ourselves? You and me are part of the problem, too.

In Japan, they use so much pesticide on their golf courses that surrounding lakes, streams and ponds have fish kills. Japan refuses to stop chopping down tropical timber in Indonesia that they use for paper for the world's largest volume newspaper. Why not recycle? In America we are chopping down old growth forest in the Northwest faster than the rate of deforestation in the Amazon. Here, right here in New Jersey it is a major effort to get anyone to let me plant a tree. So I have become a renegade reforestor.

Governments around the world are petrified of change. No matter how good a plan is to alleviate environmental, economic, or social problems, they fear the change could cause some unforeseen misfortune and cost them their power. So why risk it? We'll all be dead if we don't, that's why. Yet, they may and do have ulterior motives. Mr. Bush has all his money locked up in oil. Hence, he opposes any restrictions on carbon monoxide emissions.

It is also widely known that businesses have had their hands in this mess. They seek steady profits for quarterly gains. Why become entrepreneurs and risk failing? All the big oil and auto companies might as well throw away some money for alternative fuel cars. What did they do with them? They put them on a shelf! What happened to the inventors that did not fail to the stagmations of the millions waved before their eyes? Hey, they're gone, they died. Gee, I wonder how.

So, facing all this, is it any wonder that I am tempted to use violence to solve these pressing life-threatening problems? Would it not be self-defense to kill these people as they are killing me? I think they would react quite quickly if government officials, corporate heads, loggers, whalers and all the other assholes started dropping like flies. People would be too scared to cut down trees or oppose good legislation for a kick-back or campaign donation. Companies would suddenly have new and innovative alternatives to environmental problems, and I could plant trees almost anywhere I wanted. Tempting, isn't it? Tempting.

Lately as all of my regular readers are painfully aware, I have been working on vulnerability. Faith seems to me to be more important. I got a booster shot of faith yesterday. The Thursday it snowed. I went down to the shore, it was raining. The ocean has become a very spiritual spot for me. I spent New Year's Eve sitting on the seashore, working on my book. The rain made me realize that the seashore provides is just what I need. Initially, I would sit on the beach, close my eyes, listen to the sound of the surf and pray. The sound somehow reassured me, perhaps by providing a sense of protection.

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LETTER...

Read my lips, I'm no butt-kisser

This letter is being written in response to Kenneth "Rusty" Treible's letter regarding the Bohn Hall Residence Life staff in March 12 issue. I happen to be one of the Bohn Hall Desk Assistants Treible subtly referred to in his letter. In case anyone out there is wondering, I am not a "butt-kisser" and I resent being called one. Hopefully, this will become more apparent as you read my response. I will give Treible credit — the guy has guts. Unfortunately, his ability to defend himself does not justify him belitting me to MSC. What goes on in Residence Life meetings and behind the Bohn Hall desk is no one else's business. Since Treible already managed to exploit our staff, I figured I would take this opportunity to try and clarify the facts.

First of all, I'd like to speak on behalf of myself and "some" of my fellow staff members when I say that I do not appreciate being thrown into a category that is entirely based on Treible's perceptions. To tell you the truth, his opinion of me is completely irrelevant, anyway. But I am not writing to defend myself; I think it is time someone defended Toni Ann Bernardo. What ever happened to staff support, "some" of my fellow staff members when I say that I do not appreciate being thrown into a category that is entirely based on Treible's perceptions. To tell you the truth, his opinion of me is completely irrelevant, anyway. But I am not writing to defend myself; I think it is time someone defended Toni Ann Bernardo. What ever happened to staff support,

Peter Treible

Bohn Hall Desk Assistant

It disgusts me to think that a 20-year-old college student is not capable of handling himself in a more mature fashion.

This semester, everyone Bernardo does is j u s t i f i b l e , I do not know. I do not always agree with her, either, but she is still my boss and I respect her. It disgusts me to think that a 20-year-old college student is not capable of handling himself in a more mature fashion. Treible made some very heavy accusations and I hope he is prepared to back them up. I was never caught drinking in Bohn Hall by an AM, RA or any other staff member. Being wrongfully accused is not only degrading, but I find it quite amusing! Treible might want to get his facts straight before he writes his response to this letter. Make it good, Rusty...I'm looking forward to it.

Vicki Grasse

Bohn Hall Desk Assistant

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LETTER...

Hopefully the waiter’s wearing body armor

As the oldest fraternity on the MSC campus, Phi Alpha Psi Senate would like to take this opportunity to welcome the National Organization for Women to our campus and thank them for all the free publicity they gave us. We, the men of Senate, are very proud of our fraternity and hope to continue the endeavors of the past. Senate has always been a leader in campus activities, something that your organization might not have taken notice of. Since we’ve been at MSC for about 65 years longer than you, please allow for a few suggestions. Maybe you should try to spread your ideologies around campus in friendlier ways. Please be reminded that all those who signed were consenting adults, were in no way forced to sign anything and were usually more than willing to help out a Senate pledge. Senate pledges do not walk around flashing centerfolds. They always ask for permission before presenting it for signing. Please show us how low that is sexual harassment. Slamming us in The Montclarion and telling people to step forward, suggesting that they seek monetary damages against us because they signed a Playboy centerfold out of their own free will is nothing short of ludicrous! Besides, what can you possibly get from us, besides the deposits on our unreturned keys?

The tradition of Senate pledges getting their centerfolds signed has been going on here at MSC for over 20 years. It is in no way intended to degrade women. Rather, it is a fun assignment for the pledge, and not a cheap form of male bonding as you stated. Despite what you may think, we don’t sit up at night and ponder diabolical schemes to embarrass our pledges, so let’s try not to confuse anybody. It is people worrying more about our pledges than about women being raped and assaulted on our campus. It aggravates me to no extent when fine people like yourselves spring upon campus, do offensive, use someIRM’s, monetary damages...is nothing short of ludicrous! Besides, what can you possibly get from us, besides the deposits on our unreturned keys?

There are many more serious problems to address on campus than the possibility of a Senate pledge approaching you and asking if you would sign his centerfold. It is a shame that you worry more about our pledges than about women being raped and assaulted on our campus. It aggravates me to no extent when fine people like yourselves spring upon campus, do offensive, use some

Judge Thomas and we can talk about this some more over dinner.

The Montclarion, you won’t be a bunch of chickens and don’t sign your names. What’s the matter? Are some of your names splattered in ink, preserved forever on a Senate pledge’s Playboy centerfold? Maybe I’ll call you tonight and we can talk about this some more over dinner.

Stephen L. Kazella

Commercial Rec. & Tourism

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LETTER...

SWM- enjoys correspondence, looking for involvement

If you don’t mind, I am going to forfeit my conviction for eloquence with a bit of some down-to-earth lingo. Because this is just my letter, and not my actual person, I don’t know whether you are mother of three or a security sister. My name is Tony. I am 23, a graduating senior and your SGA President. I am also unmarried (it was sounding like I was lost in the personals anyway).

Are you going to vote this year? Not for president of the United States, but for president of the Student Government. You see, May 31 comes along and that’s it. I’m finished; time’s up. Come April 11 to 15, we will be conducting elections for all of the SGA Executive Board positions. These students are responsible to watch over the services and programs of your government. They represent your interests as students at MSC. You may wonder whether or not some students really care about anything less than the temperature of french fries, but I am confident that these are not the boundaries of our conversations and interests.

As an officer of your government, I would like to urge all students to involve themselves in this process. It is your mandate that gives us the direction and drive to shape the future here at MSC.

Please vote. It’s your right.

Tony Susco

Political Science

More Quotes of the Week

"Costa Guilty"

"One committee member was literally asleep the whole time" -Michael Costa

"We made a decision based on the facts presented to us." -Peggy Bane
Fresh for 1992...you suckers!

Boogie Down Productions, A Tribe Called Quest and Cypress Hill storm MSC

by Jonathan LeVine

On Wednesday, April 1, Class One Concerts presented a triple bill rap spectacular featuring Boogie Down Productions, A Tribe Called Quest, and Cypress Hill. The sold-out concert was held in Memorial Auditorium and was reported that the majority of the audience was MSC students.

The first group to perform was Cypress Hill, who hail from L.A. The group only performed about three or four songs but had the audience jumping. It is rumored that the group is an advocate of NORMAL (National Organization for the Reform of Marijuana Laws). You would be compelled to believe this as the band humorously egged the crowd into throwing up some illegal substances. Cypress Hill ended its set with "How I Could Just Kill a Man."

The next group to rip up wax was my personal favorite, A Tribe Called Quest. This group gave the best performance of the night. File and Q-Tip showed an excellent rapport with each other as well as the audience. They performed songs from their new album Low End Theory, in addition to "Bonita Applebum" from their first album. Just before their last song, Q-Tip said, "We're on the top of a hill of a roller coaster, and we're about to come down." With that, they lunged into "Check the Rhyme," and the audience got to experience the Tribe at their best. Q-Tip is a poet and his delivery is smooth as butter.

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Knighting ceremony preludes week of medieval excitement

by John Tidbits

The Medieval Society held a knighting ceremony last Tuesday in the Student Center Quad. Four members were knighthed by Heather Cantelli, the queen of that society.

The event entailed an axe fight in which two performers from Medieval Times in Lyndhurst battled to the "death." A joust was also to take place but was cancelled because the horse trailer broke down on the way.

A crowd of about 100 students enjoyed the ceremony, which took place under sunny skies. The crowd looked favorably upon the queen and her court as early morning showers gave way to the lovely weather.

"I loved it. I bet Medieval Day will be lots of fun," said Jessica Bieri. This Sunday (April 5), the society will host Medieval Day, which will consist of juggling, jousting, and plain good ole fashioned fun.

The four new knights are Kevin Schwobel, George LaVigne, Stephan Dellak, and Joe Seroka.
**This means war!**

by Mark Loughlin

With Rising Sun, Michael Crichton departs from his usual realistic science fiction thrillers with a police mystery that centers around the murder of a beautiful young woman at a posh Japanese, celebrity-filled party. Some people may know this book as "that Japan bashing book," but that is not exactly true. While writer to resort to simple Japan bashing. Although Crichton is passionate about economic ties with the Japanese, he is too smart of a successful was his incredibly complex and detailed research about the subject is evident directly from an article in U.S. News and World Report, except that publication never uses this memorable characters of Part X. The book starts off with the Japanese saying that, "Business is War." This sets the tone for a very violent and technologically complex mystery that takes place in southern California. Crichton’s passion for the subject is evident directly from an article in U.S. News and World Report, except that publication never uses this.

As I said earlier, my seats left much to be desired and all I kept hearing for the past two weeks from my girlfriend was that her sisters had paid an incredible amount of money to make up for all the everyday bullshit you have to put up with; crazy parents, significant others, bosses, and professors; traffic on the Turnpike, a flat tire on the Parkway, cafeteria food, shuttle buses... the list goes on. And something came my way one night, late in February: tickets to the U2 concert. A friend had gotten them through some sort of connection or another; it did not matter how she had gotten them, only that she had. It also no longer mattered that I would be spending my spring break at home (sunny, scenic, Union City, New Jersey).

The show was scheduled to begin at 7:30, and at about 8:00, their opening act, The Pixies, began to play. Sorry to all you big Pixie fans out there, but I had to get up and wait outside the restroom after 10 minutes. They were driving me crazy. I had only lyrics to U2’s back catalog, so when they played they were "You’re a motherfucker" and "You’re the product of an incestuous relationship."

At 9:00, U2 came on. The stage had been set up with giant screens behind the band and 20 or so smaller ones, stacked around the stage. Six cars, with flowers painted on them, hung above the stage; the headlights serving as some of the spotlights during the show. The show presented mostly songs off the Achtung Baby album. During the opening song, "The Fly," words and phrases flashed on the screen, starting with "Everything you know is wrong." The words flashed more and more quickly; words like "racism," "sex," "politics," "violence," and phrases like "Rock and roll is entertainment," and "Religion is a club." While at first entertaining, eventually the flashing words, picking up speed during the song, became more of a distraction. A belly dancer performed during "Mysterious Ways"; during "One," the word flashed on the screens in various languages. The cheesier part of the show were the visuals; they didn’t need the hype or reinforcement of the externals like belly dancers; their music had always been more evoking a serious message or feeling than getting on the Top 40. The show was calculated to be a witness to... better than a flat tire on the Parkway.

**Bryan Adams returns**

by Mark Belnay

Have you ever gone to a concert and left with the feeling that no matter how many more shows you go to there will never be another night like the one you just experienced? Well, Friday night at the Byrne Arena was just such a night for your humble narrator. Armed with those legendary "bootsed" seats and accompanied by my girlfriend and her two sisters, we set out in the rain to see Bryan Adams. I had seen him five times prior to Friday night, but after a four-year hiatus, I was expecting something special in Rising Sun, but was pleasantly surprised by the performance of Bryan singer-songwriter. You know what? I got it...

As you know, Bryan Adams was striking chords from past hits like 'Run To You,' "Heaven," "Careless" Knife," and was even covering Joe Cocker's "With A Little Help From My Friends." The light was the show had to be the first encore when the entire crowd sang the words to his hit "Summer of '96." He closed the show with his favorite song, "Straight From The Heart," and then promised he would be back on the return leg of his tour.

I kept hearing from my girlfriend was that she had. It also no longer mattered that I would be taking four years off, Bryan Adams returned with his new album, Waking Up The Neighbors, and a tour that will have him travelling to places I never thought existed. It's not often that I see a concert and am totally impressed with the performance. As I said earlier, my seats left much to be desired and all...
Could anyone ever picture Cliff or Norm nailing a 20-footer from the top of the key or throwing one down with both hands and then hanging from the rim in triumph? Well, if you have a hard time trying to picture that in your mind, try imagining Woody, that dense and loveable bartender from *Cheers*, teamed up with Wesley Snipes trying to hustle anyone and everyone on the playground courts of L.A. *White Men Can't Jump* teams Woody Harrelson, of *Cheers* fame, and Wesley Snipes, most recently seen in Spike Lee's *Jungle Fever*, as playground basketball hustlers who will do anything, say anything, and challenge anyone to a game on the blacktop granted the stakes are high enough in Ron Shelton's new comedy. Shelton, who also wrote and directed the minor league baseball comedy *Bull Durham*, once again brings a fresh premise to the screen with *White Men Can't Jump*.

This movie is perhaps the most hysterical film I have seen since Billy Crystal tried to win the west in *City Slickers*. Two things make this movie the hit it is sure to be. The screenplay and the chemistry between the two actors as they hustle their way across the courts of Los Angeles. Both Harrelson and Snipes, line after hysterical line, taunt their opponents and even themselves. This lasts for the entire length of the film. The basic premise of the film is that Snipes is out of work and uses both his mouth and athletic ability to hustle unsuspecting souls on the court until he meets up with Harrelson. Snipes plays Sydney Deane, an hour of work family man struggling with his family life and hard economic times while Harrelson is Billy Hoyle, a former college star at an unmentioned college in Louisiana who owes $7,000 to a group of thugs from you guessed it, New Jersey. Along the way, Billy must deal with the struggles of the real world and the love he shares with his girlfriend Gloria, played by the beautiful Rosie Perez from *Do The Right Thing*. The chemistry between Snipes and Harrelson is what makes this movie work. They are constantly blunting out new and original insults that range from remarks about each one's mother to whether or not Jimi Hendrix had any white guys in his band. Perez steals nearly every scene she is in as Gloria is obsessed with being on the game show *Jeopardy!* which accounts for her reading every trivia book that has been indebted and even being able to name every type of food that begins with the letter Q. This leads to perhaps the most hysterical scene of the movie as Gloria gets her wish and cleans house on Mr. Trebek's game show.

Shelton, who so expertly blended romance and comedy in *Bull Durham* with Kevin Costner and Susan Sarandon, again does a brilliant job in bringing not only laughs across to the audience at one moment of the film, but also allows for a true feeling towards each of the characters to develop throughout the film. Though there are scenes that will have you rolling around in the aisles holding your sides, there is also a message to the film which those of you who decide to go see this film will easily understand.

I highly recommend this movie to anyone who has ever stood out in the hot summer sun on the basketball courts of their town waiting to play the game they love and to those people who just want to sit back and laugh like hell for two hours while Snipes and Harrelson light the courts of Los Angeles up with laughter in Ron Shelton's new film *White Men Can't Jump*...
Hey kids.

Attention, parents, and all those who deem themselves guardians of society, the album Body Count has hit store shelves across this country. Why, you ask, is bringing your attention to this album? Maybe because it has the most extensive arrangement of profanity that I have ever seen in aheavy metal album. Well worry not, there are plenty of Explicit Lyrics advisories posted all over the cover, so that children can easily identify this album as the one that they want to buy.

So much for marketing irony, the album Body Count combines the talents of hardcore rapper Ice-T and the timid yet pronounced thrash band called Body Count. In essence a mixture made in the street and on tape. In essence a mixture made in the street and on tape. There are those who will just flat out say that this album is nothing more than a collection of profanity, but worry not, there are plenty of Explicit Lyrics advisories posted all over the cover, so that children can easily identify this album as the one that they want to buy.

The sounds brought you on the album are raw and unadulterated, the album is the grime furnished by Ice-T, Schuldheiser and the thrash fueled by the band Body Count. The instrumental work on the album is the best work that I have heard this year.

The title track, "I Wonder What It Would Be Like to Live Someplace Like the Suburbs," is not a song that you would ever want to listen to. OK, read on.

"The Itlosh Pit" is the follow up to their 1989 release Considered Dead. Murphy, a former member of Obituary, Benton of Dcicide on the love song "Hitting, Benton's vocal style falls somewhere between try ing to sound totally brutal, i.e. metal—lover true to the underground sound and music—shout the most original sound and music—shout the most original sound and music.

"Death Shall Rise." This album rocks rather well and has some nice tracks entitled "Cop Killer" and "The Winner Loses." In total, the album proves to be all that a frenzied mother could ever ask for. Simply put, it’s uncompromisingly hard, dope, and loud. So, parents who may find this subject matter and profanity offensive suggest you take a look in your teenagers’ rooms just to see if he or she is down with the Body Count phenomena.

The Itlosh Pit is released by Independence Media and is currently working on its second full-length album. The band has been signed to Century Media and is together and has been signed to Century Media.

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-Connie - Hay! Deony aren't be to one of your strong points. Try telling the truth next time. 

-Ban-Ban - You took your break away in Daytona. Take me back to moonlight terrace should-to-donk dance always doing. Love you. Peabody 
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-Rico - Love, I go so lost sometime - in you eyes, your Angel 
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-Mark (Delta Kappa Phi) What's wrong with Bugs Bunny? 

-Sam (psych classes)-They say resting in a specific Freeman hall room helps those who are tired from a trip to Jordan. An expert in stress alleviation (classmates from abnormal psychology). 
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-To your big brother of AKPsi! I love you. 

-From your grand-old-buddy, Bert 

-Live, Here's your personal. I hope you like it. Too! 

-Todd - Kim, Dayton's out of control - HOWNT! Canada is the place to be. Scha-wing! Nice Vega, cheap. Those balcony cliffs - it might be nice? Rodney goes normal. Justinita - Christine Hippie, your secret gift means you - Eli. Keep the faith's it's almost over. Love, Tara 

-Kim & Julia G. - Do you give up? One more week. 

-To TKE - To all the brothers of AKPsi: Thank you for everything. Love Dawn 

-To my twin Julie(SIGSIGSIG) I love you. Love, Julie 

-Douglas, James Merritt - Kim & Jill. Don't give up! One more week. 

-To my：Jill, where did the days of Charlie and Big Bugs Bunny at Sam? 

-Natalie -Theta Kappa Chi pledges: Are you ready for the best workers. I'm so proud of you both. Take me back to moonlight terrace Friday night! Love, your little 

-Who stole our redi whip?!?! Gregg & Terri 

-Pledges of Tri Sigma: I love you all and I guys are the best! Love Dawn 

-To all others: Beware, Lambda Sigma Cipher is coming on strong like never before. Michelle G. (AXP) I thank of "vanishing" Embarss, stubs & funny 

-March 17, 1991, 14 boys made a big mistake, 5 men made history 

-To Rocky, nice right hook! Love Sigma Tau 

-Doogie - Love you al­ 

-To my little Elke, Happy Birthday! Love your 

-Sorry, have an awesome weekend. Love Jen 

-Laurie (THETA) Happy Birthday! Enjoy it. bide for Wait, for only one more month. Love, Laura 

-Laurie - Move in any more? I'm love 

-Move, nobody's doing it. 

-Misty(SD) California here we come. Love ya! Janis (SDT) 

-Let's do lunch. I love you guys. I lust after your body 

-Why can't anyone move? 

-Who are the best workers. I'm so proud of you both. Take me back to moonlight terrace Friday night! Love, your little 

-To my little Dea, have a great bday and get paid for working in Sales! Love Jeanne 

-Curry & Mike, I'm glad to know you guys better. 

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-Dr. Opening of Sigma Tau: Love your best 

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Fred Astaire and Ginni

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ACE IS A CLASS TWO OF THE SGA
Softball Classic contains four Top 20 teams
MSC hopes to capture its first Classic

by Al Innæzzone

This weekend, the MSC women’s softball team will be hosting the third annual MSC Softball Classic, if weather permits. The Red Hawks are looking for their first Classic title as Trenton has won the previous two. However, TSC will be playing without its big hitter, Patty Kinghorn, who left the team for personal reasons.

MSC Head Coach Anita Kubicka hopes to take the title this year.

"I would like to," she said. "I hope the weather allows it."

Kubicka, a Trenton State graduate, is referring to the six games cancelled at Quarry Fields because of rain and snow over the last two weeks.

"We were getting cabin fever," she said. "It got to the point where, at one practice, we tried to get the snow off the field. There was about eight inches of snow, plus all the rain." Kubicka said this following a sweep of a doubleheader against Muhlenberg Tuesday. The first time MSC played since March 19. (See story on P. 32.)

"We can't control the weather, so we tried to control what we could," she said. "You can't control Mother Nature."

This year’s Classic will contain four nationally ranked teams: No. 2 Trenton, No. 6 Ithaca, No. 11 Cortland State and No. 12 MSC. Also participating will be St. Peter’s and Salisbury.

The six-team tournament is divided into two pools, Pool A and Pool B. In one pool, there is MSC, Cortland State and St. Peter’s. The other pool contains the remaining teams.

Field of Streams! Quarry Field has been covered by snow and puddles for the last two weeks. MSC is hoping the field will be dry enough to play on this weekend as MSC hosts the third annual MSC Softball Classic.

On Friday, St. Peter’s and Salisbury will get a first game bye. Each will play the winner of the MSC-Cortland game and the Ithaca-Trenton contest, in their respective pools.

The two teams with the best records from each pool will get a first game bye on Saturday before they face the winners of the other two games. It may sound confusing, but it winds up being a single game elimination tournament for the four teams with the best records after three games.

The best way to understand this is by showing up Friday and Saturday afternoon at Quarry Field.

Last year, MSC lost to Trenton in the semifinals, 10-0. However, this is a different Red Hawk team. They are playing great ball, and they know if they come up with a good showing, they could climb in the rankings.

"If we win it, we will be in the top 10," Kubicka said.

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Talented lacrosse team splits pair
by Jim Klossek

It was a busy week for the Red Hawk Lacrosse team. After a tough loss to Colby (a top 15 school) in its home opener last Thursday night, MSC bounced back and defeated Queens College 12-13 on Saturday afternoon (MSC's third straight road victory of the season) to increase its overall record to 3-1.

In the Big Apple on Saturday, the Red Hawks were led by Buich Meyers (five goals). Neil Blaney (three goals, four assists) and Keith Van Ness (three goals). This trio also provided the offensive firepower in MSC's first two wins over Stockton and N.Y. Maritime.

The game was close from the start and MSC didn't really pull away until 8:30 remaining in the game. MSC was leading 13-10 at that point but Queens was threatening. Following a volley of Queens shots at the Red Hawk end, Meyers was able to turn the tide as he drilled his fourth goal of the game to give MSC a little breathing room. The Red Hawks then added three more goals to put the game out of reach and win 20-13.

Preceding the win over Queens, the Red Hawks played host to nationally-ranked Colby College of Maine. Colby is just one of the tough non-division teams that Coach Doug Alto from put on the schedule to test his talented-laden team.

Playing most of the game in a closing blowout, both teams put their best foot forward and gave the fans who braved the elements at Sprague Field a game to remember. The lead passed frequently between the two teams over the course of the contest with neither able to gain a significant advantage. With 7:50 remaining, Colby was leading 11-10 and trying to run out the clock when the Red Hawks came back to tie the score on Neil Blaney's third goal of the evening sending the contest into overtime.

With the extra session winding down, it appeared the game would end in a tie before Colby's Dave Mahoney scored the second of his two goals to give the visitors a hard-fought 12-11 win.

Red Hawk Notes - Blaney, a transfer student from Delaware, has certainly proven his mettle in the Red Hawks first four games by netting 19 of the team's 72 goals. Buich Meyers is right behind him with 15 and Keith Van Ness has scored 14, including 5 against Colby ... The Red Hawks play host to Westminster this Saturday at 1:00 p.m. before visiting Drew University on April 8th ... MSC has outscored its opponents 72-30 so far this season ... Last year it outscored the opposition 230-141.

Track star Dewayne Stevens looking sharp

Junior transfer gets praise from coach
by Mark A. Belnay

Imagine the scene at Eastern Michigan after the incredible performance Dewayne Stevens put forth at the Nationals for MSC. Stevens ran an incredible 47.73 in the 400-meter and established a new record in Division III Track and Field. You see, Eastern Michigan was the school that Stevens was originally going to attend before choosing to go to Michigan State. You see, Eastern Michigan was the school that Stevens was originally going to attend before choosing to go to Michigan State. While attending Eastern Michigan, he helped to set a new MSC record of 3:18.51 in the trials while finishing third at the National's with a time of 3:18.9 after being ranked eighth going into the meet. He is also part of the 800-meter relay team that set a new school record in December and was a major reason that MSC returned home with its first NCAA plaque signifying the school's highest finish ever.

Stevens has nothing but praise for Stevens, who also holds individual records of 22.10 in the 200-meter and 47.33 in the 400-meter here at MSC, whom he considers a "true student of the sport." Calling Stevens a true team motivator, Blanton considers the coach/athlete relationship he has with Stevens as an important reason for the amazing results that Stevens has seen thus far. "He's always asking questions on technique and will even put in the extra time watching films in order to get an edge," says Blanton of the work ethic that Stevens has brought with him to MSC.

Stevens has one more year left to top his incredible accomplishments of this year, and if he is intent on going out with a bang, then the rest of the NCAA's Division III Track and Field teams had better beware.
Kentucky played the game of a lifetime, but the final score is the only thing that matters.

The Wildcats shot dismally in the second half and wound up losing to the Hoyas by double digits. In 1986, Kenny "Sky" Walker led UK to the "Great Eight," but fell to LSU with the number 32 with sideburns hanging from it.... It was the most devastating sports loss of my life.

Assistant Sports Editor falls for Hotline gag

by Al Iannazzone

The MSC Sports Hotline fooled quite a few people, including yours truly, by something it aired yesterday, April 1.

MSC Sports Information Director Al Langer, the voice of the hotline, said, "Montclair State will receive a $17 million state-of-the-art, multi-purpose athletic facility." According to Langer, the facility would have had two Olympic-sized pools, six basketball courts, a weight-room, volleyball courts and loads of other courts.

Langer said, "Athletic Director Greg Lockard has been quoted as saying, 'This is the best thing to happen at Montclair State since Duskin' Donuts made its appearance in the Student Center a few months ago.'"

Langer then said, "Montclair State head football coach Rick Giancola will retire within two weeks to pursue his career in religion."

I had heard enough. I rushed to The Montclarion office and told Sports Editor Michael Franco and soon-to-be Sports Editor Keith Idee what happened. I told them to make some room for two of the biggest stories at MSC in a long time. I tried to reach Langer but his line was busy.

Idee reminded me that it was April Fools' Day and it might have been a joke. I listened to it again, however, this time, in its entirety. At the end of the message Langer said, "April Fool!!!"

Luckily, I called the hotline and Langer again, otherwise Giancola and Lockard would probably have gotten the strangest phone calls of their careers.

Those games hurt, but Saturday's loss killed me. It took about 24 hours for me to snap out of my doldrums. I kept shaking my head and muttering, "I can't believe they lost."

Later that night, I watched Sportscenter and saw that damn replay over and over again. I can't tell you how many times I screamed, "Jump in front of the pass" or "Get it in his face." It didn't help. In my sleep, I kept seeing the number 32 with sideburns hanging from it. I must repeat, it was the most devastating sports loss of my life.

Everyone knew I was upset, so I heard things like, "They played a great game." They have nothing to be ashamed of. Both teams are winners." I know Kentucky played a great game and had a great season, but it's not enough. A game like that is worse than losing by 20.

I love the ignorant people who say, "It's only a game." Shut the bell up! If you've ever played a sport in your life you would know it's not just a game. Winning is everything!!!

I don't stand alone in saying this. Ask your friends and family. Hell, ask yourself. Do you like losing? Would you be happy with second or third? I know I wouldn't. Winning is not everything; it's the only thing! People think those soothing words like, "It was a great game, but we lost." It's easy to say, but it's hard to do after a devastating sports loss of your life! I've been a Kentucky follower for as long as I can remember, and yesterday, Laettner hit the clutch basket, sending Kentucky on to the "Great Eight," but fell to LSU with a great season, but it's not enough. A game like that is worse than losing by 20.

I'm going on the record here, saying this was the most devastating sports loss of my life!

Assistant Sports Editor

by Al Iannazzone

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Winning is everything

Do you remember the winners and losers of the last 10 NCAA Finals?

Year | Champion | Score | Runner-up
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1981 | Indiana | 63-50 | North Carolina
1982 | North Carolina | 63-62 | Georgetown
1983 | N.C. State | 54-52 | Houston
1984 | Georgetown | 84-74 | Houston
1985 | Villanova | 66-64 | Georgetown
1986 | Louisville | 72-69 | Duke
1987 | Indiana | 74-73 | Syracuse
1988 | Kansas | 83-79 | Oklahoma
1989 | Michigan | 80-79 (OT) | Seton Hall
1990 | UNLV | 103-73 | Duke
1991 | Duke | 72-65 | Kansas

Can you name the last 10 Final Fours?
by Keith A. Idee

The MSC baseball team won three times this week to keep its mark at an impressive 8-2. The hot start is MSC's best since 1976. The latest victory saw the Red Hawks batter the University of Scranton 9-0 on Tuesday at Pitsler Field. Freshman right-hander Jason Scavelli picked up the win, striking out six and allowing only six hits. Freshman catcher Mike Micucci doubled in two runs and freshman shortstop Tony Martinez singled home another to help give MSC a 4-0 lead after the first inning.

This past weekend, the Red Hawks won two games against Lynchburg College of Virginia. In Sunday's game, senior left fielder Mike Dixon collected three hits and scored twice, leading the Red Hawks to a 6-2 victory. Dixon is currently hitting a team-leading .436. Another good sign for the Red Hawks is that Dixon's surgically-repaired knee has held up well, which has helped his defensive efforts. Freshman second baseman Mike Murphy contributed two doubles and an RBI to the MSC cause.

All-around efforts spark Red Hawks to 8-2 record

Softball streaking, ranked 12th in the nation

by Al Iannazzone

On a roll in the best way to describe the way the MSC women's softball team is playing right now. After dropping their first two games of the season, the Red Hawks have reeled off 10 straight victories, and their latest victims were the Mules of Muhlenberg. On Tuesday, MSC, the 12th-ranked team in the nation, took the three-hour trip to Allentown, Pa., not having played a game since it beat Wisconsin-Oshkosh on March 19. Due to inclement weather, the Red Hawks have had their last six games canceled. You never would have known it the way MSC's bats responded in an 8-5 and 8-4 sweep of the Mules.

MSC Head Coach Anita Kubicka was pleased with the performance of her "frustrated" team.

"I was very happy with the way they hit the ball," she said. "Everyone was frustrated because of the weather, so each day we tried to emphasize what we needed to work on. I thought we would do well."

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In the first game, MSC erupted for six runs in the top of the second and took a 7-0 lead. The big hit of the inning was a two-run triple by shortstop Kim Drager. The Red Hawks also got two run singles from Kristi Kutchinski and Sue Stoft. MSC pitcher Lois Fyfe was cruising through the first six 2/3 innings, leading 8-2. However, with one out in the bottom of the seventh, Fyfe was nailed by a line drive in the left shin and was forced to leave the game. Michele Serio came in and allowed three unearned runs, but still preserved the win for Fyfe and the Red Hawks.

Fyfe allowed no earned runs and just four hits, as her record improved to 6-2 and her ERA dropped to 1.60. MSC got timely hits from Drager, who finished with three hits, two triples and two RBI. Kutchinski had a couple of hits and RBI and Stoft drove in four runs.

Fyfe was able to play in the second game. Team trainer Denise Lusnia made sure Fyfe iced her shin and Lusnia performed some tests before giving Kubicka the thumbs up for game two.

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In the second game, Serio allowed two earned runs on five hits on route to her first complete game. Her record improved to 4-0.

With the Red Hawks leading 4-1 in the top of the sixth, Fyfe drilled a bases loaded triple to right-center, which would have been a grand slam had it not been for her injury. Kubicka said. "On any other day, she would have gotten a grand slam." Serio worked her way out of another seventh-inning jam by getting out of a two-out, two-on jam with a strikeout.

Freshman Jennifer Flaim had a great game, going three for four with three runs scored. Drager drove in two and Fyfe added four RBI for MSC.

"It was like deja vu," Kubicka said of the almost exact ending of both games. The Red Hawks are off to a great 10-2 start and are ranked 12th nationally, but Kubicka strives for more.

"I'm happy we went from nowhere to 12th," she said. "I was disappointed, though, that Simpson of Iowa and Illinois-Benedictine are ranked ahead of us. We beat Simpson and I don't think Benedictine was that good, especially since it was our first game. But I feel confident that we can break the top 10."

RED HAWK NOTES...MSC will be trying to make up those games that were missed. This weekend, MSC will host the Softball Classic, weather permitting.