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Tuition increase expected for ’93/’94

“IT IS ABSOLUTELY POSSIBLE THAT STUDENTS CAN FIGHT THIS TUITION INCREASE”

by Laurie-Eline Matrician

Students can expect a possible 5% increase in tuition and a dramatic loss of services for the 1993/1994 school year unless they actively participate in a lobbying effort designed to fight it.

The SGA has prepared thousands of letters waiting to be signed by students. After the letters have been signed, they will then be sent to New Jersey Assembymen and Senators urging them to vote for higher education and for full college budgets.

If these legislators vote in June in favor of higher education, there will be little or no increase. A second and third set of letters will be sent in April and June to serve as a reminder of how serious students are about fighting this increase.

“These letters not only say we’re students interested in this issue, but also that we’re voters and if you don’t vote for us, we won’t vote for you,” said SGA President, Gouri Sadhwani.

“We are looking at a tuition increase if students don’t take an active role against it. It depends on how heavily students are willing to lobby their legislators and how heavily they lobby the administration on this campus, letting them know what they will not tolerate,” said Sadhwani.

“It is absolutely possible that students can fight this tuition increase. I encourage anyone who can to stop by the SGA office and sign a letter.”

“You should also get your parents and any other voter to write a letter to their legislators and do anything else you can to campaign against the increase,” said Dean of Students, Dr. Edward Martin.

SGA presidents from six New Jersey state colleges have formed a coalition called “Coalition for Higher Education” to fight the cutsbacks in education budgets. MSC heads this coalition and Dean, William Patterson, Rowan, Stockton State and Trenton State comprise the remainder.

All six colleges will participate in sending the form letters and representatives from each will also lobby the legislators in person.

If tuition does increase, the SGA wants the money to benefit the students.

“We are in no way backing an increase. However if students lobby for the college to get a full budget, then we expect the college administration to put students’ needs first and foremost because the students lobby for the money in the first place,” said Sadhwani.

Students already consider current tuition costs enough of a burden.

“I can’t afford tuition now. I don’t think we’re given enough in return for the money we pay now,” said Junior Christine Sarracco.

President Reid re-opens Ratt

by A. J. Pages

A luau celebration was held on February 5 to congrat­ulate Dr. Alica P. Savage, 65, on her retirement after nearly 15 years as director of the Second Careers program.

Savage, who retired January 31, was honored at the luau by members of the administration, faculty, and students associated with the Second Careers program. Savage is the program’s second director and has provided several program innovations such as the mini-se­minar “Is College for Me?” (offered twice a semester) which helps older students with their decision to return to school, and the 15 session Study Skills and CLEP workshops designed to help older students prepare for the CLEP general examinations.

“So what do you want to be when you grow up?” is Savage’s favorite question to ask of her students. A second career student herself, Savage answered that question after leaving her native home of Aiea, Oahu, Hawai at age 22, and returned to school at age 43. After devoting 21 years to her family as a housewife, and mother, and while working full time at Hunter Col­lege, she attained her Bachelor’s degree. Shortly after, Savage was appointed director of the non­credit adult program there. Un­der her direction, the program grew to accept enrollment from over 2000 students each semes­ter.

When she assumed the di­rectorship of the Second Careers Program at Montclair in 1978, Savage was working on her doc­torate at Columbia University, which she received in higher and adult education in 1981. The pro­gram now has over 1000 alumni, of which 65% graduated with honors. “Students come back with renewed enthusiasm, and usually at their own expense, so they do well” Savage says.

“I’ve had a very satisfying career working with adult stu­dents. I have touched many lives, and they mine,” Savage said. While she remained modest, her students praised her and thanked her for the assistance she provided.

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One hundred and thirty two people died when an Iranian airforce jet collided with an airliner over Tehran. The jet was flying in commemoration for Ayatollah Khomenni.

Some U.S. force movements have been made and a withdrawal from Somalia may be near. Food has been planted in some areas but the crisis is far from over.

An earthquake hit Jamaica late last month. Damage was light on the island nation. German police made raids on several Neo-Nazi groups and record companies around the country. Arrests and confiscations were made.

Saddam Hussein’s Iraq was bombed over the break. Missile launchers in the no fly zone and other areas were the cause of the incursions. Israel dispelled several hundred Palestinians to the no man’s land between itself and Lebanon. The issue is on-going.

A possible correlation between brain tumors and car phones was cited recently.

Record cold of up to -60 degrees shivered Alaska early this month. Temperatures in Fair Banks have moderated to around 0 degrees during the day.

A gunman in Los Angeles shot three doctors and held 2 people hostage for several hours. Witnesses say they heard him screaming something about pain medication.

G.M. corporations sued N.B.C. for allegedly rigging car crashes with it’s truck on their show “Dateline NBC.” The network admitted it used incendiary devices and did not disclose this when the show aired. G.M. lost a suit for 105 million dollars to the family of one of 300 people killed since the cars been on the market.

President Clinton announced that he wanted to increase the weight and position of several environmental jobs in his administration.

Temperatures last weekend, especially Sunday morning dropped to the lowest level this season. Records fell in some area locations. Windchills dropped to around –40 degrees.

A rookie Newark policeman started to cry recounting the bloody aftermath of he and fellow officers firing 40 shots into a mini-van that was stolen. Two kids were killed and four wounded.

A woman who said she could not bother to sort garbage was the reason why she dumped trash on back roads in Byran Township. The 18 year old is being charged with illegal dumping and littering.

A potential jail may be planted in Morristown or Parsippany. Political ramifications make it seem unclear where the site will be exactly. Neither proposal is welcomed in its respective site. Parsippany Mayor Frank Priore vowed to oppose it. N.I.M.B.Y.
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BOOTH, from page 1

Vice President.

Construction of the booth cost $10,000 and was in development for two years, according to Desiderio-Ciocioli.

The booth will be staffed by students in the Admission Ambassadors Program, under the direction of Jimmy Luciano, Assistant Director of Admissions.

The Ambassadors were chosen because of their knowledge of the institution and their effectiveness when interacting with the public, said Dr. Jesse Rosenblum, Institutional Advancement Vice President.

Information Booth is not directly connected to the Admissions Office and will most likely not have any affect on enrollment or admission to the college, said Luciano.

“It is a very positive experience for me to be able to help fellow students regarding any questions or concerns they have. I was very surprised at the number of people that actually need information,” said Sarah Pingitore, Admissions Ambassador.

Although too early to assess completely, so far all feedback about the Information Booth has been positive.

“Everyone who has seen or used it says it is fantastic and very much needed,” said Rosenblum.

Luciano summed up the words of those in the college who have had access to the booth, “It is a project whose time has come.”

The booth is open Mon. through Wed. 8:30am to 5:00pm, Thurs. 8:30am to 7:00pm, Fri. 8:30am to 4:30pm and Sat. 9:00am to 12:00pm.

SAVAGE, from page 1

Several letters of thanks were sent to Savage by her students when they learned of her retirement. Dorothy Callaghan, a student of Savage’s is organizing the letters in two albums for her. One letter by Rita Ander said “Due to your encouragement and understanding I have achieved my goals. Thank you! Thank you! Thank you!”

“She is so beloved by her students, “Callaghan said. “She’s our children and their spouses, and our grandchildren.”

Montclair State's Great Events Series Presents

American Repertory Ballet Company

Performing the company premiere of "The Kitchen Table" by Bill Cratty

Saturday, February 13, 1993

8:00 PM

Student $10 • Senior Citizen $17 • Standard $20

Montclair State

School of Fine & Performing Arts

Memorial Auditorium

Upper Montclair, New Jersey

893-5112

Valentines Day

Monday, February 15th,

Student Center Cafeteria

Romantic Lunch for 2

Price - 2/$5.00

Rathskeller

"Sweetheart Pizza"

(Price - 2 for $1.75)

Formal Dining Room

(Price - 2 for $6.95)

College Hall

"Buy your Honey a Bun"

(2 for 1 on all Bakery Items)
Motor Vehicle Theft
2/3/93 Two cars were stolen, one between 1:00 and 2pm, and the other between 6:00 and 10pm. Both were students' cars that had been sitting in the lot. One victim saw two males driving around the lot in a silver van and described one for a composite sketch. It is unknown at this time if the two males and the thefts are connected. One vehicle was recovered in Bloomfield on the 5th.

Criminal Mischief
2/5/93 An executive security officer at Clove Road observed four males looking into cars in lot 28. One had attempted to break into a car but was thwarted by the car's alarm. The four males then headed out onto Route 46 in a cream colored vehicle.

2/7/93 A student reported a broken headlight. The car was parked in lot 24.

Dispute
2/5/93 It was reported that a dispute between a female employee and her boyfriend started in Bohn and wound up in Carlisle Road. The argument was over custody of their child.

Stolen Property from Motor Vehicle
2/6/93 A Pioneer stereo, speakers, and baseball equipment were stolen from a Blanton resident's car parked overnight in lot 24.

Evacuation
2/6/93 A dance at the Student Center attended by 400 people was evacuated due to an emptied canister of airborne chemicals. One person was medically treated and an ambulance did respond.

Fire Alarm
A pull station was activated in Stone Hall at 11:47pm on the second floor.

Investigation
2/6/93 The theft of equipment from WMSC in March of 1991 is under investigation. Campus police went to interview Bill Turjakick after he signed off the air. He was arrested 2/8/93 in Clifton Municipal Court. The investigation is still ongoing and more arrests are expected.

The SGA announced that they have sent a letter to Dr. Reid concerning the tuition at MSC. Five major areas were covered in the letter: tuition stabilization, campus safety and security, academic services and student support services. The SGA is expecting a response by next week.

The legislators are making a lobbying effort to encourage the New Jersey Legislature to support higher education funding and to ease the financial burden of the students. The SGA is asking for the full state budget of $3.5 million to be allotted to the college. They are also asking that the tuition increase be no more than 5%.

New legislators were sworn in and more will be sworn in next week.

It was suggested that the newly opened Ratt should change their sterile atmosphere to a more bar-like setting now that alcohol will be served in March. It was finally concluded that the Ratt is a versatile room which has an audio system that is good for programming events. Also, the lights can be dimmed for a more Ratt-like atmosphere.

Phi Beta Sigma will be having a step show for fifteen East Orange High School students. This event will be their substitute for the carnival.

In Open Forum the Multicultural Committee stated that they wish to have a multi-cultural fair during Spring Week. The objective is to promote racial harmony.

The SGA is a Class One Organization of the S.G.A.
Great Events continues its season of cultural programming with yet another spectacular premiere! The spring season blossoms with the talents, vivacity and esprit of the American Repertory Ballet.

On February 13 at 8 p.m. in Memorial Auditorium, the company will debut a new work titled The Kitchen Table. Choreographed by Bill Cratty, this domestic satire provides a revealing look at family values and generational differences. What makes this piece so exciting is the diverse and unique blend of two music sources. These sources feature drum music by Warren “Baby” Dodds and the music of Mexican Marimba bands! Other works include D-Construction, a lively, athletic dance by Septime Webre, the ever popular Stars and Stripes Pas de Deux by George Balanchine and Variable Winds, a naturalistic, free flowing work choreographed for twelve dancers by Majorie Mussman.

Formerly known as the Princeton Ballet Company, the American Repertory ballet may have changed its name, but not its focus. The company, now a nationally acclaimed and flourishing dance organization, still performs aesthetically strong works by American based choreographers. The dancers are equally as prolific as the repertoire. They are flowing with evocative movements and a magnificent store of energy!

Spend an eventful evening of entertainment with a company that celebrates American dance at its best. Tickets are $10 for students, $17 for senior citizens, and $20 for general admission. For more information on this show or other performances, contact the box office at 893-5112.
I think there are many issues that are far more significant for the media to focus on. It’s just gossip that’s gone too far. Drop it already and move on.
Deena Cavallo
Fine Arts, Senior

People should not profit from the crimes they commit, as Amy Fisher is. But the publicity can not be stopped because people love dirt. It is unfortunate that this event takes a lot of media time which can be used for more productive and meaningful news.
Jack Tinori
Political Science, Senior

She should be forgotten about and left to rot like the trash she is!!
Linda Marie Furia
Retail Buying, Senior

Social

2/11 Delta Xi Delta and Zeta Beta Tau rush mixer.
2/11 Alpha Omega is sponsoring the Yakety Yak cafe in Clinton.
2/11 Sigma Delta Phi and Delta Chi rush mixer.
2/11 Spend "Ladies Night" with the sisters of AIX at 9 a.m. in the Student Center info desk.
2/11 Theta Kappa Chi and Delta Kappa Psi rush mixer. Anyone interested meet at the Student Center’s revolving doors at 9 a.m.
2/11 AKA party in Rutgers Newark at 9 p.m.-until.
2/12 ZBT party (see flyers).
2/12 TKE and Alpha Omega rush mixer.
2/12 Party with the sisters at AIX meet at 8 a.m. in the Student Center lobby for rides.
2/13 Theta Xi and Alpha Omega rush mixer.
2/13 Lambda Theta Phi in co-sponsorship with L.A.S.O will be having a party here at Montclair State College. All those welcome.
2/16 Tau Kappa Epsilon and Sigma Delta Sigma Phi rush mixer at the Sigma House.
2/16 Theta Kappa Chi formal rush in the Student Center.
2/17 Tau Kappa Epsilon is sponsoring an indoor paint ball rush for $15, a head.

Fundraising

Delta Xi Delta will be having a bake sale in Mallory Hall from 9-3 a.m. on 2/15.
Delta Xi Delta is still selling coupon books for only $5. Great savings for all of the local businesses. See any sister.
ZBT- Valentine Condom Grams at the ZBT table.
Tau Kappa Epsilon will be having a pizza raffle. Win 10 free pizzas with delivery. Buy a ticket.
Lambda Theta Alpha will be having a bake sale on Feb. 17 from 4-7 p.m. in Blanton Hall.
Alpha Iota Chi will be sponsoring “Rent a Sister” at the AIX table.
AIX is holding a bagel sale every Tuesday in Partridge Hall.
Phi Sigma Sigma is selling corsages and boutonnieres for cotillion. Order now. See any sister at the Phi Sig table.
AXP is having a Valentine’s Day sale selling balloons, bears etc. Free delivery to places on campus.

Philanthropy

Phi Sigma Sigma planted a tree in Israel in memory of Michelle Stacy Friedman. This week marks the 2nd year anniversary of the death of Phi Sig’s sister Michelle. The sisters hung up white ribbons all over campus in her memory.

Zeta Phi Beta will sponsor African-American views on family values in honor of African-American Heritage Month on Monday Feb. 22.

Alpha Kappa Alpha, Gamma Zeta chapter is sponsoring a Valentine’s Day Book Drive this week. If you have any children’s books contact us.
Love and previously chewed pizza in the Ratt. Rapture!

Dig, dig, dig me here now. You've been back at school for all of nine days and its already terribly apparent that the entire semester is blown. You've missed every class since the second day, (including that class with the fascist who actually takes attendance) haven't been to the movies because you know you won't crack the binding, got your car totaled on that large patch of dirt in front of College Hall because you seriously didn't think the guy in the earthmover with all the tatoos and the GUNS, MONSTER TRUCKS and JESUS T-shirt would actually carry out his threat to "run over this piece of llama dung if ya' don't mooove it!" And as a result of all the illegal toxins you voluntarily filtered into your body over the break, the chances of staying awake in your 8:00 History of Peanut Agriculture class are as slim as you being able to wear clean socks just once to Yoga. But fear not follow urchins! For all intents and purposes, the semester has just begun and we're wedged in the hiccopotamal part of Feburary. The days between Groundhog Day and Valentine's Day are supposed to be filled with enough un-deer-sailing exciting excitement that it will propel us straight through this fantastically mundane part of the modern Roman/Egyptian calendar and into Hay Fever and final exams, but we're getting ahead of ourselves here. Stay tune in.

The ever delayed and now infamous opening of the newly refurbished Ratt happened on Monday which caused extensive jubilation and rapture across the tri-state area. There were scattered reports of a pagan celebration that happened in the Quad in honor of the big day, but it seems somebody's loincloth was arbitrarily removed by the gusty winds that bampetered both the bonfire and the scheduled sacrifice of a sausage and pepper sandwich at mid-day. So between some guy running around screaming about his ding dong freezing off and the distinct smell of kerosene that permeated the area, the event was generally overlooked.

The real excitement was inside, however. When the once dunk and inviting Ratt was mysteriously transformed into a Burger King during somebody's 4th Grade Birthday party. A lot of people were not certain whether or not I saw that book of presents for a grab bag, and many patrons turned around immediately when the ominous sight of the rainbow appeared on the horizon. Many were also shocked to find themselves presumably transformed into a Burger King while they should have brought presents to the scheduled sacrifice of a sausage sandwich at mid-day. Those who weathered the storm, however, were treated to an intoxicating display of firm handshakes, gleaming smiles and a lot of fast cutting over the seemingly sterile environment that had sprouted forth. But beneath the Mr. Clean atmosphere, you still had the suspicion that, at any moment, Blinkies the Clown and his magical musical accoutrement was about to appear from a collapsible wall to spread merriment and cotton candy to all in attendance.

One of the advantages of the Ratt reopening so close to Valentine's Day is that there is no longer any question as to where to bring that special someone for a romantic dinner for two. Even if you lack a significant other with whom you can share bodily fluids with, the lure of the Ratt will surely turn any hopelessly unromantic humanoid into a sexing powder 99¢ of saliva and lust.
This week for a pleasant change, I only have one gripe, but believe me, it is substantiated, and isn't just pure Rush Limbaugh-esque opinion. This has to do with the education of our youth and the implementation of the television set for educational purposes. No, it isn't the ballyhooed Channel One being zapped into public schools, but something that most of us grew up with if we ever watched Saturday Morning cartoons.

It's Schoolhouse Rock.

All right, now you're either stunned or laughing hysterically. Education majors are probably nodding in agreement, but for the benefit of the rest of the world, let me explain.

Schoolhouse Rock was a series of shorts that taught kids about math, history, English, science, you name it, there was a song that taught it. A few years ago, ABC decided to do away with it, probably because they needed to squeeze a few more advertising dollars out of the kiddie primetime slots, namely set for educational purposes. No, it isn't the ballyhooed Channel One being zapped into public schools, but something that most of us grew up with if we ever watched Saturday Morning cartoons.

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Ask for Alison or Andrea.
In the past five years, the cost of higher education in New Jersey has increased nearly 100 percent. In the 1993-94 school year students stand to suffer another five percent increase. Many people will argue that the cost we, as students, pay for our education is rather minimal compared to other states, but we must take into account the cost of living in New Jersey and economic status of many MSC students. We don’t ask to be given an Ivy League education on a working class budget, but we desire an affordable, quality education to ensure the future of our state and our country.

Education, like healthcare, should be considered a necessity in a modern, industrialized nation such as the United States. Nevertheless, the lack of educational funding that plagues this country at every level is a problem with a troubled past and a bleak future. The U.S. wants to maintain its status as an economic superpower; however, federal and state governments continually fail to invest in their greatest asset—the education of the nation’s young people. Creating an educated workforce is paramount in ensuring our place in a world economy.

A make do policy for higher education will not suffice. By May 31, 1993, the New Jersey legislature will vote on the state budget which includes the allocations for higher education. If MSC does not receive full budget requests, as well as an added $3.4 million to make up for lost revenue from cut-backs in previous years, MSC will be forced to make further cut-backs in all departments and services. We are already working on a skeleton framework throughout the college and any further loss of revenue will certainly beget a severe decline in the quality of our education at MSC.

It is the responsibility of all students, regardless of our economic standing, to rise up and demand that higher education be a priority in the state of New Jersey. As students at MSC, we must contact our assembly persons and senators in our districts and remind them that it is the lawmakers obligation to protect the interests of those they represent; remind them that during the election year, every vote counts. If we languish in apathy, we will be ensuring that our state college system will be reduced to an anemic entity.

It is paramount that as students, we recognize and exercise our power in influencing the state government that is supposed to serve us. Our numbers are large and our power is enormous, but if we don’t demand what we deserve, it is highly unlikely that our needs will be met.

I can’t afford tuition now. I don’t think we’re given enough in return for the money we pay now.—Christina Sarracco, junior, p.l.

Quote of the Week by
The United States government is well known for meddling in foreign affairs. Some of these interventions have been out of necessity and others out of economic and political gain. If there was a time for the U.S. to get involved it is now in the Baltic States. The horrific atrocities occurring make it hard to believe they’re happening in the present. In the recent past we have found it important to go to war in Grenada, Panama, Nicaragua, Libya, Iraq, and Somalia. How is the Baltic region different? Why is Europe not involved? How can we accept this process of ethnic cleansing?

As of the past 40 years, the home of America has been curved in different dialects, foods with intriguing odors, languages, its surrounding neighbors will become an audible melange that will ring with Latino tones. Hispanics will become dominant throughout the tri-state area. Just as New York City continues to host a wide range of languages, its surrounding states will also be an audible mesh that will ring with Latino tones. Western Europe has not come to grips with these changes. This is a rather simple question to answer. There has been a pro-American European intervention. My hope is that it comes about at the hands of the latter.

English will no longer be the norm in spoken language, it will be the exception. This is a similar difference, simple as that.

The national defense budget. The American is still saying and doing the same things as white America, mesh that will ring with Latino tones. Hispanics will become dominant throughout the tri-state area. Just as New York City continues to host a wide range of languages, its surrounding states will also be an audible mesh that will ring with Latino tones. English is not the original language of this continent. The future language. The U.S. has its own problems. The economy is the first priority in the minds of the masses. Also, we still have troops in Somalia and the situation in Iraq is not yet resolved. Why is Europe not helping? They, like the U.S., have their own problems. The European Economic Community is still debating over their proposed integration. Europe is in no imminent danger. They don’t want to use their resources.

The devestation in former Yugoslavia will eventually disappear. It could be by a total extinction of a race and culture or by American-European intervention. My hope is that it comes about at the hands of the latter.

The luxury of an on-campus residence is not worth the accompanying price nor problems. An off-campus residence offers privacy, peace and much cheaper rent. The only inconvenience is a short ride to school. Perhaps Mr. Rakowski and Ms. Jackson have to say it, "Good, school is keeping students out of residence life during these weak economic times."

As Hispanic population grows, language barrier must be broken

The term melting pot was devised and used in the early part of the Twentieth century. As millions of European immigrants were flooding the gates of Ellis Island the present status of American culture was drastically altered. With them, now American citizens, they brought their entire cultural makeup to this novice land. Tongues curled in different dialects, foods with intriguing odors, family ideals, work ethics and political beliefs flooded mainstream America. Diversity was put on as a strong selling point to the rough, raw edged American frame.

This country, a democratic experiment that is just over 200 years old, is undergoing even more reconstruction. As of the past 40 years, the home of America has been reshaped by Hispanic architects, commonly known as Latino citizens. Again, these people brought with them their own laws and its ways.

A perfect example of this relatively new influx of Hispanics is the state of New Jersey. A recent article in a local newspaper stated that in the past 10 years people of Cuban descent ranks second to none in the nation in Hudson County. On a national scale it is expected that by the turn of the century two out of five citizens on the East Coast will be of Hispanic origin.

Language is the most recognizable difference when it comes to variation among the masses. By the year 2,000 nearly one third of this area’s population will be Spanish speaking. English will no longer be the norm in spoken language, it will be the exception. This inevitable role reversal will jolt Caucasians and their communications with others. Unfortunately, there are certain individuals who are stubborn citizens of our old America who utter ignorant statements such as, "Why don’t they just speak English?" They’re in America. If they wouldn’t want their eyes, which are probably sealed by American television and its power to rape the viewers intellect, they would re-
**BASKETBALL OFFICIALS NEEDED**

League starts on Monday, February 15.
All interested call x5245.
No experience necessary (We will train).
General Membership Meetings
Every Monday at 4:00 p.m. in the SILC office (RM 121 SC Annex)
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Jew- Hi how I didn’t forget you. I love you, Me

Stinky (SDT) - I really miss talking. Sorry I’m not around a lot. We need to bond. I miss you. Love your big, “Ich”

Thanks amy for letting me write personals! Have a happy happy Valentine day, you harepot, you! Baby

Just 37 more days till CANADA. D-Phi-E get psyched because we will have a great time!!! WOW!

Keith- Happy Valentine’s day honey! I love you, miss you and need you always! Forever Yours, Traci

To baby Ken, I love you so much. Where would I be without you? Lonely in Alaska! You are my karmatic ebook lover. Christina

Make of D-Phi-E- Good luck as pledge mom with the kappa class. You’ll do a great job! AHH!

Hey, Busted, Like-O-Meen-Ground. Did you like see that Girl-one, Door-like totally shut me up. I didn’t even like see you there. Sure wroth! Signed Sucks to be you!

Much love to my Zeta Sigma mobile driving scone-sea!

To the ladies of the 14th floor- I Love You All!! 6th floor is taking over!

Jew- I’m so glad your my roommate. You are awesome! Love, Wendy

Bend You have to help me out with my accounting guy! Hey, we have an entire semester to work on it! -Jeddiee

The Jew- Happy V-Day to all my favorite Valentines! Love, Puddin

I didn’t get no sauce, fish in the park, Libby has patches, excuse me you look mighty fat in those pants. mussa in me buuus, could this be a bunus, curry, shuttle buus, barret, cushion woman, niska, shota etc... I’m really going to miss you guys!!!!!!!

To the Kappa’s of Phi Sigma Sigma- I am proud

Gettin’ of D-Phi-E- Good luck as pledge mom with the kappa class. You’ll do a great job! AHH!

Barbie and Ken Wel- come into the socially elite!

To the sisters of Phi

HotPick of the Week

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To the guys in apt 110D- Thanks for enlightening me on how a guy thinks- and the shower of water. Revenge is sweet- you’ll get yours when you

Sigma Sigma- Thank you for giving us this chance of a lifetime. Love- The kappa’s

To the guy I stare at upstairs in the Student Center, I love your smile, will you sit next to me on Tues- day again? I’d like to talk to you!

Congratulations to the 14 awesome associate members of D-Phi-E!!!

Mis- It’s almost V-day... what’s that for the rent-a dates? -Dee

Draw (The Sigma)- Little do you know, but the gossip spread about you is incredible!

Draws [The Sigma]-

To miss adventurous when did you become ambidextrous? I think that dress is still stuck on my face. I Love Ya- Miss Dramatic

To the Kappa’s of Phi Sigma Sigma- I am proud

Posh Bear- Happy

Deephug Dude 1993- Come out and support your nominee. Feb 17, 5p.m.- 11p.m. Ballrooms A,B, C - Includes MSC wear, talent, formal wear, interview and cheer off!

to Kathy Kins! Happy Birthday baby, you Loop Lounge Ziggy! Love and tickles, Bubbles

Sula, Pinturillo, and Flash- I hope you enjoyed the dinner. Love Angelina AHH3 and Vel AHH2

Lamington Love Bear, or is it Pong, or Duck, or Bee? Love ya.

HAPPY, Happy Birthday, Kathy! Love ya, Amy J!!!!!

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Cream Rises To The Top: The Jerry Citro Story

by Brian Falzarano

Anyone who has read the newspapers lately has read the story of Jerry Citro. After being featured in the Star Ledger, the Herald News, The Record and the Daily News, a person can become known quickly. However, this is not just a publicity stunt.

Jerry Citro was born into a poor family in Hoboken, New Jersey, two doors down from where Frank Sinatra once lived. It was on the backstages of Hoboken where

If my story has helped just one person, then it has served its purpose.

Citro boxed his game. After starring at Hoboken High School, he attended North Yarmouth Academy, a prep school in Maine. Prior to the year at North Yarmouth, Citro earned a full scholarship from the University of New Hampshire. “Playing college basketball was always my dream,” he said. Ironically, his dream turned to a nightmare.

After missing a bus from Boston back to the University of New Hampshire campus, Citro decided to hitch-hike. As he waited, a car came along and hit him, hurling him 50 yards and severely injuring his leg. The doctors almost amputated his leg, but instead took out half of his right calf. The surgery made his right leg one-and-a-half inches shorter than his left leg.

Realizing that playing college basketball again was not realistic at the time, Citro turned to alcohol. “At the time alcohol filled the void within me. It helped me to alleviate the emotional discomfort of the reality which I did not want to face,” he said.

Along with his addiction, his self-esteem had lowered immensely. “I had reached a point where I went to bed at night and prayed I was dead,” Citro said. “That was when I realized I needed help.”

After turning to his father and an anonymous friend for this help, he entered a rehabilitation center. That day he still attends. Alcoholics Anonymous meetings are a large part of his quest to keep sober.

Along with his new found sobriety, Citro opened his own real estate agency, grossing six figures annually. It was also during this time that he started volunteer coaching.

“Coaching kids for me was an intrinsic reward,” Citro said. Eventually he decided, along with his wife Cheryl and son Vincent, to come back to school.

Although he doesn’t get many minutes on the court, Citro is a key part of the MSC team.

Citro decided to not only attend Montclair State, but to open a day care center with his wife in their Montclair home. The center is named Tuesday’s Child because Vincent was born on a Tuesday.

As a Physical Education-Health major, Citro has a grade point average on the outskirts of a 4.0. Again, he was not satisfied. That’s when he decided to try out for the MSC wrestling team. Ludicrous you say? Well, Jerry Citro defied the odds, the skeptics, and his 39-year-old body.

While not a vital part of the team on the court, he is the team leader off the court.

According to assistant coach Jose Rebimbas, “Jerry is a great role model for the kids. An immeasurable asset he has is that he can pass on his knowledge of the game to the other players.”

That role suits Citro just fine. “Coach (Nick DeTusco) told me that I made the team to serve as a spiritual leader, which is good because I am a part of something bigger than me and that’s the team,” said Citro.

This does not mean that Citro does not dream of his past glory. “For one day, I wish I could reform the way I used to just to see if I could make it on this level,” he said.

As humble as he is, Citro does not mind the publicity. Accompanying the countless articles on him, he has appeared on Good Morning America and the CBS Evening News.

All of the attention he’s getting is fine, because he says, “If my story has helped just one person, then it has served its purpose.”

Along with this, Citro is fairly certain of what his future holds for him. “I would like to teach physical education and health. I’ll remind the kids to take care of their bodies and to stay active athletically.

“As far as coaching goes, I would like to coach on the high school level. I want to be able to give the kids some guidance.”

Outside of these ambitions, the main thing, according to him is, “I hope to stay sober and remain happy with my family. Life is simpler for me now.”

Most of us have come to realize the message that Jerry Citro, is delivering is not for publicity, but for self-cognizance. All that he wants is for people to realize what harm that abuse of something does to an individual.

“For students, I want them to realize that there is another escape besides alcohol and drugs,” said Citro. Most of us should applaud Jerry Citro. Not because he is a member of the Red Hawks basketball team, but because he is Jerry Citro, recovering alcoholic, trying to make a difference in the lives of others. For that, Jerry Citro deserves all of the publicity can get.

LATE NOTE: CBS Sports will air a feature on Citro at halftime of this Saturday’s Pittsburgh-Illinois mens’ basketball game. The game begins at 12 p.m.

In the bleachers...

Jerry Citro defied the odds, the skeptics, and his 39-year-old body.

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Sloan remains undefeated as MSC matmen excel in Super 6 Tourney

by Nicole Festa

The snowy weekend weather did not stop the MSC wrestling team from successfully performing at the Super 6 Tournament at Binghamton, N.Y. last weekend. The competition included three New York teams: Oswego, Cortland State and Binghamton. The Red Hawks surprised everyone by competing in dual meets against several New Jersey and New York teams, including the Red Hawks’ NJAC rival, Trenton State.

Wrestling

MSC was victorious in two of its three matches that featured 177-pound Jim Sloan, who kept his unbeaten streak alive.

In the opener against Oswego, the Red Hawks lost by the score of 26-18. The lower weights suffered greatly due to two forfeits that were actually caused by illness. “I chose not to wrestle those wrestlers because they were side,” said head coach Steve Strellner.

The Red Hawks best performance of the weekend came against Cortland.

The Red Hawks edged their non-conference opponent, 23-21. The win pleased Strellner. “They (Cortland) were ranked fourth in the country, so this victory made me very happy,” he said.

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All of the wrestlers performed at high levels.

Although the Red Hawks seemed to have an easier time against Binghamton, winning 33-16.

The Red Hawks’ non-conference opponent, Oswego, won by a technical fall. This win pleased Strellner against Kean in Union at 7 p.m. tonight’s last regular season match.

What can be expected in this heated rivalry between NJAC foes?

“It’s going to be a tough match, because of our illnesses and injuries,” responded Strellner. “Hopefully, the middle and heavy-weights can compensate for this hole." In the line-up," he added.

The Metropolitan Championship will be the last wrestling meet for the 1992-1993 Red Hawks season. Strellner expects the whole team to be healthy and that they will all participate in the event.
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The Riddick Bowl-Michael Dokes fight on Saturday night was as lopsided as expected. In fact it wasn't even worth watching. Dokes' face was like a magnet to both of Bowe's hands. However, the post fight interview that had Larry Merchant talking with Dokes was one of the funniest things I've ever seen. Dokes should really consider learning sign language—it's a real shame when the Pro Bowl is a much better game than the Super Bowl. That's been the case the past two seasons. Could you imagine the Major League All-Star game being better than the World Series or the NBA All-Star game being better than the NBA Finals?...Bazin's ruling on Marge Schott is a complete joke. Witnesses provided so much evidence against her, yet she still only got a slap on the wrist. The fine of $25,000 will not have any affect on her financial status. Of course, a fine for a substantial amount of money would not be in the interest of all of the owners who voted on her punishment. Did someone say, "The game needs a commissioner?" And the one year suspension is just as ridiculous. If she's a racist today, what will it take to make anyone think she's going to change her principles by next year? I guess the owners are just sticking to the george Stineman Rule...While everyone on the NBA Eastern Conference All-Star team deserves to play in the game, it's really tough not to New Jersey's Drazen Petrovic, Philadelphia's Jeff Hornacek and Boston's Reggie Lewis on the squad. Petrovic was especially deserving, since he's learned to play some American-style defense to go with his impression offensive game...Have a nice week.

MSC Sports Schedule

Thursday, Feb. 11: Wrestling (away) vs. Kean, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Feb. 13: Women's basketball (away) vs. Jersey City State, 3:30 p.m.
Men's basketball (away) vs. Jersey City State, 7:30 p.m.
Monday, Feb. 15: Men's basketball (away) vs. Stockton State, 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Feb. 17: Women's basketball (home) vs. Rutgers Newark, 5:30 p.m.
Men's basketball (home) vs. Rutgers Newark, 7:30 p.m.

"Triple Threat": From Alden Invitational to Reebok commercials?

by Mark Alan Belnap

Does anyone remember the myriad of commercials that Reebok subjected the American public to during last year's Summer Olympics? A few prompted me to ask myself why Reebok spent $25 million on such a poor advertising campaign. Perhaps it was because of the poor production quality of the commercials, but I'm sure that wasn't the whole reason. I think that the main reason Reebok decided to go with such a poor advertising campaign was because they had the belief that their shoes were so good that they didn't need to spend a lot of money on commercials to sell them. Well, the truth is that Reebok was wrong. Their shoes may be very good, but they still need to spend a lot of money on commercials to sell them.

Does anyone remember the recent advertisement that was aired during the Super Bowl? It featured five athletes who were all wearing Reebok shoes. The advertisement lasted for a minute and a half and it was a great success. The athletes were shown running, jumping, and performing all sorts of athletic feats. The advertisement ended with the slogan "Reebok. Just do it." The slogan has become synonymous with Reebok and it has helped the company to sell many shoes in the past.

Rui, who is performing on a different level than his competitors, was named the Outstanding Male Athlete at the Alden Invitational this past weekend and received the Alden Cup for his achievement. How dominating was Ruiz's performance this past weekend? Take a glance at these numbers if you will. He won the 55-meter dash with a mark of 6.43, missed setting a new long-jump record at the Invitational by just two inches with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 200-meter race with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 400-meter race with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 800-meter race with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 1600-meter relay with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 4400-meter relay with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 8800-meter relay with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 16000-meter relay with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 44000-meter relay with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain. Ruiz won the 88000-meter relay with a jump of 23.75 feet, while passing on two jumps because of the rain.

The memories Arthur Ashe left us upon us are immeasurable.

Ernest Williams and Jaciante Aloyeon sought to steal some of their teammates thunder by running close to perfectly second in their events. Look for good performances in future meets from these athletes. Individually each is superb, but as a team they have the chance to attain greatness.

Blanton is overwhelmed with the growth the men's team has exhibited thus far in the season and hopes that some of it may rub off onto his talent-laden women's team, led by All-American Sharon L indo and Shanty Brane. Thus far the women's team hasn't reached the lofty goals it set for itself at the start of the season. Brane and Lindo both ran strong races this past weekend, but their talent suggests much stronger performances in the weeks to come.

Lindo placed third in the 200-meter and fourth in the 400-meter, while Brane finished fourth in the 55-meter dash with a time of 7.46 and fifth in the 200-meters.

Blanton feels that the two may be feeling undue pressure from the fact that several members of last year's team are missing and the two feel that they must carry the team on their shoulders. Who knows? They could have one wish, Blanton responded quickly, "I want the old Shanty and the old Sharon back for the rest of the season."
Red Hawks rip
Centenary, 79-57

by Michael Frasco

MSC men’s basketball coach Nick Del Tufo certainly knows the value of a win and the effect each one can have on his young and inexperienced team.

After the Red Hawks 79-57

victory against first-time opponent

Centenary College (New Jersey)

Monday night at Panzer Gym, Del Tufo relayed that message upon hearing the final score.

“Tufo said. “After the game, he added, “The key thing in a game like this is to come up with a win and treat it as a learning experience.”

Del Tufo was also referring to the fact that Centenary was a non-conference opponent and a weaker team on paper, therefore his team could learn a lesson when it plays a similar team in the future.

Indeed, “learning” is what the Red Hawks (8-11, 5-8 NJAC) season has been about. Wins like the one against Centenary now make the experience much easier.

The Red Hawks were led by the outside shooting of sophomore guard Dean Spinogatti, who netted a game high 28 points for MSC in the final minutes to ice an important victory.

Hines, who leads the NJAC in rebounding, offered this assessment of the game.

“Green, a senior guard, was upset about a foul that was called against him and proceeded to whip the ball down to the other end of the court and almost out of Panzer Gym.”

His actions caused him to be slapped with a technical foul.

Spinogatti stepped up and produced when MSC needed another go-to-player because its leading scorer, Lee Mullins seemed lethargic and not a factor in the game’s outcome.

“We needed a win tonight and we came out prepared to play,” Spinogatti said. “Tonight I wanted to come out and shoot some jumpers and see what happened,” he added.

The 6’1” Spinogatti hasn’t been getting major minutes as of late, but was ready to contribute and knew the time would come.

His time came in the first half of the Centenary game.

The Freehold native nailed his first three attempts from three-point range to help the Red Hawks get out to a 23-12 lead. MSC then used some balanced scoring throughout the rest of the half, going on a 16-9 run, to create a 36-21 margin at the intermission.

MSC’s eight wins is the most by the program since the 1985-86 team that finished 13-12.