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Bad Breath

SURGEON GENERAL'S WARNING: Breathing in The Student Center May Result in Bronchitis, Headaches, Sore Throat, And Skin Irritation

Is “Sick Building Syndrome” to blame for illness in the Student Center?
(Colligan, p.5)

Letter writer loses his “Appetite” • Review of Sun-60 • Prophet foretells new logo • Much, much more!
From the editor’s desk...

Calle-in-Chief

I have just returned from flight 655 from hell. Well, Dallas actually, but close enough. The flight home was just the coup de grace culminating a horrendous trip. Dallas is like Newark without the flavor.

The most interesting part of the trip was to be a visit to the West End Mall. It was here that I became aware of the peculiarities that exist in Texas. Let me explain.

As I searched for the perfect $1.99 souvenir to bring home for a certain SGA secretary I had promised a postcard to, I came across a little item called a "bullie". A "bullie", as far as I can tell, is used to store things in. This is not peculiar in and of itself. It is what this novel item is made of that completely threw me off.

For those of you who have not traveled to Texas and seen it for yourselves, I'll let you in on it...politely. A "bullie" is a bull's scrotum sac. (What has my column come to?)

But wait...it get's worse!

Upon expressing my dismay at the fact that the sales clerk was handling these "bullies" as he would, say, a can of string beans, he proceeded to show me a walking cane. You guessed it- it was a bull's penis.

"We Texans don't believe in wasting," he said.

I guess I'll waste no more words on the subject.

On a serious note. Dean Martin's transfer to Professional Studies came as a serious blow to the future of the students of MSC. 'Through his years of service to the students, Dr. Ed Martin has proven his dedication and loyalty to all of us. The stories are endless about how he helped this student or that student on matters that ranged from the simple to the truly impossible.

Is this how the administration "restructures"?

At the expense of the students' needs?

I don't doubt that Dr. Snipes who has been appointed acting Dean of Students will do his best to serve the students in the same capacity that Dr. Martin did. This transition will neither be easy nor quick. In the meantime it is the students that will need to "adjust".

To Dr. Edward Martin I extend a heartfelt wish of happiness in all his future endeavors that I'm sure all MSC students share with me. The daily gridlock we as students face was alleviated by your friendly presence.

I extend my sincere best wishes to Dr. Snipes in his new position and look forward to meeting with him at his earliest convenience to discuss how we _at the Montclarion can build a long lasting relationship with him.

So, there you have it. We started with bull and we ended with bull.

Happy Trails,

George Calle
Editor-in-Chief

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Can breathing in the Student Center make you sick?

An unexplained pattern of physical ailments, ranging from migraine headaches to bronchitis, affecting office workers within the Student Center has prompted the college to hire an outside environmental firm to determine if contaminated air is to blame.

**INVESTIGATIVE NEWS UNIT**

STORY BY KEVIN COLLIGAN

"The directors of Career Services and Cooperative Education contacted me when I became the acting director," said Ford, who was named Student Center director this past March, "and I met with them to hear their concerns." Ford said the respective directors informed her that several employees suffered constant headaches, runny noses, bronchitis more often than ordinary and expressed concern that it might be due to the air quality.

Workers have suffered "strange allergic reactions, weird feelings and soreness in the throat, headaches and skin rashes," said Lauren Plentz, the Assistant Coordinator of Cooperative Education.

Beverly Ververs, the coordinator of Career Services said "I've had bronchitis five times over the last eight years. I've never had bronchitis before working here." Lynn Davies, a counselor in Career Services, also complained of bronchitis, which she had not suffered before working in the office. Workers also mentioned a secretary in the office had died of lung cancer.

"We're drawing the logical conclusion that something must be wrong with the air," said Plentz.

**Sick Building Syndrome**

Throat irritation, headaches and skin rashes are symptoms that have been consistent with "Sick Building Syndrome," according to Dr. David Robertson a professor in the Department of Environmental, Urban and Geographic Studies. The term Sick Building Syndrome, according to Robertson, was coined in the 1970s to describe buildings that became unhealthy after the energy crisis prompted sealed windows and recirculated air.

Ververs' and Davies' repeated bouts of bronchitis may also have been caused by Sick Building Syndrome, according to Robertson. "Bronchitis is an inflammation of the bronchial tubes," he said, "and recirculated air could irritate the bronchial tubes.

Robertson doubted, however, that any contamination of the Student Center's air could be responsible for lung cancer; "Cancer is a twenty year disease."

Contamination Control Engineering Inc. is handling the testing for the college. The environmental firm conducted a "general indoor air quality survey" Monday, according to Tony Damato, one of the two testers. "The testers did a series of tests, crawled into the ventilation unit, tested outdoor air quality and tested our filters," said Ford. The Student Center has a high velocity air system, said Ford, which filters which have been changed every three months. Newer buildings have more advanced systems with automated systems that account for spores, bacteria and other harmful material that may become trapped in air filters. "We don't have that," said Ford, "but we do what we can to assure that the air flowing through the Student Center and the annex is air that is good for people to breathe."

Ford said the college should have the results of the tests in about two weeks. "If there is a problem we'll deal with it," said Ford, "People have anxieties about the air quality and we want to relieve people."

**Better late than never**

Employees in the Career Services and Cooperative Education offices expressed relief that testing was underway. "We are very happy the testing is being done," said Ververs. Many, however, were frustrated with the length of time it took to have some action taken.

"We have been trying to get something done about the air quality in here for at least five years," said Maralyn Kinch, Assistant Director of Career Services. Kinch said repeated complaints and requests for action were made to the Vice President of Institutional Advancement, Jesse Rosenblum. "I just hope they give us the results," said Ververs.

The Montclarion was unable to contact Rosenblum before press time.

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English Major loses requirements, gains counseling

by Brian Falzarano

After three years of development and a year and a half of student consultation, there could be a new curriculum for English majors as early as the fall of 1994, the chairman of the English department said, stating that it will not affect present English majors.

"We'd like to get the whole proposal, including the curriculum core, through the Curriculum Board by Sept. 1994," said James Nash, chairman of the English department. "I think it will attract some students who otherwise would not be interested."

This new program will increase advising and consultation on the part of the faculty in helping students select courses for their major.

From talking to students, many would consider it.

"I don't like English, but I might consider it, because the major I want has too many requirements, and they're all closed," said sophomore Marcella Valente.

However, it would not convince everyone to become an English major. Sophomore Michael Robert, when told of the program and asked if he would be interested, said, "Not really. I think it's a good program, but I plan to major in Economics."

Under the new proposal, Nash said that English majors will only have to take one required course, The Pursuits of English, a 200 level, three credit course that will be differently from the way most courses at MSC are taught.

This class will meet for two 90 minute sessions per week and will mainly deal with lectures, and the synthesis and critiquing of writing, as well as encourage student opinion of how well the course is taught. A group of professors will alternate class teaching.

This does not make being an English major that much easier. They'll have to take at least four literature courses on topics such as genre studies, but does not have any specific requirements. "They'll get in-depth experience (within the major)," Nash said.

Besides this, there will be more new classes, but 90 percent of the schedule

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Six Tau Phi Beta members arrested for disorderly conduct

by Kathy Martucci

Ten people were arrested early Sunday morning after a scuffle broke out at a house in Montclair owned by MSC students, said Chief of Police, Thomas Russo.

Six of the ten people arrested were members of the Tau Phi Beta fraternity. Dean Harris is waiting for more information from the Montclair Police before possible administrative action is considered.

After receiving numerous phone calls from citizens in the area complaining of a large disturbance, Montclair Police arrived on the scene to find a large group of men in the driveway and on the sidewalk, "combating each other physically," said Russo. Four people were arrested for disorderly conduct and one of the four were taken to Mountainside Hospital in Montclair for wounds to the head and hands.

When the police went inside the house they observed eight kegs of beer and two garbage cans full of empty jello shots. The Tour Commander broke up the party and ordered everyone to leave.

According to Shannon Trautwein, 22, a member of the fraternity and a resident of the house, four people were asked to leave and were then escorted outside with, "no physical activity." They then allegedly threw bricks through the windows of the house.

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Whitman, Giuliani big winners in regional races

by George Calle

Republican Christie Todd Whitman emerged victorious in the NJ state Gubernatorial race and Republican Rudolph Giuliani edged David Dinkins in the New York City mayoral election yesterday.

Whitman squeaked by Governor Jim Florio by a narrow margin of under 35,000 votes.

Giuliani received 903,114 votes as opposed to Dinkins 858,868. Giuliani became the first challenger to unseat an incumbent New York City mayor since Fiorello La Guardia had done so in 1933. Whitman similarly became the first continued on page 5

Saplings saved as SGA legislator alerts Conservation Club of improper planting

by Bonnie Dexter Greenspan

The SGA and the Conservation Club joined forces last week to effectively resolve an on-campus environmental concern.

Last Monday, SGA member Mike Crudele noticed that the recently placed saplings in front of the new Humanities Building had been planted with their roots wrapped in burlap and thick rope. Crudele, a senior and first semester SGA member, who also works at Ploch's Garden Center in Clifton, was worried that the burlap and rope would not decompose quickly enough, and would impede the growth of the trees.

Crudele immediately took his concerns to Michelle Lardieri, president of the Conservation Club, and Rick Leto, SGA Director of Internal Affairs.

Lardieri then contacted Johnathan Forsell, who is the Agricultural/Resource agent at Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Essex County, and asked his advise. Forsell faxed a letter to Lardieri at the Conservation Club office, agreeing with their conclusion.

The fax read, in part: "We recommend removal of all rope regardless of its biodegradability and removal of burlap. Even if the burlap is natural fiber, it takes time to degrade and provides resistance to root development."

With fax in hand, Crudele called Jerry Quinn, Director of Facilities Planning at MSC who, when informed of the potential problem, immediately inactivated steps to correct the situation.

"I relayed (the problem) to the firm that had done the job and they arranged to fix it," said Quinn.

"We appreciate the help that they (Crudele and Lardieri) gave us in finding this problem," he added.

Quinn's assistant, Ed Oberhoffer, notified Lardieri that the situation would be corrected by Monday, November 1.

"It was great working with him (Quinn)," said Leto.

"He made sure that everything went the way it was supposed to," Crudele and Lardieri's inspection of the trees on Monday established that everything had been resolved to their satisfaction.

"I am really glad that we got to work with Mike Crudele," said Lardieri.

"He said 'we need to do this' and it got done."

Crudele emphasized the usefulness of organizations like the SGA and the Conservation Club.

"People should be aware that (these groups) exist, and not to be afraid to come down and bring things to their attention," Crudele stated.

"Through the SGA and organizations like the Conservation Club, things can get done."

Dr. Carl Snipes named acting Dean of Students

• Dean Martin transferred to Professional Studies

• Gail Martin replaces Snipes in Academic Advising

by Glenn Steinberg

Dr. Edward Martin, Dean of Student Affairs, was relieved of his position on Friday and now is in the department of Professional Studies.

Dr. Domenica Desiderioscicioli, Vice President of Student Affairs, said, "Dr. Martin has been transferred to the School of Professional Studies." She also said that Dr. Carl Snipes, the Dean of Academic Advising, will become the acting Dean of Student Affairs.

Irvin Reid, president of MSC was not available to comment on the situation and Desiderioscicioli would not give any specifics on the matter.

"As with other individual personnel matters it is the administrative policy not to discuss details," Desiderioscicioli said.

Snipes, who also was unavailable to comment on the situation, has been unofficially replaced by Gail Feinbloom of Academic Advising.

According to Feinbloom, she was asked to become the acting Director of Academic Advising, and she agreed to do so, though she is not sure when she will actually start her new position.

Feinbloom said that she assumes she will take over as soon as Snipes leaves for his new position as Dean of Student Affairs, though she does not know when this will happen.

Feinbloom also said that nothing is official as of yet, because nothing has been signed.

While Snipes has been on vacation for the past 10 days, Feinbloom said she has been acting as "director in training," and that Snipes will return on Monday.

When asked to comment on the situation, Mr. James Harris, Dean of Student Activities, expressed some displeasure with the decision that he was not considered for the position of Dean of Student Affairs, though he added that it will not affect his job performance.

"I am totally committed to fulfilling my job according to my job description and making sure that student development and campus life is the best we can have," Harris said.

Harris did say that he will continue to serve in his position as an associate dean, though a deanship would be very attractive.

"My own assessment is that I've shown dedication, loyalty and skill in my stay at MSC," Harris said.
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Flood in Freeman basement source of mysterious stench

by Sean Daily

A smell that has been recognized by the residents of Freeman Hall is a result of on-going problems with the kitchen water supply.

The smell is caused by stagnant rainwater in the basement of Freeman Hall and the outside stairs leading down to it normally handled by two drains clogged since summer. The puddles that have resulted have become filled with dead leaves and dead fruit flies. John Kimmeler, Chef Manager of Freeman Hall, has stated that the smell hadn’t affected food delivery or the food.

Complaints about the smell, which has been described by patrons of the cafeteria as smelling like “toilet water” and “manure,” were voiced in open forum about four weeks ago, and the SGA launched an investigation. Rumors began to circulate about six feet of water in the basement, raw sewage being dumped into the basement and rats.

Added to this was a plumbing line that, on October 27 began leaking and broke while Facilities people were waiting for a plumber.

Doug Cooper, Assistant Director of Residence Hall Facilities, said that it was a line connected to the dishwashing machine, though a reliable source states that the kitchen toilets also ran into this line. The line was not connected to any other part of the dormitory, and the water was immediately shut off.

As a result, lunch was served on disposable paper plates and plastic utensils, and the water level was not added to.

Another mishap occurred on October 28, when an exterminator sent to kill the fruit flies in the basement began exterminating during lunch. The flies escaped into the kitchen and began to die on the serving line and in the food. With this, John got permission to close down, and lunch was cancelled for that day while the staff threw out the food and cleaned up.

According to Cooper, none of the rumors were true.

“There’s no way there can be six feet of water down there,” he said, saying that the layout of the basement would prevent it. He also said that the Facilities people found no indication of rats in the basement.

He said that Facilities had placed a pump in the basement to take out the rainwater, and that a plumber and exterminator were beginning work while the interview was being conducted. The repairs, including fixing the pipes, exterminating, powerwashing and repainting would come to $8,000.

He also said that the smell wasn’t coming so much from the basement water as from wet dust in the basement and clogged drains in the kitchen, to which Kimmeler replied, “Absolutely not. That amazes me.”

Cooper also asked for cooperation.

“What you had is a lot of different areas contributing (to the water in Freeman Hall basement), and the only thing I can say is if the students at Freeman Hall and the SGA can be cooperative for a couple of days, we’ll get the situation taken care of. We’ll be back on regular chain, and we’ll get it all done,” Cooper said.

James Cotter, president of SGA, had another point of view.

“You have residents in there who paid a tremendous amount of money to live in Residence Life and paid for a meal plan, and if they live in substandard conditions they should have the ability to either petition Residence Life to get their money back for substandard conditions or do something along those lines. It’s a travesty,” Cotter said. He also said that the conditions in the basement constituted a health hazard.

Repairs to the drains are scheduled to begin this week. Extermination was finished over the Halloween weekend, with no further incidents in the cafeteria.
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Pie is truth. I haven't written in weeks.

This article is for Paola, who at the Loop last Thursday, told me to stop being President for a while and start being Appetite again. I used to be cool, she hinted, and wrote this bizarre column every week for two years. Why I stopped I'll never know. Perhaps all the rumors are true...

So we went to get pie. We could have very well just gone to the A&P and waltzed with the zombies that stock the shelves at three A.M. They would have led us down the isles of confectionary delights, blue radioactive cupcakes and oozing sugar buns lining the walls, to the mecca of circular crusts and fantastic fruity fillings. For $2.89 we could've fed the tribe with the pic of our choosing; apple, cherry, grasshopper or mince meat...

...but this was not the experience we were after.

We glammed instead, this band ofurchins, into the Jeep, and flew down the yellow lined asphalt in search of pic that we were after. Route 3 glimmered yellow lined asphalt in search of pic that we were after.

"We have come for pie!" I announced.

"How many?" he asked cautiously

"Six. Before you are six truth seekers of the coconut custard variety. We are simple, yet tasty, without too much egg yolks, baked to a golden brown..."

"Come again?"

"Stay with me here. Table for six in search of pie."

"Smoking or non?"

"Fume consuming of course. Tabacco is truth. You know exactly what's happening when you draw that last drag off your tar soaked stick. There is no question. Slowly but surely, black goo collects on your beautiful pink lungs, and during those uncontrollable coughing fits of the pre-dawn, you can actually see pieces of your..."

"Um, how's that table way in the back..." he interrupted.

"Fine, fine. We shouldn't be disturbed. We've come for pie you know."

"Right this way." Single file we were led through Oz, past slurping soups disturbed. We've come for pie you know."

"Sure, fine. What kind of pie do you desire?" she asked more firmly.

"Do you realize the untruths that are circulated these days? Rumor has it that the SGA President is the anti-christ. He's planning on freezing every organization's budget, buying a blue Pinto, and heading west with some sorority girl to grow olives on a commune outside of Santa Cruz."

"Look. Do you want the damn pie or not?"

"That's wonderful," she said flatly

"What kind of pie is it you want?"

"The kind is unimportant, so long as it rings true. The apple should taste like apple and the cherry like cherry, do you dig?"

"Do you realize the untruths that are circulated these days? Rumor has it that this very establishment has perhaps the most profound pie in all of land known as New Jersey. We have come on a quest for truth. Truth, it seems, is hard to come by these days."

"Smoking or non?" she started.

"Rumor has it that this very establishment has perhaps the most profound pie in all of land known as New Jersey. We have come on a quest for truth. Truth, it seems, is hard to come by these days."

"Wait! I screamed You haven't heard the half of it! Apparently, the SGA President has threatened the life of a fellow student! A voter even! He's put a hit out on some field house worker's life! CAN YOU IMAGINE? It gets worse! Weighing in at 150 lbs., soaking wet, holding an ax, with his leather jacket on, this evil dictator of the stratosphere actually used curse words! THE HORROR! RUN FOR YOUR LIVES! HIDE THE CHILDREN! APPETITE'S ON A RAMPAID!!! Where's our pie? It's the only thing we can count on as truth! Banana will always taste like a banana! Chocolate is dogma! The tribe began swaying in rythmic motion, tearing at their clothes and devouring the silverware."

"BLOOR OOGY BLOOK! The fires in L.A. are Appetite's fault. The SGA stands for Silly Giraffes on Acid! They're hording all the napalm in that office!! PIE, PIE PIE!!!"

"When the cops came, they found our group rolling on the floor, in some of the fetol position, others mumbling incoherently about pie, frothing at the mouth and urinating on the pastel colored carpet. They dragged us through the puddles, our teeth catching lint and crumbs as we were pulled past the various tables holding cheeseburger deluxes and eggs over easy. I tried grabbing the rotating bakery display that housed innumerable confectionary delights, but as with all truths, it slipped from my fingers as I was pulled relentlessly by the forces that be...

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of this semester will be part of next fall's curriculum, as it takes time to get new courses approved, Nash said. Also, Nash said that some special topics courses, such as the spring's Literature of Baseball, may become regular courses.

Under this format, students can concentrate in film, writing or another aspect of the English program, as well as sample other programs. Larry Schwartz, a professor in the English department, and the former chair of the subcommittee of this project, thinks that this will be beneficial to those who take advantage of this opportunity.

"It allows students to pick and choose an English major of their own devising," he said.

Another professor in the department, Paul Arthur, added, "Students will have a lot more opportunity."

However, getting into graduate school after entering this program may be a problem, since this curriculum may not coincide with what some graduate schools are looking for.

"It could (hurt students going on to graduate school)," Arthur said. "But what we're (the faculty) hoping is that students will alert advisors about graduate plans."

Nash said the department will help the student towards his goal if that goal is graduate school, by giving them a more traditional course load, similar to what majors in the department are getting now. Also, he says that they will "try to blanket the student with advisement."

The professors are looking forward to when this change comes into effect. It will be welcomed, as the old system became trite to them. But this plan is not the first of its kind; Rutgers has a similar program.

"MSC is hardly at the cutting edge," said Arthur. "We were looking to provide flexibility. Although it seems to be a radical model and we are expecting controversy, this is the new English program is hardly unique."

Nash added to that, saying, "The department is reflecting what is going on nationally. Our faculty is changing; people are bringing in new talents and enthusiasm."
How does MSC deal with racial and ethnic relations

by Tanya Dakivar

Do you think your school is segregated?

100% of MSC students asked said that they thought this school was, in fact, segregated. 75% of students from other colleges also felt the same. Not by water fountains, mind you, but by the students' own choice.

African-Americans click together, Latinos click together, Chinese and Oriental students, Indian students and so on ad infinitum.

In fact, it is not limited to race or ethnicity. Some students felt that fraternities and sororities even encourage sitting only with Greek members in the cafeteria.

"As soon as you walk in the cafeteria, you know where you should and shouldn't sit. They make you feel uncomfortable, as if you weren't a member, you just weren't good enough to sit there."

This kind of comment can be taken two ways: one, as an insult and therefore not worthy of serious thought or, two, a valid comment that can help us all understand how others perceive us.

Since over 75% of you said that you had friends of all different cultures and races, why is it not evident on this campus?

Is this subconscious?

Quite a few of you felt this was the case. It's just something that happens. "People tend to be more comfortable around people of their own race."

Why is that?

Is it something you've experienced or something you were brought up to believe?

Do you see racial tension on campus?

Although almost everyone interviewed has experienced racial tension either directly or indirectly at some point in their lives, not one person thought it was a problem on campus. Everyone agrees that by the time a person gets to college, he is mature enough to make his own decisions about different races.

"So, will someone please explain to me why every week I'm reading something new about some racist or sexist charge in the Montclarion?" The students interviewed said that they, personally, do not see racism as a problem on campus. I was curious to see how many other schools employed a multicultural requirement like Montclair does. One student was sure that her school did, 4 students were sure that their schools did not, and the rest said that they had no clue. I also asked how many minority teachers each student had had in their college career. One student had said about 35 - 40% of her professors were of different ethnic groups while the rest had either never had a minority teacher, or at most 2 (maybe three) in college.

According to a report dated Sept. 21, 1993, 6 new African Americans and 3 Spanish staff members were hired. At MSC (Interestingly enough, 6 were assistant professors, 2 were instructors and one was a recreational specialist.) 63.8% of all Graduate and Undergraduate students at MSC are Female, while 36.2% are Male (as of 9/15/93). Of all Graduate students, 44 are of an ethnic group besides White/ non Hispanic, 6,456 are and 592 are unreported.

It really was great to see all the diverse cultures here at Montclair. They ranged from American Indian/Alaskan to Latin American to Black/non Hispanic to Asian/ Pacific Islander and so on. This leads to my next question.
How do you feel about affirmative action?

91% of you said that you did not particularly agree with the idea of Affirmative Action. Most of you said that you believed a person should be given a job or admitted to a school because of his or her qualifications, not because a quota needed to be filled. I must say there were quite a few people who had mixed feelings about this. On the other hand, the ones that were for it were adamantly for it maintaining that minorities have been pushed aside too long and they deserve a chance to prove themselves.

Racism, Whose Responsibility Fault is it anyway?

When asked, 100% of all students replied that the responsibility of teaching children about racism lies in the home. Approximately 10% said that school should play some part in teaching about racism, since some parents tend to be prejudiced themselves. The majority however, think that mathematics should be taught at school and morals at home. Everyone agrees that the most influential people in a child's development (whether the influence is good or bad) are the parents. Their ideas and beliefs, if not taught, are heard and sometimes followed by the children.

Why are people racist?

Although everyone agrees about the family's responsibility, the majority doesn't think that family beliefs are the main cause of racism though they do play a part. Most people say it's a mix between fear and ignorance. People fear what they don't know. People are afraid to lose their power. Once one is established as the best, the top, they don't want to be any less. In their struggle to stay on top, they do what they can to insure that no one will be a threat. Once they realize that there is someone who can "equal" them, whether this person is of the same ethnic group or not, they get scared. And a person who is scared is not a pleasant person to deal with.

"PEOPLE HATE THOSE WHO MAKE THEM FEEL THEIR OWN INFERIORITY." (Lord Chesterfield 1994 - 1773)

Some say it goes back to slavery. Okay, maybe that explains why some African - Americans "dislike" White Americans but then why is there racism and prejudice among White Americans? Whether to African Americans, Chinese Americans, Spanish Americans, Arab Americans, Jewish Americans, Indian Americans, Italian Americans, Americans usually have something to say about everyone else.

According to Samuel Johnson, "Every man has a right to utter what he thinks truth, and every other man has a right to knock him down for it." Unfortunately, that doesn't accomplish much.

Violence is not the answer. Plain and Simple, We've already tried that. It only shows our lack of maturity and brains we have to resort to physical revenge.

A lot of students when asked about Malcolm X, replied that they believed all the Malcolm X hype was just that. HYPE. Most said that there was a degree of people out there who really believe in it, but the majority just follow. A couple stated concerns that if people really claimed to believe it, why hadn't they said something BEFORE the movie came out? One MSC student just replied, "I just wanna know why white people wear Malcolm X ??" Most people adhere to the teachings of Martin Luther King, Jr. and think that Malcolm X should not be as strong an influence as King.

What is available to MSC students who are interested in programs for minorities?

I went around campus to check out what was available for interested students and I was totally shocked at the number of clubs and programs available to minority and non minority, students alike. Since most students don't know what's available, there's a list on this page. Check into it! I just want to tell you about one program in particular. I walked into an office on the 4th floor of the Student Center last week not knowing what to expect. What I found was one of the nicest, most dedicated, most interesting guys I had ever met. Mark Myers is a Graduate Student here at MSC and coordinator under Dean Harris of the Multi-Cultural Student Mentor Program. This Mentor program was founded in 1988 by Dean Harris and Dr. Jackson (Intra Collegiate Academic Programs - College Hall). Its goal is to help Freshman of all different cultures (it's initial goal was to help Latino and African American students but now all are invited to participate) make their transition into college. After that, it's to help keep their sanity while they're in college and to encourage them to stay in college and graduate. This program, before 1988 was like a Big Brother program and continues to be like that. (Only now, women are encouraged to participate as well.) What happens is this a faculty or upperclassmen member (Mentor) is paired up with a student (Mentee) and is their own personal advisor. (I guess they realized that we all don't get along with our Academic Advisors?) These mentors are more than academic advisors, they are dependable people who do not judge you according to what color you are, what nationality you are, what religion you practice, or your financial status. Your advisor ultimately becomes one of your closest friends. This year, there are 115 Mentors and 120 students. It is basically a one on one (or one on two) relationship. It's close and comfortable, friendly and informal. Usually the Mentor Program sets up 3 or 4 programs, speakers or workshops a semester. It also offers students Psych services, Tutorial Center services, Academic Alert and so on. If you have any questions or are interested in signing up, contact Mr. Mark Tyrone Myers (Student Activities Office - 4th floor - Student Center - extension 7609) and I guarantee he'll be more than happy to help!
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Campus community, complaining that there is nothing to do on this campus? Is it not you who are one of those people who are always constructive, yet entertaining for this campus. Is it not given to you had you together for you and this field house. We, a positive organization, were trying to do something and how do you repay us? By stealing posters we, Lords of the Underground. advertise for our program featuring Uptown Comedy Club and Lords of the Undergraduate.

While I was at work, Cotter and a friend busted into the Field House and interrupted a meeting that was already in progress. I then asked them to leave which he and his friend did do. He then asked me if he could use the phone (I am not supposed to let him but I did anyway). While using the phone he sat on the desk. After asking him nicely to get off the desk Appetite’s words were "like I’m really going to break it" and he did not move. I then went and to told campus police (they were already down there handling other business) what was going on and asked them to remove Appetite and his friend from the field house. Campus Police took the phone from Appetite and told them they had to leave. After exchanging several words with the Police, Appetite finally began to leave, but not before he made several threats at my life. His last words to me before he left were “I can’t wait to nail your ASS.” About 10 or 15 minutes later he called back to the field house and demanded me to tell him my name. Appetite’s exact words to me were “You scum bag, you better watch you back.” And this, people, is suppose to be our S.G.A. president. Imagine how he handles the millions of dollars the S.G.A. is in charge of. Ask yourself, is this the kind of person we want as our president? I walked around all week in fear of my life, just for doing my job. Is that fair. Something to make you go Hmmm.

Jenabu Williams
Bohn Hall

Nothing funny about theft

I am writing this letter to all of the feeble minded, ignorant individuals who went around stealing posters that was put up by Sigma Phi Rho fraternity Inc. and the Rho Rhoses in order to advertise for our program featuring Uptown Comedy Club and Lords of the Underground.

We put in long, hard hours to put this show together for you and this campus community, and how do you repay us? By stealing posters that could have been given to you had you asked for them after the show.

Don’t get me wrong, I am not upset with the fact that the posters were stolen because they are but merely paper and can easily be replaced. It is the disrespect that you showed to us when we, a positive organization, were trying to do something constructive, yet entertaining for this campus. Is it not you who are one of those people who are always complaining that there is nothing to do on this campus? Is it not you who kept asking members of my organization, as well as myself, when tickets would go on sale? Then why did you disrespect us like that?

I am not pointing fingers at or blaming anyone, because todo so would make me out to be just as childish as you were when you stole our posters, besides you know who you are!!

To conclude this letter, I would like to say on behalf of Sigma Phi Rho Frat. Inc. and the Rho Rhoses, for future references we would appreciate it very much if you kept your hands to yourself. And remember kiddies, if you did not buy it or if it doesn’t have your name on it, then evidently it does not belong to you. "It is one of those basic lessons that your mother should have taught you!"

Peace,
Tracy A. Smith

Save room for Ritz

Ah, the cafeteria’s of MSC! The dieter’s friend. Domino’s greatest incentive to graduate in four years. All can be cooked for them for the Ritz (although, a single Ritz® cracker is con-fi-dent that you will bring your tray back up for a slice of processed cheese please be somewhat edible, insect and insecticide-free and prepared enough for a puppy mill or methadone clinic.

If you are one of the few unfortunate on-campus residents on a regular basis, do yourself a favor this weekend and choose a-a-week-deal meal plan cost. No how’s your appetite? Do you plan to soak, kamikaze fruit flies sputtering toward your tray in the appetizer? We don’t.

Doug Cooper, the Assistant Director of Residence Hall, an awful lot of time explaining away a stench-permeated basement filled up with water. The drains that are supposedly clogged since summer and now the puddles are filled with water, then a water line broke. It ran to the dishwasher, not to a toilet. And then, um, uh, we had an exterminator begin to clean more. Then, um, uh, a bunch of flying bugs took synchronously off the mugs. But other than that we’re doing fine and with a week’s worth of buds we’ll have everything under control.

If only students could explain away late term papers then the SGA legislators “investigating” the situation demand a vote possibly a resignation or two. There is no place in the residence halls treated with such contempt and indifference (short of the

Shame on Residence Life.
The 3rd time's a charm

When I saw your 10/21 issue of the Montclarion it disturbed me. I picked it up in the Student Center and read the front page, "Dethroned." Needless to say I was pissed off. Your paper is published at and for Montclair State, just in case you forgot. Granted Montclair state lost the football game, but they do not need their own school paper to throw it in their faces. I have two roommates who are on the football team and the time and energy they put into football deserves more respect and feeling then your paper apparently has. They are not perfect, but who is! I do not remember seeing a headline about George Calle losing his second consecutive run for the SGA Presidency. I do not want to make this a personnel attack. All I want is for you to treat people, your own school teams and others in the same light as you treat yourselves, and remember what school your writing for. I hope that you do not try to pick this letter apart in the hopes to cloud the point made in it. Just take the point made and work on it.

A concerned Student
Kenneth Rusty Treible

"Sound Bites!"

What do you think about the result of the gubernatorial election?

compiled by Kevin Marks

"Well, I feel that Whitman will do an excellent job. Moveover Florio, here's something better."
- Eunie Denise Mack
Junior
English/Education

"The victory margin was very close. Hence, I think people were not too sure."
- Sivavasivan Sambandan
Graduate
Computer Sci.

"I am dissapointed with the outcome of the election, and I feel that the 30% decrease in taxes is an impossible situation."
- Arnaldo Cruz
Senior
Religious Studies and Philosophy

"I didn't want Whitman to win and Florio did the best he could and it just wasn't enough. So I didn't have a favorite, I just hope Whitman does a good job."
- Ellen Magee
Sophomore
Early Childhood Ed.

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Comedy courtesy of Sigma Phi Rho

by Joanne Pringle

On Thursday, Oct. 28, laughter and hip-hop bounced off the walls of Memorial Auditorium. Sigma Phi Rho Fraternity Inc. sponsored the event which featured Uptown Comedy Club and rap artists Lords of the Underground.

Uptown Comedy Club's "Traveling" group "The Posse," entertained the audience with rib cracking jokes. The Posse included host Monteria Ivey, Rhonda Fowler, Tracy Morgan and Macio all of whom are regulars on the weekly televised comedy show.

Rappers Lords of the Underground rocked the stage performing their latest smash hits "Chief Rocka" and "Funky Child." They concluded the concert with two positive messages which were the MSC audience was #1 and the rappers emphasized the importance of keeping the peace.

Sigma Phi Rho Fraternity Inc. president Tim James responded at the end of the program, "We were obliged to present the campus community with an alternative social engagement." Once again they served the community with safe fun and enjoyment. Do not miss out on their next event.

Monteria Ivey from the comedy show.

Review: Purrr by Hollyfaith-hardrocking

by Marc Schirloff

They're not just another Atlanta band. Hollyfaith is a hard rocking, soul searching group influenced by the Beatles, Black Crowes and the Screaming Trees. 'They deal with issues of life, death, friends and loneliness. 'What'samatta" (track #9) with you? Go out and buy the CD. If you're into the emotional thing, check out "Zeno," track 5.

The overall picture is Purrr was worth the wait. You can check them out at Seton Hall on Nov. 8 or the Stone Pony on Nov. 12.

By the way, the college radio station, 101.5 WMSR had a live interview with singer Rob Aldridge of Hollyfaith. He called all the way from Virginia to grace our station with his voice. DJ's Marcy Lane and Dr. Brimstone interviewed Rob on Wednesday Oct. 26. Hope you were listening.

Review: Sun-60: A serious band

by Decayne Fatherrhe

Special Correspondent
College Press Service

James Brown may be the hardest working man in show business, but Sun-60 singer, songwriter and trumpeter Joan Jones is easily the hardest-working woman in rock.

Wrapping up a five-month stint of hard touring punctuated by a three-week "working break" to film the video for the single "Never Knew God," Jones and the band were within days of returning to Los Angeles when she put aside a head cold and the accompanying strained voice in order to deliver a knockout performance at The Varsity theater in Baton Rouge, La.

Despite her condition, which caused her usually crystal-clear vocals to sound like a cross between the highs of Dale Bozzo and the sultry come-hither of Brenda Vaccaro, Jones stepped out from behind the microphone during the encore to sing, a cappella, the last verse of "Take Me Home" before the band brought the song to a screaming close.

What would drive a performer to put that much into a performance? For Jones and fellow songwriter David Russo, there is no easy answer—it's just the way things are done.

"It's all nerves," said Jones after the set, seeming much more diminutive relative to the stageplanks. "It gets you going."

The other side of the nerves is the creative spark that drives the band to write. Although Jones and Russo split songwriting and vocal duties fairly evenly, "We were obliged to present the campus community with an alternative social engagement." Once again they served the community with safe fun and enjoyment. Do not miss out on their next event.

Monteria Ivey from the comedy show.

Coming up...

The MONTCLAIR will provide free listings of your A&E events if you drop a note off to Kelly Schub, the A&E editor, by Friday at noon.

Thursday, Nov. 4

THEATRE: "Splendor in the Grass." From William Inge's Academy Award-winning screenplay. Adapted for the stage by F. Andrew Leslie. 8 p.m. Nov. 2-6, 2 p.m. Nov. 7, Studio Theatre. Tickets: $4 general admission (including senior citizens, faculty, staff and alumni); $2 students with I.D.

Saturday, Nov. 6

DANCE: Ballet Gran Folklorico De Mexico. Thirty-five singers, dancers and floreador musicians from Mexico City will present 1,000 years of history. Accompanied by the exciting rhythms of Mariachi, the Marimba and a special Jaracho trio from the state of Veracruz, the dancers will present a panarama of Mexican culture along with a variety of costumes. Part of the Great Events Series. 8 p.m. Memorial Auditorium. Tickets: $25 general admission, $22 faculty and staff; $20 senior citizens; $10 students and children. Call Box Office at (201) 655-5112.

Sunday, Nov. 7

ART: College Art Gallery. "Dreammakers." Children's art work sponsored by Crayola. Curated by Susan Leshoff of the Department of Fine Arts and art education students. The College Art Gallery is located in Life Hall. Hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information, call (201) 655-5113. Runs until Dec. 17.

Monday, Nov. 8

ART: Gallery One. The Russian Children's Art Exhibit. Gallery One is located in the Life Hall Annex. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. For more information, call (201) 655-5113.

Saturday, Nov. 13

DANCE: UMOJA Dance Company presents "a unique blend of Modern and African dance," Life Hall, room 123. Tickets: $8.00 general admission; $5.00 students. For more information call: (201) 744-6135.

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The Prophet gets a new logo next week!

by Kevin Schwoebel

Welcome, loyal readers, to another wonderful PROPHET BIGG installment. This week's first. Next week, with my luck, I'll premier some sort of logo or other. The winner in the "Design a Prophet Logo" contest was Stefan Pollak. His award-winning logo will be featured for the rest of the semester.

Congrats and thanks, Stephan, you won a brand new Chrysler Cordova and you can pick it up in my office!

If Stefan's logo is unable to fulfill its duties, the second place design, submitted by Keith Idee, will be crowned. News...

River Phoenix died this week of unknown causes at the time of this writing. Popular speculation is that the death was either caused by either cocaine and/or valium. It seems a shame that such a young man would have been stupid enough to find no other use for his money than to put it up his nose or whatever. River Phoenix had a promising career at 23. He has done some fine films that you should check out if you haven't seen them. They include Stand By Me, Running on Empty, My Own Private Idaho, Explorers and Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade.

Fredricho Fellini also died this week. His directorial credits include Roma, La Strada, Dolce Vita, The Clowns and many more. He was known as the greatest Italian film director.

Get set for Look Who's Talking Now! You know, I get a sick felling in my stomach just thinking about it. Liked the original, thought the second was a typical bad sequel and I prayed there would be no third. Obviously, there is no God, and if there is, he sure isn't listening.

I saw Tim Burton's The Nightmare Before Christmas. I enjoyed it. It gave me that Rudolf-Christmas-special-feeling and I'll no doubt end up as such with the catchy tunes that everyone remembers. "We're on the island of misfit toys..."

Finally, some PROPHET notes. To El Squid, no worries, mate! Lighten up. To Jane, you are wonderful. Sorry the phony got blown. To Sarah, thanks for trying. I mean that. To the Sons of the PROPHET, just keep setting me straight and I'll play you a tune on my new banjo! To the rest of you, in the immortal words of Chachi Arcola, "Wa, Wa, Wa!"

Review: The Joy Luck Club (five stars)

by College Press Service

When you think about Oliver Stone, usually movies like Platoon or Scarface come to mind, not interior stories such as the film version of Amy Tan's book The Joy Luck Club.

Go figure, then give credit where it's due. The Joy Luck Club is bad, hopeful, delicate and beautifully filmed, a movie you shouldn't miss, but be sure to bring plenty of Kleenex. It's a real heart-tugger, and you know you've seen one when a good number of the men in the theater are surreptitiously wiping their eyes and sniffing discreetly in handkerchiefs.

The movie follows the book closely, but the action is rearranged in a more straightforward manner in order to relate the tales of four Chinese women who struggle through various ordeals to come to America, their Mah-Jongg club, the troubles their U.S.-born daughters face and how the women are more alike than not.

Tan's book is about the triumph of spirit. It's rare when a movie matches a novel's spirit, but The Joy Luck Club does.

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The Rolling Stones.

"It's just rock and roll," she laughed. "We're pretty lucky, actually," reflected Jones about the band. "It's pretty natural, and we're all good enough musicians to do whatever we want."

Russo is indicative of the wealth of talent within Sun-60. He handles his share of the vocals, plays lead guitar and tickles the keyboards in addition to his songwriting. He said that, unlike Jones, he finds more of his inspiration in writing to literature than in the stress of the band relationship.

"For me, I think I get most of my inspiration from books, from stories," said Russo. "It's not much at first-I kind of half-consciously write, constructing the songs in my head. Plus, being on the road, the reading helps chew up a lot of miles. It leads you back to a lot of other thoughts."

It is apparent that he has brought his work ethic to play in Sun-60's success. In addition to the new CD and video (whch debuted on MTV's 120 Minutes), the band recorded a song for the soundtrack of A Man Called Horse, the Mike Myers film, and will be back on the road again in late October, probably touring straight till Christmas.

Jones said that her background lends itself to clubs.

"There's something real, something substantial about playing to people in clubs," said Jones.

Play, from page 18

Splendor in the Grass is a touching story of teenage love and growing up. It is set in a small town in eastern Kansas during the 1920's. The play shows us how the ambitions of a father for his son and the demands of the late 1920's changed the lives of so many people.

The entire cast did a fantastic job. There was amazing chemistry between Deanie Loomis, played by Stephanie Koempel and Bud Stamper, portrayed by Mark Jameson.

The plight of these two star-crossed lovers touched the hearts of all. The cast did a wonderful job making the audience believe that Bud and Deanie were really in love and that Bud's father, played by Jason Yudoff, was pressuring Bud to follow his own ambitions.

The moral of this play can be a lesson learned by all.

The director, Robert Vacareo, is an MSC graduate school alumna. She did an excellent job. Judith Teitelbaum, the costume designer, made each character so much more real with the authentic costumes. The set was designed by Amy Horvath and the lighting designer was Tornoko.

Splendor in the Grass showed the true ability of all involved. The talent of the cast shines through, but don't just take my word for it, go see for yourself!

Remember to Recycle Your Old Montclairians

The Fashion Boutique

by Deanna Mazza

This week, I would like to lend some helpful hints in order to spruce up your wardrobe without spending your life savings.

Black, like always, is a great color to invest in because it goes with just about everything. To take advantage of the clothes you already own, my suggestion is to die the black clothes from last season. Excessive washing takes a toll on the vibrancy the wardrobe without spending your life savings. If you like the results, the dye comes incorporated patchwork styles in the their fall clothing. Many of these vintage clothing known designer, spending less money for the result. Other designers have also

Another way to save some money is to look to vintage clothing stores. In the October issue of Elle, it was reported that Donna Karan (DKNY) has a new line inspired by the thrift store image as well as street style. Thus, you could follow the example of a well known designer, spending less money for the result. Other designers have also incorporated patchwork styles in the their fall clothing. Many of these vintage clothing stores are easily located in the Soho section of New York City.

Saving money is easy if you follow the current styles and stick to classics. This way, every season you might have to purchase one or two items to keep your wardrobe up to date.
Happy Halloween, kids! Name the candy for which these advertising slogans were created. Make sure your Mom checks them for razor blades.

1. Melts in your mouth, not in your hands
2. Sometimes you feel like a nut...
3. ...sometimes you don't.
4. The Great American Chocolate Bar
5. Two great tastes that taste great together
6. You can roll it to your pal
7. Taste a rainbow of fruit flavors
8. Chocolate is crunch-ous when it crunches
9. No matter how you slice it, it comes up peanuts
10. Whatever it is I think I see becomes this
11. Makes mouths happy
12. A burst of refreshing fruit flavor—for you!
13. The gum that goes SQUIRT!
14. One today helps you work, rest and play
15. A "touch" of fudge
16. Get the Sensation
17. The chocolate-covered caramel with the cookie crunch
18. Lasts a good long time
19. First it's a candy, then it's a gum
20. The gum that won't stick to your face
21. It's too good for kids; it's made for grown-ups
22. Charlie says, "Gee, it's really swell."
23. I was right in the middle of one when I found gold
24. Evil Knute's favorite candy
25. A suit of living

CULTURAL IDIOCY QUIZ ANSWERS

1. M & Ms
2. Almond Joy
3. Mounds
4. Hershey's
5. Butterfingers
6. Rolos
7. Skittles
8. Nestle's Crunch
9. Snicker's
10. Twix
11. Twixtizers
12. Starburst
13. Freshen Up
14. Milky Way
15. Oh Henry!
16. York Peppermint Patty
17. Tootsie Roll
18. Marathon
19. Raisins
20. Hubba Bubba
21. Tootie
22. Good 'N Plenty
23. Caramel
24. Chewing Gum
25. Life Savers

"Listen, Noreen—you wanna be the photographer next time, be my guest."
Your Real Horoscope
by Ruby Wyner-lo
A.A.B.P. certified Astrologer

Aries: (Mar. 21-Apr. 19) Mathematical concerns go awry when the Quadratic Equation is changed in the middle of the week.

Taurus: (Apr. 20-May 20) Expect to be jailed when law enforcement officials discover that your laundry hamper is a gateway for alien colonists.

Gemini: (May 21-June 21) Your penchant for licking farm animals will be discussed in a frank newspaper editorial.

Cancer: (June 22—July 22) You still can't cope with the fact that Diet Pepsi's National Uh-Huh Month is over.

Leo: (July 23-Aug. 22) A short man wearing Lederhosen will spray you with a garden hose.

Virgo: (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Variety adds vitality to your sex life. Why not try the Flying Dutchman position for a change?

Libra: (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) Your charitable contribution to the community youth center will be used to purchase guns and heroin.

Scorpio: (Oct. 24-Nov. 21) You put an early end to your promising musical career when your glockenspiel solo is cut from the symphony program.

Sagittarius: (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) An miscalculation with jumper cables will cause you to explode in a burst of fire and ash.

Capricorn: (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Business associates will be so impressed by your hard labor that they'll steal your best ideas and claim them as their own.

Aquarius: (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) Try actions rather than words. Throw a meat cleaver at your boss today.

Pisces: (Feb. 19-Mar. 20) Your charitable contribution to the community youth center will be used to purchase guns and heroin.

Losers, you need suffer drought no more! Ruby Wyner-lo will personally come to your farm and find water with a divining rod.

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off the mark
by Mark Parisi

I'M A LOUSY TIPPER AND I'D LIKE YOUR RUDEST WAITRESS SO I WON'T FEEL GUILTY ABOUT IT...
HONORING LATINOS WHO CONTRIBUTED TO LATIN AMERICA

LATIN MONTH '93

Monday, November 1:
1:00 p.m., Flag Raising,
Between Richardson and Student Center.

Tuesday, November 2:
7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m.,
Conference with Dr. Valentino,
Kopps Lounge.

Wednesday, November 3:
11:00 a.m., Bus departure for Geraldo show.

Tuesday, November 9:
4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m., Salsa & Merg. Workshop, Student Center rm. 419;
7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m. Santeria Workshop, Student Center rm. 419.

Wednesday, November 10:
2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m., Salsa & Merg. Workshop, Student Center rm. 419;
7:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m., Ms. Latina Pageant, Student Center Ballrooms, $2.00 admission.

Saturday, November 13:
9:00 p.m.-1:30 a.m., Party with Ramon Orlando, Student Center Ballrooms.

Monday, November 15:
7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m., Lecture with Dr. Bonilla Santiago,
Student Center rm. 419.

Friday, November 19:
9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.,
Conference; 12:30 p.m.-1:00 p.m., Flag raising, Between Richardson and Student Center; 7:00 p.m., Closing Ceremonies.

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PIECE OF NEWS

Delta Xi Delta is collecting soda can tabs for kidney dialysis research. Bring tabs to any sister.

Alpha Phi Omega will be selling AIDS awareness ribbons for 50¢ to benefit the pediatric ward of St. Joseph’s hospital in Paterson. See any brother or stop by Room 406 in the Student Center.

Lambda Tau Omega Sorority, Inc. is sponsoring New Jersey Breast Cancer Coalition, Inc. Chairperson Roselyn Sharon - Wednesday, Nov. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in Student Center Room 419. Refreshments will be served.

Social Checklist

- Sigma Sigma Sigma - Semi-formal 11/5
- Lambda Theta Phi will be having a party 11/5 in SC.
- Delta Xi Delta is sponsoring Tuesdays at the Swamp Fox in West Orange. No cover! Drink specials.
- Alpha Omega, Alpha Iota Chi, Zeta Beta Tau (MSC), & Zeta Beta Tau (William Paterson) are having a mixer on 11/4.
- Chill with the Crows at Bam-Bam’s on Thursday. The dopest mix of Techno, Alternative, Hip-Hop, Reggae & Progressive this side of the Lincoln Tunnel. Kickin’ drink specials. $3 for 21 and up, $6 for 18-20.
- Theta Kappa Chi and Lambda Theta Phi are having a party in the SC ballrooms 11/5.
- Sigma Alpha Iota has Bagel Sales every Monday morning between 9-12 in the MacEachern Music Building. Come support us!
- Phi Sigma Sigma is holding a 50/50 raffle. See a sister for info!

INVESTIGATIVE NEWS UNIT

FUNDRAISING

Tri Sigma pledges are sponsoring "Tuck Ins" see anyone at the Tri Sigma table.

Phi Alpha Delta Bake Sale 11/9 6:00-9:00 in the New Building and Raffle - $50 Gift Certificate from Charlie Brown.

Phi Sigma Pi is selling raffles for dinner at Charlie Brown’s for $1. See any brother.

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Red Hawks sack Trenton State, 16-0

Bargiel’s 5 1/2 sacks, Martress’ 150 yards dominate Lions for 5-2 MSC

by Brian Falzarano

On a damp, rainy Saturday, there were 1,224 people in the stands at Trenton State’s Lions Stadium. Besides wondering why they were sitting in a downpour, they may have been asking themselves two seemingly different, but related questions.

First, they could have asked themselves if MSC would break the shackles of a two-game losing streak.

Secondly, they may have asked themselves if Jeff Bargiel could play up to his level.

The answer to both questions was an emphatic yes. Bargiel dominated the Lions offense again, posting 10 tackles and five sacks, one for a fourth quarter safety, to lead the Red Hawks (5-2, 2-1) to a 16-0 triumph over the Lions.

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When one discusses the Red Hawks, the first thing that comes to mind should be defense. And when one thinks of the defense, they must think of Jeff Bargiel, the NJAC Defensive Player of the Week. For the season, he now has 12.5 sacks, fifth on the Red Hawks’ single season list, along with 46 tackles, 15 for losses.

For MSC, his performance has become something that can be taken for granted. If he doesn’t have more than one sack, it is as if he had a terrible game. Therefore, when he has a game like this, it leaves no one surprised, especially Giancola.

“We’ve come to expect that kind of performance from Jeff. He gave us an outstanding performance,” Giancola said of his sophomore defensive end.

Another player who played a solid game, yet was overshadowed again, was senior tailback Gerry Martress. Running behind a powerful offensive line, he gained 150 yards on 29 carries, giving him 656 yards for the season. He also added a 13-yard touchdown with 5:28 left in the first quarter to give MSC a 14-0 lead. At this point you could have taken out your knife and fork, because the Lions were done.

The touchdown was set up after a fumbled punt by Lions’ punt returner Scott Dickson was recovered by John Alvarado at the Lions’ 20 yard line.

Back to Martress and his “quest” for glory. He had his fourth 100-yard game of the season, yet has not snared the attention he deserves. No matter. Giancola is more than pleased with the play of one of the NJAC’s best backs.

“Gerry’s probably the most honest tailback we’ve had. He’s workmanlike and he gives you his best every time out,” Giancola said.

But once again, among the elements of rain, wind and cold, it was the defense that led the Red Hawks to victory. No kidding.

They held Trenton State to 181 yards of total offense, and stifled quarterback James Lopresti’s 5 1/2 sack game against Trenton State last season.

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From that point on, finishing the game was only a formality, as it was clear that the Red Hawks would win. It was Ballard who helped the Red Hawks get on the scoreboard. On the first drive of the game, Bargiel was intercepted by linebacker Frank Franco at the TSC 23 yard line and returned it for a touchdown, to give MSC a 6-0 lead, before Scott Rubinetto missed his sixth extra point.

The weather could have been the reason for it, though.

MSC’s offense was not to be mistaken for the San Francisco 49ers on this day, however.

Darren Volker completed only four passes in 10 attempts, for 37 yards. Despite an invisible passing game due to the conditions and gaining 183 yards on the ground, Giancola was very pleased with the play of his offense.

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Women’s soccer seeks to break school win record

by Nick Gantafis

The MSC women’s soccer team finished what was one of the most successful seasons in the program’s history last year.

The Red Hawks played away at Kean College in Union last night and the results were not available at press time.

MSC’s 9-8-1 record going into the Kean game put head coach Peter Lataranta’s team in a position to break the school record for wins. The nine victories the Red Hawks’ had entering last night’s game tied the school record.

Despite their winning record, the Red Hawks did not receive a bid for the ECAC New York/New Jersey Metro Women’s Soccer Championships when the seedings were announced on Monday.

The teams considered for the tournament range from schools located in upstate New York to Virginia.

The Red Hawks lost their first two games of the season and tied in their third. Their rough beginning was partially responsible for the Red Hawks not getting a bid.

MSC Sports Schedule

Saturday, November 6: Football (home) vs. Jersey City State College, 7 p.m.

Men’s and women’s cross country (away) The NJAC Championships at Holmdel Park, TBA

Men’s soccer (home) vs. U.S. Merchant Marine Academy in the ECAC Metro New York/New Jersey Soccer Championship, noon.

Men’s and women’s swimming and diving (home) vs. Trenton State College, 2 p.m.

Sunday, November 7:

Men’s soccer (home) in the championship game of ECAC tournament (if necessary), noon.

Saturday, November 13:

Football (away) vs. Rowan College, 1:30 p.m.

*All home football and men’s soccer games are played at Sprague Field.
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3-1 decision to IJpsala College last Monday. This was also the first time Rob Tournament for three weeks, but that Soccer Championship, which will be played this weekend at Sprague Field.


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The Jets had their chance at glory Sunday afternoon at Giants Stadium. The chance to prove that they are a quality team. The chance to prove that they are more than just squatters at another team's stadium. The chance to prove that they have the ability to beat a good football team in a game that actually meant something.

It was up to them. They could continue to play second fiddle to the Giants in the eyes of the metropolitan area fans, or they could salvage some pride, steal some headlines and keep themselves in the AFC East race.

Their second-half collapses against the Eagles and Raiders and their lackluster effort against the Bills provided critics and onlookers with all of the skepticism they could channel entering the New York football showdown.

But for once in their disappointing history, the Jets collectively stepped up and refused to let themselves and their fans down.

Over the past few weeks, Bruce Coslet stated over and over that the Jets were a good football team. Yet, he couldn't back it up by pointing to the win column.

On the Giants 4th and 10 play from the Jets 11 yard line with 24 seconds left in the game, Leon Hess' boys proved Coslet to be right.

Coslet still can't point to the win column because doubters could just as easily point to the loss column.

But at least his theory on the Jets being a good team isn't just hot air anymore.

Calling the shots.....

With the Jordan-less NBA's regular season beginning on Friday, it's only fitting to offer some predictions, some which have changed since "His Airness" decided to hang up his sneakers a month ago.....The New York Knicks are the deepest team in the Eastern Conference and will make their first appearance in the NBA Finals since 1973....Although the Seattle SuperSonics have the most talented team in the NBA, the Phoenix Suns will make a return to the Finals, Barkley and Co. will lose to the Knicks in the Finals.....Look for a more in-depth look at the NBA in next week's issue.....There will be a major upset on Saturday night in Caesar's Palace in Las Vegas when Evander Holyfield regains his world heavyweight championship in a decision over Riddick Bowe. Don't laugh. Holyfield has a lot to prove to himself and Bowe hasn't been tested since the last time he and the "Real Deal" fought.....Have a nice week.

**Volleyball**

Despite the loss, the future looks bright, as veterans like junior setter Yocasta Garcia and junior outside hitter Anneiese Fejan return, as well as promising freshman middle hitter Krista Gastelu. In fact, the entire MSC team will return next season. This year's team did not have one senior.

Head coach Anita Kubicka is especially impressed with the younger members of her team.

"The young players have done a great job, and got better and better as the season progressed," said Kubicka.

It seemed as though MSC could pull this match out, because at one point it was tied at one set apiece. Then, the Pioneers went on to squeeze out the third set and proceeded to blow out the Red Hawks in the fourth and final set.

In losing to WPC for the second time this season, Fejan, who is MSC's single season leader in kills (197) and hitting efficiency (.258), had 13 kills. Junior outside hitter Jayne Janish added 10 kills in the loss.

Before the downer against WPC, MSC squeaked out a five game match against NJAC-rival Jersey City State, (15-11, 10-15, 15-11, 8-15, 15-11). This win was very crucial, as it helped MSC solidify the fifth seed in the NJAC Championships.

In what may have been the most exciting match of the season, Fejan and Garcia, two of MSC's constants this season, led the way. Fejan, an exchange student from Austria, contributed 11 kills, while their number one setter, Garcia, contributed an astounding 20 assists.

While MSC did not win any championships this season, it has gained confidence in its ability and have gained respect in the NJAC.

This season, besides being remembered as possibly the season that put them on the "volleyball map" in the metropolitan area, was one in which MSC set 21 team and individual records.

That in itself is enough to give anyone high hopes for the 1994 season.
Seeking Solace?

The MSC men's soccer team will play in the ECAC Tournament this weekend after not receiving a bid to the NCAA tournament (Idec, p. 25)