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Party's Over

As fights shut down Back to School Jam, Administration re-evaluates party policies (Dean, p.3)

Goodbye from Snapple

Only Coca-Cola soft drinks in the C-Store Flynn, p. 4.
Crackdown on illegal parking

by Elizabeth Consolazio

During the first week of this semester, 952 tickets were written for illegal parking, as opposed to last year’s 589. The average number of parking tickets issued per week last year was 62.

The increase in issued tickets is not due to an increase in illegal parking, but an “increased aggressiveness” in ticket writing, Lt. Michael Postaski of Campus Police, said.

There are approximately 8,000 commuter students and 700 on-campus residents who have cars. The total number of legitimate student parking spaces available is 3,289.

Approximately 9,000 parking decals have been issued to both students and teachers, under the assumption that only a third of the cars will be on campus at any given time. The first week of school is said to be more hectic, with more cars on campus until scheduling is smoothed out.

During the first week of school, tickets were issued only for illegal parking. Tickets are $15 for a regular offense and $25 for illegal parking in a handicapped spot. These amounts are presented by Campus Police to the Board of Trustees for approval each year.

The money made from parking tickets goes to a parking account. This is used for salting the roads in the winter, paying shuttle drivers, replacing repairing shuttles and other general maintenance costs.

Once tickets are written, they go to the bursars office where they are keyed into the computer. For a low volume, this can take anywhere from one week to two months, according to the availability of a programmer.

According to the bursar, Vil Maristela, unpaid tickets catch up with students either when they register or apply for senior evaluation.

Students have 10 days to appeal tickets through the SGA. According to SGA officials, 65 appeals were received in the first week of school. The reviews have not been completed yet.

All legal spaces were designed by engineers who also decided which spots would be a hazard and therefore illegal. A legal space is defined as parking between two white lines. The amount of spaces specified does not include the gravel parking lot by the quarry which does not have white lines. The number of spots available there is around fifty.

Tickets were not issued last week to those without parking decals. Everyone who parks on campus should have a decal, which costs $25. Visitors should obtain a parking permit to park on campus.

Library employee swipes $971

by Sean Curtis

A library employee was arrested on July 12 for stealing $971 during last spring’s exam period.

Charlene Gibbs stole the receipts from the library’s media center’s readeX printer machines while transporting the cash and coin to the Bursar’s office in College Hall for deposit, according to MSU Director of Internal Auditing Rayejan Mastrangelo.

The MSU library director, Bernice Jones-Trent, refused to comment. Campus police were led to Gibbs’ activities when she unsuccessfully attempted to obtain back-dated receipts to conceal the missing cash before a forthcoming inventory, MSU’s Sgt. Paul Cell, said.

Gibbs voluntarily surrendered to campus police and was arraigned on Aug. 4 in Montclair Municipal Court.

Gibbs is currently pleading “not guilty” to charges of “theft by failure to make a required deposition of property received,” claiming the stolen money was a temporary loan to aid an ailing family member. The court date is set for Oct. 27 at 10 a.m. in Montclair.

A member of the union, Gibbs is still employed by Sprague Library.

“There are areas where the safe guards can be enhanced,” said Cohen. “The office is looking at different methods of transporting the library receipts to College Hall, such as using an outside carrier or using two library employees instead of one,” Mastrangelo said. “The employee involved is not handling cash anymore.”

Mastrangelo said it was too early to determine if the problem of employee embezzlement in the library was widespread, but all the Sprague Library departments are subject to complete investigations by her office and the campus police.

Dr. Barry Cohen, Assistant Vice President for Finance, commented that losses due to theft and burglary are small in proportion to the $90 million processed by MSU annually.

“We take theft seriously. Whenever a theft occurs, we take steps to prevent it in the future,” Cohen said. “We are as vigilant as we can be.”
Violent Student Center party prompts new regulations, tighter security

by Kathryn Dean

Kappa Alpha Psi's Back to School Jam last Saturday ended violently, forcing University administrators to revamp the existing party policy and postpone a Lambda Theta Phi-Latin American Student Organization party scheduled for this Saturday.

The problem began with unruly crowds filling the Student Center ballrooms, screaming and cursing. It progressed as campus security officers attempted to control the crowd of approximately 800, Sgt. Paul Cell of Campus Police said.

According to witnesses, Campus Police and Security told the crowd "attacking" their patrol car that they would use pepper mace if they did not "cease and desist."

"We do not use mace to clear crowds," Cell said.

"They threatened to spray mace five times," said Alin, an MSU freshman.

"This is high school shit. It's worse than high school," he added.

The party, originally due to end at 1:30 a.m., was closed down at midnight because of an inability to control the crowd, Cell said.

One party goer opened a room door from inside the ballroom and a rush of about 100 people into the ballroom and one group pressed open a stairwell door and climbed onto the roof, Cell said.

Once the party ended, several people in the crowd attacked one another, damaged cars parked on campus and rocked cars back and forth as they entered campus.

"At least five fights we physically responded to," said Cell.

He added that blood was found by the Student Center patio and on College Avenue.

Blood stains and feathers were also found on the ground under the overhang outside of Blanton Hall. This is the site where witnesses say a man wearing a goose down jacket was severely beaten with a mattress frame.

In addition to a series of fights, some vehicles were damaged. A Campus Police car was "lock jacked" open and the siren was tampered with.

Jeffery Johnson returned to lot 17 to find the front quarter panel of his car dented, the hood scratched and marked with blood stains. The left driver side mirror was torn off.

In an attempt to control the crowd as they headed towards the residence halls, the director on duty for Residence Life, Erik Hunter, made the decision to suspend guest privileges campus wide.

"Hunter could not be reached for comment by press time."

"We didn't want to bring the problem into the building," assistant manager of Blanton Hall, Matthew Kane said.

Kane said that there is no set policy and procedure for dealing with a situation such as the one that occurred last Saturday.

The inability to sign in guests inconvenienced some residents. One resident, who had guests in from Philadelphia, approached Sgt. Cell and was told, "We don't make rules for the dorms."

In light of the problems that occurred at the Kappa Alpha Psi party, Student Activities made the decision to postpone the joint Lambda Theta Phi-LASO party scheduled for this Saturday because of inadequate security for both the event and the football game.

Director of Campus Police and Security Phillip Calitre said that the university tries to avoid scheduling two major events in the same evening because MSU does not have the police personnel to support it. Due to the last minute change in the football schedule, from an away game to a home game, the double booking was unavoidable.

James Harris, associate dean of students, said that last Saturday's incident influenced the decision to postpone the Lambda Theta Phi-LASO party.

"When you have a major problem, you can't go on with business as usual," Harris said.

In response to those problems, a temporary revision of the party policy was put into effect, changing the number of security guards needed for events. In the past, organizations holding events at the Student Center had to have one security guard for every 100 people admitted. Each guard costs $22 an hour.

The new policy requires organizations to pay for two officers per hundred attendants.

In addition, capacity in the ballrooms, once 600, has been reduced to 500.

Unhappy about the decision to postpone the party and worried about the financial burdens the delay and lowered capacity will cause, Lambda Theta Phi President Mario Bautista said, "We were sat down like kindergartners and dictated to about the event being cancelled."

Lambda Theta Phi is requesting a new party date for the organizations, compensation for the losses incurred due to the delay of the party and an alleviation of security costs once a new date has been set.

As far as recovering losses for postponing the event, "We won't be signing blank checks," Dean Harris said. He added that the exact figures of the losses would need to be submitted.

As for alleviating security costs, "It ain't gonna happen."

"We don't make rules for the dorms, for example, four security guards in anticipation of 200 guests, will not be charged for the extra officers if attendance does not turn out as high as they had hoped. They will be required to pay the guards for a guaranteed two hours that guards get on a work night."

At a Greek Council meeting this past Tuesday, Rich Adams, former Greek Council President and member of Phi Beta Sigma stated that at the parties he attended and directed security has to be asked numerous times to cover the doors before the order is carried out.

"When we have the man power to do it, we do it," said Cell.

A review of party procedures will occur with a final decision anticipated by the new year, Harris said.

Student Center gets reorganized

by Jeff Zarrillo

The Student Center, one of the most popular buildings on campus, is being reorganized and developed in order to meet the needs of students more effectively.

Connie Ford, acting director of the Student Center since March of 1993, and her staff plan to work as hard as they can on improving the Student Center. Ford said that she would like to make the building "more inviting to students." After all, they are the people who use the building the most.

Now that the Student Center has been restructured so the University Bookstore and the "C" Store are run by private ownerships rather than the former Faculty-Student Co-op Association, the money for renovations to the building has increased. Also, because of the self-operation of the stores, they have offered a higher return of commission percentage, which in the end, is, "A better deal for the university and the students," Ford said.

The students will see lower prices, l-card usage in the "C" store, and other benefits as well. However, the benefits may not be immediate. "Some things take time," Ford said.

by Nicole Pitts

The MSU Campus Police Headquarters

photo by Nicole Pitts
Goodbye from Snapple, C-store now Coca-Cola only

by Kevin Flynn

Coke is not only the real thing, it's the only thing on shelves at the C-Store this semester.

The manager of Aldan Dining Services, the private company providing food services at Montclair State, said banishing Snapple in favor of Coca-Cola's competing Fruitopia brand is something done "for the student."

It could also help Aldan Dining Services, which has the contract to run the C-Store and all campus cafeterias.

In an interview in his office, which is highly decorated with Coke memorabilia, Dan Leastman said that no formal contract has been signed to grant exclusivity to Coke products. He said his company would like to have such a contract.

Leastman said he hopes to be able to use Coca-Cola's marketing gimmicks, such as T-shirt and soft drink giveaways, raffles and trips, to "benefit the students and create more atmosphere at Montclair State." He said Coke will "aid in the efforts to improve campus life."

However, it is clear that an exclusive deal with Coke—while it might not improve campus life for people who prefer Snapple—could have major benefits for Eastman's company, Aldan Dining Services.

For example, if Coke signed an exclusive contract for its products on campus, Coke could provide Aldan with new equipment, boxes and refrigeration units, Leastman said.

Under such an agreement, Coke might provide equipment free of charge and then maintain that equipment at its own cost—as long as the vendor agrees to sell only Coke products.

In addition to the C-Store and cafeterias, Aldan Services has bid on the contract to provide and run vending machines on campus. The Faculty Student Co-op, which formerly had that contract, is in the process of being phased out. Leastman had no comment on whether Aldan Services would have only Coke vending machines on campus if it wins that contract, too.

Coke has exclusive contracts on other campuses. At Rutgers, for instance, a $10 million dollar, 10 year agreement with Coke was announced last week. Rutgers, in exchange for granting exclusivity to Coke, will gain revenues that will support women's athletic scholarships, orientations and leadership programs and computing access centers.

Leastman said that MSU is not as large as Rutgers University, but he would like to give Coke "a shot" to see what they can do for Montclair and its athletic department.

Athletic Director Greg Lockard said there is "no current contract or future contracts in the works." However, he added, "The athletic department is always looking for opportunities to gain new sponsorship."

As far as the advent of Fruitopia goes, Phil Macri, a Political Science sophomore, said, "I bought one today because I was forced to."

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"Yeah, I think I'd prefer them to have guns," said Class One Concerts President, "they should have the right to protect themselves and the students. Students should not have to worry about going to their car and getting hit on the head. Maybe a threat of an armed police force will stop some incidents on campus."

"I think students would be in favor of armed police now more than in the past in light of the fact that the police have confiscated guns over the past few years," said SGA President Sal Anderton. "Personally, I think they should be given stun guns."

"A serious incident which involves firearms requires off campus police to be called in," said Becker. "The off campus police are not familiar with the facilities and, most importantly, are not familiar with the students."

According to the UCR, crime for 1993 dropped at MSU to 275. MSU was ranked second to Kean with 296, but was still first in motor vehicle thefts with 36.
La Campana bills paid by SGA reserve

by Kathleen Brennan

The SGA removed a large sum of money from the surplus reserves, to pay for the 1992 and 1993 editions of La Campana.

According to SGA treasurer, Rick Leto, this is money owed to the production company. If this is not paid, there is potential for a law suit.

A bill of $45,000 was received. Leto said this amount is being contested because it differed from the original. Another bill is expected to arrive in October.

George Obschewski, treasurer of La Campana, said that the yearbook’s Class One status expired last semester.

Obschewski said that since a budget has not been approved for the yearbook, it hasn’t received any money from the SGA. He said money was given to La Campana by last year’s SGA.

Last year’s chair of constitutional review, Gary Pankiewicz, said that La Campana did not have the minimum 15 person membership required for Class One organizations, which affected the yearbook’s rechartering.

Obschewski also said that the 1992 and 1993 yearbooks were completed a long time ago. The 1992 books were delayed because the 1992 editors never completed them, and therefore it became the responsibility of the 1993 editors. The 1993 books were also delayed due to complications with the publishing company.

The yearbook was approved as a service of the SGA at yesterday’s SGA meeting and their budget will be voted on next week.

In spite of not having a budget, Obschewski said that the 1994 yearbooks should be completed on time.
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MONTCLAIR STATE UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

September

September 17
ΛΘΦ FALL JAM
SC Ballrooms

September 19
LIONS VS. COWBOYS
9:00pm, RATT

September 20
CLUB LECTURE
CREATIVE DATING

September 21
LASO DJ
RATT

September 22
CLUB "RICHARD BEY SHOW"
3:00pm, leaving MSU

September 23

September 24
OSAU PARTY
STUDENT CENTER BALLROOMS

September 26
BRONCOS VS. BILLS
9:00pm RATT

September 28
KAψ Party
9:00pm, RATT

September 29
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September 30
PLAYERS PRESENTS
“PSYCHO BEACH PARTY”

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Students Flying High

by Chris Hinck

Last Thursday MSU students were allowed to get high for free in the Student Center quad. The College Life Union Board arranged for Balloon America to lift the students high in the air and gaze down upon the campus. “I expected the ceremony to be a lot of hot air, however, I was pleasantly surprised,” said Ron Albanese, who took the trip.

Unfortunately, there was an hour and a half delay before take off due to adverse wind conditions. The wait was annoying to those who suffered through it, but according to Selina Lawson, C.L.U.B. president, “when the flame shot up into the balloon everyone was excited...it was finally going off.”

Once the balloon was in the air, four students could ride at a time. Upon landing, the next four riders would hold the balloon down and let the others out. “Everyone worked together and had a good time,” Onyx Noa, C.L.U.B. treasurer, said.

“After five years of talk it was finally accomplished,” said Lawson. The balloon was programmed to celebrate the new and improved College Life Union Board and the University status of Montclair.

The balloon cost $1500, but represented “a once in a life time opportunity to the students who rode free of charge,” said Noa. This cost was covered by C.L.U.B., a Class One organization of the SGA. The ride was not really “Free” per se. The S.G.A. collects approximately three dollars a credit and distributes the fees to the Class One, Two and Three organizations to do just such programming.

The ride itself was amazing. The gas flames ripped into the balloon and a lot of heat could be felt. Butterflies took over your stomach as you rose into the air, while still trying to wave to your friends on the ground. From the top of the flight, the NYC sky line could be seen in the distance and the tops of the buildings were also visible. It was beautiful. The ride was short, but others were waiting for their turn. The landing, was the only bad part. The operator screamed, “Big bump! Big bump!”

And thud. But just when you thought it was over, the balloon bounced back into the air. This was horrifying to the passengers, because the operator did not warn any of us before we “bounced.” Despite this short terror, the ride overall was a lot of fun.

“I never really had been on a hot air balloon before so I felt I had to do it. My fears only worsened as we went higher, higher and higher. The ride was exhilarating, and I was glad that I had the opportunity to take part in such an activity,” George Calle said after riding in the balloon.

The balloon also made a beautiful reflection in the Student Center main window. It was a truly gorgeous sight to behold. The crowd around the balloon was larger than one would have expected and more people took part at this event than attended the second night of Carnival last semester, the event that used to be C.L.U.B.’s biggest.

The difficulty of the landing was said to have been because of the wind. College Life Union Board officers urged students who wanted to be a part of programming similar events to call College Life Union Board at x5332 or to visit College Life Union Board office at room 112 D in the Student Center Annex.

These students were not on XTC, but all who took part had a good time. C.L.U.B. hopes to bring the balloon back to the campus community for Homecoming due to the overwhelming support for the event.
Ancient cultures come to life
by Jodi Kastel

Picture this: You are in a lush, vibrant rain forest. Warm subtropical winds gently whip through your hair. Crystal blue waters lap at mushy riverbeds as green parrots caw in the foliage above. Behind you, rolling green hills provide a picturesque backdrop to breathtaking masonry temples filled with beautiful handcrafted pieces of pottery, detailed tribal masks, and elaborately etched jade jewelry. Sounds like paradise, right? The perfect place to go next Spring Break, right? Well, you are a couple thousand years too late—this was the Lowland Maya region of the Yucatan Peninsula around 200 AD!

Tuesday, as part of a continuing lecture series sponsored by MSU’s Department of Classics and the New Jersey Chapter of the Archaeological Institute of America, Dr. Stanley L. Walling, Jr. delivered a lecture titled “Recent Settlement Research on the Lowland Maya.” About 45 people attended, about 15 of whom were students. Sophomore Brian Siwiak, an Anthropology major, said, “It (the lecture) gave a colorful insight to the culture and social aspects of the Mayans, while explaining more about the nature of the of the anthropology department at Montclair State.”

Dr. Walling is the Associate Director and Senior Archaeologist of the Maya Lowlands Archaeological Project that encompasses both the Orange Walk District of Belize and Peten, Guatemala. His lecture and slide show focuses mainly on the Classic period of Maya settlement, which occurred from 200 to 900 AD. The lecture touched on many research themes, including recent interpretations of ancient political and social structure, population size and distribution, household archaeology, and intensive agricultural practices.

He believes that the University parking lot is very crowded, as compared to others. She, further states that parking has always been terrible, but as you enter the designated student parking area you notice no spaces. With only fifteen minutes to spare, you find yourself stalking students going to their cars. A Sophomore at MSU stated that someone even asked if she could drive her to her car, just so she could take her space. If you thought that you had an advantage because you had earlier classes, you discovered that you were already mistaken. Is it just a misconception, or is parking worse this year, so far, as compared to others? And why?

The fact that Montclair changed its status at the close of the 1994 spring semester from College to University could possibly result in a higher student enrollment. Exact statistics have not been released for enrollment in the fall of 1994; however, statistics show that 13,067 students were enrolled at the University in the fall 1993 semester. It is estimated that there is a 2% increase in enrollment overall for the 1994 fall semester. Kevin Rakowsky of Residence Life said that 1,825 students were living on campus in the fall of 1993, and that now 1,949 are residents in the 1994 fall semester. This shows a definite increase in that category. This can negatively affect the parking situation because Montclair State allows all residents to register their vehicles.

How big a problem is it? In speaking with students on campus, I discovered that this is a problem that is on the minds of everyone. One commuting student stated, “I got here at 9:20 a.m. the other day and had to park over in the Clove parking lot.” He believes that the parking situation started getting progressively worse over the past year. He suspects that the University status is affecting the parking. The addition of building B has taken away from parking lots, leaving the University to decrease parking for both teachers and students.

A Junior at MSU contributed, “When you have 8:00 a.m. classes, you can usually get a decent space relatively close to campus, but you can’t get one this year.” She believes it is worse this year as compared to others. She, furthermore, does not foresee it getting better. Could it be that there is a definite and extreme increase in enrollment, or are there other factors to take into consideration? Kevin Rakowsky had many enlightening contributions to the problem. He believes that it is still very early in the semester to judge the remainder of it. It depends, actually, what time you are on the campus. As last year’s statistics show, the worst time for parking should be from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. This is when the classrooms are at 96.9% - 100% of their capacity, in relation to the 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. time range where classrooms are at 70% - 80% of their capacity.

He also stated that since it is the beginning of the semester, many students are getting on campus at alternate times to get there early and to find classes. Others may be on campus without having class to take care of financial aid or scheduling matters. If it is still bad in October, then he believes that we may have a problem on our hands.

“Now that Montclair is a University, more people are noticing our programs such as graduate studies, more so than when we were a college,” Kevin states. This will bring more students to the campus of Montclair State.

It is very evident that there are more students on the campus these days, and it is fact that parking is always one of life’s great joys affiliated with Montclair. There is definitely a connection between the two, how can there not be? A Sophomore at MSU who lives in Clifton states that it takes him longer to walk from his car to campus, than it takes him to drive to the campus itself. This may be true for many students, however, you can look at it positively...for the lots to be so crowded and so many people to be here, Montclair State University must be doing something right!
## Campus Calendar

### TONIGHT

**YOM KIPPUR**

8:00 p.m. Public Telescope Night in front of Richardson Hall. For more information call Mary Lou West at 7266.

### FRIDAY

3:30 p.m. Women’s Tennis: MSU vs. Rutgers-Newark. On the courts.

### SATURDAY

1:30 p.m. Field Hockey: MSU vs. Rowan. Sprague Field.

5:00 p.m. Women’s Soccer: MSU vs. Mount Saint Mary. Sprague Field.

7:00 p.m. Football: MSU vs. Western Connecticut. Sprague Field.

### SUNDAY

**MASS:**

11:00 a.m.; B Building Faculty Lounge.

6:30 p.m.; Newman Center DiGuardi Room.

### MONDAY

7:00 p.m. Montclair Protestant Foundation presents "Crimes and Misdemeanors"

Kopps Lounge, Russ Hall.

4:00 p.m. Catholic Campus Ministry’s Welcome BBQ

Newman Catholic Center.

### TUESDAY

7:00 p.m. Satellite Seminar: "First Year Experience"

Student Seminar by satellite from Arthur Anderson's home office in Chicago. Dumont TV Center, Life Hall. FREE. Contact Gail Smith at 4174.

### WEDNESDAY

11:00 a.m. Career Services Seminar: "Getting into Graduate School"

Student Center Annex, Room 106.

### NEXT WEEK

**THURSDAY:**

10:30 a.m. Resume Writing Seminar.

Student Center Annex, Room 417.

8:00 p.m. Public Telescope Night in front of Richardson Hall. For more information call Mary Lou West at 7266.

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**They don’t call it “Great” for nothing**

*by David Nikkhaer*

Though my colleagues on the nutrition page may beg to differ, the most important part of a meal to me is dessert. A really good slice of cheesecake can make an entire meal that much better. If you think like me, you should definitely check out the Great Falls Diner on Route 46 in Little Falls. They offer the widest selection of desserts, pastries, and cakes of any other diner in the area, and the prices make it easy to go in and indulge in everything from cheese danish to Chris' favorite, Elephant Ears. A big incentive for me to spend my money there is the lack of "fridge burn" (the somewhat numbing flavor that enhances most other restaurant confections) in the choices at the Great Falls. Everything tastes as fresh as the day it was made.

The perfect ending to my day would be a good-sized slice of Great Falls cheesecake (strawberry, of course) along with a hot cup of Apple Blossom tea, just one of the many herbal tea blends also offered by the Great Falls. Of course, if a long day of classes isn’t on your agenda for the next day, substitute a fresh cup of coffee for the tea. Save the coffee for the next morning, and grab a quick cup and a danish on your way to class.

So if you’re not watching your waistline but are watching your cash flow, check out the dessert menu at the Great Falls. And while you’re there, pick me up a slice of cheesecake with strawberries.
The classrooms echoed with street noise, and the cafeteria was like a penitentiary. Mess hall and books were so expensive that I found myself thinking about what I left behind. I was overwhelmed by the beauty of the campus, the lushness of our forests and lawns. How could I possibly be so happy to be there, when I thought I had it all at home? Perhaps it was because I was forced to adapt to a new environment, to live with the discomforts and challenges of the Study Abroad experience.

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It was in the spring of that year, in a not too hot moment in the beginning of May when it happened; one of those chill days when there still is wind and — you pray — even a briefness of frost. A time when you know summer's uncomfortable sticky haze of months is now inevitable, but still you boldly dance out in a long wool overcoat and hug it to your chest like a lover. Savoring its touch one last time, you know that very soon the weather will be gone and it will be months and months before such a thing could be felt again. You savor the combination of wind and, as you hoped for, even feeling cold, with that majestic moment when your coattails blow back behind you like a cape, and, silhouetted, if not in life, certainly then in your mind, you feel almost heroic.

So it was on just such a day that I took a trip down to the sea, in that frame of mind and mood, for a quiet afternoon of skygazing and walking, beachcombing and perhaps even a little bit of fishing. It was one of those days you rarely see out of the blissful confines of November and March, the treasuries of the months, when a low sky of hammered metal folds out above you in a certain shade, neither depressing nor oppressive, a rainless grey light soft and chilled and even somehow reaffirming in a melancholy way. Just now beginning to overcome a scathing winter of writer's block, I had hoped the sea might cure me of my silence. It was as if all the waters of my life had flowed out to sea, and, finding myself tired of living, dry and tearless, inkless, I had finally come back, down to the sea to claim them once again.

After about an hour of walking along the shore, I saw the spot. I had been walking on a low escarpment overlooking the water. It poked out of the sand like a stranded crab-god, a great crag jutting out of the beach with a crevice in the center, a jagged crack in the rocks like a frown clogged with seaweed. Wedging myself down this narrow passage I found myself on a minuscule pad of sand, surrounded by rock on all sides. It was perfectly smooth and seawashed. This tiny beach couldn't have been more than ten feet on each side. I sat down on a rounded stone, leaning against the rock face, opened my notebook and began to write.

The tide rolled up and bumped against my foot. Higher, harder and black, it stayed there.

Looking down I saw that the sea had belched up an old wooden chest, blackened with age and fixed with bolted wrought iron spans and corners. Soaked through and hollow to the knock, it was held closed by a stout lock that gave easily when convinced by my hands. Inside, yellow and curled at the edges, some rolled and tied with a decayed ribbon that once had been red, were manuscripts.

Inside the box, still dry and legible, were hundreds of pages of manuscripts.

The sea knows us all, as does the sky. Out beyond where man can travel, at the point of the horizon, they meet with one another. It is there that they whisper all the tales they have ever beheld, speaking in hushed tones in that soft language of the wind and the waves shared by nothing else except perhaps the leaves in an autumn grove, but that is a much decayed dialect. They take their time relating the stories they have witnessed, which are almost everything, which is to be known, for what happens neither on nor beneath the sea, nor under the watchful gaze of the sky? They watch us, the quick ones, the foolish mortal souls who scramble like headless fowl searching for who knows what in quantity without ever even striving for them. Then, occasionally, they will take interest in one of us, and see fit to bestow a gift. That is what the chest was, both gift and mockery at once. The ancient testament laid down by some long dead sailor were mine now, were they not? They were my stories now, as surely as I had written them, for the sea had given them to me to do with as I wished. Yet they were also a reminder, constant and galling, that this slim little box contained far more than I had ever set to print, and yet he who had written those words no doubt had far less time than I on which to etch his devotions. Miraculously, it had survived the centuries, and a fleeting glimpse had been prolonged. One of the dead had reached forward to me and achieved eternity in my

To submit your poetry, prose, or artwork, contact Arielle or Heather in the Montclarion office, Student Center Annex, Room 113.
Pathways To The Future

Career Mail Box

Dear Career Services,
I am a junior accounting major. My friend, a senior accounting major, says if I don't have a 3.5 GPA I won't even be interviewed by the public accounting firms. Is she right?

Worried about my future

Dear Worried about my future,
The public accounting firms do take grades into account. Research has proven that grades are valid indicators of job performance if work in class is similar to work performed on the job. Therefore, for accounting students, grades are important indicators of success in the workplace.

But they are not the whole story. If they were, then students would send their transcripts and the firms would hire those with the highest GPA's. Firms are hiring future managers. They seek students with superior communication skills, related work experience, involvement in extra-curricular and community activities and evidence of leadership potential. Those students who have supported themselves through college and balance school and work impress the firms as being individuals who reach their goals and set priorities.

I know of firms who have hired students with 2.8 GPA's, but other elements in their background, which I mentioned above, strongly recommended them.

Eileen Bruck
Director, Career Services

Dear Career Services:
I am having difficulty getting a job because I "bomb" all my job interviews. I get so nervous that I come across to the interviewers as incompetent. What can I do to overcome this?

Nervous and Unemployed

Dear Nervous and Unemployed:
You are not alone. Most people experience some degree of nervousness before or during a job interview. To overcome this feeling, the best thing to do is prepare for interviews. Start out by finding out all you can about the companies or employers you are interviewing with. Having some knowledge will dispel any misconceptions and provide you with information that may generate questions for the interview. Another good exercise is to write down all your skills, accomplishments and projects you have worked on recently. You should also document areas that you've had difficulty handling and the final outcome. Employers are interested in selecting the best person for the job, and you want to be that person.

The questions employers ask during interviews have changed from the typical "Tell me about yourself" and "Where do you see yourself in five years?" to more specific "Tell me about a difficult project you worked on recently," "How do you decide which part of the job to do first?" or "What was the last conflict situation you encountered, and how did you handle it?" The idea behind these questions is to find out how you think and handle situations that may come up once you are on the job. Although these questions are hard to anticipate preparation is still the key.

Being prepared makes you more confident, therefore, you should practice interviewing by role playing with friends, relatives or a counselor at Career Services. Be aware that you can be interviewed by more than one person, since many employers are having three or four colleagues participate in the interview.

Remember, you are also trying to find out if this is a good job for you. Be yourself and walk into the interview with a positive attitude. It will make a difference.

Rosa Lavergne
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Dear Snapple...

If you take a walk into the Student Center’s C-Store you’ll find some changes. There are the renovations; new colors, new layout. Nice shirts for the workers. An elimination of many of the beverage choices previously available. It’s noticeable that a lot of the new space is being devoted to Coca-Cola’s “new kid on the block” drink line, Fruitopia. In place of Gatorade you’ll see Powerade. No more Arizona, try Nestea.

Upon an even closer inspection one discovers that in fact all drinks for sale are connected to the Coca-Cola Co. (maybe that explains the colors chosen for the new decor). What? No Snapple? Yes, it’s true. In a move “for the student,” Snapple and other popular brands have been removed from the shelves, according to Manager of Aldan Dining Services, Dan Leastman.

As if knowing all the beverage tastes of the whole student body wasn’t enough, Leastman says that “No formal contract has been signed” to Coke. Then why the exclusivity? What have we got? A bunch of welcome back to school Fruitopia signs and a Partridge Family-style bus that got to play music when Class One Concerts couldn’t. What’s going on? Some marketing director is happy and we’re thirsty. Rutgers just penned a $10 million deal with the makers of the real thing in exchange for exclusivity on their campus by the soda giant. Perhaps students would be willing to let Coke be “It” if it were to benefit the campus in a way it has for other schools.

Leastman also stated that the change was to “benefit the students and create more atmosphere at Montclair State.” Dan, don’t do us the favor. Just do your job and leave school spirit to the various campus organizations. However, it is within your purview to know that according to a recent poll by the MONTCLARION, Snapple is preferred and the C-Store’s stock should reflect that. If not, maybe Wendy can send us some cases.
Get ready to see Bill Clinton’s transformation from dodge-drafting weasel to-round the trumpet maestro-(insert Space Ghost voice here) Commander-in-Chief. Yes, that’s right, SupermanBill along with his loyal sidekick Secretary of State Warren Christopher (otherwise known as Cadaverlad) are ready to invade the ever important island nation of Haiti.

Haiti, for the uninstructed, is not even of national interest to, well...Haiti, nonetheless the United States. As Mr. I-Didn’t-Inhale’s approval ratings plummet, so too does the possibility of a Haiti invasion grow in size. At last report, Mr. I-Slept-With-Another-Woman-But-Didn’t-Ejaculate’s approval rating had dropped to about 40%.

Well now, let’s see... invade Haiti... over in under 60 hours... a hero’s ceremony for the unfortunate casualties... should jump-start his approval rating towards a quick ascent. Sounds like the responsible thing for the M-TV™ generation President to do.

The American people do not want an invasion. Republicans in neither house want an invasion. Democratic leaders in both houses, Senate Majority leader George Mitchell and Speaker Tom Foley, prefer that the President get Congressional approval before invading.

So why do I fear that by the time Mr. Clinton addresses the nation tonight we’ll already have gone in, ousted Haiti’s military leader Cedras, freed O.J., resumed Baseball ’94 and watched our videotaped episode of Melrose Place?

Maybe it’s just me, but if I’m not mistaken, wasn’t Warren Christopher the genius behind the failed 1979 rescue mission in Iran? How did this guy land another ousted Haiti’s military leader Cedras, freed O.J., re­
dressed the nation tonight we’ll already have gone in, and then force her to have an abortion with taxpayer’s money. But don’t play with guns. Remember, guns don’t kill-assholes kill! (Support your local NRA!)

In light of Tuesday morning’s single-engine plane crash on the White House lawn, it would be wise for Mr. Clinton to reconsider even as simple an operation as the imminent invasion of Haiti. Let’s face it, he can’t keep a crazy drunk from crashing into his bedroom, how can we expect him to fare any better with our nation’s security?

I was going to wait until the mid-term Congressional elections to point my I-told-you-so finger at all of you who voted for him but, alas, the time is finally ripe. He has shown himself to be an inadequate leader for his party and a potential tragedy waiting to happen for the country.

He has successfully marginalized the U.S. role in a Soviet-less post-cold war world. At a time when American supremacy could be expanded to unimaginable levels, he has let Somalia, Serbia and Cuba dictate American foreign policy for him.

His appointments have been an exercise in stupidity and personal embarrassment. Take, for instance, the case of Surgeon General Jocelyn Elders. Just weeks after advocating, in theory, the legalization of drugs, her son was arrested for possession of illegal substances. Do I have to tell you why she would like to see it legalized? I guess if my son was a junkie...

Speaking of junkies, former District of Columbia Mayor Marion Barry, ousted four years ago after his disgraceful cocaine arrest, has won the Democratic nomination for mayor. Maybe Bill could invite him over for a smoke.

There is something very disturbing about all of these developments that will no doubt have an effect on American politics. Possible, is a middle-class backlash unlike anything this nation has ever seen in its history. As their standard of living and quality of life continues to deteriorate, they will increasingly look to such radically volatile independent candidates like Ross Perot who promise to give them back what years of petty partisan politics have taken away.

America stands at the crossroads of opportunity. Certainly, not for the first time, but possibly for the last. In the absence of moral leadership, Americans will turn to leaders who promise them the things they desire but who can only deliver much less.

In that context, Mr. Clinton’s presidency will have served a useful purpose: it is a portent of things to come.

What Do You Think?

“Snapple. It tastes better.”
Carline St. Hubert
Sophomore Biology

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Jeanette Staal
Sophomore Undeclared

Snapple or Fruitopia?

“I have never heard of Fruitopia.”
Marc Smith
Junior Broadcasting

“I like Snapple, and there should be a choice.”
Mike Konolaski
Senior Psychology

“I like Snapple, (with regard to its no longer being available) It seems to be a monetary thing.”

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"This is me on the hot air balloon."
Rockin' Kiss tribute album and video reviewed

by Ron Albanese

1994—The official twenty-first year of Kiss. Let’s look at some facts: 70 million records sold, countless successful world tours and a significant influence on almost anybody who has ever plugged in a guitar since the band’s inception. But I didn’t need to tell you that, because since their 20th anniversary, Kiss themselves (particularly remaining founding members Gene Simmons and Paul Stanley) have been constantly reporting their accomplishments to all media outlets. Is this just Gene Simmons and Paul Stanley) have been constantly reporting their accomplishments to all media outlets. Is this just...matters.

The two remaining original members of Kiss: Gene Simmons and Paul Stanley

but remains a good band and the best facsimile of their vintage era.

During all their twentieth anniversary hoopla the band got word of a covers album featuring their songs entitled Hard to Believe. It was a mostly punk collection featuring an early Nirvana, Melvins and other mostly unknown acts.

Simmons and Stanley decided to put together a major label tribute record called Kiss My Ass: a title intended as a message to everyone everywhere who doubted the band, past and present. As far as the artists who contributed, they are mostly newer musicians serving as a symbol of Kiss’s lasting impact.

Kiss My Ass ends up being a fun CD to listen to for any music fan. It’s astounding to learn the sphere of Kiss’s influence, as well as fun to hear other artists interpret their music. Apparent King-of-Cool Lenny Kravitz (discuss musical tastes with anyone, drop his name and you’ll understand) puts his spin on “Duece” and the result is a funky, moving number that has a harmonica solo from Stevie Wonder. Cowboy hat wearer, Garth Brooks tackles “Hard Luck Woman” with the enthusiasm of a fan giving his vocal an energetic, sincere feel. Already proving themselves better at covering songs than writing them, Anthrax assiduously works their way through “She.” Another notable moment comes from Dinosaur Jr. whose version of “Goin’ Blind” makes it sound as though the song was written yesterday; Extreme is an O.K. band and they do an O.K. version of “Strutter.” The Lemonheads try “Plaster Caster” only to get mixed results. A highlight is Japanese orchestra leader Yoshiki and his rendition of “Black Diamond.” This has to be heard to be believed for it’s so interesting to see what is for the most part a bombastic rock song turned into a lush piece. It’s not too soft, though, because Yoshiki was so loyal that he actually composed “bomb” passages

Review: Trial By Jury — the verdict is in

by Kristin Jaugstetter

The verdict is guilty for the latest film Trial By Jury. This decision is being handed down due to lack of evidence which is needed to support a suspense-thriller. The film didn’t possess the qualities that usually catch the attention of viewers and to eventually get them on the edge of their seats. The plot revolves around a single mom, played by Joanne Whalley-Kilmer, who is summoned for jury. She’s your average citizen upholding her constitutional duty to be a juror. However, what the prosecution and the defense deem as a perfect juror who can be manipulated, ends up being the victim to the defendant’s influence and power. The defendant is played by Armand Assante, a Mafia don, who thrives on the weakness of juror number four. This weakness is she is a single mother of a young boy. If she doesn’t comply with his demand of a not guilty verdict he will have her son killed and then kill her. All of this sounds as if it has the potential to be a gripping plot, but in reality the storyline lacks the ability to ever make the viewer feel a sense of threat.

The characters in the film are well portrayed. However, when the direction and speed of the movie aren’t up to par, no matter how phenomenal the performance, eventually get them on the edge of their seats.
Welcome, loyal readers, to yet another fabulous serial that I like to call The Prophet! Hey, someone out there reads and responds.

Dear Prophet,

I understand that comedian George Burns took a bad fall somewhere. Please, oh Prophet, enlighten me!

Sincerely,

Pepé Di Gregorio
Accounting Major

Well, Pepé, first off, thanks for writing! And now the answer to your question. Yes, George Burns was hurt in a fall he took in Las Vegas a little more than a month ago. He banged his head pretty badly. In fact, just this past Tuesday, Mr. Burns underwent two hours of intense surgery at Cedar Sinai Medical Center in California. The surgery was done to relieve pressure on his brain where fluid had built up as a result of the fall.

George Burns has plans for his 100th birthday. He’s booked to do a show in London on that day. I hope he makes it.

Yesterday marked the 50th anniversary of the debut of The Lone Ranger on television. Although you may only have seen some reruns, the show was immensely popular in its day. It follows Tuesday’s 81st birthday of the show’s star — the original Lone Ranger, Clayton Moore.

This past summer I was privileged to meet James O’Barr, creator of the cult comic book classic, The Crow. He told The Prophet that a lot of footage was cut from the feature to achieve an “R” rating. It amounts to some 40 minutes, give or take. O’Barr said that they were probably going to include the extra footage in the video release. But with that release coming this month, The Prophet can not get confirmation about the expanded version of The Crow. Stay tuned.

Well, that’s it for this week. Keep those letters coming! Hasta la vista. (Bet you thought I was going to put “Baby” after that, didn’t you?)

The Fashion Boutique
by Deanna Mazza

There is something out there for just about everyone when it comes to fall footwear. The trends range from stilettos heels to work boots.

Noting their significance for fall wardrobes, the September edition of Cosmopolitan sports a four-page spread solely devoted to boots. If you are not one to flow with the wave of suede thigh-highs or suede knee-highs, sporty riding boots and high heeled ankle tie-up booties could be alternatives this season.

The stiletto heel has arrived. Just coupled to the comfort and practicability of boots, high heels lend modern femininity to tailored suits, short “A” line skirts and ankle-grazing dresses. Crafted as a boot or shoe, the infamous stiletto heel graces the pages of both Vogue and Harper’s September editions.

The most popular look this season according to Nine West store manager, Tricia Linton, is a lug or “waffle” sole. Fastened to the bottom of shoes and boots that lace up in front, this sole adds a sporty element. “Construction boots were a staple during the summer months,” said Linton.

Warm earth tones such as: brown, green, olive, tan and black are big this season as well as a new color, golden shammy. These natural hues give a softer, more feminine look to boots and sport shoes alike.

Nine West does not offer stiletto heels, however, Linton reports the short chunky heel or French curve heel to be hot items. Man tailored, oxfords and penny loafer shoes with chunky heels are also big this fall. For those who couldn’t live without clogs or mules this summer, Linton assures me these trendy styles could be worn well into the fall months.

Kiss also just released a home video entitled (you guessed it!) Kiss My Ass - The Video which is the second in a series of Kiss celebrations this year. One can only hope that in the wake of all this “waxing nostalgic” lately Kiss remembers that the bottom line is music. However, the video is put together well and is very entertaining. Performance footage spanning almost the group’s entire career is included, as well as commercials from their make-up kit. You get to see the dolls commercial from 1978 (Kiss! That’s the name! They look insane!) and an eccentric spot promoting the Kiss makeup kit from the same year. There is also some recent footage with the band playing photos to be included in a future Kiss book (I’ll probably review it). Also, as fans have come to expect, there is the now-infamous, obligatory Paul Stanley-bashes-former-member Ace-Frehley segment. The video – very modern – is edited to look like channel surfing. Gene Simmons will be talking and suddenly a commercial will come on — a Kiss commercial! Then you see a concert clip or maybe something else. A standout performance, by the way, is “Do You Love Me” at the Madison Square Garden from February 15, 1977. This performance captures the essence of Kiss. Another interesting inclusion is a 1982 lip-sync sans Ace Frehley, who reportedly was sick (I).

Both releases serve as great holdovers for the Ace-Frehley segment. The video – very modern – is edited to look like channel surfing. Gene Simmons will be talking and suddenly a commercial will come on — a Kiss commercial! Then you see a concert clip or maybe something else. A standout performance, by the way, is “Do You Love Me” at the Madison Square Garden from February 15, 1977. This performance captures the essence of Kiss. Another interesting inclusion is a 1982 lip-sync sans Ace Frehley, who reportedly was sick (I).
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What if... by John J. O'Sullivan

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2) Wallets are right out. Don't even bother to try putting Jell-O in your tri-fold; it just won't work.

3) Keep your money away from your grandmother. She might put fruit in your money and serve it for desert on Thanksgiving.

4) Take cookie cutters and make your money into amusing, holiday shapes!

5) Now that counterfeiting includes making money from a powder mix, Jell-O will no longer be served in Blanton Hall Cafeteria. (Insert a big DRAT here.)

6) Bill Cosby will be out of a job.

Well enough about talking about it, I think I'm going to go and get me that stereo that's on sale at Radio Shack™. It's only 10 cubes of strawberry-banana this week. Bye!

John J. O'Sullivan will be locked up in his room next week, playing Mortal Kombar IT™ until his eyes fall out.

Why Cigarettes Are Better Than Men by Candice Meyer

1. Cigarettes by their very nature, do not expect you to be politically correct

2. Cigarettes always stay lit for more than three minutes.

3. You can share or borrow your friends' cigarettes without having to give an explanation.

4. You can throw an old pack away and have a brand new pack, opened and a new lit cigarette in thirty seconds.

5. You can very easily sneak a quick smoke in public places.

6. Cigarettes have always been and will always be a stimulant.

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8. You can always smoke one hundred.

9. Smoking is your oral fixation—not his.

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11. You can throw a cigarette out the car window without getting arrested.

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2. Delicate fabric (Amer.)
3. French cat
4. Otho
5. Dees
6. Marine algae
7. Known by inspiration
8. 24 hours
9. New England state (abbr.)
10. Pre-Essler
11. 500 (Roman)
12. Captive
13. Applesauce
14. Maze of wisdom
15. Novel
16. Verb
17. Fez
18. It is (scream)
19. Not now
20. Christmas
21. Jell-O fans
22. Cheating
23. Plunge
24. Deep hole
25. Wear
26. Border
27. Elks
28. MD (Romans)
29. Belonging to him
30. Hawaiian food
31. Vehicular
32. Each
33. Pilot
34. Common witch
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MSU’s focus departs them in loss to Bloomsburg College

by Brian Falzarano

A phrase MSU men’s soccer coach Rob Chesney uses quite often is that things are a “learning process.”

According to Chesney, they should have done more than savagely another second place finish at the Stockton Tournament this past Saturday and Sunday.

After winning their first game, the Red Hawks (2-2) dropped a 2-1 decision to Bloomsburg (Pa.) College, a loss that inked the fourth-year coach.

“We were up 1-0 and dominating the game, and we lost our focus for 15-20 minutes,” said Chesney.

MSU was up in the first-half thanks to a goal by freshman forward Ian Myles, his fourth goal of the season. Telmo Nunes assisted on the tally to give the Red Hawks a 1-0 lead going into halftime. It seemed as if the Red Hawks, who outshot their competition by a 20-8 margin, were in control of the contest.

They squandered the lead, however, as junior forward Stewart Hill took control for Bloomsburg. He scored two unassisted goals to give his team the championship, while sending MSU home with a second-place finish for the second time in two weeks. The weekend before, they lost in the finals of the Messiah Tournament to the No. 20 team in Division III Betheny College, 5-3.

“It was unacceptable. Last week is a lesson,” Chesney.

How much they’ve learned thus far may dictate how far they go this year. If not, it may be a tough season. RED HAWK NOTES: BATELLI earned praise from Chesney for his play in the tournament. Apparently the coach was not the only one who noticed. The senior midfielder earned Defensive Most Valuable Player honors. The coach also praised Melvin Noriega.

Chesney is only mildly content with his team’s play thus far.

“I’m pleased,” said the 1990 graduate.

For Chesney, that is the best news he has heard all week. And for the Red Hawks, it could be a sign of better things to come.

Women’s tennis doubles pleasure in two wins

by Nick Gantaifis

If the past two matches are any indication for a successful season for the women’s tennis team, then they may well be on their way to the NJAC conference championship.

They proved that with a 8-1 blowout win over FDU-Madison on Tuesday. It was good because they got to use 12 players, including some freshman.

“We were able to use 12 players in the match,” said coach Brian McLaughlin, "which was good, because it gave the players a chance to gain some experience."

Freshmen such as Jessica Carotenuto, Traci Camino and Filimena Spina contributed, with only Spina losing in a tough three-set match.

Another highlight according to McLaughlin was the debut of Lisa Hand and Jamie Zamora at first doubles. In Zamora’s first collegiate match, the duo won 6-4, 6-3. All of the doubles teams posted wins.

Other doubles wins were posted by Laurie Hoffman and Kelle Vot at second doubles (6-0, 6-3), and Laura Mahon with Aukje Mol at third doubles, who won in a pro set, 8-7 (7-5).

Following a loss last season to Rowan College, the Red Hawks (2-0, 1-0 NJAC) proved worthy of their challenge of the Profs by beating them 6-3 in the opener.

McLaughlin was very pleased with his team’s effort, especially their doubles play.

“All three of our doubles teams were impressive,” said McLaughlin.

"Sweping the doubles is a difficult thing to do."

For the Red Hawks, Wendy Saladino won at number two singles and teamed with Hand to win in straight sets at number one doubles.

Also for MSU, Leanna Guido posted victories in both the number three singles and the number two doubles with Tracy Szymanski.

Aukje Mol was also successful at both singles and doubles, winning at both number six singles and number three doubles.

The secret to the success in the doubles play, besides the talent of the tennis team, could be former assistant coach Tracy Zawacki. Coach Zawacki, who was once an assistant coach at MSU under McLaughlin, now heads the women’s program at Drew University.

Both Zawacki and McLaughlin scheduled a scrimmage on Friday, the day before the Rowan match.

"Coach Zawacki worked with us all day Friday," said McLaughlin. "This is why we were so successful when it came time for the doubles."

Right now, McLaughlin could not be happier with how well his team has played to this point.

"I am very happy," said the coach.

"It’s a very cohesive group and they’re having a good time, which is important."

If they keep playing as well as they have, things can only get better.

RED HAWK NOTES: Wednesday’s match vs. East Stroudsburg was cancelled due to eligibility problems on their part.
Cortland St. makes MSU feel the heat
Ninety-eight yard drive by Dragons seals loss

by Glenn Steinberg

It was the MSU Red Hawks' '94 home debut this past Saturday, their second game overall. It was also their second loss.

Regardless of improving their offense since the first loss, the Red Hawks are now 0-2, losing 24-17 to the Cortland State University Red Dragons.

After getting the ball on their own two yard line, the Red Dragons marched 98 yards in 11 plays. With 39 seconds left in the game, CSU put the nail in the coffin with a one-yard touchdown run by Dan D'Accurzio, who had 83 rushing yards on the day, putting them up 24-17 with kicker Brian Anthony's extra point.

MSU quarterback Darren Volker went nine-of-15 passing for 185 yards and MSU rushed for 117 yards to give Caywood's defense their only two yards. They only had 196 total yards the week before.

The first half of the game did not go well for the Red Hawks, with CSU's 14-0 halftime lead. The offense continued to get more first downs. In the first half, MSU gave up 18 first downs and 262 total yards, though only giving up 14 points. (For the game, MSU gave up 28 first downs and 491 total yards.) It may have been worse if not for a blocked field goal attempt in the first quarter by defensive back Ernest Drake, and a missed 44-yard field goal attempt by Anthony to end the first quarter.

Head coach Rick Giancola thought field position was instrumental in that.

"You can give up yardage," said Giancola, "as long as you don't let them get into the endzone." He added that the blocked and missed field goals and the fumble recovery had a lot to do with CSU coming away with so few points on so many opportunities.

The Red Dragons started off quickly, scoring on their first possession, making the score 7-0. MSU kicked off to CSU to start the game with Marcus Welch, the strong safety, returning the ball for 32 yards. Their offense used a mixture of runs and passes in the opening drive highlighted by their kickoff return and a 26-yard reception from quarterback Steve Sanzo to wide receiver Steve Ellis, who had 131 yards receiving on the day.

The drive ended with a five-yard touchdown run by tailback D'Accurzio and Anthony's extra point.

The entire drive covered 68 yards on eight plays in only two minutes and 20 seconds.

In the second quarter neither team was able to mount much offense, being forced to punt on their first few possessions. This ended when Volker, with only three minutes and 15 seconds left in the half, found a wide open receiver Tremaine Wimberly, who darted downfield for an 89-yard touchdown. Scott Rubinetti's extra point tied the game at seven.

On the ensuing kickoff, MSU was forced to kick from the 20 instead of the 35 because of an unsportsman-like conduct call made after the touchdown.

According to Giancola, the official said that Wimberly spiked the ball after his touchdown, resulting in a 15-yard penalty which was assessed at the kickoff.

"I was very upset at the 15-yard personal foul after the touchdown because the official said the ball was spiked and films don't lie," said Giancola. "He did not spike the ball."

Eight plays and 54 yards later CSU marched downfield with tailback Lamont McPherson scoring on a three-yard scamper up the middle, making the score 14-7 with Anthony's extra point with only 47 seconds left in the half.

Giancola believed that the 15-yard penalty could have lead to the touchdown and could have made the difference in the game.

In the third quarter, things seemed to come together for the Red Hawks, scoring 10 unanswered points. The first score of the third quarter came on a 39-yard field goal from Rubinetti.

Due to penalties against the Red Dragons, MSU's second scoring drive was set up by receiving the ball on the 30-yard line after CSU was forced to punt.

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Volleyball drops match to William Paterson

by Victor Cirilo

They played their hearts out until the very end. In Panzer Gymnasium Tuesday night, where the heat felt like it was a 110 degree Arizona day, you can conclude that the girls gave it their best.

At least that is the impression MSU head coach Sandra Sanchez had after it was all over.

MSU lost 15-6, 2-15, 10-15, 7-15 as William Paterson College overcame a defeat in the first set to take the next three over the Red Hawks (2-3, 0-1 NJAC).

“Everyone gave it all their best,” a pleased Sanchez said after being asked about what went right in the match. She was pleased with the performance of sophomores Jacqueline Kyle (eight kills) and Krista Gastelu, who provided leadership and played a good all-around game.

Senior Edith Wilson had two aces, while Angélique Iziarry, who at times seemed to be everywhere, had 18 digs.

Other fine performances were put forth by freshman Dolly Koshy and Edith Lubrion

“Everyone played well, a few stood out,” said Sanchez. “However, the main emphasis is T-E-A-M-W-O-R-K, and without teamwork we wouldn’t be able to play this hard.”

Prior to that, they went 1-2 in the Stockton Tournament this past Saturday. They defeated Ramapo (3-0), while losing to Wilmington (3-0) and host school Richard Stockton (3-1).

Lubrion set a new school single-match assist record with 25 in the loss to Stockton, breaking the mark of 18 set in 1991. She had 50 assists in the tourney.

Players of note were Garfield’s Jane Janish (18 kills) and Rutherford’s Krista Gastelu (16).

CORRECTION: There was an error in the headline of the article announcing the hiring of Sanfra Sanchez as MSU volleyball coach. It should not have read “Cassidy” in the headline.

We apologize to coach Sanchez, coach Noreen Cassidy, and anyone else offended by the mistake.

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quarter, CSU marched 46 yards down the field, where Anthony then connected on a 41-yard field goal, tying the game at 17.

MSU did have more opportunities to score, but due to penalties and sacks, they were pushed back and forced to punt, and in one case, only got a field goal when they could have had a touchdown.

Giancola believes that the penalties and sacks are coachable and preventable.

“We have to approach practice with a game attitude, show them that a 15-yard penalty will cost them in practice as well,” he said.

Volker believes that it’s all just part of the game.

“It goes both ways,” said Volker. “There is nothing you can do about it.”

According to Giancola, the performances he was most pleased with were defensive lineman Jason Williams, who recorded nine tackles and defensive back Frank Franco, who also had nine tackles, five of which were unassisted.

Giancola said that the whole team needs to get consistent and must stay together and not fall apart.

“We’re not executing at 100%, but we’re getting better on both sides of the ball,” he said.

According to Volker, the fact that their two losses are two non-conference games is a plus. He also added that the loss doesn’t help with motivation, but they have to bounce back and save their season before it is too late.

RED HAWK NOTES: No one has established themselves as the go-to running back. That is indicated by the leading rusher being fullback A.J. WELLIS, who has 68 yards on an impressive 12 carries. Tailback NEIL RUIZ has a mere 58 yards on 24 carries, a disappointing 2.4 yards per carry.

By throwing the 30 yard option pass to Rolls, Green has accumulated an astronomical rating of 682.0.

MSU has been outscored in the first and fourth quarters by a combined 30-0. DARYLE PELLEGRINO has been impressive so far. The senior from Saddle Brook has punted a whopping 17 times in the two games, putting up a 38.1 average per punt.

MSU’s linebacking corps had fine games. Outside linebackers GEFF KERWIN and ERIC MAC ILLROY had 17 and 10 tackles, respectively, while co-captain MARK GATTO had a team-leading 14.

Defensive back JERMAINE JOHNSON added 13.
Despite Agassi’s win, tennis still needs change

Unless one is a true enthusiast of the game, watching tennis can be one of the most tedious things a human being could make him/herself do.

Sure, it ranks above taking out the garbage and discussing quantum physics. Or does it?

Watching males and females, with the personality and charisma of plywood, hitting a ball 120 miles per hour is boring.

This game has no dynamic personality, no one that any casual fan or even a devoted sports fan could root for.

John McEnroe is right. The sport of tennis needs a change. And badly.

Besides him, there is no one with any remote appeal. Pete Sampras is a great player, but he is so good he is boring. Maybe he will be appreciated now that he played hurt and lost to some guy named Jaime Yzaga, a bit player in the plot of tennis. Jim Courier does not even know if he wants to play anymore. And Boris Becker, who lost to someone named Richer Renenberg, is as whiny as a six-month old baby with gas.

Things get no better on the women’s side either. Steffi Graf has lost the edge on her dominance, almost making this side of the tour interesting. People such as Aranxta Sanchez-Vicario are posing legitimate threats.

But Graf is still number one. The one shining spot among the women, before Monica Seles’ grunting was side-tracked by that deranged being over in Germany, was Jennifer Capriati. The pressure got to her though. Now, we can only root for Capriati to get her life, a puzzle that can take an indefinite period of time to solve, back together.

And to compound things, Martina Navratilova is on her way out. Just when we could have started rooting for her, just when Chris Evert had left the sport, you cannot even root for her anymore.

This sport’s problem does not lie in the fact that Agassi is not in enough commercials. It is that there is no one charismatic or dynamic enough to identify with. Which is a shame, because watching tennis should be more entertaining.

Until it changes, it will only be a novelty sport. And a boring one, too.

Fearless Forecasts

BRIAN FALZARANO, SPORTS EDITOR: (4-3)
Arizona + 2 1/2 over Cleveland. Buddy Ryan will terrorize Testaverde.
Denver - 4 over L.A. Elway won’t lose three in a row; Raiders have been busts.

GREG MACSWEENEY, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF: (3-4)
Rams + 13 1/2 over S.F. Too many injuries. S.F. will win, won’t cover.
Giants - 7 1/2 over Washington. Brown can RUN.
Miami - 4 over Jets. Come on. After all, they’re the Jets.

CALE, TREASURER: (5-2)
Miami - 4 over Jets. Miami 11-0 before they lose.
Giants - 7 1/2 over Washington. Giants D showing lots of heart
New England - 5 1/2 over Cincinnati. Parcells is due.
Raiders - 4 over Denver. Forget the Simpson/Elway joke from last week. The Silver and Black will come through.

GLENN STEINBERG, ASSISTANT SPORTS EDITOR: (5-2)
Giants - 7 1/2 over Washington. Giants will still be 1 of 2 undefeated NFC teams.
Miami - 4 over Jets. Marino kicks ass.
K.C. - 3 over Atlanta. Montana is hot.
Tampa Bay - 3 1/2 over New Orleans. It’s the only time they will be favored.

THE PROPHET: (5-2)
Seattle - 5 1/2 over San Diego. I have one thing to say. Seahawks 38, Raiders 9. "Nuff said.
Giants - 7 1/2 over Washington. Giants have good "O" working w/Brown. Miami - 4 over Jets. My cat’s name is Mittens.
New Orleans + 3 1/2 over Tampa Bay. Saints climbin’ their way to top.

Red Hawk Sports Week

Field Hockey:
Thursday, Sept. 15 at Delaware Valley College 4 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 17 Rowan at MSU * 1:30 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 22 MSU at C.W. Post 3:30 p.m.

Football:
Saturday, Sept. 10 Western Connecticut at MSU* 1 p.m.

Men’s Soccer:
Saturday, Sept. 17 MSU at Jersey City St. 11 a.m.

Volleyball
Saturday, Sept. 17 MSU at Kutztown University 1 p.m.
Tuesday, Sept. 20 MSU at Richard Stockton 7 p.m.
Thursday, Sept. 22 Delaware Valley College at MSU# 6 p.m.

Women’s Soccer:
Thursday, Sept. 17 Mt. St. Mary at MSU * 3:30 p.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 21 Trenton State at MSU * 1 p.m.

Women’s Tennis:
Friday, Sept. 16 Rutgers-Newark at MSU @ 3 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 17 MSU at Western Connecticut 11 a.m.

* - at Sprague Field, # - at Panzer Gym, @ - at Red Hawk Courts

Call the Red Hawks Sports Hotline for all of the latest and up-to-date information on your favorite MSU athletic team: (201) 655-7645.
Men’s Soccer wins its first game, before losing in the championship of its second straight tournament. (Falzarano, p. 24)

Football drops to 0-2 (p.25)

Women’s tennis off to hot start (p. 26)

Volleyball loses to Willy P. (p. 26)