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Students find it difficult to conduct their business on campus with such limited office hours (DeWitt, p.2)
Campus offices closed for lunch: students frustrated with inconvenient hours

By Jack DeWitt

The operating hours of many offices on campus are insufficient according to MSU students. Many are closed from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. for lunch. The lunch hour is one of the few times that students have a break and can try to get some help from these offices. Also most offices are only open one evening per week. Students with night classes find it difficult to arrange their busy schedules around these operating hours.

Senior Charlie Korch said, "If they even open, the departments never seem to be able to help you with the problem you have. They just send you to another office."

The financial aid office is one of the offices that is closed from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. Dr. Randall Richards Director of the Financial Aid Office, said that they close for three reasons. The office is experiencing a reduction in staff, undergraduate recipients for financial aid have increased 70 percent, and questions and inquiries during lunch could not be handled by a support staff on a rotational basis.

"When we are open...we try and provide all services. The result is better service for the vast majority who need attention," Dr. Richards said.

"The only free time I have is at lunch. It's like I can never get to solve the problems I have. It just gets me frustrated that I can never get the help when I need it," said Jennifer Falce, a small departments.

Like the Financial Aid office, they are open late on Thursday night.

This did not solve the problem for Colleen Eisele, a junior. "I had a problem with the I-Card Office. They just weren't open when I needed them to be open. I had to get things done before I left school for the day, and they weren't available."

The Office of International Services and Global Education is closed from 12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m. for different reasons. Ms. Ipolya Szuromi, International Student Advisor, said "We decided to close the office because of legal immigration documentation and confidential documents in this office. It is closed so the office is safe."

Students like sophomore Tamzin Leavy must wait at the door for them to reopen. "It's a pain. It is the only free time I have and they are always closed."

While many offices close their doors at 12:00 p.m., there are some that stay open for the benefit of students. The Drop-In Center, which is sponsored by the SGA and located next to the Student Center, has a sign on the door that reads, "If we can't help you, we know someone who can, 24 hours a day, seven days a week."

Students can go to the center for peer counseling, information, and referrals. Their answering machine will even direct students to the Psychological Services office or a 24-hour hotline to meet the students' needs.

"It's good to know that there is always someone I can turn to if a problem arises," one student said.

Other offices that do not close for lunch are the Office of the Registrar, Undergraduate Admissions, and Student Accounts & Cash Control. President Reid said that offices are probably closed because of a lack of staff. "Students on campus want to go to the offices during lunch, and are surprised to find them closed. We do not want offices closing for the convenience of the offices. If it is happening, I wish to know why. If it isn't justified then it will be changed. I will raise the issue with the departments to look into the hours for the convenience of the students."

All of the offices, however, offer a special convenience to students during holidays. They stay open and operate on a skeleton staff so that students have extra time when classes are not running.
Blanton leaks and Student Center drips dampen spirits

by Klaus Fielich

These have been rather humid days for the users of the glass-walkway in the annex of the Student Center and for some residents of Blanton Hall. Several reports raised into the Residence Life office last semester when Blanton Hall residents complained about water dripping throughout the walls and virtually flooding vast areas of the carpet. In some cases furniture and students' property were significantly damaged.

Several complaints were received about damp conditions and mildew growth on wall surfaces. Upon inspection, Blanton Hall management decided to provide some residents with shampoo to clear the mildew, humidifiers for the dorms, and in one case, they opted to close an unoccupied room. That room will remain closed pending resolution of the problem. When asked about future actions that would be taken, Shelly Jackson said that an extensive sealing job had been conducted over the winter break. "Caulking and re-corking will be done under personal supervision of Directors of Facilities, Don Cooper," she said. Caulking was applied on the various areas where water would filter into the rooms. Cooper said that ever since the roof was patched, no more leaks have been reported to him. He informed the request to replace the damaged roof has been filed but due to endless bureaucratic paperwork, this hasn't begun yet. However towards the end of the Spring Term, a formal inspection and restoration of the affected areas will be conducted.

Cooper mentioned that there is no warranty on the original construction so legally no actions can be taken based on the structural mistakes that caused these leaks. Nevertheless he expects the work to be done by July prior to the return of student residents in the fall.

Regarding the Student Center leaks, little information was available. The problem with the leaking tiles of the patio had been taken care of and the notorious leak into the SGA office has ceased. The glass walkway is another problem. Rick Leto, treasurer of the SGA, said that there have been leaks in one place or another in the walkway for years.

Legal Studies Dept. announces new MA

by Victor Gritts

The Department of Legal Studies at MSU announced last week that the first Master of Arts Degree in Legal Studies in New Jersey, and one of the few in the United States, will be instituted in September, 1995.

Dr. Marilyn Tayler, Chair of the Department of Legal Studies said, "This is the first new program to be approved since the creation of the University (receiving university status) and since the abolishing of the Department of Higher Education."

This degree will provide opportunities for career enhancement for legal professionals. It also provides graduate instruction in Legal Studies through a broad range of subjects which develops a student's critical understanding of the law.

According to the announcement released this past week, this MA in Legal Arts is highly recommended for paralegals, human resource personnel, professors of law-related education, dispute resolution providers and other legal professionals for whom advanced education in the field is beneficial.

"It is a chance for people to do advance study in the legal field, when law school is not the right choice for them," Tayler said.

The Department of Legal Studies reported that currently there are four highly qualified full-time faculty members in the Department of Legal studies to support the Master of Arts program, with a fifth faculty member to be hired in September as Legal Research Coordinator.

Barbara A. Nagle, Graduate Advisor and a faculty member for the Masters program, said, "This program will give Montclair State broad recognition in the field of law at the graduate level." According to Mrs. Taylor there has already been a positive response to the program from faculty and students.

If you have any questions about the offerings, you can call the Legal Studies Department at (201)655-4152. If you wish to apply, contact Graduate Admissions at (201)655-5147.

Delta Kappa Psi found not guilty

by Teri Ryan

The Greek Council judicial court found Delta Kappa Psi not guilty of conduct unbecoming the Greek community, after a hearing held last Thursday. Dean Harris, Associate Dean of Students charged the fraternity after a student's neck was cut during a party held off-campus.

The vote was 15-13, but three of the jurors left before casting their votes. The jury was light to begin with, having only 31 members as opposed to the traditional 35.

The prosecution charged that Delta Kappa Psi neglected to provide adequate security at their party. They also stated that the fraternity violated New Jersey law by charging money for alcohol without a liquor license, and by serving alcohol to minors.

The defense said that they took all the precautions they could for an off-campus party. Delta Kappa Psi contended that since students have to rent houses in their own names, they are the ones who are liable, not the university.

Mike Costa, President of the Greek Council, said that he "can't fault Delta Kappa Psi for doing off campus what it couldn't do on campus." He also does not "agree with the administration putting in a hand to negatively effect any organization."

Dean Harris said that the situation at the fraternity house was dangerous and that he was worried about students' safety. In his closing argument, according to several anonymous SGA jurors, Harris said that the only thing MSU is known for is the Confederate Flag that Delta Kappa Psi brought to campus.

Greg MacSweeney, a member of Delta Kappa Psi, said, "I'm shocked that Dean Harris would build his entire case around student safety, but then in his closing argument, dredge up the Confederate flag issue. It makes one wonder why Delta Kappa Psi was really on trial. Luckily something positive should come of this with the Greeks taking a good hard look at this farce that some call a judicial court."

The Greek Community is responsible for monitoring its own conduct. The SGA executive board, the Dean of Students, and the Associate Dean of Students can also bring charges against a Greek organization.

There has been some confusion as to what "conduct unbecoming the Greek Community" means. Delta Kappa Psi was charged with the same infraction during the Confederate Flag incident last fall.

"If we need to outline rules stating what conduct unbecoming the Greek Community is, it stands now, almost anything can be construed as conduct unbecoming." Costa agreed that it was important to review the current guidelines saying that he is "happy it [the trial] started a dialogue without punishing anyone as an example."
Campus Police report

UPDATE

Maurice Perry, the MSU maintenance worker who was charged with stealing sodium chloride, went to court on March 2. He changed his plea from not guilty to guilty. He was fined. He is paying his fine on an installment plan.

ASSIST OTHER AGENCY

Feb. 28 at 2:00 p.m. the Clifton Police Department picked up an MSU student at the Campus Police Station. There had been a bench warrant issued for his arrest.

THEFT

Feb. 28 between 12:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m. in the library a student left her purse briefly unattended, and her wallet was stolen from it.

The wallet was found in the train station parking lot on Normal Avenue at 3:05 p.m. and returned to the owner.

March 6 in the Blanton Hall cafeteria a female employee put her wallet in her coat pocket and hung up her coat. When she returned, the pocket and the wallet were missing.

March 2 between 11:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. at the Field House money was stolen from a jacket pocket.

March 6 between 4:00 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. a wallet was stolen from the library.

CRIMINAL MISCHIEF

March 5 at 12:50 a.m. a glass door in the Student Center Ballroom was broken and blood was found on the ground.

March 5 at 10:15 a.m. in lot 28 the rear window of an ’85 Chevrolet Blazer was broken and the contents of the vehicle were thrown on the ground.

March 6 between 12:30 a.m. and 4:30 a.m. in Memorial Auditorium a campus emergency phone was found on the ground. It had apparently been ripped off the wall.

SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

Feb. 28 at 7:30 p.m. a student reported that a male student was following her in the auditorium during the Battle of the Bands concert. He approached her and asked her if she had a knife. He said that she probably wanted to cut him, and that if she did he would bite her.

Campus Police escorted him out of the auditorium and identified him. The victim said she did not want to pursue the incident any further at that time.

She reported that the same man had followed her in the past, but that she had not been that concerned until he made the comments. The dean of students was notified of the incident.

March 4 between 4:30 p.m. and 4:20 p.m. a female student in the library put her raincoat across a chair. She later noticed a male student touching the coat.

She asked him to accompany her to the Campus Police station. He agreed and reported that he is a library assistant. He said that he was leaning over to pick up some change he had dropped, when he accidentally touched the coat.

ASSAULT/FIGHT

March 6 at 6:25 p.m. two residents of Blanton hall were fighting in the lobby of that building. One man accused the other of stealing money and property.

The two exchanged harsh words. One man displayed a razor blade and the other’s jacket was cut.

One man was punched in the face and suffered an abrasion and swelling. He refused medical attention.

The two had been friends for some time. Neither wanted to file criminal charges against the other.

The dorm director asked one of the men to leave for the night. A discussion was scheduled for the next day.

MEDICAL

March 6 at 11:08 a.m. a male maintenance worker was climbing a ladder when it unlocked and collapsed. He injured his elbow, ankle, and both hands.

ALARMS

Feb. 28 at 11:09 p.m. a motion detector in the bookstore set off the intrusion alarm.

March 5 at 10:46 a.m. in Bohn Hall, several residents reported smelling the odor of electrical burning.

It was discovered that the smoke was coming from the elevator room in the basement.

One of the elevator motors or a bearing had burned out. The Clifton Fire Department was called.

The elevator company and campus maintenance were informed.

MISCELLANEOUS

March 3 an MSU student was arrested by the Montclair Police Department. An investigation is underway.

Rape stats. shock students

MEYER*

Recently another woman was attacked on campus. Since we live in a culture of violence against women, a self-defense course should be a mandatory part of our education.

It would be more practical than a large majority of the required GERS. A film shown in Women’s Worlds classes at MSU, Dreamworlds: Desire/Self/Pow'r in Rock Video examined people’s attitudes about rape and gender roles. The director of film studies at the University of Massachusetts at Amherst, Sutjhally, made the film and included the results of a national survey of over 6,000 college students.

Some of the responses were shocking. For example, of the respondents:

one in eight college women were raped. One in four has experienced an attempted rape. Eighty-four percent of those raped knew their attackers. Fifty-seven percent of those rapes happened on dates.

Sixty percent of the men surveyed agreed that the women provoked it if dressed “suggestively” or if the guy paid for a date. Forty percent of surveyed women also agreed with that statement. Thirty percent of men surveyed said that, “rape would do some women some good.” A rape is reported in this country every six minutes. One in four victims had multiple attackers. One in four women are raped in a lifetime in the U.S.

Asian organization coming back to MSU

RYAN

There will be an Asian organization at MSU again. A constitution is being written up and is in the process of getting approved by the SGA.

The percentage of Asian students at MSU has been a rising figure in recent years and does not appear to be slowing down. Since the club representing this population at MSU dissipated years ago, Linh, a determined and ambitious student at MSU, is working hard to organize interested students and set up meetings once again.

The Asian Organization will be updated in several ways. The organization will welcome anyone interested in joining or attending functions, without discrimination of their race. Social activities will be held, as well as charity fundraisers. Tutoring will also be made available to members.

The objective of the new society is to promote cultural awareness and a sense of community between the diversified races on campus. The group aims to open opportunities for foreign exchange students or newcomers of the country. Organizers hope it will make meeting and socializing with Americans and other exchange students easier.

Other ideas are still under consideration. If you are interested, have suggestions, or just curious, stop by a meeting or call 667-2231 for more information.
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Any Questions, call the La Campana office at
655-4346.
Members of Delta Phi Epsilon sorority at the third annual Deepher Dude, where they raised money for Cystic Fibrosis

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$285 dollars from the MTA account for a trip to the Caribbean Music Awards to be held in the Apollo Theater in Harlem, NY.

A bill containing ideas for improvement in Residence Life was passed by a vote 14-0-0.

There were two possible forums announced. Tara McCaffrey, the Director of External Affairs, announced that there are plans for an open forum on tuition hikes, to be held on March 28, 1995 in the Student Center Ballrooms.

The Director of Academic Affairs, Lauren Pytleski announced that an open forum on Hate Crimes is in the works.
Bookstore getting a face lift

by Anne Johansen

The campus bookstore is currently undergoing renovations so it can improve services to students and make the bookstore easier to use, said Richard Ammerman, bookstore manager.

There will be a wide array of cosmetic changes to bring the university bookstore up-to-date. Because there will be an increase in retail space, an area will be set aside for returns.

Some of other improvements include the re-introduction of more general reading books, magazines, and the increase of the trade book department.

There will also be a textbook customer service representative on the floor to assist students.

MSU is not paying for the renovations. They are being paid by Follett, the Chicago-based company that leases and runs the bookstore.

"It's part of the original proposal that Follett submitted to the college," said Ammerman.

Follett also runs the bookstores at Seton Hall and Bloombield College.

Many students feel that prices are too high. "There should be more used books," said Kim Nucera, an English major, "and I like the clothing that they sell but I'm a college student and can't afford to pay those prices."

"The publisher controls the prices of the new textbooks," said Ammerman. "We prefer to buy back books and sell them used so that we don't have to pay the publisher for new books or for the freight."

The bookstore tries to have as many used books as possible for resale, said Ammerman. As for the price of clothing, Ammerman said that the bookstore has a "higher quality product that we've ever had in the store."

Students have complained about the low prices paid for book buybacks or that the bookstore won't buy their books at all.

"I bought $80 and $60 textbooks and they wouldn't buy them back," said Doreen Kruk, a political science major.

Ammerman said that when students sell their books back that many students get back 50 percent of what they originally paid.

In Dec. 1994 the bookstore paid a total of $115,000 to students who received half of their original purchase price.

If the book edition has been changed there is no market value for the previous edition. "Publishers are constantly bringing in new editions because they want to block the used book market," said Ammerman.

The condition of the book is also important. For example, if a student has written in a lab book or the cover is missing the bookstore cannot buy those books back.

Professors must also get their book orders in on time. If the professor runs the book order in late the bookstore won't be buying back books from students, said Ammerman.

Some students have complained that the used textbooks are still too expensive.

"We work on the margin that has been the industry standard for the past nine years," Ammerman said.

Follett has customer service cards located at the main registers. Students with complaints about prices or products should fill out these cards. "We read the cards and what students say," said Sue Wiggins, a representative for Follett.

Ammerman said that he maintains an open-door policy for students, and if they have any complaints they can go and talk to him.

The renovations are scheduled to be finished by mid-April, but the first phase is running ahead of schedule, Ammerman said.

Republicans and Democrats battle over education

by Dave Richards

Do you know about the contract with America? If your answer is no, then don't feel bad because fewer than 30 percent of Americans had even heard of it when they voted for a Republican sweep of Congress in November. The contract is a 10-point plan which includes proposals to balance the budget, reform welfare, restrict congressional term limits, and incorporate a series of personal and corporate tax cuts. But what does this mean to the average college student?

Middle class college loans appear to be the most vulnerable in the wake of the Contract with America. Currently, the government affords students a grace period on loan interest while they are in school.

Republicans plan to do two things: eliminate that grace period, as well as cut nearly $20 billion in student aid. If approved, loan interest would begin accruing immediately and the largest increase in the cost of college in the nation's history would occur.

These student aid proposals appear on a list of "possible offsets" to help pay for the GOP plan.

Rep. Marge Roukema (R-NJ) will introduce a bill that calls for eliminating the Pell Grant program. If this is enacted, an estimated 3.7 million students will lose grant awards.

Many are surprised by these bold proposals. They [the proposals] contradict the opinion of the general public. According to a Dec. 1994 Times Mirror poll by the Princeton Survey Research Associates, 41 percent of those surveyed would increase student financial aid if they were responsible for devising the federal budget. 43 percent reported that they would leave aid funding at its current level. Only 13 percent responded that they would decrease spending.

In a March 1993 CNN/USA Today poll by the Gallup Organization, 42 percent of those surveyed responded that the federal government should take a "great deal" of responsibility for providing college education for those who want it. 41 percent said that a "fair amount" was necessary, while six percent believed that the government had no responsibility in this area.

Students who rely on interest-exempt loans to attend college would see their cost of attendance rise significantly if they are charged interest while they are in school. In fact, removing the interest exemption would increase the amount of indebtedness by 15 to 50 percent.

According to the Alliance to Save Student Aid, "The government covers the interest on loans to help make college accessible for low and moderate income students, to encourage them to complete their education, and to ensure that they don't face heavy debt burdens upon graduation."

In a speech to the American Council on Education in San Francisco on Feb. 14, President Clinton outlined differences with the Republicans.

He said, "I will fight these proposals every step of the way. The fight for education is the fight for the American Dream. It is the fight for America's middle class. It is the fight for the 21st century."

President Clinton vowed to protect 4.5 million current borrowers from paying the interest charges on their loans until after they finish school and start repaying their loans.

The Department of Education estimates that by ending this subsidy, a student who borrows $17,125 over a four-year period would owe $3,150 more in interest, and have his or her monthly repayment amount increased by more than 18 percent.

Richard Riley, U.S. Secretary of Education, stated in his Second Annual State of American Education Address, "We intend to maintain and increase our commitment to the Pell Grant program because it is an essential statement of our commitment to access and equity in higher education."

He said, "I am concerned that in the rush to cut budgets, we can do unintentional but very real damage to the jewel of the American educational system-our system of higher education."

The Alliance to Save Student Aid has established a telephone hotline and Internet resource address to help students contact their congressional representatives. They can be reached at 1-800-574-4AID which directly connects callers to the Washington, D.C. offices of their member of Congress.

The call costs $3.65 and can be billed to any major credit card. You can send an e-mail message to students@nchcmail.nchc.edu.
Rothenberg speaks on Gender and Race

by Kristina Mathison and Erica Duncan

On Monday, Paula Rothenberg, Director of the New Jersey Project and professor of Philosophy and Women's Studies at William Paterson College, gave a lecture entitled “Gender, Race and Class in the 1990's: Is the Personal Still Political?”

Rothenberg stated in one of her books that only white Americans, especially white males, can be racist due to the American history of slavery. She also stated that all men and only men can be sexist in our current society.

Rothenberg wrote in her book entitled, Racial and Sexism: an integrated study, “While an individual person of color may discriminate against white people or even hate them, his or her behavior can not be called racist.”

Rothenberg spoke of the impossibilities of making sense of the past, present and future without the concern and use of one's gender, race and/or class.

She gave examples from the New York Times of how women are portrayed in today's American society. She showed the audience ads of scantily clad women which appeared next to the major business news of the world.

Rothenberg also mentioned the philosophy of John Stuart Mill who believes that there is a distinction between the public and the private. For example, if a man beats his wife in the street, he can be arrested, but if that man abuses his wife inside his home, it is a matter that is supposed to remain behind closed doors.

Rothenberg reached the climax of her lecture when she discussed the differences in our education and how that ultimately effects our insights. She theorized that our schooling has taught us to see the world through the eyes of white, upper class, Christian males.

Also, Rothenberg said that we tend to notice what interests us. For example, she said that when a person buys a new car she sees that make and model everywhere she goes even though she may never have noticed that type of car before.

If one does not have the knowledge, then one does not have the ability to notice the difference between one's race, sex and class.

SGA Class I-IV make ASO “Culture Night '95” a great success

By Anthony O'Donnell

On Sunday, March 5 the Arab Student Organization presented “Culture Night '95,” a campus-wide event involving the participation of all Class I and II organizations, and several Class III and IV groups. Held in the Student Center Ballrooms, the event featured readings, theatrical sketches, traditional dances and a live band playing popular and traditional Arabian music.

A spirit of “unity in diversity” prevailed as the various organizations made enthusiastically received presentations. Their subject matter varied widely. Among the offerings were African tribal dances performed by members of the O.S.A.U. A comical sketch describing the “pick-up” techniques of Frenchmen by Le Cercle Français, Caribbean dancing by LASO, and numbers from the musical Hair by players performers.

While the acts proceeded, guests were invited to help themselves to an abundant supply of food provided by the sponsor, the student group and Le Cercle Français. Hors d'oeuvres, croissants sandwiches, pizza and soda were followed by various desserts and coffee, and a large cake made to commemorate the event.

An atmosphere of formality characterized the early part of the evening but this gave way gradually to a more relaxed and familiar tone.

A degree of excitement was maintained by a steady flow of performers either preparing nervously or returning triumphantly from their acts. Once the majority had done their work the gathering became less like a conference and more like a festival. Towards the latter part of the evening most of the crowd had converged on the floor to dance to the amplified music of the Arabian band.

“I have to admit that I found the music a little strange at first,” said William Swan. “But it began to grow on me pretty quickly. It’s really exotic.”

Guests had favorable comments about other aspects of the event.

“There were some excellent performances,” said Carlos Espinoza. “I especially liked the dance interpretation of Edith Piaf’s music, and I thought the African dances were done in a very authentic spirit.”

An unidentified member of the Philosophy and Religion club requested dancing lessons from Sandy Garcia.

Latinio heritage is key to overcoming racism and stereotypes

by Juan-Marie Navarreza

The importance of maintaining contact with Latino heritage as a key to overcoming racism and stereotypes was the primary message of Puerto Rican television host, professor and speaker Willie Sanchez.

In a lecture sponsored by LASO (Latin American Student Organization) on Tuesday night in the Student Center, Sanchez discussed the nature, roots and direction of racism among Latinos and towards Latinos that is prevalent in society.

Sanchez, who is the first Latino programmer from New York to win an Emmy award for his show “Images/Imágenes”, explained that he found the key to understanding himself was to learn about everyone else around him. He emphasized this belief as he guided the audience through an historical analysis of racism.

Racism, according to Sanchez, has a very specific meaning: Remove All Cultural Identity by Systematic Manipulation. The key to overcoming this phenomena, according to Sanchez, is the attainment of power by Latinos who are aware of the forms it takes by educating themselves about their heritage through communication with elders.

Sanchez’s lecture covered points in Latino development from 711 A.D. to the present. He said that a racist system has grown to comprise modern-day Latinos (Indians, Africans, mulattos, mestizos, Spaniards and Europeans) which, according to the “Images” host, “still plagues you today”.

Emphasis on word origins was consistently highlighted in the lecture. Particularly, surprising to many in the audience, was the origin of the term “negrita”.

Later, Sanchez revealed that this was a name given to house slaves, who were often used as a “cure” for syphilis and gonorrhea by their masters; folklore said that if a man suffering from one of these diseases had sex with a 12 or 13-year-old virgin, often the “negrita” would be cured.

Then, Sanchez presented a plethora of examples of representations of Latinos in history and in the media, constantly reminding the audience of the importance of awareness of how they are portrayed and how they must correct this often faulty portrayal.

“Pass it (this knowledge) on,” Sanchez said to the audience. “Don’t keep it for yourself. The only way that we’re going to get up that mountain is if we help each other.”

Next, the audience was asked to participate in an “experiment”, which allowed Sanchez to highlight many of the stereotypes individuals are accustomed to in everyday life. These individuals were then brought to the front of the room. Based on their appearance - how “Hispanic” they appeared - they were classified into a particular stereotypical role, such as the “Latin Lover” or the “Spitfire”.

Sanchez’s thorough knowledge of history and the current portrayals of Latinos in society appeared to impact and impress the people present.

“I’ve known Willie for three or four years, and I’ve learned a lot of history from him... he makes a great role model. He practices what he preaches,” said Sandy Garcia, Latinisimo chairperson.

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Dr. Hess’ lecture on “assault on Mars”

by Kurt Richardson

Dr. Fred Hess gave a very eloquent and charismatic speech, which was sponsored by the North Jersey Astronomical Group. He opened with a classical Greek quote from the king of the gods, Zeus, “Ares ranged the battlefield, striking deadly blows on all sides, his two squires, Deimos (fear) and Phobos (panic) accompanied him together with other sombre divinities eager to drink the black blood of the dying.” Ares was disliked not only for his thirst for blood and slaughter, but for his brutality and blind violence, yet Ares rarely emerged victorious from combat either with immortal Gods nor with minor ones, in his love affairs he was also unhappy, being laughed to scorn by the other Gods during his adulterous affair with Aphrodite, the Goddess of love and beauty (Venus).

Mars is the Roman name for the Greek god Ares. The ancients associated the planet Mars with negativity because of its reddish color. Current interest in Mars is generated by the simple fact of its being so accessible to mankind. Mars is only eight-thousand miles away from the Earth and it would take approximately two months to travel there. Mars rotates on its axis every twenty-four and a half hours. It’s day is only slightly longer than Earth’s.

Newt Gingrich has recommended the colonization of Mars and would allow those who went to live tax free.

Nine marinersatellites have been sent to Mars for expositions and photographs to map out every square inch of this planet’s surface.

The craters on Mars’ surface are not impressive because of Mars’ atmosphere. Sand storms can last from three to seven months. Citrus Major is the greatest sand pile on Mars.

The next time Earth and Mars will be in perfect opposition will be June 13, 2001. This will lessen the time for the Mars destination. Beams will be shot down from ships to examine the surface of Mars and to detect the radiation of the suns atomic frequencies. Minerals will be scanned for their consistency to determine the safety in biological experiments with the soil. Mars is the target for tomorrow.

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Interview: An anatomical perusal of Flesh

by Darla Bruno

Why flesh? Drummer, Gonga gives an earnest answer in a heavy Boston accent, “It comes from the Bible. It tries to put aside differences. Flesh, everybody has that in common.” Hmm, a more introspective answer than I expected. I thought maybe a tribute to Jeffery Dahmer or some sexual reference.

DB: Recently someone described your album Flesh to me as “funk metal” how would you describe your music?

G: Me personally? Anything. Extreme has always been a big influence. We’re all field players, he mentions how all of the band members are instrumentally versatile! I’m influenced by my other band mates, the same goes for them. Everything, Cheap Trick, The Beatles, AC/DC.

Flesh has been together for eight years. Gonga was previously a roadie for them but auditioned as a drummer two years ago and has been playing with them ever since. Flesh are from Boston and mostly play in and around the New England area.

They recently started a tour with Extreme in Florida and are working their way up the east coast. They’ll be coming to The Academy in Manhattan March tenth. When asked about the experience of touring with Extreme, Gonga announced, “It’s great. We love it!”

DB: Aside from your obvious religious influences, what are some of your musical influences?

G: It’s not really a category. We vary our music as much as we can. The main thing is we put emotion into everything we can. Each song has a story behind it. Mark writes all the lyrics. For example, “Almighty Man” is about God. No one can be like him. So don’t try.

DB: Oh, doubting my original suspicions so you guys are religious?

G: Well, were not some Christian band but Mark is really religious. A lot of his inspiration comes from the Bible. He’s not into preaching, the bible is just a source for his inspiration.

DB: Aside from your obvious religious influences, what are some of your musical influences?

G: It’s very educational. You learn a lot about everything. It’s a lot of work mentally. On stage it’s like working an eight hour day in that set. Our shows are based on a lot of energy. It’s very physically demanding, but there’s nothing else I’d rather be doing now.

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The Fashion Boutique

by Deanna Mazza

Within the next few days I'm sure many of you will be gearing up for Spring Break '95. If you're looking forward to sun, fun, and relaxation one item will surely be needed. That's right, a bathing suit. I know... some cringe at this horrid word but this season is all about diversity. So, don't fret. If you're one who dares to bear it all or likes to leave a little to the imagination there's something stylish out there for you.

First off, you should consider the specific activities you intend to participate in while you're away. With this information you will make educated decisions based on your needs. For instance, if you plan on basking in the sun all week lean towards something with thin straps. However, if you know you're going jet skiing, snorkeling, waterskiing, etc. you should consider an athletic suit that will enable you to compete while looking feminine.

It appears that the colors ushering in the season at Macy's (Willowbrook) are the standard navy, white, and black. Also, pastels: pink, light blue, neutral colors and yellow.

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by Henry Veggan

One of the main reasons I began writing this column was the lack of any kind of extended discourse in the paper on subjects that were not necessarily today's news. Instead of pursuing the mainstream discussions and events we are informed of in a one-dimensional and superficial way by the six o'clock news, I dedicate myself to digging up the most obscure and neglected areas of our culture. I believe these areas exist at the creative margins of society, and by talking about them we might open up a new frontier of criticism that is not limited by the more conventional apparatus of academic criticism but expands what is best of that method of writing and discourse to new areas.

Montclair State University is a predominantly commuter school, and totally lacks any dynamic on-campus culture. This is not to say some events do not succeed, only that they fail to do so consistently. If this newspaper should have any function at all, it should be to create a campus culture that provides students with something to talk about.

For those who do not yet know, there is an excellent book reading group on campus that meets once every six weeks to talk about a book they have collectively picked to read. The group is called "Conversations," and is run by Dr. Monika Elber of the English department. The group reads contemporary authors such as Gabriel Garcia-Margquez, Isabel Allende, Louise Erdrich, E.L. Doctorow, Ron Hansen, and Toni Morrison. In their diversity of ethnicity and experience, these writers range from Native American to Latin American to African American, and even New York oriented writers such as Doctorow.

On Wednesday, March 22, the group will read Red Sorghum by Mo Yan, a contemporary Chinese writer. I have already read this novel (which has been compared to Faulkner and Garcia Marquez), which was released in America in its film version before it was translated as a book.

Published in China in 1986, the book narrates the experiences of a peasant family in the northern Chinese provinces during the war between the Maoist and Nationalist forces and also during the Japanese invasion of China. This tumultuous historical context provides the backdrop for the story of a family that is built upon a marriage between a farmer and a nobleman's daughter. The family becomes involved in the struggles of the local farmers who form an independent militia that refused to fight on any one side of the shifting military alliances that occur at the international level. I don't want to give away too much plot, but this is not just a novel about war. The prose is extremely powerful, and if the book is this good in translation, it must be a wonder to read in Chinese.

There is another good reason to read this book. Mo Yan (which in Chinese means "he who has no name") is not only a literary sensation in his homeland, he is also a recluse who is persecuted by the Chinese government and is not allowed to leave the country to promote his book. Chinese writers are generally unheard of in the West, and even though China is the world's fastest growing economic power, Westerners know almost nothing about its incredibly complex history and culture. As a result, Red Sorghum exists at a bridge between art and history, and is the perfect vehicle for taking a first look at 20th century Chinese history and culture.

The book reading circle is open to everybody, and all newcomers are encouraged and welcome not only to participate but also to suggest books. The group meets at 8 pm in room B-432.

In conclusion, I would like to praise Mr. Tom Resko religiously for contributing his incredibly informative piece on the history of Godzila films last week. This is exactly the kind of reaction Darla and myself are looking for (and for which I am sure the rest of the writers look for it as well) when we write articles on supposedly "weird" subjects because it confirms our suspicion that somewhere on this campus there exist free-thinking people who are tired of boring subject-of-the-day discussions found so often in the media and believe a University newspaper should dare to challenge some of the prevailing norms of "journalism."

Hey kids! I'm really broke, so I didn't do anything cool this past week, which is why you are all being treated to a fabulous CD review. The CD we will check out is my favorite CD by my favorite tenor saxophonist, Lester Young.

The CD is titled "Charlie Parker 1949: Jazz at the Philharmonic," it's on Polylam records. Now you can buy it too. It's a kick ass CD, not only because of Lester Young, but also because of the other artists involved.

Buddy Rich on the drums, Charlie "Bird" Parker on the alto sax. Ella Fitzgerald, vocals Roy Eldridge on trumpet and Hank Jones on piano, as well as Lester Young on tenor sax, makes this CD to intergalactic that it is hard not to listen to and get entranced.

Since I don't have a CD player up here at school, I made my friend let me borrow hers. When I asked her what she thought of the music, she said it was uplifting and that is it.

"The Opener" is a good, upbeat tune with nice syncopation and improvisations. However, my favorite track on this CD is the second one, "Lester Leaps In." Lester first recorded his tune with Count Basie's Kansas City Seven on September 9, 1939; ten years and eight days later on September 18, 1939, he re-recorded it with Charlie Parker. It's like a wine that ages well over time, the older, the better. This track is a very good example of Young breaking the rules and going his own way. He plays his horn so lightly that it seems like it's a alto, but it still holds tenor qualities.

"Lester Leaps In" is actually based on George Gershwin's "I Got Rhythm," if you listen you will hear. This is not the only track that is based on Gershwin's original score. Although some of the music is borrowed from other artists, it makes no difference because what all these artists add is more than they have taken, This Jazz is not Blues or Dixieland or Rag, it's Jazz pure and simple. No strings attached, no papers to sign no performances to make, it's unadulterated jazz.

Now go and listen to this CD, but will love it, because Ella will lull you, Rich will keep your heart rate steady, Bird will astound you, and Lester Young will excite you.

So here's an idea for next week, why don't you all stop by and give me a nice, shiny quarter so I can go to a jazz club in Boston over Spring Break. I'm really broke. I'll see you all in two weeks!

P.S. Since registration is coming up soon, you all should try to sign up for Dr. Ongela's "Introduction to Jazz" course...you will not be sorry.

To submit any information, comments or questions in regard to this column, call X5169 or drop by the Montclairon office in room 113 of the Student Center Annex
Battle of the bands: A hodgepodge of musical talent

by Tami Morgan

The second band onstage was Curious Works, one of the only two bands here who actually had a band member who attends MSU. They consisted of Han Lee on lead guitar, Andy Hunt, lead singer and MSU art major, J.J. Belle on bass, and Paul Jones on drums. Very hard sounding band who cites Mother Love Bone and The Red Hot Chili Peppers as two of their musical influences. I wasn’t crazy about them, but to be honest and fair, I usually listen to stuff like Hootie and the Blowfish. If you like your music hard and heavy, this band is for you. They wanted the Montclarion to thank their stage crew for all of their help (they did have an excellent stage crew that night) and extend a warm middle finger to security for refusing to allow the audience to stand up and cheer for the band. Feel free to write to them at: Curious Works
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There will be no issue next week but stay tuned. The following week I will take you through a bizarre journey into the life of Ed Wood.

Film Fool of the Week: (Taken from Film Fails, More Memorable Movie Mistakes)

by Bill Givens) In Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan (1982), when told that Spock is dying, Kirk runs to the engine room with his jacket buttoned all the way up. But when he reaches the engine room, it’s opened all the way back with the white flaps showing. Then when he gets to the glass, one lapel shows with the red side of the other jacket buttoned across it. When, he slides to the floor, both white jacket flaps show again.

THE INBRED

Myrtle Strange went on last, but I’ll mention them here before I mention the next to last band. Myrtle Strange was Dave Alcott on bass guitar and backing vocals, Tony Conduants on guitar and lead vocals, Brian Dougherty on guitar and backing vocals, and Dave Collegrove on drums. They don’t go to school here, they are architectural interns, they are working on a CD and say “We don’t like to classify our music.” If you want to hear more, write to: Myrtle Strange
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Which one is the insane killer? Dementia 13 (1963, B&W, 81min.)

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The film is set around a haunted castle in Ireland. With the use of crooked credit captions and music similar to Psycho the viewer immediately knows they’re in for an eccentric tale. The opening scene mysteriously defies the laws of logic. Louise (Luana Anders) drops her husband’s body into a lake along with a radio that continues playing even under water. The film contained all the necessary elements to make a good horror story, intense music, a haunted castle with secret passageways, explicit decapitation scene, hair-raising shrieks and a wind-up monkey wielding an ax.

John, Louise’s husband (as I mentioned earlier) died in the opening shot. John’s mom, Lady Maloran, had some problems of her own. She was diagnosed insane by the good family doctor who was more of a lunatic than a physician. Richard was the hard-working son who was engaged to Kane, the dippy fiancée. Lillian, the maid had about two lines, I think she was looking for a new job. Then there was Billy, the other son who was haunted by the death of his little sister, Kathleen who he accidentally pushed into a lake during an afternoon of innocent play. In the course of the film, Billy became a sanguineous, ax murderer (but you’re not supposed to know that). He creates a wax figure of his dead sister and occasionally goes into trances singing: “Fishy, fishy, in the brook, daddy caught you by the hook.” I’m still not sure quite where that fit in but there were a lot of missing links in this murder mystery. For instance, Lady Maloran falls into a fatal shock in the middle of the film and is seemingly forgotten about by the others. Louise is missing and nobody cares. And there is no further mention of the will that was the original focus of the plot. A comedic balance is maintained throughout the film thanks to the absent-minded dialogue of Richard’s fiancée, Kane. Overall, I recommend this film but only if you’re willing to climb into the depths of... Dementia 13.

There will be no issue next week but stay tuned. The following week I will take you through a bizarre journey into the life of Ed Wood.

Film Fool of the Week: (Taken from Film Fails, More Memorable Movie Mistakes)

by Bill Givens) In Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan (1982), when told that Spock is dying, Kirk runs to the engine room with his jacket buttoned all the way up. But when he reaches the engine room, it’s opened all the way back with the white flaps showing. Then when he gets to the glass, one lapel shows with the red side of the other jacket buttoned across it. When, he slides to the floor, both white jacket flaps show again.

MONTCLARION 17
OUT TO LUNCH

When some important task of business has to be done, the busy student asks not when he or she would like to do it, but when he or she can do it. This often means either during their allotted lunch time, or following their afternoon classes. Unfortunately, during these times students may find the appropriate office closed.

For instance, students stopping at 12:01 P.M. at the office of Financial Aid, ID Services or International Services and Global Education will find themselves having to wait an hour before they can be attended.

The managers of these offices give reasonable-sounding accounts of their supposed necessity to close. But students must wonder why other important offices continue to function throughout the day. If the offices of the Registrar, Undergraduate Admissions and the Business Office can remain open, then why can’t the others?

President Reid has said, “we do not want offices closing for the convenience of the offices. If it is happening, I wish to know why. If it isn’t justified, then it will be changed.”

We thank President Reid, and we note his careful wording. We do not suggest that any office is being closed to suit any manager’s convenience. But we do insist that any claimed necessity to close be thoroughly examined. Perhaps some solutions could be found if they were more arduously sought. We trust President Reid will see that they are.

A request for such solutions would not be frivolous at any university. The fact that at this university many of our students work and/or commute makes the request all the more appropriate.
Rabbi extends Purim greeting to campus

More than twenty-three centuries ago, when the Persian Empire dominated the civilized world, an evil chamberlain, Haman, devised a diabolical plot to annihilate the Jewish population. But on the thirteenth day of the month of Adar, they were delivered from the wicked Haman’s decree. Each year on Purim we celebrate our victory and amid feasting and merriment we all rejoice when good prevails over evil.

At first reading, the Megilla (Scroll of Esther) which recounts the miracle of Purim, seems more like an epic tale of intrigue, the Jewish population and the Persian Empire. The closer we look into the intricate details of the Megilla, we can detect the unmistakable hand of Divine Providence. The more we discover that when the Persian Empire dominated the civilized world, it was accomplished through unity and the power of prayer.

Purim, seems more like an epic tale of evil ambition and palace intrigue. In fact, throughout this carefully woven story of evil ambition and palace intrigue, we do not find the name of G-d mentioned even once! Yet within the intricate details of the Megilla, we can detect the unmistakable hand of Divine Providence. The closer we look into the events of man, the more we discover that every "coincidence," every seemingly insignificant event is precisely arranged by the hand of the Almighty.

The overturning of this evil decree was accomplished through unity and prayer. The power of unity and of prayer are equally accessible today. Jews worldwide will be joining together this March 16 and calling out to G-d to bring about a better world, a world of goodness and kindness. Who doesn’t want a better, kinder world? All of humanity joining together to ask G-d for this is a voice that can’t be ignored. Take a moment on this day and reflect on how much our world needs Divine assistance and how Purim is the day to accomplish this.

In addition, there are several wonderful mitzvot that need to be done on Purim such as hearing the Megilla read in your temple, giving gifts of food to friends, and giving charity to the poor. There will be a major celebration on the night of Wednesday, March 15 with thousands of people in attendance.

For more information please call your Jewish chaplain on campus, Rabbi Benjamin Bressinger at (201) 267-8970. Let us all rejoice when good prevails over evil and understand that Jewish holidays are not just nice stories that happened once upon a time. Their lessons are lessons for our time also, and their victories can be accomplished today.

Rabbi Benjamin Bressinger, Campus Ministry

Montclair readers may have noticed the figure of Socrates appearing in the editorial section lately. The following is a dialogue which the Montclair Socrates might prefer had not been recorded.

Myself: Excuse me, Socrates! I wondering if I could have a word with you about the discussion you had with former Surgeon General Jocelyn Elders.

Socrates: Really? About what precisely?

Myself: Well, I found that the discussion wasn’t taken to its full conclusion. You argued with Mrs. Elders’ that she was encouraging people to have sex by distributing condoms in schools and ended up with the supposition that it would be better to encourage abstinence because abstinence is 100 percent effective. Correct?

Socrates: Correct.

Myself: Well, granted, abstinence is 100 percent effective in preventing the spread of AIDS through intercourse. But if it is 100 percent practical to advocate?

Socrates: Of course. If people are having sexual intercourse unnecessarily, and the distribution of condoms encourages this, then by advocating abstinence then you reduce the amount of unnecessary intercourse.

Myself: Socrates, are you actually advocating a specific opinion?

Socrates: Well, uh—

Myself: That seems a very uncharacteristic practice for you. But never mind. You said abstinence will reduce the amount of unnecessary intercourse. But does abstinence eliminate it entirely? Will there not always be people who will have intercourse?

Socrates: I’m sure that there will be some people. . . .

Myself: Then abstinence is not, after all, 100 percent effective is it? If you teach abstinence as the only means of preventing the spread of AIDS through sexual intercourse, but people still have intercourse despite this, then the whole point becomes moot. What good does abstinence do someone when they choose not to practice it?

Socrates: I see your point, and I can see that part of the population is at risk if not properly protected. But by offering to distribution condoms freely, Ms. Elders is encouraging people to have sex!

Myself: I doubt that you could be reasonably sure about that, but let’s say you’re correct. Let’s say that 10 percent of the population of America has unsafe sex. If abstinence as the only means of preventing AIDS is advocated, then 10 percent of the population runs the risk of catching, and dying from, AIDS. Now, let’s say that condom distribution is recommended as a means of protection along with abstinence. And let’s say that because of this, the amount of people having sex rises from 10 to 20 percent. Granted, more people are having sex, but 20 percent of the population is having protected intercourse as opposed to the previous 10 percent having unprotected intercourse. Does not the fact that more lives can be saved by including the distribution of condoms overshadow the concern of encouraging intercourse? Or would you rather sacrifice people for the sake of morality?

Socrates: I, er, um. . . .

Myself: I thought you would say that, Socrates. Or should I say (Craig steps forward and rips the latex mask off “Socrates”) Nelson Alonso?

Alonso: How. . . .

Myself: Your first mistake was actually taking one side of the issue. The authentic Socrates didn’t tend to do that. Plus, the real Socrates would have had the discussion further than you did with Ms. Elders. I can’t be sure if he would have endorsed my position, but he would at least have met it with arguments acknowledging that lives were at stake.

Craig Klein, English major

Piqued by paper paucity

Recently I was reminded of a terrible situation that exists on our beautiful campus. While sitting in class, I was informed by my professor that he would like to have given us a study guide for a test, but could not because there was no copy paper available.

Can someone please give me an explanation? Is this not the new state university? Is there a wood shortage that I failed to hear about in the news? I find it hard to believe that with all the equipment this institution goes out to buy - with our tuition money - they can’t buy a few thousand more reams of paper so I can get a stinking handout from my professor.

I hope Convocation Day comes soon so I can be reminded that we were really made a university. With problems like this we are a laughing stock to the whole university system. We better watch out or maybe they’ll be forced to make us Montclair State Community College if idiotic practices like this continue.

Maybe while President Reid and his colleagues are making their Lexus and BMW payments they can order more copy paper. I think we paid enough to deserve it.

Anthony S. Gaetano, History major

All letters to the editor must include a phone number.
Cannon fodder welcome, gay or straight: Columnist questions usefulness of military

Recently, a TV movie entitled “Serving in Silence: The Margarethe Cammermeyer Story,” starring Glenn Close in the title role, aired on NBC. It’s somewhat strange that I should mention this, seeing that, admittedly, I didn’t watch it. Nevertheless, I gathered enough information from NBC’s promos to discover that it was based on the true story of a female combat veteran who was released from her high ranking post in the army when it became known that she was a lesbian. This movie appeared in a timely manner, considering the heated debate centering around this issue, particularly during the Clinton presidency. In my view, however, people on both sides are overlooking the real issue.

I find that few people on either side bother to consider the merits, or lack thereof, of the military in the first place. Moreover, I disagree with those who say that this is beside the point.

Few would argue that the military is one of the most idolized institutions in society, be it in this country or abroad. We’re bombarded with propaganda urging people to enlist. These ads are generally targeted at young men in their late teens or early twenties, and appeal to a sense of adventure and machismo. Slogans such as, “Be all that you can be”, “Full Speed Ahead,” and, “We’re looking for a few good men” are typical examples. In the case of television or magazine ads, romanticized images are used, showing men congratulating one another after having scaled a steep cliff, generally with a magnificent sunset in the background. Radio ads use dramatic, “Go get ‘em boys!” music to entice the young listener. Likewise, as long as anyone can remember, miniature soldiers, in one form or another, have been the toys of choice for many young boys.

Several minor details are omitted from these ads. For instance, the question, “Are you prepared to take another person’s life if one of your ‘superiors’ deems it necessary?” is never asked. Other questions not posed include: “Do you have faith in Joe Senator’s or Corporate BigShot’s ability to establish whether or not you belong at the scene of the conflict in the first place? Are you ready to reconcile yourself with the fact that your opinion on these two questions becomes irrelevant the moment you enlist? Do you realize that many soldiers become demoralized and disillusioned and are left wondering once they return? Do you know that the very government officials sending you to “restore democracy” in some third world country are often the same ones who put the country’s dictator at the helm in the first place?”

Having read these questions some of you might respond, “Yes, but enlistment in the military is an effective way for those who lack money to get their share of the pie. It also offers the possibility of promotion to more prestigious posts.” It seems to me, however, that the same can be said about organized crime. Though I know many will disagree with me, I feel that the distinction between the two is much more subtle that people would care to admit.

All things considered, can the homosexual community play an effective role in the military? The answer is yes. This is also the case with women and children, as shown by Iran during its recent war with Iraq. Yes, they too can be exploited for military purposes. You’ll forgive me if I find nothing worth celebrating in any of these facts.

Likewise, when faced with the question, “should gays and lesbians be banned from the military?”, I choose to answer it on different terms: people throughout the world would be better off if they avoided self-defeating “Us and Them” cliches. Human life is not expendable. You say you want to serve you country? There are crises such as inadequate health care, homelessness, and the decay of the public school system, to name but a few. All need and deserve more than the lip service that they’ve been given. “Nuke the bastards!” heroics are not likely to make a dent in them any time soon.

Replacements’ attitude inspires nostalgic fan

May I toss an unsolicited point of view into the proverbial ring re the baseball strike? Not all of us understand the intricacies of this strike. As a matter of fact, the only thing that is mentioned financial “this and that” of what is going on.

I, like so many others, was brought up on baseball. We played it, we talked it, we flipped it and traded it, we watched it and we read it. We knew the stats because we treasured it, not because the cards were an investment, but because the game was part of our lives.

I’m sad for the players that now have a chance to stand at the plate of a real stadium. They are being scorned and laughed at and called names that they don’t deserve. Haven’t they stuck with the game all these years without six-or-seven-figure salaries and product endorsements? They personify baseball’s spirit of old years without six-or-seven-figure salaries and product endorsements. They are the stars because we are them for breakfast with our Wheaties. We treasured them, not because the cards were an investment, but because the game was part of our lives.

I would much rather watch baseball being played by men who love the game rather than by some “superstar” who’s been in and out of drug rehab or who habitually cries about his contract. And if I’m the only one that feels that way, then so be it. I’m not afraid to say that I’m looking forward to watching some baseball this year, even if I have to keep referring to the boxscores for the players’ names.

Angela Daidone, English major

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Dutch wisdom may apply to American woes

Like many film makers in the 1980's, Jonathan Blank was disturbed by what he perceived as Reagan's emphasis on economic freedom at the expense of civil liberties. Blank left the United States in search of a society that was more tolerant of problems, a society which had an almost religious view of civil liberties and the right to privacy. He found it in Holland, and made Dutch society the subject of his documentary, Sex, Drugs, and Democracy. Holland is a civil libertarian's dream, and its totally uninhibited views of drugs, sex, crime, and privacy would probably give Newt Gingrich a heart attack. According to Blank, the Dutch view the United States as a negative test case to their ideas. Interestingly, Holland has fewer social problems and a much lower crime rate than almost any other industrialized nation.

Sex is treated as it should be: a natural human function, with different variations for individual tastes. Pornography, with the exception of child pornography, is completely legal, as is prostitution. Adult theaters abound, and sex manuals covering every topic, from AIDS prevention to tips on how to masturbate, are readily available.

As with sex, drug use is completely legal. Marijuana is sold everywhere, from the street corner to gourmet marijuana shops. There are Drug Advice Bureaus to tell holders how potent the marijuana is and to remind them of the risks and responsibilities of any particular drug. Holland was also the first country to implement a government-run clean needle exchange program for IV-drug users in order to stem the spread of AIDS - and it has worked. Holland has the fewest cases of AIDS of any country.

Holland also has a different way of dealing with crime, a way that would have William Bennett pulling his hair out. Capital punishment has been abolished in Holland, and sentences for violent criminals are short. The jails they stay in are like country clubs compared to prisons in other countries. Holland's crime rate is also very low.

The wealthy in Holland pay their fair share in taxes. Holland has a very progressive tax system, and the revenue that is gained, instead of being spent on a wasteful criminal justice system, is invested in social problems.

Can Americans learn something from the Dutch? We can, but we won't, unless there is a change of mind from the old Judeo-Christian idea of punishing sin and delaying pleasure. I believe that it would be a good idea just to study Dutch society. After all, with the lowest AIDS, drug abuse, and crime rates, the Dutch must be doing something right. Some will ask if we should adopt such policies in our country. Should we allow people to indulge in their own excessive and potentially self-destructive behavior? To quote the poet Blake, "The road of excess leads to the palace of wisdom."
Affirmative action advocate cites personal success story

There is a movement across America to put an end to Affirmative Action. It is troubling that these elements are so close to home, as in the case of those students who for the past several weeks have written letters to the Montclarion supporting the annihilation of Affirmative Action. It is not surprising that the ones who are vehemently opposed to it are “angry white males,” as Joe Paternoster (Mailbag, 2-23-95) puts it.

Affirmative Action opponents argue that it is both racist and sexist. Jason Alders (Mailbag, 3-2-95) calls it “ethically and constitutionally wrong.” Is Mr Alders referring to the Constitution of the United States of America, which states that “all men are created equal”? America, which has for over 400 years oppressed blacks, various minority groups and women alike? The American plutocracy of a white-male elite, who has always denied these groups of civil, economic, political and basic human rights? Affirmative Action was installed to watch over this institutional racism/sexi sm, and ensure that it could no longer be practiced. It is not surprising that, according to Mr. Paternoster, the “angry white males” are the ones against Affirmative Action.

The sentiment is that they are being discriminated against. They feel that their jobs and opportunities are going to minorities and women. I do not deny that Affirmative Action has its flaws, and that it is in some isolated cases used as a discriminatory tool. However, the percentage of minorities and women who do attain jobs through Affirmative Action is very small. We all understand what blacks and women have been feeling since the birth of America. And I hope now you can understand how disgusting it is to be forced to fight so hard, and in many cases, die to gain some level of freedom and equality, which is still not fully reached.

And how disgusting it is to have to instill and vigorously enforce laws that protect such simple freedom and equality; laws such as Affirmative Action. Laws that ensure that blacks and women get equal treatment. Because morally and ethically plutocratic America was never very keen on equality.

In my opinion, America is not yet racially mature enough that it can afford to abolish Affirmative Action. If we did so, we would simply revert back to the pre-civil rights mentality, and institutional racism/sexi sm would be reincarnated. Because one cannot be naive enough to think that racism/sexi sm no longer exists. Twenty-five years of post-civil rights America is not enough time to reconcile 400-plus years of brutal oppression and economic/educational inequality.

In retrospect to the racial problems in America, I feel that doing away with Affirmative Action would be a heavy blow to the fragile racial stability of America. Because of civil rights, minorities and women were allowed to place a foot in the door, now some elements in our society want to slam that door before they get their entire leg in. Affirmative action is not discriminating against white males. It is merely serving as a watchdog, ensuring that minorities and women are no longer denied the equality that they have earned and deserve.

To prove the effectiveness of Affirmative Action, I also have a true story to share. Unlike the story by Jason Alders, mine is based on factual information, not paranoid assumptions.

I was admitted to MSU through the Educational Opportunity Fund (EOF), which is a product of Affirmative Action. My SAT scores were 750. My GPA in High School was around a 2.0. I was not involved in any school organizations (other than gangs), and did not community service. I was ranked among the lowest in my class and barely graduated. According to Charles Fraser (Mailbag, 3-2-95), I am one of those “students who lack the academic background needed to survive in a University.” And indeed, under the regular admissions criteria, I would never have been admitted to MSU. However, thanks to EOF, who gave me the equal opportunity to a good education that as an American, as a human being, I deserve.

Since being a student at MSU, I have been actively involved in several organization on and off campus. I have been awarded numerous academic awards, was honorably inducted into Epsilon Omega Phi (an honors fraternity), been on the Dean’s list several times, studied abroad in England, went to New York University, and maintained a GPA of 3.5 or better, and am now about to graduate in just three-and-a-half years.

Do you think that Affirmative Action failed in my case? There are so many other students exactly like myself, who only need the equal opportunity to succeed.

There are students who need the chance that the inner-city fails to offer. If we were to do away with EEO and Affirmative Action, we may never find these students; they will be lost in the streets, in gangs, in jails and cemeteries.

My friends, Affirmative Action is a crucial policy that we must not abandon. It is a necessary investment in the future of America.

On February 21 a female student was assaulted on campus between 9:14 p.m. and 9:24 p.m. near the amphitheater. The simple fact of the incident was enough to provoke debate. The time and location of the attack made the debate especially heated. Many students, especially women, have been wondering just how unsafe our campus has become if an assault can take place so early in the evening only a short distance from the campus police station. The question on many students minds is "what must be done?" My question this week turns the problem to the students:

What suggestions do you have for Campus Police and SGA to better security for students at night?

The following students had this to say:

Diana Violar
Sophomore
Sociology

"Campus needs to have better lighting and the poles should be more elevated. Campus Police also needs to patrol the parking lots to ensure the safety of the students leaving at late hours."

Name Withheld
Freshman
Sociology

"The residence halls should have more than one security guard roaming the buildings. The guard at the front desk should not be the only one in the hall. They also need to make their presence known at night. I have only seen campus police in the day when there are more students on campus."

Santa Lluberes
Sophomore
Undecided

"There should be no limitations on a time to get an escort. Campus Police must be under the impression that freaks only come out after 8 p.m."

Brian "Phife" Clyburn
Junior
Early Childhood Education

"Campus police needs to be more visible at night. It is also my opinion that security at the parking lots needs to be tighter. Regarding the escort service, the police should pick up both men and women. It should not be only for the women on campus."

Jean Coleman
Sophomore
Psychology

"In the event that something happened to the student that was being escorted by campus police, there should be more than one officer in the vehicle."

Maria Metellus
Sophomore
Psychology

"The escorts should be allowed to take more than one female. They feel that if it is more than two women that we can walk even if it is at an obscene hour in the morning."

Tom Tracy
Sophomore
Business Administration

"Escorts by Campus police should be provided whenever a student deems it necessary, not just when the shuttle buses stop running."

Is there a question that you would like answered? If so then please drop off your suggestions for future columns in the box labeled "Erica’s Beat" in the Montclarion office.

Measure for measure

by Wilson Santos
Travesties will only cease with institution of SGA Judicial Branch

Opinion/Thursday, March 9, 1995

Last Thursday, MSU was again treated to another legal comedy. The Greek Council Judicial “Court” was called into session by the Associate Dean of Students, James Harris.

One may recall that Delta Kappa Psi was charged last Fall by Greek Council President Mike Costa with “Conduct Unbecoming the Greek Community” for possessing a Confederate Flag.

Last week, Delta Kappa Psi was again brought up on charges of “Conduct Unbecoming the Greek Community,” but this time for having a party.

This time, although there was no flag involved, Delta Kappa Psi held a party where some students were injured during a fight and were charged with the same identical charge that landed them in “court” last semester.

This raises some serious questions about the process of a “court” that can charge an organization with the same charge for two entirely different actions. For instance, under the Greek Council’s system of justice Jaywalking and murder would both be “Conduct Unbecoming the Greek Community” and both could receive the same punishment.

Another response to the announcement has been a legal comedy. The column suggested that many people are suffering from hopelessness, no end seems to be in sight and the overwhelming loss that many of these people are suffering from hopelessness, no end seems to be in sight and the overwhelming loss that many of these people have suffered have in some way driven them to be in a state of despair. The column suggested that many people are suffering from hopelessness, no end seems to be in sight and the overwhelming loss that many of these people have suffered have in some way driven them to be in a state of despair.

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**ANSWERS**

**Your Real Horoscope**

Aries (Mar. 21–Apr. 19) The stars warn you that a local barber will be providing haircuts at a discount, so stay inside and lock your doors.

Taurus (Apr. 20–May 20) You'll stumble down a well and people will come from all around to laugh at you.

Gemini (May 21–Jun. 21) The stars say that you'll fulfill your life-long dream of watching two televisions at once.

Cancer (Jun. 22–Jul. 22) You've been getting too much fiber in your diet. Eat raw ground chuck until you can no longer swallow.

Leo (Jul. 23–Aug. 22) The forest where you played as a boy has been turned into a mini-mall, so you will never find the glass eye that you lost there.

Virgo (Aug. 23–Sept. 22) A bubble bath is a great way to clean yourself because you don't have to look at your ugly legs.

Libra (Sept. 23–Oct. 23) Pour bleach in your eyes. Your lucky numbers are 11 and 13.


Sagittarius (Nov. 22–Dec. 21) You'll get a golf pencil stuck in your eye playing Yahtzee.


Aquarius (Jan. 20–Feb. 18) Saturn is blocked by its moon, just as you are blocked after eating too much seven-layer taco salad at the church potluck.

Pisces (Feb. 19–Mar. 20) As Jesus collects the righteous at the Apocalypse, resist the urge to make fun of his ratty hair.

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**Batter's Up??????**

About Tim! Did you get good seats?

I guess so— I'm playing third base!

Montclarian

25
Humor, March 9, 1995

TOP TO COOL THINGS
OUR SCHOOL DOESN’T HAVE!

By Candice Meyer
(Special thanks to Tara “Bazooka” McCaffery, Anthony, & Jaime.)

10. All dormitories as high rises with a running track and tennis court on the roofs.
9. A Planetarium next to Bohn Hall which had laser light shows.
8. Test tube babies being born in the Biology department for all the students that sell their eggs & sperm for money.
7. Beach parties in the quarry with a Tiki bar.
6. Jazz bands that play in the outdoor cafe.
5. A gazebo overlook of the city with a waitstaff and wine with a selection of aged cheese.
4. Outdoor cement chess tables away from the Student Center.
3. Tanning salon in the viewing rooms of the non-print department in the library.
2. Psychedelic music playing 24/7 in the amphitheater.
1. An underground casino, with cock-fighting!

"The most disturbingly cheerful fighting game ever made just got better!" - Joe Shmoe "The Sega Losers’ Monthly"

POSTCARDS FROM THE LEDGE

By Kurt Richardson

Kablooey by Blue

No, don’t even bother looking over here. Believe me, there is absolutely nothing in this space. It’s just a huge waste of time to even bother to glance at this.
Classifieds...

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MONTCLARION 27
**Personalals**

Oh Lord, please cut my hands off.

-JO'S

Pemmie (Sigma),
No more Giligore and Skipper. Now we can be Ginger and Maryann.
Love ya, Gina

Dearest Lucy (XA),
Things may not be on great right now, but always remember that everything happens for a reason. Be strong and faithful!
We love you! Clara, Amy, Jenae

Dear Peter (KA),
HAPPY BIRTHDAY to our beloved brother. Keep up your good work and no more streetwear!
Love Always,
Clara, Lucy, Amy & Jenny

BOEs:
Really guys, you could think of more creative ways to get to dry....

Jan O. (Sigma),
I love you Paul! Thanks for sharing! What a woman!
Bark (Sigma)

Isabel (AIX) - it's time to see if "training" paid off; it's spring break time!
Bryson

AIX - Eileen, Christie, Michelle G - I'm psyched, the adoptive tree will be together for Spring Break.
Bryson

Dam Bum's - Thursday Night!

ARE YOU MY KNIGHT IN SHINING ARMOR? IF SO... I need a friend willing to be in a possible serious relationship. I'm a nice person. I'm tired of being lied to and cheated.
If you're interested, please reply through the Panhellenics. 
PS Immature need not apply. (SNW 22, Disease-free, Drug-free/Fast Hair/Eyes, Medium Frame, Pretty, down to earth.)

What'd think it, A REAL PERSONAL!!!

Ang (D XI D)
You're the best big little cousin I've ever had! I'm relaxing! 
Love Y'all, Christy #520

Phi Sigma,
How fun we're having! I'll be enjoying the tropical climate of Savannah, NJ
IPS9, #199

Mitz,
Your sex will be people before the end of the day.
Denny

Delta Chi,
We gotta keep little L 1-V-1-N
Mặttersen

Kaiser (D Phi E)
If that's one of the best butts on campus, then I'm transferring.
Love, Pickford

Pledge Lorainna (AIX),
Let's go food sniffing. I miss food shopping.
Love, Lauren S. #356

P2 I want a jalapeno pepper.

Upiscle,
You girls did great your first week. Good luck!
Love,
Lauren S.

Lusilu,
Mom, I love jalapeno pepperes! What is that red thing?
Love, Lauren S.

Elea,
Have a nice day!
Love, Fucelus

Upiscle.
Good Luck and remember we love you!
Love, Kristi #155

Farmer RC,
Feel better!
Love, the Fufa Band!

Snoopy,
It's been a few weeks now and I miss your company & insight. I have a new case and I hope you can show up. I NEED YOU!
Mudder

Claire, Zelma, Elise - You are the coolest GRRRLS!
Daz

Maria R.
Hold your head up high and walk proud, sweetie.
Remember we're all here for you and we love you.
I miss crazy Maria!
Paula

Jocie & Kim (Phi Sig)
I'm so happy you decided to go Phi Sig. Good luck!
Cassia

Eric, (Phi Sig)
Congrats - glad to have you a part of the family! Your cousin, Cassie #107

No offense, but you gotta work on your promomanship. I nearly went ballistic typing these last two!
-JO'S

TX,
Thanks for Friday night's mixer at Glenvale. Maybe next time we'll stay dry.

THANKS FOR TELLING ME))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))))

Jilly (Sigma)
You're the best! Even though I'm not at OPH we still have to hang.
Love your sister Bath (Sigma)

Dear Schmimies-4, 59, 59, 59 - I win! What are we gonna trip the light fantastic? Love, Schmimie - N

Dear Andrea (Boh Hall),
You are the sweetest, kindest roommate I could ever ask for. Thanks for everything, most of all putting up with me!
Love, your crazy roommate.

Visit Sigma Phi Rho/Rhos

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Emily (Tri-Sig)
Have a great time in Cancun!
Angela (D XI D)

To the sisters of Delta Xi Delta,
Anniversary Banquet was great, can't wait until next year!
Angela #23

Cortese (D XI D)
I'm so happy you've finally coming out with us. The old Cortese is back!
Angela #23

Michelle, Cheryl, Allison, Cortese, Lori O, Cindy, Christie,
Sat. night was a blast! Can't wait to relive it on Fri.
Angela

Dear Squinty Shoulders,
Thank you for lending them to me to cry on the other day. I miss you holding me in your arms until I fall asleep in them. We are going to make it!
Love Always, Hooters

Squinty,
How we can take Shaws into our rooms and tell her stories.
Love, Sleepy

The white queen should eat up on the black king.
No pieces are broken, they've just been misplaced.
Angela

Hey Michelle,
Is this little man going to teach you the trashy woman?
Eve,
Payback's a bitch... and you know just how well my mind works!

Generoious, Dawson, Erin, Kim, & Jackie (Phi Sig)
Congrats & good luck! Keep up the good work!
Love, the Sisters of Phi Sigma Sigma

Dear Stephanie blue,
You hit stepbro! You rock my ass. I'll tumble 4 ya!
Love, Amy (Your faithful & devoted listener)

Dear Joe,
Is it possible that he has escaped into an... to die by your side is such a heavenly way to die.
Love, Amy

THE FOLLOWING PERSONAL IS THE WEIRDEST ONE.

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Allen (TX)
I can't believe you let me mess up your hair.

Lisa, Jie, Gina, Kim & Rebecca (Phi Phi E)
The trolls were at midnight - are you ready? It's all good!
Love, Tanya

Gina & Rebecca (Phi Phi E)
I don't want to talk about it! No jokes or comments

The Montclarion/March 9, 1995

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More Personalals

Angela • I’m tooo jealout! Boy, the thingi we talk

Theta Xi, Thankt for tha mixer thit weekend...can’t wait

weekend. I’m not happy about it (tiyh).

Angela (D XI D #23) - We hive teen our future thit

for the real one.

Corinna (D Xi D #22) - Next time, you’ll be the one who

The legend of my nemo thall live on!

Thankt for the perioual end for alwayt being there for

Sorry about the perking job!

Cin (D Xi D)

Sarya (Gamma Xi 118)

To my tittert of Phi Siyma Siyma,

m itt you yuyt. Have a good Spring Break!

Did you mail the letter yet?

Catty (SDT)

Juan F!

Love, Nicola (SDT)

Love, Lite (Eptilon Theta 88)

Love ye, The Drunken One

Love, Al #22

Nima

Jini. (SDT)

Stacy (D Phi E)

Oh ihit! I’m all wet!

To the White Queen - There it a lenitive tide to the

Michelle (SDT)

Juan F!

Love, Little 4H

- Mel

Love, your little 4H

Love, Thete Xi

Theta Xi, Thanks for the mixer this weekend...can’t wait

for the real one.

Love, Delta Xi Delta

Angela - I’m sooo jealous! Boy, the things we talk

about at that bar...

Love, A! #22

Chrisy (D XI D #30) - BLAH! BLAH! BLAH!

Allie #22

Is it just me, or do some of the people in this week

make absolutely no sense?

Flagg, you’re one up on me!

My money’s on Rick Letis in this bar!

To the White Queen - There is a sensitive side to the

King. Don’t give up your innocent guest!

Seth (TX) - Maybe you should get a job as a tattoo

artist...NOT!

Allie

Michelle - Are there things real?...I mean the tattoo!

Love, your roommate...

Delta Xi Delta - Theta Xi - Water - Well, you know...

AKP,

I miss you guyz! Come and visit me soon!

Love, Tam (SDT)

Ceylan (AIX),

Savmoreis - You on the bar dancing, funneling, buffett! Oh!

what a night!

Love,

Cecile (Phi Sig)

Craig (Senate)

Ooh, it fe ilt to yood!

Craiy (Senate)

Karon (Phi Siy) How about that 2:00 claat wa have on

Saturday - CATCH-UP!

You rod-headid bettard!

Holly,

You’re cool love you loti.

To Donna B. (Tri Siyma)

Love, the Sorority Girl.

Like, you’re one up on me!

J.J.O’S

Michelle G (AIX)

You're a very tpeeial individual whote ityle and

personality sparkles greater than the Hope Diamond.

-J. Smooth.

Ceylan,

You’re huge! You’re doing great as a mom. Keep up the

good work!

Onofrio (DX)

We really will do ANYTHING for a buck!

Dawn Marie (Tri Siyma)

That was the most action I’ve had in a long time!

Groovy

Robson (D Phi E)

I feel the need to CREEP! Are you down?

Kim (D Phi E)

Karen (Phi Sig) How about that 2:00 claat wa have on

Wednesday, isn’t it great?

Love, Trish

AH 138 (D Phi E)

Did you say number 47

AH 142

Tara M (Phi Sig)

Here’s to a long friendship!

IPL #99

Phi Sig = TEP Mixers - 1 Big headkene for the

President. How to love yo’ guyz! 

IPL, AOC\Marie

Sandra, DM, Jess, I for U Guyz.

Twister, Deserted & Dinners. I can’t wait for next year!

Love, Kriste

Hara,

Oh shit! I’m all wet!

Love, Maria

Allie,

Hey Baby! I love you!

Love, Pookie

CAT,

Everybody wants you. Even Glen the bartender. It must

be the hair.

CL

Well, I’m back after my torture Ed Paysho class. Here

I am, back to the torture personas.

JJO’S

Don (TX)

Can I still be in the club if I don’t work at OPH?

(Sigma)

Jan O (Sigma)

You’re cool love you lady.

Disne (Sigma)

Dorann (New member of Phi Sig)

Welcome to the family!

PSP, your Big Sir,

Jen

Phi Sigma Sigma is #1!

Glas (D Phi E)

Let’s go to weepy menga next week, you can wear the

shirt!

Kim (D Phi E)

To Nancy M.

You are a very special individual whose style and

personality sparkle greater than the Hope Diamond.

-J. Smooth.

Ceylan,

This weekend is going to be the BEST!

Love, Carolina

Ginny (SE)

This party better be good - or else it’s invasion of the

Trolls!

Tracy, Gina, Kim, Rebecca (D Phi E)

To Shelly - Happy Birthday!

Love, the Sorority Girl.

Kim and Jenicie (Phi Sig)

Good luck, you are both great, welcome to the pyramid.

-JL #85

To Debra B. (Tri Sigma)

We really will do ANYTHING for a buck!

Love, Beth ZK #90

Dawn Marie (Tri Sigma)

That was the most action I’ve had in a long time!

Love, ZK #90

Mom (Phi Siy)

Where are you? And who’s a 5% year old named

Mickey? Pah! Beth (Sigma)

Michelle G (AIX)

Spring Break - it’s on going to be 3 for III!!

Bryson

Bethany,

I love your “Hoo-hoo”!

Allie

Connie (SDT)

F*** you little!

Love, Tam

Tiffany (Tri Sigma)

Hey you had fun on your 21st Birthday. I just have one

thing to say - CATCH UP!

Love, Beth #70

Mal,

Can you say Moonie?

-Mish

Natasha (Sigma)

Job or not; you’re more than a woman!

Beth (Sigma)

Denise (AO)

I miss you already!

Laura (AO)

Trey (D Phi E)

Why does the tall trolls keep looking at me?

Kim (D Phi E)

George O.

Guess the hell up you are depressing me and you know

how hard that is to do!

Love, Captions!

Pete (Senate)

MMP - Hands whit cream!

Laura (AO)

Mal,

NYU and you, perfect together!

-Mish

Allie for (D Phi E)

You’re huge! You’re doing great as a mom. Keep up the

good work!

Love, your little angel!

Drucker (Burls)

We love you! But what am I going to wear tomorrow?

Make a bomb call!!

3 Martians of (D Phi E)

To the Phi Sig E-Board:

R U ready 2 start a rockets? I B ready. C U at the

sucker hunt!!

El Class, stay strong (Don’t Stress)!

Love, the Mu Clone

Grease Rules MSUII!! Let’s keep it together.

Brian K. (Senate)

I’m surprised you don’t see me stirring at you!

An Admirer

Jessie (Phi Sig)

I’m getting pains in my chest! I think it’s because

she was jumping me!

Laura (Phi Sig)

“A Clockwork Orange Flashback,” sponsored by John J.

O’Gillivn and Michael J. Rosenm. “How art thou, thou fat thinkiny bottle of chip oil!

Come and get me in the sparkles, if you have any sparkles

put it for shitting under jiffy thou!”

Angelina AR #83;

You’re the best big big - thanks for everything. You

better come back and visit me!

Love your lu’ lu’

AR #140

Haha,

Remember that: The shrimp that skips gets carried away

by the current! Arichal

Love, Maria

Joy (Deltas)

I want to turn your belly button ring.

A secret admirer

Spotly and Sunshine;

You are making me very proud. Can’t wait till we

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I love you!

-The enforcer

To my girl B - The Best Roommate ever...helpful.

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ENTERTAIN YOUR IMAGINATION
Learning a lesson the hard way
Men's hoops schooled in NCAA first round by Rowan, 70-45

by Michael Conven

In the NJAC Playoffs two weeks ago, MSU upset Rowan to advance to the finals of the conference tournament. But its hopes of a second-straight upset were crushed last Thursday as the Prov's soundly defeated the Red Hawks, 70-45, in the first round of the NCAA Division III Tournament before 692 fans at Esby Gym in Glassboro.

Early in the season, MSU was a team that finished the 1994-95 season at 17-10, jumped out to a 6-0 lead by scoring on its first three possession of the game.

The Prov's ranked No. 4 in the nation and the No. 2 seed in the NCAA's Atlantic Region, has recovered back with a 14-4 run of their own to take a 14-10 on a Charles Grasty layup from Andrew Kennedy with 13:23 to go. Grasty, one of the top players in the NJAC, has a game-high 21 points, 16 of them in the first half.

"They shot the ball extremely well," said MSU senior guard Dean Spinogatti of Rowan, which shot 47.9 percent (23-for-48) compared to a 39.2 percent clip (20-for-51) for the Red Hawks.

However, MSU was able to hang in for a few more minutes before the Prov's went on a 15-6 run to go into halftime with a 31-22 advantage.

Rowan dominated the second half, shooting a blistering 55 percent from the floor. It began the half with a 10-4 run to up 41-26 with 16:54 remaining in the game following NJAC Player of the Year Terrence Stewart's 3-pointer.

However, a 14-4 run by Rowan officially put the game out of reach. This made the Prov's lead 55-38 with 4:02 left when Grasty hit one of his three bombs from downtown.

"I wanted to do as much as I could to help us win," said Spinogatti, who was a part of the team in some of the lean years. "It wasn't until we were in the locker room after the game that I realized it was all over."

"In my four years here, this team has become a national contender."

RED HAWK NOTES: How much has Fowler meant to the Red Hawks. Sure he is their leading scorer (13.8 ppg), and rebounder (6.7 rpg). But he is also the only MSU player averaging in double figures in scoring. In the 27 games he played in, he led the team or tied for the lead in points scored in a game 14 times, putting up a season-high of 28 from Trenton St. Also, he led the team in rebounding nine times, including a season high of 14 versus Rutgers-Newark on Jan. 11.

The junior swingman from Plainfield also led the Red Hawks in minutes (33.5 per game), steals (26), disqualifications (four), blocked shots (15). One tell-tale stat for MSU: they shot a measly 42.4 percent from the free throw line (335-for-537). In the final Rowan game, the Red Hawks were only 4-of-8 from the charity stripe. Conversely, the Prov's were 17-of-20.

On the season, MSU shot 44.9 percent while limiting the opposition to 39.4 percent from the floor.

MSU will not be returning seven seniors next season. Carlson, Spinogatti, forwards Chris Jackson, Mike Pipercic and Todd Ordino, and guards Chris Smith are all out of eligibility.

Over the season, MSU has been key for the Red Hawks, senior forward Evan Carlson, had eight points on a dismal 3-for-10 shooting. But he did pull down nine of MSU's 28 rebounds.

Stewart and Grasty found a way to haunt the Red Hawks again, though, combining to score 36 points - more than half of Rowan's offense - in the win. Stewart, who Fowler once acknowledged as the NJAC opponent he respected the most, scored 11 of his 15 points in the second half.

MSU can still hold its head high. It was not too long ago that head coach Nick Del Tufo was recruiting to kids to play for a dismal team by posting flyers in the Student Center cafeteria. Today, people know all about MSU men's basketball.

"We weren't as intense as the first time," said Spinogatti, MSU's all-time assists leader. "It's not easy to beat the team you're playing against, but the coaches have worked hard to get us to this level."

After missing the NCAA Tournament for 10 years, the Red Hawks made a trip back there last year. This year, they were able to go back again. Right there is a sign of how much respect and how credible the Red Hawks have become.

"I wanted to do as much as I could to help us win," said Spinogatti, who was a part of the team in some of the lean years. "It wasn't until we were in the locker room after the game that I realized it was all over."
Second-half run squashes Red Hawks, 75-58

by Brian Falaharam

This year was certainly a good one. Unfortunately for the Red Hawks, this season is over.

Seeded seventh in the NCAA Women's Basketball Tournament, MSU pulled off an "upset" by defeating Elizabethtown in the first round, 77-68.

But time caught up with the Red Hawks as they succumbed to No. 3 seed Johns Hopkins, 75-58, in Baltimore this past Saturday.

Senior guard Amy Dodrill poured in a game-high 24 points, 13 of them coming in the decisive second half for the Blue Jays (22-6), who move on to the "Sweet-16" against defending national champion Capital (Ohio).

In the Red Hawks defense, travelling back and forth to games and a string of tough contests finally caught up with them.

Fatigue set in, causing at least six players, including guards Lisa Villalta, Robyn Berrios and Aidill Borrero. Berrios suffered worse than her teammates, though.

"Robin was so bad that she didn't come down (to Baltimore) with us the day before, she came down the day of the game," said MSU coach Gloria Bradley, who noted that the team doctors advised keeping Berrios away from her healthy teammates for fear of them being afflicted.

MSU, which finished the season at 20-7, kept the contest close for most of the way. The NJAC school led 8-0 to start off the contest as sophomore guard Heidi Klingert dropped in seven of her 15 points in the game-opening run. Even after Johns Hopkins went on a 12-2 run, sparked by Dodrill's four-point play, to take a 36-34 halftime lead, the Red Hawks were very much alive.

Borrero (15 points, eight assists and six rebounds) hit an off-balance jumper with 12:38 left in the game to tie the game at 46.

"When they had that run, we just had nothing to answer them back with," said Bradley.

Unfortunately for MSU, they were as cold as ice from the floor in the second half - the Red Hawks shot a paltry 10-of-45 after halftime. When that happens to any team, the end result usually ends up as a loss.

Another thing which allowed the Blue Jays to polish off MSU was free throws.

Johns Hopkins hit 33-of-43 free throws in the contest, including 14 straight in the final minutes to clinch the victory, while MSU shot a subpar 6-of-13.

Maggie Misiejuk, MSU's star freshman center, was saddled by fouls and spent most of the first half on the bench.

The native of Poland finished 2-for-10 from the field, garnering only four points.

Junior forward Kim Kovar scored all 10 of her points in the first half before fouling out of the game in the second half.

The future looks to be very much like the season which just ended. With only four juniors on the squad, MSU obviously relied on underclassmen such as Borrero, Misiejuk and Klingert to get things done.

So next year should be an encore of this year.

In spite of injuries and the lack of respect they received throughout the season - a 10-game winning streak was the only thing which enabled them to be ranked in the NCAA's Atlantic Region - the Red Hawks may have succeeded in opening the eyes of many Division III women's basketball observers.

Unless you listen to Bradley, that is. "I really don't (think we'll get more respect next year), because we went to the second round and you could almost look at it as they upset Elizabethtown and then after that... I don't think that they'll look at that."

### Final MSU Hoops Stats

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Sports/Thursday, March 9, 1995

Junior outfielder Chris Roof, who hit 11 home runs and drove in 51 runs in 1994. Along with All-American senior third baseman Ralph Yeaza, the Red Hawks, who begin their season tomorrow at Bridgewater, will look to make a third straight trip to the College World Series.
Brian and Tom pick the Final Four

Brian: Even I have not seen the brackets yet. But I know who will be in the Final Four. Here they are:
1. Kansas. I think they'll win it all. Roy Williams produces winners, and with that frontline and some solid play from his guards, you're looking at the National Champion.
2. Kentucky. Always a dangerous squad under Rick Pitino. If they're hitting their 3's, the Wildcats will be able to outgun many teams.
3. North Carolina. Dean Smith will lead Stackhouse and Wallace to the promised land in their final NCAA Tournament before going pro.
4. UCLA. Perennial NCAA choke-artists primed for a run. Ed O'Bannon is having a nice season for Jim Harrick's Bruins.

Tom: It is hard to pick a final four without seeing the brackets. But that is a sacrifice I have to make in order to go on Spring Break next week. My Final Four is as follows:
1. North Carolina. With Jerry Stackhouse and Rasheed Wallace, this team looks to go deep into the tournament. And Dean Smith is a great coach.
2. Arkansas. They did not have a great year, but this team has something other teams don't - experience.
3. Connecticut. The Huskies will not disappoint Big East fans who look to finally put a team back into the Final Four.
4. Kansas. Aren't they there every other year? Despite a lack of recognition, the Jayhawks are a safe bet to get to Seattle.

Virginia is my dark horse, followed by Villanova and Penn.

If, in 50 words or less, you can tell Tom or Brian why you should be able to be a guest columnist for Point-Counterpoint, you can earn the right to be our guest.
If interested, come down to Student Center Room 113 and drop off your reason!

Which of these famous quotes does not belong?

a. “Carpe diem”
b. “Be all that you can be”
c. “Write for sports”
d. “I think, therefore I am”

Obviously, the quote that is out of place is c. But that is because you have not come down to write for this esteemed section. There are several positions available: feature writing, copy editing, and the opportunity to cover a sport on a “beat” basis. Also, we could use a dependable assistant sports editor. Call Brian Falzarano at 655-5241 or come down to Student Center room 113 for more details.
**On the Ball**
by Brian Falzarano

**LT should be “Saved by the Bell” from the WWF**

At one point in time, there was no one like Lawrence Taylor. The big blue behemoth known as “LT” used to run full steam across a football field, stalking a poor, unsuspecting running back or quarterback. For Giants fans, those were days were comparable to a sort of football utopia. With LT on the field there was reason to feel that victory was always a possibility for the Giants.

However, sometimes the mighty can sink as swiftly as a rock. Sports celebrities can often be put in such a positive light that anything they do which is not seen as “part of their personality” is wrong. LT was never seen in quite a positive light - you know of his problems with drugs, etc.

One thing wrong about all of this is he is dragging some of his former rivals into this idiocy with him. Why would Reggie White, Steve McMichael, Chris Spielman and other NFL players with more than an ounce of credibility risk their dignity by taking part of this exercise in WWF futility?

Most of all, he could get over living his second childhood. Stepping into a cartoon role is ludicrous. At one time he said becoming an actor was a goal of his. Here’s a question for you LT: Couldn’t you have become “LT, WWF superhero for all that is good.”

Honestly, wrestling Bam Bam Bigelow isn’t a wise career move. It is not a matter of Bam Bam, a 400-pound guy who has a head with tattooed flames on it, being bigger or more experienced. What the problem is - and this is not a knock on professional wrestlers, I’ve watched it and I am friends with one - is LT should not be going out of his way to seek publicity. He probably ventured into the world of professional wrestling is because of financial problems. He had a restaurant on Route 17 that was initially successful. Without unnecessary speculation, the reason why LT is stepping into the ring at Wrestlemania is because of a six-figure payday. Maybe this is McMahon’s way of trying to compete with rival World Championship Wrestling, who now have virtually every 1980’s WWF star, including legends Hulk Hogan and “Macho Man” Randy Savage.

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**S.I.L.C.**

**Student Intramural and Leisure Council**

**Def Squad outduels X-Men, 83-78**

In the final of the S.I.L.C. basketball league, the Def Squad emerged victorious over the X-Men by a 83-78 margin.

Keith Hines, an All-NJAC first-team player last season for the MSU men’s basketball team, poured in 19 points, and Marty led all scorers with 22 for the Def Squad.

This was a close game, which actually saved the X-Men jump out to a 4-4 lead at halftime. However, the Def Squad was able to get more scoring from more of its players. Tyrone Rollins, a wide receiver for the football team and a reserve guard for the men’s team, dumped in another 11 for the victors. Also, MSU freshman sensation Brian Cooney poured in 10, as did tight end Rob Colt.

In defeat, Brian McNair, a former wide receiver for the football team and a one time is enough to make him turn into a character known as “Doink”. Or he could become a giant rap-star wanna-be like BUBBY BRISTER.

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**Red Hawks Sports Week**

**Baseball:**

- Friday, March 10: MSU at Bridgewater (Va.) - 3 p.m.
- Saturday, March 11: MSU at Mary Washington (Va.) - 2 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 15: MSU at Barton (N.C.) - 5 p.m.
- Thursday, March 16: MSU at Methodist (N.C.) - 3 p.m.
- Friday, March 17: MSU at Francis Marion U. - 11 a.m.
- Saturday, March 18: MSU at St. Andrews Presbyterian - 12:30 p.m.
- Sunday, March 19: MSU at St. Andrews Presbyterian - 12:30 p.m.
- Monday, March 20: MSU at Guilford College - 2:30 p.m.
- Monday, March 20: MSU at Mt. Olive - 2:30 p.m.
- Tuesday, March 21: MSU at N.C. Wesleyan - 5 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 22: MSU at N.C. Wesleyan - 5 p.m.

**Softball:**

- Saturday, March 11: MSU at Loras (FL) - 9 a.m.
- Saturday, March 11: MSU at St. Norbert (FL) - 11 a.m.
- Sunday, March 12: MSU at Fontbonne (FL) - 12:30 p.m.
- Sunday, March 12: MSU vs. SUNY Cortland in FL - 4 p.m.
- Monday, March 13: MSU vs. Wisc. Oshkosh in FL - 12:30 p.m.
- Monday, March 13: MSU vs. Wisconsin Superior in FL - 4 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 15: MSU vs. Washington in FL - 1:15 p.m.
- Wednesday, March 15: MSU vs. Chapman in FL - 4:45 p.m.
- Thursday, March 16: MSU vs. Wisc. Eau Claire in FL - 9 a.m.
- Thursday, March 16: MSU vs. Ill.-Bendectine in FL - 10:45 a.m.

**Lacrosse:**

- Monday, March 13: Babson at MSU * - 3 p.m.
- Men’s Tennis:
  - Wednesday, March 22: Sacred Heart at MSU & - at Red Hawk Courts - 3:30 p.m.
MSU's men's team gets bounced from the NCAA Tournament in the first round, 70-45, by NJAC rival Rowan (Cower, p. 32).