Grease fire closes Student Center Cafeteria food grill

by Rosemary Gutierrez

The Student Center kitchen was closed March 29 due to a grease fire on one of the grills.

Drippings from a cooking hamburger fell underneath the char-broiler in the grill and caused a fire to ignite at around 9:00 a.m. Friday.

No one was hurt and there was no damage to the grill, said Robert Ginser, director of kitchen services. The kitchen has been reopened and will continue with business as usual, he said.

The flame grew to about three feet in the air. It reached the ventilator system above the grill, said Ginser.

"It was the accumulation of the grease that burned. There was no structural damage to the building," said Chief Ed Pomponio of the Little Falls Fire Department.

"The flame was extinguished in the snap of a fire," said Ginser. The kitchen is equipped with a fire extinguisher system that immediately shuts off the gas flow and releases a powder chemical to put out the fire.

It was activated by executive chef of the kitchen, David Glazer. There was some smoke which was cleared in 10 minutes with the use of fans in front of the dining room door.

Campus police were notified, said Ginser. The fire department was called at 9:08 a.m. Pomponio came to inspect the area but no fire trucks were dispatched because the fire had been extinguished.

The grill will remain closed until the grill, ventilator, and the ducts are cleaned out thoroughly, said Robert Ginser, director of kitchen services. The kitchen has been reopened and will continue with business as usual, he said.

Investigation of Sigma Phi Rho party begins

by Tom Boud

Campus police together with the Dean of Students Helen Matusow-Ayres, began their preliminary investigation into the Sigma Phi Rho party that went away on March 23.

Associate Dean of Students James Harris said he met with Dean of Students Helen Matusow-Ayres on April 3 to discuss the March 23 Student Center party sponsored by Sigma Phi Rho fraternity.

The party ended in violence after campus police denied access to preserve the maximum broiler capacity of 500 people. Three officers were injured and one male was arrested for allegedly assaulting another male. Also, an entrance door to the Student Center Annex (near the University Book Store) was damaged.

Harris said the Sigma Phi Rho investigation is still in the preliminary stage. "We are in the process of finding out who attended as well as what exactly happened at the event."

"From what I hear, there are mitigating circumstances which led to the dissatisfaction of the people attending the party. We are also considering all options in terms of possible disciplinary actions," Harris said.

Harris said the investigation will entail talking to all parties involved with the Sigma Phi Rho party. "We will be consulting with campus police, Sigma Phi Rho, and Student Center authorities, among other people."

"The important aspect of any investigation is to consult with everyone involved. If you exclude people, you run the risk of missing important information. You also run the risk of stirring up resentment, which is something we don't want to do," Harris said.

Harris stressed that most parties at MSU happen without incident. 'If you were to go back and look at the number of on-campus parties, you will see that the overwhelming majority of them occur without any violence. We have historically not had any major problems with violence. Violent parties have always been the exception and not the rule. What led to this deviation is something we're really interested in," Harris said.

Campus Police Lt. Paul Cell said that Campus Police does not have the final say in the Sigma Phi Rho affair. "Our main concern on the evening of the event was the safety violations. We took the necessary precautions by closing the party down. "Our department does not regulate administrative sanctions taken against student organizations," Cell said.

Some offices that will be moving into the building are Career Services, Co-op Education, Equal Opportunity Fund, Academic Advising, Financial Aid, and the Women's Center to name a few.

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 Britain Widens Police Powers on Terrorism

Fearing the continuation of IRA attacks over the Easter holiday, the British government pushed through a package of tough emergency legislation on Wednesday, extending wide new powers to the police, including the right to search suspected terrorists and non-residential premises, to cordon off areas for up to 28 days, and to impose temporary parking bans.

Incursions into an African Rain Forest

A remote rain forest home to Gabon's Pygmies is facing major changes that concern both residents and conservationists as convoys of trucks filled with stone bring paving materials to French-led crews laying paved roads that will open up this area as never before. Lumbering and gold prospecting are two activities cited by environmentalists as dangerous to the pristine rain forest. Hunting has also thinned out animal populations. A Gabon government forest inspector fears that once commercial permits are issued, one of the last true rain forests in the world will be destroyed.

Public Workers Riot in Bolivia

Striking workers, 50,000 strong, shut down public transportation, threw dynamite sticks at police, and looted stores and the offices of the recently privatized state railroad Wednes­day. In an organized protest led by the Bolivian Workers Center, the leading national union, the union is seeking higher wages for its civil servants and is against the privatization trend in the country.

Peres: No Syria Peace This Year

Israel's Prime Minister Shimon Peres says he doubts a peace agreement will be reached with Syria this year, saying there is too little time and that the issues are too complicated. Damascus didn't condemn or express condolences over a wave of recent suicide bombings in Israel. It is believed the negotiations will not resume until after the May 29 national elections.

The Cows Won't Go Away

In the latest twist of the ongoing British mad cow scare, a decision has been taken by Government officials to slaughter 4.7 million “older” cows who are believed to have been exposed to the degenerative brain disease. While officials ponder the details of the logistical nightmare of how to kill the cattle and dispose of 15,000 carcasses a week for over five years, the London chapter of the World Hindu Council has volunteered to build a shelter for the sick cows and administer medical aid.

Hong Kong Readies for China

Tens of thousands of Hong Kong residents lined up for hours in a last-ditch attempt to gain British travel documents as a hedge against possible restrictions when China takes over Hong Kong next year. So far about 200,000 people have applied for the documents during March alone, compared with 12,000 for all of last year.

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SGA Election & debate schedule: Mark your calendars

by Kristina Mathison & Brian Congrove

The SGA elections for the 1996-97 term will be held from Saturday, April 13 through Wednesday, April 17. The elected positions include SGA Executive Board president, vice-president, treasurer, secretary, Board of Trustees Alternate, and Judicial branch justices.

Students will have opportunities to listen and speak with the candidates during the following events:

- **Tuesday, April 9.** The SGA will be sponsoring a debate for candidates to discuss issues in the Student Center from 12:13 p.m. Students are encouraged to participate. In the event of rain the debate will be held in the Student Center cafeterias B and C.
- **Tuesday, April 9.** WMSC 90.3 FM will air a debate from 4:50 p.m. Candidates will be available to answer callers’ questions. Students can call 655-4256 or 655-4257 to ask questions.
- **Tuesday, April 9.** Candidates will be speaking at the Greek Council meeting from 5:30 p.m. in Room 419 of the Student Center.
- **Thursday, April 11.** “Meet the Candidates” in the Blanton Hall Atrium from 7:90 p.m. Students are encouraged to come and ask questions about the candidates’ views on issues concerning students.

The voting booths will be open on the following dates and times:

- **Saturday, April 13 in Dickson Hall from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.**
- **Sunday, April 14 in Blanton Hall from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.**
- **Monday, April 15 in the Student Center from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., and in Blanton Hall from 5:00-9:00 p.m.**
- **Tuesday, April 16 in the Student Center from 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., and in Blanton Hall from 3:00-9:00 p.m.**
- **Wednesday, April 17 in the Student Center from 9:30-12:00 p.m.**

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Few, said Jackson.

Jackson said his office will be located in the center because he is responsible for all of those programs that will be moved after renovations are completed.

“This is to cluster together all academic support. If a student needs assistance or help it will all be in the same building. One stop shopping,” said Dr. Jackson.

Renovations will include tearing out a good part of the interior, as well as classrooms, hallways, and offices. Mellen said.

Additions will include a new elevator that will stop at the intermediate floors that are not a full level up, and a mezzanine will be built above the gymnasium for offices. The floor plan will include offices, meeting rooms, conference rooms, a library, tutorial work area, and a lounge with a coffee bar, said Mellen.

About 10 classes were relocated as a result of Morehead’s closing.

The computer learning lab was relocated to Sprague library until Morehead is completed. When the renovations are complete there will be no classes rescheduled in that building, added Mellon.

MSU has hired Chanree Contractors to do the renovating of the interior of Morehead. Mellen foresees no interference with wiring and renovation, Morehead’s wiring has already been cut off and rewired into the Academic Advising building.

The cost of the renovation is $4 million. The funds will be taken from the campus reserves and the residual master plan of 1988, which budgeted money for the renovation of the school buildings, said Mellen.

Asbestos was commonly used when the building was constructed around 1910, so steps are being taken to safeguard the health of students by keeping the building as contained as possible while they are renovating the interior, said Mellen.
**MSU Campus Police Report**

**by Lisa Monaco**

**Arrest**
March 27 at 6:31 a.m. Anthony Amato of Roseland, was arrested and charged with criminal trespassing and harassment. He had allegedly been videotaping males in the shower in Panzer gym. He was released on his own recognizance, and a court date is set for April 4 at 10:00 a.m. in Montclair Municipal Court.

**Medical**
March 26 at 9:00 p.m. A female in the Student Center suffered from a headache, dizziness, and blurred vision. She was transported to St. Joseph’s Medical Center.

March 27 at 12:20 p.m. A female student fainted while running on the track near the fieldhouse. The track coach took the victim to Panzer gym where she refused medical treatment.

March 27 at 5:00 p.m. A male lacrosse player for the Scranton University team was injured when an opponent’s helmet hit his clavicle. A Little Falls ambulance responded to the scene.

April 1 at 11:08 a.m. A female fainted in the Student Center cafe after donating blood.

**Fire Alarms**
March 27 at 2:55 a.m. Someone pulled the second-floor fire alarm in Blanton Hall. Apparently, there were no signs of fire or smoke.

March 29 at 3:22 a.m. Someone pulled the eighth-floor alarm in Bohn Hall. It was reported that there was no sign of smoke or fire.

March 30 at 12:15 a.m. In Bohn Hall, steam from a shower activated a heat detector to signal a fire alarm.

March 31 at 3:36 a.m. The fourth-floor alarm was activated in Blanton Hall. Apparently, there was no sign of fire or smoke.

March 31 at 4:11 a.m. The eighth-floor alarm was pulled in Bohn Hall. It was reported that there was no sign of smoke or fire.

March 31 at 4:20 a.m. Someone pulled the second floor alarm in Blanton Hall without apparent cause.

**Suspicious Activity**
March 27 at 3:20 a.m. During a fire alarm in Blanton Hall, the dorm director and resident assistants were checking rooms to ensure residents had left. They found a room with a strong odor of marijuana. No drugs or paraphernalia were found.

March 29 at 1:50 p.m. A female reported being approached by a male trying to engage her in conversation. She believed the male then followed her to Mallory Hall.

**Criminal Mischief**
March 28 at 1:15 a.m. A Free­man male resident reported that someone broke a hall window on the third floor.

April 1 at 10:13 a.m. An officer on patrol noticed damage to a 1989 Chevy Berreta belonging to a female resident of Blanton. The ignition was tampered with and there was damage to the driver’s side window. The owner reported no theft from the vehicle.

April 1 at 1:00 p.m. It was reported that racial slurs were written on the stall walls in a men’s bathroom in Freeman Hall. The area was photographed and a report was filed.

**Harassment**
March 23-30. A male Stone resident has been receiving phone calls late at night from an alleged on-campus caller. Three weeks ago he had a verbal confrontation with a male and feels the calls may be related.

All students invited to discuss updating GERs

**by Matthew Connolly**

Dr. Kay Wilkins, a representative of the College of Humanities and Social Science and a member of the General Education Committee, extended an invitation to all students to partake in a meeting next Thursday, April 11 to discuss the new GERs. The meeting will be held in the Student Center Ballroom C in two sessions: one from 12-1:00 p.m. and the other from 1-2:00 p.m.

Wilkins said “We are evaluating the current requirements to see how best to modify or change them. It is around 12 years since the last changes and a lot needs updating.” She said the committee was eager to get student input and had already sent out surveys to gain student views.

“At present a ‘Distribution Model’ is followed but a ‘Core Curriculum’ approach has also been considered,” said Wilkins. “Students complain about GERs, now is their chance to make their views known on both their past experiences and future demands,” she continued. The committee has representatives from the SGA, Greek Council, Faculty, and Administration. It hopes to make recommendations to the University Senate and Faculty on the future content and structure of the GERs in the near future.

**Correction**

On p. 1, column 2 of the March 28 issue of the Montclarion, the Director of Student Affairs Chuck Feiner was quoted in the article. Feiner was not interviewed. The information attributed to Feiner in the article was taken from a letter about the Student Center party that was sent to Feiner.
New Freeman Hall manager improves food, say students

by Dorthea Normll

The December 1995 arrival of Roseann Rostoker, the new Chef/Manager of Freeman Hall, from Ramapo College, who was a sous chef, has resulted in a noticeable improvement in the dining services at MSU according to residents.

"When I got here, the first thing I did was to read the customer survey that was done before I came. I saw what was being asked and decided what choices to make," Rostoker said.

During lunch hours, Rostoker can be seen going from table to table asking students for their opinions.

"I know what people like to eat, I know what I would want my own kids to eat. The students here are easy to please," she said, "You just have to listen to what they are saying."

"I'm doing this for them" she said. "I don't do these changes for any greater glory than that."

The students appear to be happy with the changes and agree the improvements were much needed.

"I like the fact that they leave the pizza and deli-bar open at dinner time," said Freeman Hall resident Theresa Rawlins, a Biology major.

"They have more foods that I like, we have calorie charts and every now and then we have ethnic food nights, which is good because we get the chance to taste different foods including my own, West Indian," said Fabrice Jean-Denis, a 22 year-old Political Science major. She continued "There is more variety in the menu and we now have fresh fruits everyday which I think is good."

Business major Otis O'Meally, 19, said, "I noticed the menu listing. They keep the place nice and neat, and we finally got a microwave."

Rostoker said, "It's not a hundred percent what I want it to be; I try to please everyone. I like people to leave here happy not hungry.

Annual Health Fair ‘Check-ups’ on Students’ Health and Fitness

By Gitma Saltzart

On Wednesday, April 10, the annual MSU Health Fair will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Student Center Ballroom.

About 60 representatives from various health agencies, hospitals, and centers on campus will hand out up-to-date health information and conduct several free health tests, including blood pressure and physical fitness tests for anyone interested.

The free event is held to promote student health, said event organizers. Organizations participating in the event include Planned Parenthood, The National Council on Alcohol and Drug Dependence, Montclair YMCA, New Jersey Bud­dies, and the American Cancer Society. Representatives from various health plans including HMO’s will be present to answer students’ questions.

Bio-reference laboratories will be offering the following tests in the morning hours: Chem-profile, HDL, CBC for a fee of $17.00, Prostate Specific Antigen (PSA) blood test for a fee of $27.00 and a Glucose, Plasma Test (which detects Diabetes) for a fee of $85.00. A 12 hour fast is required for the Chem-profile and Glucose and Plasma Test. Anyone interested must pre-register with Dr. Mary Jo Belenski at 655-7122.

Recruiting season begins: Career Fair coming to MSU on Tuesday

by Lorren Magnus

Career Services will be holding its second annual Career Fair on Tuesday, April 9, in Dickson Hall. The fair will consist of 51 tables of possible employers for students of all majors.

Employers from different companies and varying job fields will be on hand to answer questions, give information about prospective positions, and collect resumes from possible student candidates.

The employers participating in the fair range from very prominent organizations such as Bloomingdales, Bell Atlantic, and the FBI, as well as smaller businesses such as Computer Associates and AOE/Ricoh.

The fair will focus on a variety of fields as well as cover a large majority of majors. There will be representatives from business services, retail markets, food services and sales, health care, computer services, law enforcement, social services, telecommunications, recreation, and public accounting, among others.

Eileen Bruck, director of Career Services, wants to be clear that the fair is intended for all students, not just for the graduating seniors. "The focus of the fair is to get employers and students together," said Bruck. "For graduates and undergraduates there are actual jobs available, whether they are full-time, part-time, or internships. It (the fair) is a reflection of the job market."

Bruck also said that many students get discouraged because they fear that their field of interest will not be represented. Career Services is trying to address such concerns with this fair. "We want to give opportunities for all majors and all kinds of interests," Bruck said. "The fair will represent all the industries, and I want it to be a fair where everyone can find something useful to them."

Bruck said that students should be aware that they can go to the Career Services office and pick up a grid of all the companies attending so they can plan to visit the tables of companies that interest them. "If the students come to the office and get a grid," she said, "they can plan ahead strategically as to where they want to go. They should also plan ahead as to what it is they are going to say. Students should be prepared to tell about their qualifications if asked by an employer. Serious students should come dressed-up with resumes in hand."

Since the last career fair attracted a turnout of 800 students, Career Services has decided to make this fair an annual event. "This fair will be a learning experience," said Bruck. "It is there to help those looking for non-permanent employment as well as those who are searching for future careers. The companies on our list are more diverse than a specialized, one-specific-area-of-interest fair, and they also have the most available jobs. I am hoping that students will enjoy it and learn from it. The fair is for everyone."

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Dr. Marina Cunningham has been appointed to head the Global Education Center, said Dr. Gregory Waters, deputy provost and vice president for Institutional Advancement.

Cunningham comes to MSU from William Paterson College, where she was Assistant Director of Continuing Education for eight years.

Born in China to Russian parents, she went to high school in Ecuador and earned degrees from the University of Illinois and Northwestern University. She has a Ph.D. in Slavic Languages and Literature.

She speaks many languages including Russian, Spanish, French and Chinese.

Cunningham said there are three goals she wishes to accomplish at MSU. "I want to increase the number of students wishing to travel abroad, and to get involved in exchange programs. I would also like more international students to get involved." Cunningham said she also wants to coordinate numerous international pursuits involving faculty participation, and wants to facilitate additional international pursuits by way of exchange programs.

"I would also like to implement collaborative programs with other universities," said Cunningham. More research and grant opportunities are also on her agenda. Lastly, "I would like the Global Education Center to be an international re­source to the community, and offer travel programs to the public," she said. Cunningham added that they would be able to "answer any ques­tions people have about interna­tional matters."

Dr. Cunningham says that her strengths lie in her strong personal background, experience, networking and contacting capabilities with scholars, and her ability to create programs. She also considers her ability to work well with faculty as one of her strengths.

On the personal side, her hobbies include traveling, theater, and any­thing cultural in New York City. An avid reader, she is married with two children. She has a son who is a lawyer in New Orleans, and a daughter who interned with a Massachu­setts senator.

Cunningham recently appointed Director of Global Education Center

by Joseph A. Cerqueira

The 1996 Faculty Survey will not appear this semester because of a lack of adequate student participation. The Montclarion plans to run the survey next semester and will include data from this semester. The Montclarion thanks all of the students that helped this semester and assures them that their time and effort will not go to waste.

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SGA begins letter writing campaign against tuition hike

by Tam Boud

SGA Director of External Affairs Victor Cirilo announced plans for a campus-wide letter writing campaign to the state legislature in Trenton concerning tuition increases. Cirilo said summer tuition will increase by nine percent and that there may be additional increases for the fall semester.

"Tuition hikes concern each and everyone of us. As leaders of the campus community, it is our duty to inform the community and get them to react. What I have in mind is a flyer with a letter attached which will be distributed all over campus. The students can sign the letter and deposit it in a box which will be located outside the SGA office.

"These letters will in turn be mailed to the state legislature to show them we will not stand for any tuition increases," said Cirilo. Thousands of flyers with letters will be printed in the near future and the copies will be free by using the SGA office copying machine, Cirilo said. SGA Vice President Julio Marenco announced his candidacy for SGA president at the April 3 meeting. Marenco said he is running for president in order to finish tasks undertaken by the Dauder administration.

"It would be a waste of my talent if I didn't run for president. I have a very good idea on how to run things. As president, I would continue to strive for better programming for all the Class Ones and I would work doubly hard with the university administration on individual student issues. We stand today at the edge of a frontier. The frontier is not a set of promises, but a set of challenges.

It is with the best of intentions that I announce my candidacy for president of the Student Government Association," Marenco said.

Regarding the upcoming election, SGA Legislator Brian Cosgrove called on every legislator to set aside two hours for poll supervision. "Last year, the SGA was under a lot of fire and heat for looking like idiots. That's a problem that we must address. So far, only eight or nine people have signed up to watch the polls, so I am asking you to please volunteer two hours of your time for the benefit of the SGA," Cosgrove said. In other affairs, Cosgrove was appointed as Acting Attorney General until April 19 to replace Amy Fisher who is running for Vice President.

SGA Secretary Lauren Pytelski added that any SGA legislator who does not put in two hours of poll supervision will be stripped of their voting privileges for one meeting.

"All we are asking for is two hours. We are not asking for a major part of your life," Pytelski said.

In legislative business, the SGA voted to recharter SILC and the Student Paralegal Association for the 1996-97 year. The SGA also voted 25-0-2 to fund the Caribso Spring Festival Association and 27-0-3 to appropriate $100 to Pride for AIDS education programming.

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Dear Career Services,

My friend who attended the Career Fair last year said "It was very busy, and some employers had lines of students waiting to speak to them." I plan to come on April 9. How can I make the most of the day?

A. Your friend was right. The ballrooms were packed with representatives from 50 employers, and 800 students attended. To make the most of the day, it is a good idea to prepare your strategy beforehand.

Come to Career Services and get the list of employers who are attending and learn about the kinds of positions that are available. Read the list carefully and then decide which employers you want to meet. You'll be better prepared.

Recruiters have made the following suggestions:
- Come dressed as you would for an interview. It communicates to the employers that you are serious about the job hunt.
- Introduce yourself in a positive and confident manner. Smile, project enthusiasm, and offer a firm handshake.
- Give the representative a resume and be ready to discuss your background, qualifications, and career goals.

Women are fairly represented in the education field but the prestige of being an educator isn't as great now as in the past. There have been women in banking, but the room for advancement is far less likely. In the last year history of the American Psychological Association, only eight women have served as president. Only 43 representatives out of 435, and eight out of 100 senators in the United States Congress are women although they make up 51 percent of the population, Cantor said.

Cantor offered hope and optimism, citing improvements in working conditions for women, and the setting of goals for specific improvements. Women have made many advancements professionally in recent years. Dr. Cantor, 61 percent of Doctorates awarded in psychology in 1991 were earned by women.

An influx in the medical professions has also been seen, namely in general medicine, psychology, and veterinary medicine. An increase in the number of women editors of professional journals has also been recorded.

Dr. Cantor urged everyone to become "creatively aggressive," to couple one's mind and imagination in order to meet personal goals. She advised setting short-range goals as well as long-range goals, and she reminded everyone "If you want success to fall into your lap, first you have to put your lap there."

MSU students take part in New York City Tournament

On Saturday, March 30, a select few MSU students took part in the first annual "Gracie-Jiu-Jitsu East Coast Tournament" in New York City. The "Gracie Challenge," first issued by Helio Gracie in 1925 reads, "The Gracies will fight anyone in the world, and if you beat them, you get $100,000." For 75 years, that challenge has remained undefeated.

The Gracies, with their tall, skinny builds, will fight anywhere: in the street, the beach, a dojo, anywhere; all to prove that their system is unlike all martial arts and the ultimate in one on one defense. There are fewer than ten Gracie Jiu-Jitsu practitioners on campus, who can each be found in the Panzer Gymnasium on the wrestling mats at different nights during the week. They include Eric Alders, Jason Alders, Anthony Diprimio, Jason Iorio, Tom Malloy, Gary Odendahl, Dan Quinones, and Ray Reima. There are three areas on the east coast that teach GJJ: Raritan, Philadelphia, and New York City.

The team had an impressive showing. Jason Iorio stream-rolled to a 12-0 lead over the eventual champ of the heavyweight division, level 2, but the endurance factor weighed in and he was caught in an armlock. "I had the guy beaten on points until I ran out of gas," said Iorio. "It was tough seeing him go on and beat everyone else in the division."

Dan Quinones, a freshman at MSU, won the heavyweight division, level one. He confidently said "Most of my opponents were bigger and stronger than me, but they could not defend against my technique."

The MSU Gracie Jiu-Jitsu practitioners are looking forward to taking part in another tournament in Philadelphia this June.

Editor’s Note:

Although Women’s History Month concluded in March, this week’s Campus Life section is running two stories which I feel to be very important and deserve publication.

The Women's Center and the Women's Studies Program planned a series of events which highlighted every aspect of women's history. Authors, doctors, and performers visited MSU to educate students on everything from dating violence to self-esteem. It was definitely a very interesting month!
The Real World
by Jennifer Boehm

Last semester, when I first entered the office of Cooperative Education, I was unsure of what I wanted to pursue. I knew that I wanted to use the skills I had been developing in my classes, but that didn't help narrow it down. I was mostly looking off-campus because I thought that it would look good on my resume.

After several interviews, I was called by the office of Alumni Relations at MSU and decided to do my Co-op there. I am finding the experience to be very rewarding. I'd like to share with you some of the advantages of doing an on-campus co-op.

The most obvious advantage is traffic—there is none. I do not have to worry about rushing from class to work and being late because of traffic jam on Route 46. I live on campus, so I do not have to lose my parking spot every day that I go to work.

Another advantage is the contacts that you can make. I spend half of my time in other offices in College Hall. I found how resourceful College Hall offices are.

I meet new people almost every day. You can just guess all the little advantages of knowing the people in College Hall. For one of my classes, I had to make a contact file and half of my file was people I have met through this on-campus co-op.

I would like to mention one last advantage of having a co-op on campus, especially at the Alumni House. I have learned a lot about the campus itself and the people involved in making it work. I have acquired a lot of information about MSU in the short time I have been here that I never would have learned otherwise.

If you are ever given the opportunity, I would definitely recommend that you co-op on campus. Would you rather sit on Route 46 during rush hour or wait 15 minutes for a shuttle bus? The decision is simple.

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- Ask questions about career opportunities, specific job openings, and the organization. Collect business cards and literature to familiarize yourself with the different employers.
- Ask representatives about possible opportunities even if they are not listed in the employer directory.
- Speak with as many representatives as possible. Instead of standing in line to speak with one recruiter, you can probably talk with two or three in the same period.
- Come early. The doors open at noon. As the day continues, the ballrooms become more crowded. Good luck!

Q. In my last job, my boss and I disagreed about almost everything. This is the first time I have ever had this happen. Last Friday, I told him that I was going to leave. He commented that he thought it was a good idea, as he was going to let me go. What should I say when I am asked why did you leave your last job at my next interview?

A. A cardinal rule of interviewing is never to say anything negative about yourself or employers for whom you have worked. If you say there was a personality clash between your boss and yourself, you might as well walk out of the interview. Find something positive about each work experience you have had, in terms of skills you have developed or situations you can now handle. The best answer may be that you desired a better job, or want to learn new skills and broaden your work experience.
The Commuter Connection

by Valerie Winslow

The Town Meeting for Weekend College students was held Saturday, March 30, in the Branfi Lecture Room. President Helen Matusow-Ayres and Student Government Association President Francois Dauder were present to talk to students for over two hours.

During the informal meeting, the discussion was concentrated on issues that affected out-of-classroom experiences for MSU commuter students.

Some of the issues discussed included parking on campus, academic advising, campus security, and student fees. It was a time for students to voice their concerns.

One student, Diana Woods, who attended the meeting, said, "The meeting was informal and open. It gave me a platform to talk to the Dean of Students and the SGA President about issues I would like to see MSU administrators address."

This first town meeting was the beginning of a continuing format for all students who want to express themselves and/or get involved in making changes happen.

Read Arts and Entertainment!

Expatriate reflects on origins: “When I was Puerto Rican”

by Sandy Garcia

The celebration of Women's History Month continued on March 26 "Reading and Reflections" by Esmeralda Santiago, author of "When I was Puerto Rican."

Santiago's lecture/reading was the first of events for Latina Day which began at 12:00 p.m. at the Branfi Lounge in Dickson Hall. The day of events was coordinated by Carmen Reyes-Cuevas of the Educational Opportunity Fund department. The event was so heavily attended that people were standing outside the doors.

Esmeralda Santiago writes about her experiences of living as a child in Puerto Rico and moving to New York with her mother and siblings. Her writings also tell about her problems surviving high school and her graduating from Harvard with magna cum laude honors.

"Women's history is very important to me because in my early experiences in the United States I saw a lack of information on Latina Concerns, or from the Latina perspective that I was looking for," Santiago said. Reading was "a very big part" of her life and education was respected in her family even though economic problems forced both of her parents to drop out of school at a very young age. This encouraged her to learn English on her own when she moved to New York. She went on to explain the reasons for the past tense in her life as "that period in my life was when I was purely Puerto Rican."

Santiago described the criticism that she experienced when she went back to Puerto Rico for the first time in thirteen years. She discovered that her living in the United States had made her something other than "purely puertorican" and that this distanced her from those who saw themselves as fitting that description. But, said Santiago, leaving one's homeland can be seen positively when a person is "looking for something that one's culture can't provide."

The highlight of the event came when Santiago read a chapter from her book entitled "Why Women Remain Jamona." This term refers insultingly to a woman who has never married. The chapter tells a colorful tale of Santiago as a young child going to spend a week with her grandparents. Her father's infidelity and the issue of respect for one's elders come into play.

"I want my children to know that my cultural identity is important to me." Every time I write about Puerto Rico, "Santiago said, "I'm discovering about my culture."

This event was sponsored by the Hispanic Caucus, Women's Studies Program and the Women's Center. Mu Sigma Upsilon Sorority, Lambda Tau Omega Sorority, Lambda Theta Alpha Sorority, the Latin American Student Organization, the Latin American and Latino Studies Minor program, the Office of the President, the Office of the Dean of Humanities and Social Science, the English department and the Spanish-Italian department.

Greek News.....

Information from the MSU Greek Council

Alpha Phi Omega - will be cleaning up Newark Park on April 27.
- sponsoring another Blood Drive on May 1.

Theta Xi - Going Greek every Wednesday 10-3pm.
- Redhawk Festival, Thursday April 11, 10-5pm.

Sigma Psi Phi - sponsoring MS Walk on April 21.

Lambda Theta Alpha - Founders' Week - April 22-26.

Sigma Sigma Sigma - Easter Chocolate Sale, Student Center, April 3.

Sigma Alpha Iota - will be holding bake sales Mondays 8am-noon, Music Building.

On sale now for your shopping pleasures:

Intersorority council will be selling MSU t-shirts next week in the Student Center Quad for $8.

Greek week shirts are on sale for $10 in the Student Center Cafe.

Job Opportunity

D.R.B.A. Police Officer

The Delaware River and Bay Authority (DRBA) is seeking qualified individuals for the position of police officer. Qualifications include:
• a bachelor's degree (B.S. or B.A.)
• a valid driver's license
• able to pass a complete background investigation
• able to meet physical fitness standards

The DRBA operates the Delaware Memorial Bridge, the Cape May - Lewes Ferry and the New Castle County Airport. Interested applicants should contact Officer Heather McManus, recruitment officer, at 1-800-343-3722 (ext. 6432). Resumes should be addressed to the Delaware River and Bay Authority, Police Recruitment Office, Post Office Box 71, New Castle, Delaware, 19720. Applications must be submitted no later than July 31, 1996.

The Delaware River and Bay Authority is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Women and minorities are encouraged to apply.
LATIN AMERICAN AND LATINO STUDIES MINOR

The Latin and Latino Studies Minor (18 s.h.) is an interdisciplinary concentration providing a background in the cultures of Latin America and in the Latino cultures of the U.S.

Majors in Business, International Marketing, History, Social Sciences, Pre-Law and Legal Studies, Education, Spanish, Literature and the Arts, Health Professions and Pre-Medicine will find this minor a valuable complement to their professional studies.

To begin the Minor, register for:

LALS 201: PERSPECTIVES ON LATIN AMERICA (3 s.h., no prerequisite) Listed in course book under “Special Programs,” Latin American and Latino Studies Minor. This course meets the Multicultural Awareness Requirement under a blanket waiver. It will be offered Summer 1996 (regular session) and Fall 1996 (day and Weekend College sessions).

Elective courses may be taken concurrently. Available in Fall 96:

- **HIST 114**: Early Latin American Civilization
- **EUGS 308**: Land and Life in Latin America
- **LSPR 316**: Skills for Bilingual Legal Personnel
- **RELG 256**: Religion in Latin America
- **SPAN 161**: Masterpieces of Spanish American Literature
- **SPAN 471**: Contemporary Trends in the Spanish American Novel (note prerequisite)

For details of the curriculum, requirements and GER, see Jo Anne Engelbert, Acting Director, LALS, DI 110, 655-7511.
Cancer cells grow too rapidly and produce too much tissue. Overgrowth of tissue results in tumors. Tumors can be either benign or malignant. Benign tumors are not cancerous and therefore do not spread to other parts of the body. Malignant tumors are cancerous. They can spread, invade and destroy other healthy cells in the body. Half of all cancers are diagnosed in people under 67. Four cancer sites—lung, colon, breast and prostate account for more than half of all cancer deaths.

Lung cancer strikes fewer people than various other cancers, yet it's the biggest cancer killer. Cigarettes contribute about 85% of lung cancer deaths. Unlike other cancers, heredity plays a role in the development of breast cancer. Self breast examinations, increasing exercise and controlling alcohol content are some factors than can help in breast cancer prevention.

Like breast cancer to women, prostate cancer affects one out of every eight American males. African American males are twice as likely to die of prostate cancer. Recent studies have found Vit. E to protect against cancer. Vit. E, like Vit. A is an antioxidant—which protects the body against disease.

Foods such as wheat germ, whole grain products, nuts and seeds are rich in Vit. E. Surprisingly, pizza may also reduce the risk of this prostate cancer. According to the Jan. '96 issue of Environmental Nutrition, "pizza, tomato sauce and tomatoes in particular were linked to a lower risk of cancer." In a recent study men eating more than 10 or more servings of tomato products a week were 45% less likely to develop prostate cancer.

Although accounting for only 1% of all cancers in men, testicular cancer is found mostly in young men between the ages of 15-34. What's even more alarming for the college aged male is that the majority of testicular cancer cases occur between the ages of 18-22. Most testicular cancer has been found by men themselves, usually by accident. However, like breast self-examinations for women, men can give themselves testicular self-examinations.

If you or anyone you know has cancer, The American Cancer Society, a non-profit organization offers a variety of services for cancer patients and their families. Local ACS offices are listed in the telephone directory. Also the Cancer Information Services, at 1-800-4-CANCER, can provide information to doctors, patients and the public.

Although there are more forms of cancer, such as stomach, liver, pancreas and mouth, the cancers listed above are the most common and deadly for Americans today. Cutting your risk of cancer could be as easy as finishing all your peas at dinner time. Prevent today, what could be fatal tomorrow.

Here are some tips for cutting your risk of cancer.
1. Don't smoke.
2. Don't drink alcohol, limit to less than one drink a day.
3. Eat at least five to nine servings of fruits and vegetables.
4. Cut back on fats, especially saturated and red meats.
5. Use whole grains, such as whole wheat bread.
6. Exercise four hours a week.
7. Avoid obesity.
Native American
by Joseph Paternoster

"Hey baby, how you doin' today?" That is the greeting I usually receive from Betty, the lady who swipes I-cards at the Blanding cafe. It makes me feel welcome there. But Betty better be careful, as Bernice Harris can tell her.

Mrs. Harris is a 58 year old cashier in a Senate coffee shop who received a sexual harassment complaint from a 19 year old Senate staffer. Her offense was that she called this boy by the same name that she has used for everybody from Senators to janitors over the past 30 years; "baby." Christopher Weld, the part-time mailboy who filed the suit, complained to his office manager and was told that he had three options: talk to Mrs. Harris, contact the Senate Office for Fair Employment practices, or do nothing. He sent a letter to Mrs. Harris, who is black, a letter headed "Sexual Harassment: I am reporting this not as a racial thing, but the term that you quoted does make me real uncomfortable.

Bernice Harris' supervisors decided to transfer her from the coffee shop to a large cafeteria in the Capitol because, as she stated, they were afraid that she 'might make the same slip and call him 'baby' again and this guy could sue.' Rather than take the transfer, Mrs. Harris quit, a little more than a month after her May 6 retirement that would have given her full benefits. "Yeah, I risked a couple of dollars by quitting," she shrugged, "but it wasn't right."

She was gone for about a day when several senators and staffers rallied to her defense. Letters of support and flowers were sent to Mrs. Harris. Two days later she was back on her old 6:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. shift. "They told me to stop forgetting," she said. The boy, Mr. Weld, came by and she apologized to him. Senator Ben Nighthorse Campell (R-Col) assured Bernice that he still wanted to be called baby and honey. "We are so PC around this place, it makes you want to vomit," he said. And the same is true at MSU.

On this campus, if one were to call someone "baby" he would be branded as sexist by the liberal. Whenever someone is referred to as a "girl" around here, the speaker is quickly corrected. "I am a womyn with a y," is usually the retort that follows. Is this really the atmosphere that we want to foster on this campus and across the country: an unwritten speech code?

Sexual harassment is a serious crime, but it seems to be treated seriously only when it is convenient. Bob Packwood was truly harassing women for 27 years on Capitol Hill before he was kicked out. But if a construction worker in Minnesota looks at a woman for more than seven seconds, he is guilty of ogling her, and is immediately dealt with. Or if Bernice Harris says "baby" to some nineteen year old boy, she's out within a day. Episodes like these cheapen and demean sexual harassment when it really does take place.

Obviously, Mrs. Harris was not trying to make any advances on Mr. Held. Nonetheless, he was offended by a word that she used, so the PC police acted quickly before Bernice could strike again. It is also evident that if someone says, "You are one smart girl" that they are not trying to demean whomever they are talking about. In other words, before attributing a sexist motive to the comment, take the statement in its true context. "It's gotten so doggone bad you can't even tell someone they have on a pretty dress or that their necklace looks good," Mr. Campbell said. And isn't that a shame. It seems that the liberals have created an atmosphere in Washington and on college campuses where one is free to say whatever she thinks, as long as it fits into their list of acceptable words. One result is that sexual harassment is turned into a joke, which hurts the true victims. Another is that the hard working people like Bernice Harris are the ones that suffer from the enforcement of PC rules.

"I treat people like I want my kids and grandkids and myself to be treated. I don't know his problem," Mrs. Harris said. Weld's problem is simple: he has been co-opted by the politically correct Thought Police. So, Bernice is going to do her 28 days and God willing, get out. 'And to Betty: I'm just fine, and how are you doin', baby?"
College at Thirty-something
by Angela Diadone

If it hadn’t been for a chance meeting with Dr. Jim Nash, chairman of the English Department, I would have overlooked the recent Career Night sponsored by the same department. There wasn’t much publicity about it, sorry to say. I did attend, and I’m very glad that I took the time to do so. It was well presented and organized, and after some opening remarks, all in attendance were invited to sit in on two of seven different sessions dealing with some aspect of the employment possibilities within the field.

I chose the sessions on Journalism and Freelance Writing. Both were conducted by faculty and alumni who had graciously returned for the evening to share their work experiences with those of us who are getting ready to dive into the post-graduation world. The remarks of these MSU graduates were candid, animated, and seemingly truthful. But they didn’t come to strut their stuff. They did not descend in any way, shape, or form. But rather, these successful men and women welcomed a chance to paint a picture of what the real working world is like after exams, registration, and shuttle rides from the quarry. And that world is wide open if we take the time to look.

My personal concern is that at thirty-something I won’t be marketable once I graduate. This has been a recurrent toothache of mine for a while. I spent most of my last two years working in restaurants as a waitress and bartender. The hours were conducive to raising kids who were in school during the lunch shifts or by their Dad’s

Rubino
by Michael Rubino

I don’t make enough money to gamble. And even if I did make enough I’d find another excuse not to gamble. The casinos are filled with thick, disgusting smoke that penetrates even the most overzealous Aqua-Velva man, and I don’t prefer elbow-to-elbow crowds with people who are not that clean and not too attractive.

But in most hypocritical fashion, I fancy the Garden State’s own Atlantic City (AC to the regulars). I love the flashing lights and ringing bells and the loud crashing sound of coins and, in an odd way, I even sort of like the elbow-to-elbow crowds. I like watching old ladies manipulate two and three slot machines at one time. I enjoy examining the stoic faces that surround the card tables. I like looking for the “big” tables, the ones that have minimum antes that cost more than my weekly paycheck. I like watching the slick way they hold their cigarettes and nod their finger at the near-topless waitresses when they order their drinks.

I enjoy this, yet if I think about it, I feel quite perverse. I feel like a voyeur, peeping at the challenge of sin, and usually finding more to criticize than to admire. Because in many ways the whole damn town is a sin. Some are getting filthy rich while others are betting their rent money, their jobs, or even their marriages on the roll of the dice, flip of the card, and pull of the lever. I suppose it’s not just the casinos. I know of a few guys who fell in the hole betting on football and basketball games. One guy had the misfortune of receiving a couple of large, hard-nosed visitors at his workplace. Another used his family’s savings to pay off his gambling debts. I knew a football player in high school who got into deep with bookies that he had to sell his car just to get the money to pay off them. Here is a case of a 17-year-old kid with a heart of gold, but lost in his search for self-control. I’ve witnessed firsthand that it’s easy to just tell somebody to stop or for somebody to think they are in control. But how many don’t stop? Or is it that they can’t stop? I could go to AC a couple of times a year with a limited amount of money and have a great time. But maybe I’m one of the lucky ones. Gamblers lose a lot more than money. They lose their souls.

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All submissions must be received by 3:00 p.m. Monday. Letters must include the author’s name, major, phone number, and social security number. The last two items will be used for verification purposes only. Please keep letters to a length of not more than two pages, double-spaced. Submissions may be edited for length and/or libel.
From construction worker to working with Rambo: A Filmmaker's Story

by John Springman

On Monday, April 1, a Dickson Hall audience was treated to filmmaker Michael Corrente's fascinating story on his breakthrough into the motion picture industry. MSU's Film Studies Program and the Writer's Program cosponsored the event with Corrente and his guest, character actor Frank Vincent. Corrente regaled an absorbed audience with details of his journey from construction worker to working in Providence, Rhode Island, to directing Academy Award winner Dustin Hoffman and Emmy Award winner Dennis Franz in the soon-to-be-released film, American Buffalo.

Corrente's overriding message to prospective filmmakers was that making it in the film industry takes perseverance and the passion to tell a story. He decided to become an actor in the late 70's, and after suffering through many fruitless auditions, decided to produce his own plays and simply cast himself in them. As an off-Broadway producer, he discovered that the rights to works by an established playwright make them very expensive, so he became a playwright as well.

Corrente ultimately produced his own plays, and others' plays, including David Mamet's American Buffalo. After several years, he decided to try and make a screenplay out of one of his plays, a story of five Italian-American youths in Providence, entitled Federal Hill. A Hollywood studio bought an option on his screenplay, and over the course of the next seven years various well-known actors and directors committed and uncompromisingly to the project. In 1993 I finally realized that Hollywood was never going to make Federal Hill, not my childhood friends, and his brother-in-law took a second mortgage on his house to pay for the last week's shooting of Federal Hill. Corrente amused the audience by telling how friends were able to help him get credit from Kodak and thus obtain 85,000 feet of black and white film stock, an order they hadn't filled in the last Woody Allen film. "I had three friends sit by their phones until Kodak called. They answered the phone, 'This is such-and-such company. We've done extensive business with Mr. Corrente and he's never missed a payment.' Corrente spoke of many sleepless nights of uncertainty about the financing of Federal Hill, but he always felt that he had his wife's support and encouragement. Federal Hill was finally completed at a cost of $80,000 and Corrente proudly told the audience, "Every single person who worked on the film got paid, and that's unusual in making a low budget feature like this."

Corrente showed a clip of Federal Hill, in which Vincent plays a father determined to straighten out a wayward youth who disappeared in Goodfellas and other Martin Scorsese films, said that he took the role because he was so impressed by the screenplay. Federal Hill was shown at several film festivals before being picked up by Trimark Films for national distribution. A Hollywood producer who saw the film put Corrente in touch with David Mamet. Mamet liked the movie so much that he decided he wanted Corrente to direct the film version of American Buffalo.

Corrente expressed profound gratitude to Mamet, saying "I never would have made this film if not for him." Dennis Franz (NYFD Blue) committed to the project early, but the casting of Hoffman was a last minute coup. Corrente, doing a dead-on Hoffman impersonation, described how he met with the actor and convinced him to come aboard. "I told him there are three great roles in American theater; Stanley Kowlaski in Streetcar, Willy Loman in Death of a Salesman, and..."

Cracker to perform as part of a musical memorial

by Jodi Kastel

On April 28, Cracker will perform in the amphitheater as part of a "musical memorial" to celebrate the lives of two distinguished area professors. The concert is the realization of Dr. James McRoy's wish to have a musical memorial on campus after his death, as stated in his will. The memorial will also honor Dr. Tomlinson, a film professor and fellow professor, Dr. Douglas Tomlinson. Both men passed away in June 1992 from AIDS-related causes.

Dr. McRoy was the head of the Psychology Department at Upsala College, formerly in West Orange. During his career in teaching, he also was president of the New Jersey chapter of the American Association of University Professors.

Dr. Tomlinson was a film professor at MSU. He was in the process of writing a book on the art of acting in motion pictures when he passed away, shortly after the completion of the spring 1992 semester. The book, Actors on Acting for the Screen: Roles and Collaborations has since been published by Garland Press.

Dr. McRoy requested that 20 percent of his estate be set aside to subsidize a "musical memorial" on the MSU campus. Dr. McRoy chose MSU as the sight for his memorial after a visit to campus on one sunny, spring day a few years ago. Echoing through the trees, he could hear the sounds of music and laughter. He was touched by Class One Concert's 104.3 The AIDS Quilt Chapter of New Jersey, to name a few, are dedicating their time to educate all the attendees about AIDS prevention and awareness. All donations will go to the Newark Child's Hospital AIDS Unit, the Hyacinth Foundation, Life Beat, The AIDS Quilt, and other Essex and Passaic County AIDS service providers. We are hoping that his event will help in the crusade of an eventual eradication of this disease.

Munoz said, "Dr. McRoy's donation will not only impact MSU students, but the whole Montclair community in attendance. The outdoor jam was transformed from just a concert before exams to a show honoring the..."
Twisted Willie, A Rollicking & Eclectic Collection

by Dylan Archilla

OK, I admit it, country music and the lifestyle that surrounds it makes me cringe. I think ten-gallon hats look silly. I sincerely believe that the combination of line dancing and draggable skins boot lows one's intellect by at least ten points. The sight of a gun rack in the back of a beat-up Ford pickup frightens me. The sound of a pedal steel guitar tends to make my flesh crawl. And sure, Garth Brooks' stage show rivals any metal band from the mid-eighties in the pyrotechnic department, but to me, country music sounds, well, small.

That's not to say, ever, that nothing good has come out of the genre. Willie Nelson, he of the braids and multiple marijuana arrests, has always been seen as the gentle rebel of the music industry. He's a political activist on a real grass-roots level (he founded Farm Aid). He's shunned the uniform of country, and put a human face on it. It is obvious that Willie is a hero to many of today's alternative bands. The proof is Twisted Willie, a rollicking and eclectic collection of today's hottest bands covering the songs of Mr. Nelson. Willie himself helps out on guitar and vocals on a few of the songs.

However, a few songs, such as "Time of the Preacher," done by the man in black himself, Johnny Cash, Never Cared for depressingly Waylon "I You," crowed by Jennings and "Sad Songs and Waltzes," sung by someone named Jesse Dayton all appear to adhere like super glue to the originals. And that's disappointing, because when a band covers someone else's music, I like to hear a variation on the theme, something at least a little different.

Not ironically, the songs that veer furthest away from the originals (or I think so), are the ones that score the most. "Shotgun Willie," covered by Tenderloin, is an energetic workout and kicks butt with real zeal.

I doubt the original sounded anything like this, and if it did, then my hat (not a ten gallon!) is off to Mr. Nelson. Of note to you musicians out there, check out the bass line, it's rather tasty.

The Presidents of the United States of America's cover of "Devil in a Sleeping Bag," is, well, very Presidential if you know what I mean. The lyrics of this song seem to fit the Presidents' quirky style to a "t."

We're headed to Seattle/Promotion sickness on the road/Takin' it home to rock out for the kids/Dropped a tranny, jumped a railroad/And went through a music store/If you want to buy a van we're takin' bids...

Jerry Cantrell and Sean Kinney of Alice in Chains cover a song that could easily fit comfortably onto Alice's new acoustic album (if there is one), entitled 'I've Seen All This World I Care to See'. This ballad suits Cantrell's limited vocal range nicely and his guitar playing really stands out.

The most interesting and surprising facet of this CD is the inclusion of former Dead Kennedy leader and government scapegoat, Jello Biafra. He, with the help of a band called Life After Life, cover a Nelson ballad called "Still Is Still Moving To Me." One wouldn't think that Jello's high, quavering voice would work well in this genre, but it does.

In the end, this tribute CD is, depending on your taste, a hit or a miss proposition, but as a recognition of Willie Nelson's contribution to music, it's a winner. The Reverend Horton Heat says it best, "There's an area in Texas between Hillsboro and Austin where just about everyone wears T-shirts, shorts, and flip-flops. No matter who holds the deed, Willie Nelson owns the land. He is the King of Texas."

Fun To Be Had Around And About Campus...

Thursday, April 4
Art Forum presents: Stephan Sagmeister, graphic designer from Austria. Calcia Hall, rm. 135 at 3 p.m. Jean-Marie's 22nd Birthday!

Friday, April 5
"The Beckett Years." Billie Whitelaw, British actress & foremost Samuel Beckett interpreter. Brantl Lecture Hall, Dickson Hall at 4 p.m.

Saturday, April 6
Players Comedy Club Live comedy, open mic. 18 to laugh, 21 to drink. 149 Van Winkle Ave. Garfield, NJ 201-546-2126

Sunday, April 7
Happy Easter! Daylight Savings Times begins.

Monday, April 8
Recover from Easter, Passover, or whatever holiday you celebrated.

Players: It Must Be The Food

by Robert Duane

Last Saturday night, March 30th, at 8 p.m. MSU Players presented It Must Be The Food. The show consisted of numerous original skits written by some of Montclair's finest with two musical performances by the talented John Oakes, assisted by the ever zany Dan Patak.

The show opened on a 'typical' day in Blanton Cafeteria, where killing the food is half the battle. Introductions were made by the evenings emcee Sean Hale. Soon a change of continents occurred and brought the audience to Bosnia to peek in on The Real World. Scott Maccio, Will Coles, Dan Patak, Jodi Lipshitz, Ian Nelson, he of the braids and multiple marijuana arrests, has always been seen as the gentle rebel of the music industry. He's a political activist on a real grass-roots level (he founded Farm Aid). He's shunned the uniform of country, and put a human face on it. It is obvious that Willie is a hero to many of today's alternative bands. The proof is Twisted Willie, a rollicking and eclectic collection of today's hottest bands covering the songs of Mr. Nelson. Willie himself helps out on guitar and vocals on a few of the songs.

However, a few songs, such as "Time of the Preacher," done by the man in black himself, Johnny Cash, Never Cared for depressingly Waylon "I You," crowed by Jennings and "Sad Songs and Waltzes," sung by someone named Jesse Dayton all appear to adhere like super glue to the originals. And that's disappointing, because when a band covers someone else's music, I like to hear a variation on the theme, something at least a little different.

Not ironically, the songs that veer furthest away from the originals (or I think so), are the ones that score the most. "Shotgun Willie," covered by Tenderloin, is an energetic workout and kicks butt with real zeal. I doubt the original sounded anything like this, and if it did, then my hat (not a ten gallon!) is off to Mr. Nelson. Of note to you musicians out there, check out the bass line, it's rather tasty.

The Presidents of the United States of America's cover of "Devil in a Sleeping Bag," is, well, very Presidential if you know what I mean. The lyrics of this song seem to fit the Presidents' quirky style to a "t."

We're headed to Seattle/Promotion sickness on the road/Takin' it home to rock out for the kids/Dropped a tranny, jumped a railroad/And went through a music store/If you want to buy a van we're takin' bids...

Jerry Cantrell and Sean Kinney of Alice in Chains cover a song that could easily fit comfortably onto Alice's new acoustic album (if there is one), entitled 'I've Seen All This World I Care to See'. This ballad suits Cantrell's limited vocal range nicely and his guitar playing really stands out.

The most interesting and surprising facet of this CD is the inclusion of former Dead Kennedy leader and government scapegoat, Jello Biafra. He, with the help of a band called Life After Life, cover a Nelson ballad called "Still Is Still Moving To Me." One wouldn't think that Jello's high, quavering voice would work well in this genre, but it does.

In the end, this tribute CD is, depending on your taste, a hit or a miss proposition, but as a recognition of Willie Nelson's contribution to music, it's a winner. The Reverend Horton Heat says it best, "There's an area in Texas between Hillsboro and Austin where just about everyone wears T-shirts, shorts, and flip-flops. No matter who holds the deed, Willie Nelson owns the land. He is the King of Texas."
McGinnis’ “Haute Couture,” pushing the edge of art

by Victoria Caldes & Erin Perry

Yesterday, April 3rd at 4 p.m., Gallery 3+1/2 held an opening reception for Jim McGinnis and his series of handmade paper and mixed media collages entitled, "Haute Couture."

Made up of twelve pieces, McGinnis explains in his statement, "This exhibit encompasses my exploration of papermaking to date. The pieces represented here deal with many issues and themes both visually and in concept." The collection reveals the artist's works from November of '95 through March of '96. Each piece was hung by a wire hanger and presented on a brown cardboard background much like a clothing rack that people can sift through.

McGinnis is a BFA graduating senior with a concentration in photography. This is his secret little side project that "no one expected." He states, "I consider myself a photographer. I am the one behind the camera making the image to be printed onto a surface, which is usually paper. In this series, I am not the one making the images, I am making the actual surface..."

McGinnis creates his surfaces with pictures of models, Kodak and Fuji film boxes, tape measures, pins and needles, cloth, pencil sketches, and glass to reveal his unique visions that "...consist of people involved with the fashion industry. Basically, the people depicted here are either designers or models." McGinnis work is unique and innovative. Unlike past exhibits appearing at Gallery 3+1/2, this presentation is unconventional. "My stuff isn't that traditional. You have to take it off the wall, its not really meant to be hung. It pushes the edge of art and it enters its own dimension."

This is the artist's first solo show, but his work has previously appeared in group shows. The artist has his own favorite works, "Colour" and "13 c" because, "The composition and color are strong in both. I'm real happy. They are final pieces in this series," and added laughing, "They're for sale and cheap, but I think it would be kind of strange to have them hanging in your home."

When asked if he likes to work with black and white film opposed to color, McGinnis chuckled and said, "I prefer good photography. And then seriously responded, "I practice with black and white but I like color."

"Haute Couture" is well worth a visit. And, maybe, if you're really lucky, you'll get to meet the eccentric Jim McGinnis who declared, "It's all a part of my master plan. People who wear overalls and drive Volkswagen buses are going to take over the world."

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Teach in American Buffalo. You've played one, it would be a shame if you passed up a chance to do one of the others. Hoffman looked at me for a while, and then he did what all smart men do: he called his wife. He asked her if she'd mind spending the summer in Newport while he filmed in nearby Providence. She agreed and thus Hoffman became Teach.

Corrente explained that there are two ways to get big-name actors for your project. 'If you give them a ton of money, they might do it even if the script is mediocre. If you have a great role for them, they'll pay you to play it." Hoffman, whose usual asking price is several times the $3 million budget of American Buffalo, worked for scale, as did Franz.

The MSU audience was treated to a rough trailer for American Buffalo, which will be released this summer, and Corrente then welcomed questions.

When asked about other movie directors, he responded, "Hal Ashby is my favorite. Few people realize the wide range of his work, including films such as Shampoo, Coming Home, Being There, and 8 Million Ways to Die." Corrente plans to direct a wide variety of movies himself, some of which he'll write. His next project will be another "small" movie with a big star—Sylvester Stallone. Stallone liked Federal Hill and decided he wanted to get back to doing that kind of work.

Corrente, who never went to film school himself, provided the audience with an enthralling look at the making of the gate of Hollywood. His story was both inspiring and daunting for potential filmmakers. "Film school is fine," he said, "but don't expect after graduation that someone will hand you $30 million and ask you to make a movie. Most of the film school graduates I know were production assistants on American Buffalo."

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actors. As usual, the skit was interrupted by Duane and Wekes using a trill and a phaser.

When Sam's final leap was complete, the running gag concluded that the whole thing was case of mistaken identity. The cast then reunited and were applauded by the audience. Two writers not appearing in the show, Craig Klein and Eric Lamendola, were also thanked for their hard work.
Comedy in the Heartland

Fargo's kidnapping scene is a classic moment when you don't know. I don't know if the Coens are up for a sequel, but I'd love to see more of a character who's open-faced, for "dealer." McDormand has created a brand new car probably stands for "dealer." McDormand has created a character who's open-faced, gentle, intelligent, and courageous. I don't know if the Coens are up for a sequel, but I'd love to see more of her.

In a good black comedy there are moments when you don't know whether to laugh or scream. Fargo's kidnapping scene is a classic example: Jean Lundegaard tries to hide from the would-be abductors in the shower, is discovered and flees through the house tangled in her shower curtain, before plunging down the front stairs—the Three Stooges meet Hitchcock. The kidnappers themselves are a memorable pair, a weird looking chatterbox (Steve Buscemi) and his silent but deadly partner. Style and plot are the Coen brothers' strengths as filmmakers; at times they tend to look down on their characters. I don't think that's the case in Fargo. Many of the characters are of Swedish descent and are portrayed as simple, straightforward souls who say ya a lot, but Margie is one of them and she's the heart of the film. I doubt that the Swedish-American Student Organization will picket this movie.

The Coen brothers' films often have a unique and beautiful look. Fargo is visually very bright, with much of the action taking place in snow. There's a wonderful overhead shot of a car and several lampposts in a snow-covered lot that could be framed as a work of art. It's a pleasure to watch these images, and when they're combined with a riveting plot and a great character, we have a real treat on our hands.

However, when Fargo ended, I felt cheated. We've been given a brief glimpse of Margie with her husband, but we don't really find out how these senseless killings have affected her. We see Jerry Lundegaard being pitifully hauled off to jail, but how does he feel about setting these events in motion? The characters are supposed to be unmotivated Swedes, but I think the Coen brothers are hiding behind that stereotype, so they don't have to deal with these human issues.

Fargo has great visual style and a strong story, and thanks to McDormand, a wonderful character. We deserved to find out more about her, but it's a strong movie that leaves you hungry for more. Fargo earns an "A."
Happy Easter, Passover, Baseball Day, Radio Shack™ Worker Appreciation Day, Gravel Eating Day, Wood Burning Day, Et Cetera...

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In Southern France, American cattle often stand out.
Humour, Thursday April 4, 1996

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Puzzles

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions-forward, backward, up, down and diagonally.

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Ducktail
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Elvis
Gas wars
Hardtops
Hot rods
Thunderbird
White bucks
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Cinematic Commonalities

What do the two movies in each group have in common?

1. A Boy And His Dog
   Mine
   Enhancers
   The Texas Chainsaw Massacre
   The Phantom of the Opera

2. Friday the 13th
   Point Break
   Killjoy
   The Punisher
   The Mission of the Opera

3. Unkempt Hair
   The Weather That Was
   The New Deep
   Dog Days
   Purple Rain

4. Robin Williams in Awakenings
   harmonica
   The Fighter
   Beethoven
   Silver Screeners

5. The Pink Panther
   The Title
   Cagney
   Gable
   O'Hara

6. North By Northwest
   The Hard
   The Deadly Holly Story
   Frenzy

7. I Love My Little Boy
   A Son's Story
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An article that is bigger than two inches.
by John O’Sullivan

Although it may seem that J. John J. O’Sullivan, spend entirely too much time typing in all of your senseless Personals™ all day long five days a week, I actually find time nowadays to go to beautiful Panzer™ Gym to go and work out.

STOP LAUGHING! STOP LAUGHING, DAMNIT! STOP LAUGHING!

Yes, even though I look like I have the body of an eighth grader, I go and work out four days a week and lift rather large things over my head until my arms fall off. When my arms fall off, I go on the stationary bike until my legs fall off. After that, I limp out of the gym in my good old reliable Radio Flyer™ Red Wagon, which I have hooked up to a V8 Engine, which, needless to say, is a whole lot of fun. The only problem that I have with the whole experience is this: There are people who are entirely way too strong in that place. When I walk in, I feel like a Smart™. There are all of these “Arnold” guys walking around, sans necks. Once they walk in, they do their 23,458,975,483,967,894,375,897,423 pound reps, pick up a few cars, and then talk to the women floating around beautiful Panzer gym. They are really confident, in a built guy sort of way. Their conversations with women sound something like this:

Built guy: Hey, what exercise are you doing? Do you want me to spot you? Incredibly Attractive Woman: Um, well, I’m doing lifts and stuff. I guess (giggle) if you want too, you can watch me (hehehehchc).

Where these guys lift up large buildings, I do my little meager reps on the little machines and go on the little stationary bike. I try to do these so that I look as cool and as strong as I can, without looking like a complete dink. Sometimes I just can’t help but flaunt my dinkatude: I walk around with Red White and Blue Speedo™ gym shorts, chines and go on the little stationery bike. I try to do these so that I look as cool and as strong as I can, without looking like a complete dink. I also try to look like I know what I’m doing, even though I don’t really know ‘exactly’ what I’m doing, which makes me end up looking like a dink. I also try to walk by the incredibly attractive women without looking like a complete dink. I do my little meager reps on the little machine, which usually backfires. I try to have conversations with these aforementioned attractive women, but it just doesn’t happen. My conversations with attractive gym women sound something like this:

Incredibly Attractive Woman: Are you finished with this machine? Me: Argh ummm heh heh heh argh. (Drool)

Incredibly Attractive Woman: Okay, just tell me when your done.

Me: Argh ummmmm heh heh heh argh. (Drool)

Incredibly Attractive Woman: I’ll be over there...and wipe that drool off of your chin.

I do enjoy the self-torture though; it is really fun to race against the stationary bike computer. I do it all the time. It is really cool. Yeah. The only thing that I avoid like the plague is the NordicTrac™. I refuse to do the NordicTrac™. The last time I did it, I nearly killed myself. I started tripping off of the damn thing, and looked like I was going wrong, and I STILL looked like a dink after he pointed out what I was doing wrong. Once a dink, always a dink. I suppose. I vowed to never use the aforementioned torture device again, and moved onto pastures new.

Meanwhile on pastures new...

Me: WHERE AM I??? WHERE AM I???
My Imagination: You’re at pastures new.

Me: Who are all of these cows, and why are they looking at me?
My Imagination: I don’t know, you used the damn saying.

Me: What is this, am I going insane.

Me: I thought so. Pass the popcorn.

My Imagination: Ok.
Cow: Moo.

Mad Cow: Moo. DAMN YOU FOR CUTTING ME UP, YOU WILL PAY! Moo.

John J. O’Sullivan is going insane. Please pass the popcorn.

The word for today is: paternoster lake.
(A glacial formation found on mountains)

The Answers!

1. Movie which was recently released.
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As compiled by the Red Hawk Sports Department

Weather causes havoc for Red Hawk Sports

Towards the end of March, the weather began to show a glimpse of the warmer spring days that are expected by all. And then, snow and rain bombarded Montclair State Athletics. Rain and high winds canceled the men's tennis match against Jersey City State College on March 29th and that was just the beginning of the adverse weather conditions.

The Red Hawk baseball team had two games against Frostburg (Md.) on April 6th and 7th; it rained both days. The two games against Frostburg (Md.) were canceled due to high winds and adverse weather conditions. The men's lacrosse team traveled to Drew University on March 24th and 25th; it snowed both days and the games were canceled due to snow storms. The spring sports schedule is being affected by the adverse weather conditions.

Men's Lacrosse loses a heartbreaker in overtime

The men's lacrosse team traveled to Drew University last night and put up a strong fight before losing in overtime 11-10.

MSU (1-6) led at halftime 6-5 and at the end of the third quarter 10-8. In the fourth quarter, Drew (4-3) moved within one goal, scoring a power play goal just :54 seconds into the period. They tied the game up at 10 goals a piece when they scored the game tying goal at the 5:18 mark.

In the overtime period, Andy Juhlin scored the winning goal for Drew. He also added two goals and one assist on the night.

Leading scorers for MSU were Rob McOmish (Montclair) with two goals and Chris Trowbridge (Boonton) with two goals and one assist.

The death of umpire John McSherry in Cincinnati this past Monday afternoon was one of the major stories on Opening Day, and it was only the second time I have seen the media cover anything to do with an official, outside of ridicule for a questionable call.

McSherry was one of the most respected umpires in Major League Baseball. But, I doubt that anyone outside of the fans even knew who he was. The media looks down upon umpires and other sports officials.

I think that it was a disgrace that John McSherry was noticed after he passed on. If the media wanted to show him any respect, they should have done it while he was still able to step out of the field.

Baseball, con't from back cover

In the fourth inning of the contest, this home run was only the second for the Hawks on the season, with the other being credited to Junior Center fielder Mike Mullane (Bayonne). Senior Tom Vellis (Wallington) continued his good hitting with a two-hit, two-RBI day for the Hawks. The Hawks got off to a fast start, putting Elizabethtown down early with three runs in the second inning, and put away the game in the fifth with a five-run outburst.

"This was another big win for us within the Mid Atlantic region. We play four key out of conference games within the region, after the Allentown win, we are 2-0 in those games (out of conference)." York and Albright later in the year are the other two," said Roof. He then added "This was also key because we've had so much time between games, (one week) this got us going again."

The Red Hawks open their NJAC schedule today when they visit the Jersey City State Gothic Knights. This weekend brings a doubleheader with the Ospreys of Stockton State. The Hawks are the two time defending NJAC champions and are ready and eager to defend their title.

Roof summed up the mood of the team at this point of the season. "With our record at 5-6, some of the teams in the league may think we are down this year, and will really be gunning for us. But, being Montclair, teams are usually gunning for us, so this is nothing new to us, but this year, we've got something to prove and we're ready to defend our title."

Softball from back cover

They play on Saturday at Trenton State. Game time is at 1:00 PM. The Spring sports schedule looked like it would be exciting on paper, and now with more cancellations than games played, coaches, players, and fans can only hope that brighter days are ahead to enjoy the rest of the season.

Sports Quiz Answers

1. The first non-American to win the Masters golf title?
2. What makes up baseball's Triple Crown?
3. What city's baseball stadium boasts the world's largest beer barrel?
4. What sport challenges participants with hairpins?
5. Who did the New York Jets sign to a $427,000 contract on January 2, 1965?
6. What baseball stadium has memorials to three players in center field?
7. What are the colors of the five Olympic rings?
8. What does a baseball player do in a game if he "hits for the cycle"?

Sports Quiz

by Larry Duncan

1. Gary Player; 2. batting average, home runs, runs batted in; 3. Milwaukee's; 4. auto racing; 5. Joe Namath; 6. Yankee Stadium; 7. black, blue, red, green, yellow; 8. hits a single, double, triple, homer
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no games scheduled this week

It’s going to be quite a spring

by Tom Tracy

It seems as though the Mets are a doomed rather than destined team when it comes to discussing the possibility of their season extending into the post-season. This is mostly because of the horrible news they received when it was discovered that the elbow that had been bothering starting pitcher Bill Pulsipher since the middle of March contained a torn ligament.

One thing that this injury does is make General manager Joe McIlvane look like a genius for trading away Ryan 'I will never live up to my expectations' Thompson and Reid Cornelius to the Cleveland Indians for starting pitcher Mark Clark. He is a solid starter who while not being able to replace the loss of Pulsipher will still be able to give the Mets quality innings during the season. Hey, who knows? When it comes to the Mets you never know what to expect.

Congratulations to the Kentucky Wildcats, I guess, even though you beat my beloved Syracuse Orangemen. As long as I don't see any clips of Kentucky players gloating over an 'easy' win, then I think I should be able to get over the loss in about three years or so.

Seriously though, the Orangemen put forth a valiant effort in attempting to derail the Wildcat express, with John Wallace showing that he is definitely ready for the NBA. I've always liked Wildcat coach Rick Pitino, this is a well deserved win for him that just might springboard him back into a head coaching job in the NBA. Maybe a return to the Knicks? Wishful thinking.

Speaking of the Knicks, as long as they don't have to play the Magic, Bulls, Sonics, or Spurs in the play-offs, then I think they will have a 50-50 shot at winning the title. Give them some credit for their win over the Pacers a few nights ago, but unless this team really gels down the stretch and stops the internal bickering, it looks like the end of an era in New York. So long Patrick Ewing, see ya in Miami.

On a local note, watch out for the Red Hawk baseball team. After a sluggish start in Florida, the Hawks have pulled it together and look every bit like they can three-peat in the NJAC as they open up their conference schedule today.

Kudos as well to the softball team, who at 15-2 also appear to be poised to pounce on the rest of the NJAC this season.
Only bad weather slows the Red Hawks as they near the .500 mark

by Kevin Cullcy

The weather has continued to affect the 1996 Montclair State Baseball team. The Red Hawks were scheduled to play two games this past weekend in Frostburg, Maryland against Frostburg State. Unfortunately, Mother Nature decided to step in and reek havoc with the schedule for the second time this season. Thursday brought high winds and rain to the Mid Atlantic region and blanketed it with a covering of snow last Friday. That was enough to cancel the Frostburg games, the third and fourth games snowed out this season. Head Coach Norm Schoenig scrambled around looking for an opponent to play. Schoenig called teams from Virginia to upstate New York, but was unable to schedule a game to replace the Frostburg games.

The next opponent for the Red Hawks was a tough Elizabethtown, Pa. College team who came into the game with an 11-5 record. The Hawks were able to win in convincing fashion 13-5 improving their record to 5-6 in the process.

Senior co-captain Brian Cordiero (Matawan) started the game on the hill for the Red Hawks. The left hander was in control of the game from the start, striking out nine batters while walking four and giving up no runs in seven innings of work. Senior Todd Sak (Edison) entered the game in the eighth inning in relief and subsequently gave up three runs. Sophomore Adam Liccardo (Wayne) relieved Sak in the ninth and gave up two runs. Freshman Brad Bava (Edison) then came out of the pen and closed out the game for the Red Hawks. Cordiero was credited with his first victory of the season, after going 9-1 last season. His record now stands at 1-1.

The Red Hawks were in control the whole way and never trailed. On the offensive side of the ball, highlights for the Hawks were a two run single by defending NJAC RBI champion Chris Roof (Berekely Heights) and a two run double by stalwart catcher C.B. Leon (Bogota). Freshman first baseman Shawn McCorkle (Newton) hit the first home run of his career.

MEU received strong pitching in their 13-5 victory over Elizabethtown, PA.

MSU softball loses to Mother Nature, then loses to Allegheny (PA.) College 6-4

by Brian Brodsky

Much like the baseball team, the softball team has not fared well this year against Mother Nature. The team has had five games canceled this year due to inclement weather. The Montclair State University-Kean College Softball Classic, one of the most competitive in-season tournaments in New Jersey, was scheduled for March 29th and 30th, was canceled due to four inches of snow.

Poor field conditions down on Sprague field sent the 15-1 Red Hawks to Kean College in southern New Jersey, where they lost 6-4 to Allegheny (PA.) College. The loss snapped MSU's eight game winning streak.

Senior pitcher Robyn Baron (West Milford) started the game for the Red Hawks and wound up losing for only the second time this season. She pitched six innings, giving up six runs on ten hits while walking three and striking out seven. Her record now stands at 9-2 for the year. Despite the losing effort, a strong performance was turned in by Junior shortstop Re-Guzet (Long Branch). She had three hits in four trips to the plate, collecting one run batted in. She also stole two bases and scored a run. Denise Warnock (Kearney) had the only other hit of the game for the Red Hawks.

Lately, the weather has been changing rapidly from warm and sunny to cold and rainy; no one knows what to expect anymore. MSU is scheduled to play a double-header today against FDU Madison at 3:30 PM. Then please see softball, p. 26