Four arrested after weekend dance

All those involved were not affiliated with MSU

By Brian Pederson
Assistant News Editor

A fight broke out in front of the Student Center shortly after the close of the Back to School Dance on Saturday, September 12 at 1:30 a.m.

According to the police report, when the students exited out of the Student Center patio, 6 or 7 officers responded to the news that a fight had broken out.

The victim, a male non-MSU student had been kicked, punched and then thrown down the stairs to the basement area of the Student Center. He had suffered from cuts and bruises, claiming to be assaulted by the three males.

One of the attackers was identified as Alharq Sells, a male 24-year-old non-MSU student. He was arrested for disorderly conduct and aggravated assault.

The other identified attacker was Elvis Eagleton, an Irvington resident and another male, non-MSU student. He was arrested and charged for making terrorist threats when he attempted to intervene and threatened an officer at the scene with bodily injury.

As one of the officers on the scene, Lt. Paul Cell felt that fights happen only periodically. Also, he stressed that the room that held the dance was large enough for the capacity of the crowd.

"The administrators, students and the police department agreed that around 300 people were reasonable," Cell stated.

"This was a way for students to see that the improvements were clearly happening here."

By Roxann DaCosta
Staff Writer

Arson suspected in Blanton Hall blaze

Despite the alarm and smoke in the building, many remained inside

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Staff Writer

Fire authorities suspect arson in an early morning blaze that occurred in the Blanton Residential Hall on Saturday, September 12. At approximately 2:23 a.m., campus police were informed of a U.S.A. Security that there was a fire in the trash collection room on the third floor D-wing.

The fire department arrived on the scene at 2:30 a.m. In order to extinguish the blaze, they had to break open the door, which U.S.A. security guard, Officer Jackson, a fire officer affiliated with the Newark fire department, had previously closed in order to contain the fire. When the door was opened, a tremendous amount of smoke gushed from the room which spread throughout the residence hall rapidly.

Authorities believe that someone started the fire on top of a shelf. The entire right portion of the shelf was damaged. Drop cloths were used for painting on the third floor also caught on fire and burnt quickly. There were minimal damages to the floor. The closest resident rooms are located at only about 20 feet away from the scene. No one was injured.

"We were lucky. It could have been a lot worse," said Matthew Kane, Director of Blanton Hall.

"I found it very surprising that the heat did not set off the sprinkler system." SEE ARSON ON P. 4

Calcia Hall roof repairs postpone first classes

By Mike Finnerty
Staff Writer

Continual structural damage, which plagued Calcia Hall throughout the 1997-98 academic year, was recently remedied by the construction of a new roof. Though the construction of the new roof began two weeks before students arrived for the Fall Semester, classes during the first weeks were cancelled and offices sealed off due to construction complications.

Student response to the new roof was exceedingly negative, as many students claimed that the cancellation of classes signaled that the improvements were clearly not beneficial.

"Well, at least the roof's fixed now," one student commented as he walked out of Calcia Hall on Tuesday, September 8. "It just seems ridiculous that even with the improvements, my class is cancelled."

Louise Davies, a student and staff member of Calcia Hall, claimed that construction there produced a large amount of noxious fumes, another detriment to holding classes. "It was horrible," commented Davies. "It was like breathing in garbage."

Several other students claimed that, even with the new roof, Calcia was far from structurally sound. One student claimed that the roof still leaked in certain areas and Davies stated that "Many times I don't even feel safe working here."

The Maintenance Department and Director Kiki Williams were unwilling to comment on the present state of Calcia's roof and the class cancellation due to construction.

$40 million awarded in financial aid for 1998-99 school year

By Christine Quigley
Staff Writer

Financial aid has increased approximately 30 million dollars in the past ten years at MSU, school officials said.

"This growth of 300 percent, which is due to the increase in both the cost of education and the increase in federal and state aid, is distributed in loans, grants and scholarships, said school officials."

This year, MSU will award and lend 40.5 million dollars to 5,070 graduate and undergraduate students, making it the largest award year ever.

The largest amount of financial aid awarded last year were loans, which made up 67 percent of the total financial aid, or approximately 22.7 million dollars, said Dr. Randall Richards, Director of Financial Aid.

"Clearly there has been a dramatic increase in financial aid at MSU for two reasons," said Richards, "the increase in the cost of education and the increase in financial aid available to qualified students."

Grants, which are considered gifts and are not paid back, made up 28 percent of aid last year, said Richards.

Scholarships make up the minority of aid distributed, which was 9 percent last year. These are based on academic achievement rather than financial need.

The Pell Grant and the Tuition Aid Grant (TAG) are the two most popular grants at MSU. The maximum amount for a Federal Pell Grant has increased its maximum award amount from $2,000 last year to $3,000 this year.

"This is a significant increase," said Richards. "It is a way for students and their parents to see that some of their tax dollars are coming back to them." SEE AID ON P. 3

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RAMSEY JURY GIVEN BUFFER FROM MEDIA

BOULDER, Colo. (AP) — The grand jury that has taken over the investigation into the killing of JonBenet Ramsey was given an insulation from the news media today as the panel headed into its second day of work.

Ramsey's body was discovered Dec. 26, 1996, in her 9-year-old beauty pageant uniform in a basement trampoline room in her family's home in Boulder. The Ramirez family has been actively involved in the search for the identity of the person who killed Ramsey.

Three weeks ago a police investigation that has produced little more than frustration, the grand jury's power over witness testimony, was in place in room 1218. One resident received a knock on the door at 4 a.m. in Clifton Municipal Court.

Two bags of marijuana were found on the floor of room 1218. One resident was outside yelling at victim. Suspect had a pool ball wrapped in tape to use as weapon. Saw intended victim in a fight.

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University community and family remember Reilly

By Justin N. Bourgois
Assistant News Editor

We all lose people in our lives that make a difference. At MSU, we are no exception to the rule. August 29th saw the passing of our friend and colleague, Frank Reilly. He was 35 years old.

At approximately 10:31 a.m. on the morning of the 29th, 911 received a call from a friend of Reilly stating that he was unresponsive in his bed. Med 7 of Mountainside Hospital arrived at his second story apartment off of Bloomfield Avenue. Shortly thereafter they pronounced Reilly dead at the scene.

According to sources, Reilly had been drinking the night before. The Essex County Medical Examiner’s Office is awaiting the toxicology report, which may take up to 18 weeks to complete.

Frank had been a student at MSU since the fall of 1993 where he began to pursue passions that he shared with everyone: music and broadcasting. As a DJ and previous Operations Manager with 90.3 WMSC-FM, he spread around the joy that music gave him.

"He always told people that he had a teary top borper mom from the 60’s and he even did a mean interpretation of Alice Cooper that always made me laugh. I am still mad at him for one thing, though: he never replaced my "I'm really proud of him." said Kevin Schwobel, another DJ and previous Operations Manager with 90.3 WMSC-FM.

"If anyone wishes to make donations to help the family cover funeral expenses, please contact Louis Davies at 973-655-7295." stated Robert Genser, General Manager of dining services. "We’ve been serving 150 persons per night.

"The program has done some difficulty in finding staff because of the late hours, but employees were eventually found. Alan Green is the night manager and Rasool Curry, Troy Pric and Gordon Lott make up the kitchen staff. Green arrives at 5 p.m. followed by Pric and Curry at 6 p.m. and Lott at 10 p.m. The line is slower at 5 p.m. and runs right up until opening time on the menu is comprised of a variety of foods served fresh every night. It includes cheese pizza, pizza with 1 topping, vegan pizza, eggs to order with various toppings optional, scrambled eggs, hash brown pat­ties, breakfast meat, whole fresh fruit, mini salad bar, cookies, breakfast breads, coffee, soda, juice and a different entrée every night.

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Another popular grant is the Educa­tional Opportunity Fund (EOF), which is given to students with both a financial and educational disadvantage. Approximately 613 students received a total of $364,000 last year under the EOF pro­gram, said Richards.

Richards is hopeful for the future. "We in the financial aid profession are optimistic that federal and state govern­ment will continue to provide financial aid so that access and opportunity for aid can be assured to educated and qualified students."

Student services’ structure change more user friendly

By Maureen Samedy
Staff Writer

On July 15, 1998, there was a reorganiza­tion of the Division of Student Develop­ment and Campus Life. The changes were initiated to streamline the department to better serve students.

"It was a very wise thing to do," said Dr. Herbert Harrison, who has been Direc­tor of the Academic Success Center as of July 1, 1997. The Academic Success Center, which provides services from Academic Advising to Tutorial Services, is one of the major contributors to the advancement of student development on campus.

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Acom Ford Spencer, Associate Direc­tor of the Office of Residence Life is tem­porarily serving as Acting Director of Resi­dence Life, and also sees how appropriate this restructurings was. “From an organiza­tional standpoint, it makes a lot of sense. There is a nice flow of information and this ultimately better serves the student popula­tion,” said Spencer.

Enrollment Management is another per­tinent factor in maintaining a productive stu­dent body, according to Denise De Blasio of the Registrar.

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De Blasio is certainly not alone in her views. Director of Admissions Dr. Al Buechler also believes that Enrollment Man­agement is important.

“It’s a wonderful idea. Anything that assists with recruitment is good, but recruiting students is one part, retaining them is another,” Buechler stated.
On-campus ambulance service starts next month

By J.R. Amazan
Staff Writer

The MSU EMT/EMS services, which just came into being, will now replace the Volunteer Ambulance of Montclair, the Little Falls Fire Department, and the Clifton Volunteer Ambulance Group of Montclair and the Little Falls Fire Department will be used as back up.

The whole idea of having an EMT service at Montclair was started three years ago by J. T. Hynes. Mr. Hynes is now responsible for the Emergency Medical Services at MSU. The idea was initiated in the faculty senate to enhance response time in case of an emergency.

LIFESAVERS: MSU EMS Deputy Chief Mike Scala and MSU Chief T.J. Hynes stand proud next to the new ambulance the day it arrived on campus.
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Campus police inform women about the dangers of dating

By Michele Hanusi
Staff Writer

D id you know that one out of every ten college women have been raped? On Wednesday, September 16th, a Date Rape Seminar was held in the Student Center Ballroom. Officer Carlos Ortiz of Montclair State University Police headed the whole process or relive the event. Officer Ortiz said, "we [campus police] are more concerned with the state of the victim." Date rape is the least reported crime on campus because many people do not want to go through the whole process of reliving the experience. Officer Ortiz urges anyone who has been sexually assaulted to report the incident. Campus police are sensitive to the subject and will keep the matter confidential: the assault will not be published in The Montclarion. Virtually all of the investigation can remain on the matter confidential: the assault will not be published in The Montclarion.

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When poured in a drink GHB, gamma hydroxybutrate, also known as "liquid ecstasy," is very popular in club scenes. When poured in a drink GHB mixes and dissolves instantly and remains odorless, colorless, and tasteless making it impossible to detect. The effects of GHB include breaking down the senses, leaving the victim in a comatose state. Ortiz said, "It will knock you out for over eight hours and you won't even know what happened to you." Users of this drug are said to be mostly males between the ages of fourteen and twenty. So where are these young males getting this substance? You can find names of suppliers and even a recipe to make GHB in your home, right on the internet.

Another popular drug is Rohypnol, or "Roach," which is legal in Europe and gets smuggled to the United States. Rohypnol has the same effects as GHB, but is in pill form. These pills are bigger than Birth Control pills, but smaller than Advil. They are white in color and have an "R" inscribed on them. Suppliers are trying to control the use of Rohypnol by lowering the dosage and coating the pill so if placed in a drink the color of the liquid will change. No matter what preventive measures are taken, date rape still occurs. Officer Ortiz provided some simple tips to use right here on campus. He said that to keep yourself safe:

1. Tell someone immediately, such as the police department, or a close friend or family member.
2. Get medical attention within 72 hours of the attack.
3. Although tempted, do not throw your attire away, for it can be used later for evidence of the alleged attack.
4. Talk to a counselor about what you are feeling. This may help to alleviate some mental anguish you may be experiencing.

Trainee recruitment for the R Us chain becomes annual

Toys R Us, Kid's R Us, and Babies R Us visit Montclair State's Back To School Bash with hopes of gaining new employees

By J.R. Amaran
Staff Writer

On Thursday, September 10, 1998, the Toys R Us, Kid's R Us and Babies R Us company set up camp in the Student Center Quad area where they had a wall to climb and numerous video games to play. This event attracted many of Montclair State students and most of them were participating. Along with the video games and the wall, the company also was giving away free yo-yos and had a drawing for a free mountain bike. Jim Gorenc, Director of Recruiting, and Lisa Wright, Regional Recruitment Director, headed the whole event.

What was that all about?
Well, if you didn't already know, it was a corporate decision to recruit trainees into Toys R Us, Kid's R Us, and Babies R Us in a "unique and stylish way," as stated by Jim and Lisa. The company is looking for store managers for many of its stores. It is also part of their partnership with Montclair, which they hope "will involve speaking engagements, scholarship funds, etc." When asked why they came, Lisa stated, "We're here to show students that you can have a good time and a good career at Toy's R Us, Kid's R Us, and Babies R Us." This is how the whole event works. First they establish a relationship with the student population at Montclair (as done on Thursday). Then, they maintain contact and let the students know about career fairs and on-campus activities for permanent careers. When I asked Montclair student Carey Kamrowski his opinion on the activities by Toys R Us, he stated that it "looks like a lot of fun, and a good place to have fun, and I love the free-yo-yos." Kacey Christensen, Toys R Us employee also stated that she "loves getting out and being able to talk to people...Also have an opportunity to give the students a free opportunity to climb the wall, win a mountain bike and also get a yo-yo out of the deal." Well, Jim must have been happy with the outcome since he stated on the record that "the turn-out has been fantastic." For those of you who enjoyed the activities on last Thursday, you'll be happy to hear that they will be back every year.

Some steps to take, if you suspect you have been date raped:
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Does it irk you too?

By Stephanie Materazzi

This is a weekly column written to illustrate common pet peeves that we all experience in our everyday lives.

When someone is changing radio stations and makes you listen to the static his or her favorite song comes in with.

Eco Recycle

I'm sure we've all heard and read the recycling lingo out there when looking to purchase recycled paper. We see and hear phrases such as "% waste paper, pre-consumer waste, post industrial waste or 100% recycled."

Many paper making companies use these recycling phrases to market their recycling image. However, in reality, these companies are NOT helping the landfill problem with products carrying these labels.

What we should be looking for in purchasing recycled paper products are labels which read "100% Post consumer waste." It is the post consumer waste that, if not recycled, is clogging the landfills, not the waste paper or pre-consumer waste. Both the waste paper and pre-consumer waste has always been reused by the paper mills.

So, once again, when purchasing recycled paper products, always look for the label that read "100% Post consumer waste." Happy recycling!
Fall months bring sleepless nights to allergy sufferers

If you are suffering from sneezing, sniffling, coughing, and a stuffy head, the Health and Wellness Center can help.

By April Marie

Do you have a runny nose or itchy eyes? Do you find yourself sneezing or wheezing in the middle of the night? Then you may be suffering from allergies or asthma—read on if you would like to hear just how you can prevent and tame your bodies reactions to its own environment.

There are all sorts of allergies, but there are three that are most common: (1) Outside allergy—this is your reaction to the plant environment (2) Inside Allergy—this is your reaction to dust and mold that just may be inside your very own home, and (3) the Pet Allergy—your allergic reaction to animals, fur, like from cats or dogs.

Having allergic symptoms depends on being exposed to the allergen, informs Nurse Practitioner Jane Dellert. Yes, it is true if you avoid exposure to the allergen you can stay clear of allergies. To start keep your windows closed early in the morning and late at night since this is when outside allergens that may come in are more likely to flare up your senses. If possible, try getting or keeping central air on, central air cuts down allergies. Also, try being neat, now I know this may be difficult for those human trash makers out there, but try to not leave things laying around. Put things away, store things in a closet or in a closed box underneath the bed. These tactics will make it easy for you to clean dust off of. Dust surfaces, other than being weary of dust, stay away from mold too. Mold grows anywhere where it’s damp, dark, or warm. If you have a damp towel wash it in hot water to avoid mold. If you have trouble sleeping maybe it’s because of the dust or dust mites in or on your bed. Dust mites are those disgusting little heathens that live inside of bedroom mattresses and pillows. Their homes provide them with warmth and humidity and most of all your pillow or mattress! Female mites can lay 25 to 50 eggs, making up a whole new generation within three weeks. Your bed has both living and dead dust mites. How do you protect yourself? On the market they have allergy covers and blankets that are used as a barrier to secure you. Call 1-800-422-Dust (96 Danbury Road Ridgefield, CT 06877 for Allergy Control Products).

If you are still having trouble with your senses after the prevention is given then you will probably need to visit our Health Center right here on campus in Blanton Hall. Call (973) 655-4361 to make an appointment for a checkup. At your checkup you will be informed what your allergic problem is and referred to someone in the area to be treated for your symptoms. There are a number of medications and allergy shots that can decrease build up of your problem. They can also help your allergies taper down for long term. Okay, so you know everything you need to know about preventing allergies, but what if you have asthma, too. Have no fear, the Health Center is near! “If you can control the exposure to the allergens then you will have fewer asthma attacks,” assures Jane Dellert.

Asthma is tricky, it is a chronic problem that you can control but can’t always feel the symptoms right away. Asthma is much more individualized than allergies. If you have asthma you need to become aware of what triggers your cough and wheeze. There are three parts of an attack (1) wheezing-tightness in the airways so that air can’t get in and out very well; (2) the lining inside the airways swell; (3) the lining in the airways produces extra mucus which makes it very hard to breathe. If any of these things begin to happen it is important to realize it. Stop what you’re doing and rest, drink plenty of liquids, use medicine, and if you don’t stop wheezing or begin to stop, “go to the Health Center,” suggests Dellert, get checked out. Just like there are medications for allergies there are medications for asthma also. “Prevention is our goal,” cheers Dellert.

Inspirations...

By Dr. Rob Gilbert, Ph.D.

The one most important thing you can learn while at Montclair

One of the assignments I give my students in the Freshman Seminar course is to interview college graduates and ask them this question:

“What do you know now that you wished you knew when you were in your first year of college?”

Every once in a while I do the assignment myself. Just about a year ago, I met Brian Ritter Goodwin, the great political historian, at a book signing in New York City. I asked her the question.

This was her answer...

“...the most important thing about college is to find something you love.

It almost doesn’t matter what it is. It can be a subject. It could be even an extracurricular activity. It could be a friend. But something that just transports you and makes you feel excited and gives you a sense of commitment.”

“It took me a while to become an historian. I started out in foreign languages. It wasn’t until my senior year that I began to really love history and government.”

As the noted mythologist Joseph Campbell often said, “Follow your bliss. But suppose you don’t know what your passion is. Sometimes you have to find out what you don’t want to do before you can discover what you do want to do. In other words, “Sometimes you have to kiss a lot of ugly frogs before you find your handsome prince.”

To hear Dr. Gilbert’s daily motivational messages, call Success Hotline at (973) 743-4690.

FEATURE

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**THE LOWDOWN**

with Spike and Shorti

Dear Spike and Shorti,

Last year my roommate and I got along so well. So, we decided to live together again this year, but it's just not the same. Over the summer, she met a new guy. She fell totally head over heels for him. She started acting just like him. Now, she parties and comes home really late at night. She knows that I have early classes and has always been in bed by a "normal" hour. She makes a ton of noise when she comes in and always wakes me. On top of that, her boyfriend practically lives here on weekends. Sometimes when they come home they think that I'm sleeping, but I'm NOT. I always get to see what's going on. I don't want to start a major problem, but I'm really unhappy. What do I do?

-Sleepless in Blanton

Dear Sleepless,

Thanks for writing us with your problem. It's a great start for us! We feel your pain because we both live on campus with a roommate and we know how difficult it can be when there is a problem. Although you don't want to start a conflict, let's face it, your roommate is being very disrespectful to you! You don't have to take it. That room is just as much yours as it is hers! You need to tell her like it's the truth, because if you let her get away with it now, she will end up doing it to you for the rest of the semester! Don't go to crazy and get violent, but you really need to talk to her about this. You need to compromise. Try giving her and her boyfriend time together when he is here and in return she will be quiet when she comes home late...or something along those lines.

The key to having a good relationship with your roommate is communication and being able to openly express your unhappiness with the situation. Keeping it bottled up just makes you a bomb waiting to EXPLODE! And, quite frankly, honey, we don't need to be cleaning up any body parts! We hope that you get some nerve and tell her because she is overstepping her boundaries! Good luck and happy dorming!

Dear Spike and Shorti,

My boyfriend and I have been dating since the beginning of our senior year in high school. We both came to Montclair State to be together. Everything was going great, but now it seems as though he is interested in meeting other girls on campus. It worries me because there are so many diverse people here. I worry that I am no longer good enough for him. Should I speak to him about this or should I not be worried?

-Scarred

Dear Scarred,

College is a time for meeting new people and exploring your options. He is probably just overwhelmed and excited about the new experience. At first we would not worry, but if he becomes so overly interested that his attention and affection towards you decreases, we say GET RID OF HIM, cause, honey, there are just as many boys on this campus as there are girls! Do not jump the gun too fast, though, because he may not know how you really feel inside. Tell him how you feel. If he does not change, we suggest you find yourself a real man. (Hint: Spike's available!) Good luck and happy man hunting!!

I'm New York last night, I sat outside a cafe watching the world go by with a few friends, listening to snatches of peoples’ conversations as they passed us by. I was quite enjoying this little glimpse into American life, hearing about Brad and his boyfriend George or what Cindy had done with a frying pan to send her into the hospital. I was enjoying this very much until, that is, I heard this, "Well, she went away to England and came back with this horrible English accent!" I thought that I was acclimating in quite well until that point. Is that really what Americans think of my accent? I know that there are quite a few words which differ in their usage and I have been asked what language we speak in England (1) but surely the accent is that bad. I had been told that it would go down quite well, but if that is the way that people think then I'll shut up for a while.

I find that it's the little differences between the UK and the US that I notice the most. The taps turn the wrong way and there is a post box outside rather then a letter box in the door, but why is a dime smaller than a nickel? Very strange. I still haven't adjusted to people driving on the wrong side of the road and live in fear of being run over because the cars are not where they should be. Of course, the most important difference is the drinking age being stupidly high here. I can drive and buy lethal weapons well before I'm 21, but can't drink. Perhaps they're afraid that people will run rampant amongst the populace if they are given the freedom to drink earlier than 21, but surely it just delays it until they come of age. It only serves to aggravate all the foreigners who are able to drink at home but are too young to do it here. Apart from those nagging points and the fact that I will never understand American football, everything is okay.

One thing that did strike me when I arrived here was the amount of people called Monica. I have a problem in that I can only visualize them looking like their infamous namesake even if they are the complete opposite: tall, slim and blonde. Perhaps it isn't a such a coincidence that 'Bill Clinton' ended up having intimate relations with that woman Monica, as there seem to be so many more of them around than the rather odd Hillary.

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By Angela L. Marchetti

O ne man... one guest artist... one city... SIX sold-out shows. His name, Garth Brooks, the guest artist, Trisha Yearwood, the city, Philadelphia, PA. Did you stand in line for hours upon end to buy tickets to the hottest show in the area this year? If you didn’t, I must say, you missed one of the best shows the Tri-State area has seen in a long time (well, of course, besides the free show he put on last summer in Central Park),

Garth Brooks made the announcement back in the middle of August that he would be making another appearance back in Philadelphia at the First Union Center (originally the Corestates Arena), where he hasn’t been seen since 1993, some five years ago. The concert, first planned for Friday, September 11 (which sold out in thirty minutes), turned into a six-concert run, starting Tuesday, September 8 and finally ending on Sunday, September 13, which sold-out in three hours.

For the past week, anywhere you turned in Philadelphia there was “Garth Mania.” People walking around in T-shirts, painting signs and hanging them from office buildings or car windows. Some of those signs bore, in shoe polish writing, statements such as “Welcome Garth,” “We Love You Garth,” or my personal favorite, “Garth Has Landed!” Some local businesses and radio stations offered tickets by raffle for those not lucky enough to buy tickets directly, or for those who saw Garth, but just wanted to.

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You could literally feel the vibes in the air while walking through the doors of the First Union Center that Garth was actually there, in the same building as you. “I just can’t believe I’m here,” stated one Garth lover, Cathryn Elfmen, who I struck up a conversation with in the T-shirt line. “I’m from Georgia and my cousins got me these tickets as a gift.” Last year’s CMA Female Vocalist of the Year, Trisha Yearwood, opened the show, getting the crowd on their feet and giving them just a taste of what was in store for the rest of the night. “Philadelphia has been great,” said Yearwood, “I... all know how to make a woman feel welcome.”

With that, the crowd went crazy as Yearwood belted out some familiar tunes from previously recorded albums such as “The Song Remembers When.” Along with her current hit, “There Goes My Baby,” in closing her portion of the show, she dedicated the final song, a popular one, to the crowd entitled “How Do I Live.”

After some minor changes to the stage, it was finally time. Garth had arrived, lifted up hydraulically through the middle of a white grand piano. Along with the seven members of his band, they covered the stage, making sure to not miss any part of the audience. Simple guitar riffs had the crowd on their feet and dancing to his popular tunes. “Wow,” exclaimed Garth, “so this is what a sold-out show feels like!” Playing for about an hour and a half, he covered songs from his most recent album “Sevens” as well as his six other hit records. Not only did he get the crowd involved by having five and ten minute shouting matches back and forth across the arena, using only his head to distinguish which side should scream, but the band got involved as well. “Not only is this impressive,” he said, “but what would be more impressive is if you can keep this up all night!” The audience really seemed to favor the newest guy in the group, Jimmy, fiddle/violinist/backing vocals, but Garth didn’t give it to him. He stated that Jimmy may have more signs up with regards to him, but Garth “had this,” and with one chord, a million voices chimed in to sing “Friends in Low Places,” along with the ever-famous “third verse” that’s only ever featured at live shows. Trisha Yearwood later joined back up with Garth to sing their CMA nominated song, “In Another’s Eyes,” as well as a requested song by Garth, “Walkaway Joe,” one of Yearwood’s first top ten hits. One of the more touching times of the concert came toward the end of the show, when Garth reflected on his earlier works.

In his honor, the entire crowd sang “Unanswered Prayers” as well as his most recent hit, “To Make You Feel My Love” to Garth and his band. After three solo acoustic encores, Garth closed the show with a dedication to his long-time friend and songwriting icon, Billy Joel. Along with the cheering audience, he put his foot down by singing, “I Am Man,” and left saying, “I’ve rocked Philadelphia, but I’ll be back.”

Yes, indeed, Garth rocked Philadelphia, heading next to Syracuse, NY and then to Florida. A man with such talent and charisma, with such charm and poise, and with the ability to just stand in one spot, look up into the light and have over 12,000 people cheering is worth the title of Mega-Superstar. After such a beautiful performance by one of country music’s biggest and best performers, the music will live on, as well as the memory of a night to be remembered.

Garth Brooks had the power to move mountains of adoring fans at his Philadelphia show September 13th.

GARTH BROOKS Brought The Specials Back From The Dead

By Joel Gaesten

T he Toaster’s performance last Saturday night at Skate'r’s World in Wayne, NJ proved once again that, even after nearly two decades, they remain one of America’s premier Ska bands. Wel­ come­d by a large and enthusiastic crowd, the six-piece band set the pace for a nearly ninety minute set with a rousing rendition of the Spencer David Group classic, “Gimmie Some Lovin’.”

Several Toasters classics followed, some dating back to the band’s earliest days. Highlights included mid­ eighties favorites such as “Run, Rody, Run,” “Shocker,” and the immortal “Decision At Midnight.” More recent material, such as “Two Tone Army” and “I Wasn’t Going To Call You Anyway” received the greatest response from the crowd, probably due to the fact that a good number of those in attendance were still in diapers when the Toasters released their first EP in 1985.

Throughout the show, the band, led by guitarist/vocalist Rob “Bucket” Hingley, displayed the musicianship and command of the stage that is severely lacking by the majority of their contemporaries. Even the absence of the on-stage dynamics of relatively new frontman Jack Ruby, Jr. (who for unknown reason was in Florida at the time of the performance) was hardly noticed, as Hingley and trumpet player “The Sledge” had no difficulty handling the mic. This show belonged to “The Sledge,” who’s talent and star power has earned him a dedicated fan base of his own. At several times during the show, “The Sledge” joked with the young crowd, often catching them off-guard by ranting about stuffed animals from them. It’s easy to predict the breakout potential of “The Sledge,” and it would not be surprising if he is one day seen following in the footsteps of former Toastie Coolie Ranx in starting his own band (Ranx’s current project, The Pillers, is worth checking out).

 Appropriately billed as a “Back To School Kickoff,” this show drew a very few people who were of legal age, which is a reflection of both the best and worst aspects of the current Ska and Skaters World scene. In a way, Ska music has become the new Grunge, which means it will probably suffer a quick death once it’s made available at the local Wal-mart. So, expect to see more and more twelve-year-olds with 311 patches on their backpacks screaming “Oi!” Not that there is anything necessarily wrong with them. As a Ska fan since the age of eight, I remember all too well the looks and snickers I received for my Ska connections. Even after nearly two decades, as a Ska fan the memories, as well as the, will never fade. As a kid I remember all too well the looks and snickers I received for my Ska connections. Even after nearly two decades, as a Ska fan the memories, as well as the, will never fade.
The Hip-Hop Continues

By Jon’al Sullivan
Staff Writer

What's up Montclair? I'm back from an overwhelming hip-hop summer and have just one simple question to ask all of my TRUE HIP HOP HEADS: Who released the illest album this summer? I've heard music from DMX, Cam’ron, Norag, Snoop Dogg, the entire NO LIMITS RECORDS, Funkmaster Flex, Lord Tariq & Peter Gunz, John Forte, Big Pun, Fat Joe, Latifah, M.O.P., Def Squad, the Hip Hop Mode Squad, and the list goes on. But for now, I have to give it up to the lady of the year! That's right, I. Boogie, better known as Lauryn Hill, hit the hip-hop world hard with her solo debut entitled The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill. Written and directed by Lauryn herself, this fulfilling masterpiece of compassion is one of hip-hop's leading albums this summer. The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill is confrontational, strong, forthright, and intelligent. At the same time that the album depicts Lauryn's delicate and sensitive balance, it gives us a phat overview of that misconstrued word we all know as LOVE. Her debut is not watered down with wack beats nor tired rhymes. Laced with reggae, hip-hop, and R&B, it's one of those albums you start at the intro and play until the last track. Lauryn has distinguished herself from the rest with her phenomenal guest appearances, including D'Angelo on the track "Nothing Even Matters," the duet with Mary J. Blige entitled "I Used to Love Him," and also the beautiful dedication to her son entitled "To Zion" featuring Carlos Santana. I know you do not want to let this pass by so be sure to pick it up.

Canibus also released his long-awaited album entitled Can-I-Bus. All can say is "NO YOU CAN'T." My bad to all of those Canibus fans out there, but I am not feeling it. Don't get me wrong — some of his rhymes are tight, like "Channel Zero." You have to listen to the track over and over again in order to understand what exactly is going on. It's the beats on the album that are just not hitting it. Maybe too much effort was spent worrying about LL's next move instead of the time needed for his album. Make sure to look out for all new music from Jay-Z (Vol.2), Method Man (T2: Judgement Day), Old Dirty, Rakwone, Mobb Deep, and many more.

Seinfeld minus the Gang

By Kara Richardson
Assistant Sports Editor

I was so sad... the show Seinfeld is no more. "No more Soup for you!" For those of you dreading the impending empty feeling that 9:00 on Thursday nights will bring, Jerry Seinfeld has a little something to tide you over. Although without his well-known side kicks Elaine, George and Kramer, Seinfeld reverts back to his true passion of stand up comedy. Seinfeld's first ever comedy album "I'm Telling You for the Last Time" is a post sitcom production recording of the "Live On Broadway" shows that will be in stores on September 22.

Seinfeld has the market on observational comedy that launched him to the highest paid entertainer in the country. Who else could make the bread and butter jokes like NYC cab drivers and ad air into extraordinary observations of the ordinary? Being picky to Jerry only means finding more bits for his show. The comedian offered his reasons for doing a live album on the album cover. He described listening to comedy albums of Bill Cosby and Robert Klein. It was from listening to these albums again and again that he learned the mechanics of stand up comedy. Seinfeld wrote, "I hopefully can pass on to someone else some of the same fascination I have for this unique profession in the same way it was given to me." Seinfeld's bits like "Speaking in front of a crowd is the #1 fear of the average person. I find that amazing. #2 was death! Number 2! If you're the average person, if you have to be at a funeral, you would rather be in the in casket than doing the eulogy" had me laughing hysterically. The usual comic raving on the ordinary aspects of life that keeps the album flowing from start at the intro and play until the last track.

Jeff Macnuggles's "I'm Telling You for the Last Time!"	is a departure from the typical hip-hop album. This album is not filled with deplorable words and topics. Instead, you get a summer of stories. It lacks the kicker ending of some of the more popular comedy albums.

"I'm Telling You for the Last Time!" is a keepsake for those diehard Seinfeld fans that might fill the void this upcoming season. (Notice I said "might."). As for the rest of the Seinfeld cast, I am looking forward to their own comedy albums and syndicated spins-off of the one and only show for self-centered New Yorkers: Seinfeld.

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Daisy Velazquez: History, Junior

“I believe that Yogi Berra Stadium is within MSU’s campus and, therefore, it should remain alcohol-free.”

Anonymous: Molecular Biology, Senior

“I think that alcohol should be served all over this campus. This is a college experience. We’re here to learn from our mistakes. I have no problem with beer or any alcohol being served at Yogi Berra Stadium. I think it’s their right because it’s a privately owned institution and it is not the college’s say.”

Mike Finnerty: BFA Theater, Sophomore

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We love & miss you, Kevin.

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America is a nation with a sense of prejudice and discrimination running through its veins that is as old as the land itself. Forget about the inter-racial unity between pil­grims and Native Americans over turkey dinner and cran­berry sauce exhibited in colorful paint-by-numbers portraits of the “First Thanksgiving.” The true history of the United States of America is a history of cultural genocide, oppres­sion, and conformity, a history so disturbing that, even when sugar-coated, the stains and blemishes and bruises always shine through. Racism forms the backbone of this prejudice running throughout American history. A nation that seems (or seemed) so devoted to opening its arms to the huddled masses, to the families of immigrants, to the im­overished and to those seeking freedom, has, all along, been nothing but a melting pot for hatred. And for a uni­versity established in the twentieth century, let alone one that speaks so highly of its endless multi-cultural ism and diversity, Montclair State University is an authority on ra­cial tension and full-blown racist tendencies.

From the moment that any interested student slips through any one of the 10,000 page college guides, they will see the breakdown of the MSU population. According to Peterson’s 1998 Guide to Four-Year Colleges, of the 12,000 plus students enrolled here at MSU, we are roughly 62% female and 38% male. We are 1% Native American, 14% Hispanic, 11% Black, and 5% Asian/Pacific Islander. (The applicant is left to assume, I suppose, that the remaining 69% are White and/or “Other.”)

In an age of incredibly anal political correctness, where everybody is assigned their appropriate cultural, social and racial identity, the college campus has entered the game by gauging the reputation of the university which you attend based on the color of your skin or your ancestor’s national­ity. Why stop there? I don’t know if I want to continue attending a university where I don’t know the percentage of people with glasses, or those who have larger shoe sizes counted as a valid portion of the community they inhabit.

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The increasing role of computer technology in college education

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This is definitely not the message deliv­ered at the University of Georgia. On Sep­tember 4, CNN reported a story that this university has raised its cost to appri­ovably twenty thousand dollars a year to include a laptop for every single student. The benefits are obvious: unlimited access to a computer whenever there is unaffordable work or overdue e-mail responses. But, wait ... there’s more good news! If a student can’t attend a class, he can simply log on” to the web page of the particular class and retrieve a summary of the lecture and the assignment. These web sites are not only for students, but also for people in the gen­eral public who wishes to acquire the same information. If this is the case, what is the improved student’s perception of Iowa State University when you can get America Online for $19.99 a month? What is the function of universities all over the world if this is what the new age of education promises? What are the benefits of having the university when you can get America Online for $19.99 a month? What is the function of universities all over the world if this is what the new age of education promises? What are the benefits of having the university when you can get America Online for $19.99 a month? What is the function of universities all over the world if this is what the new age of education promises? What are the benefits of having the university when you can get America Online for $19.99 a month? What is the function of universities all over the world if this is what the new age of education promises? What are the benefits of having the university when you can get America Online for $19.99 a month? What is the function of universities all over the world if this is what the new age of education promises? What are the benefits of having the university when you can get America Online for $19.99 a month? What is the function of universities all over the world if this is what the new age of education promises?
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Why go to college? ...Beer!

By Chris Finegan

Humor

Is it true once you went to Tijuana in a stolen car, you brought on from too much, say it with me, NOW OR GOD WILL KILL ME. NO, REGARDLESS! (By Chris Finegan)

Why? I admit, beer and college students don’t always go hand in hand. Sometimes people cannot control themselves. We call them “Cheap Dates” or “Two Shot Sallies.”

The people who are playing drinking games are not all the same game when you get right down to it. You committed a party foul, you drink, or you burped so loud you blew someone's dinner out by now, there is nothing I can do to help them. I'm taking. I think I'll talk about beer.

Personally, I love beer drinking games.

The concept immediately suggests to me that the first such pastimes were conceived while under the influence. Some drunk idiot was winded around with a bunch of his friends and said, “You know, I like getting irrigated so much, I think next time I'll make a game out of it!” His friends must have chimed in. To think, a reason to toss back six or seven or eighteen. And who says college students are unmotivated.

There are many drinking games and they all have colorful names like I Never, Tang, Ashhole, and Quarters. They are all the same game when you get right down to it. You committed a party foul, you mess up, you forgot it was your turn to drink, or you burped so loud you blew someone through a glass door, and you pound. That’s about it. It’s simple, really, but the possibilities are endless. All you need is beer, a deck of cards or other small prop, and a burning desire to pass out and fall asleep in the trunk of a ‘74 Dodge. I know of one you are saying, “Wait, I’ve played those games since high school.” Okay, fine. But how else can you convince an other-wise rational, intelligent man to stick his tongue (or worse!) in an electrical socket without subjecting him to a harsh game of Up The River Down The River? Hmmm? (By Chris Finegan)

Do I dare say that the stupidest thing I ever saw someone do was a result of a drinking game by the name of Pookie. I am not making up this story or the game. It leads to other, more embarrassing, more destructive practices. Yes, it does. It leads to drinking games.

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TUESDAY, SEPT. 15, 1998

Our crossword is waiting for you to solve.

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To me that, as a journalist, I have at my fingertips the resources to reach not only the students of Montclair State, but friends, siblings, parents and administrators somehow. The newspaper includes all potential students, friends, siblings, etc. The written word is powerful. I could use it to bring greater harmony to my fellow students. I could use my column as an unadulterated window into the mindset of a typical student at MSU. I could serve as a representative of Montclair State, and offer an honest, compelling, intellectual critique of the direction this university is taking.

Nah. I’d rather celebrate the christening of my virgin column bearing in mind that parents and administrators alike are reading my very words right now, unaware of the ominous turn I’m taking. I think I’ll talk about beer.

Beer, as any student knows, is the real reason why we leave home and go off to college to “study” the first place. It’s why we write home for money, explaining to our parents how hard we are working, and then get drunk for three days straight. What is the real reason why young people learn to use washing machines? To remove vomit stains from too much, say it with me now, BEER! Because of beer, students everywhere learn skills useful in other arenas of life. They learn creative smuggling techniques (“You’re doing this for my psychological counseling techniques (“You’re trying it for me to the wall, then ask, unfazed, for another drink, or you burped so loud you blew some­one through a glass door, and you pound. That’s about it. It’s simple, really, but the possibilities are endless. All you need is beer, a deck of cards or other small prop, and a burning desire to pass out and fall asleep in the trunk of a ‘74 Dodge. I know of one you are saying, “Wait, I’ve played those games since high school.” Okay, fine. But how else can you convince an other-wise rational, intelligent man to stick his tongue (or worse!) in an electrical socket without subjecting him to a harsh game of Up The River Down The River? Hmmm? (By Chris Finegan)

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Okay. This is the part of the column where I’m supposed to say that beer is bad for you. Drunk driving is the leading killer of young people. Many lives have been ruined due to alcoholism. And your parents, grandparents, and school teachers remember once in their most devout, twisted fantasies ever considered drinking until they were of legal age. Ever. If any of those people were in our generation, I suggest you listen to them. They did stuff ten times worse than anything you could imagine. Tell me, “Dad, is it true once you went to Tijuana in a stolen car, you brought on from too much, say it with me, NOW OR GOD WILL KILL ME. NO, REGARDLESS! (By Chris Finegan)

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The Week in MSU Athletics

Women’s Soccer
Montclair 1; Catho 1;
Montclair State (0-4-1) tied it 32 minutes into the game on Becky Madley’s goal in the Post Invitational consolation game at Beaver College in Philadelphia. Sue Ronga made eight saves to hold off Catholic.

Men’s Soccer
Montclair State 4; Caldwell 0
George Mendoza ignited Montclair State (4-0) by converting a penalty kick for a 1-0 lead in the Osprey Classic in Pomona. Aydin Akdemir, Pat Naughter and Abita Yusuf also scored for Montclair State. Alex Luna had four saves for the shutout.

Field Hockey
William Paterson 1; Montclair State 0
Leslie Dube, playing her first game since undergoing knee surgery in June, took the ball the length of the field for William Paterson (4-1) and put it through the legs of MSU goalie Lori Dempsey in a one-on-one confrontation 1:32 into the second overtime for the Vassar Tournament title in Poughkeepsie N.Y. Dempsey had 23 saves for the Red Hawks (4-1).

OPTIMISM
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Reggie Johnson and freshman Sean Brown carried the load after Lewis went down, with each rushing for over 60 yards. Brown scored a touchdown in the fourth quarter on an 18-yard run.

Coaches: I was very impressed by the coaching staff of the Red Hawks on Saturday. They stayed excited from the first play to the last, seeming to enjoy the game as much as the player. From experience, I can say that when a player sees his coaches getting fired up on the sidelines, it gives the player extra motivation to bring their ability to a higher level.

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FOOTBALL
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Freshman QB leads Hawks to opening day victory

lando. On the drive, DiVirgilio completed four passes for 88 yards.

The touchdown was set up by an interception by MSU defensive back Jason Bratcher as Cortland State was driving deep into MSU territory.

Leading 7-3 in the third quarter, MSU defensive back Steve Daniel's picked over a pass from Cortland State quarterback Jeff Humble at the CSU 40, returning it 14 yards to the 26.

On third down and six with 8:47 to go in the third, DiVirgilio threw his second touchdown on the day, this time a 22 yard strike to senior wide receiver Bobby Brown.

The Red Hawks final touchdown of the game came with 6:48 remaining in the final period, when S. Brown took the ball on the CSU 18 and sprinted left for his first touchdown of his collegiate career.

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Offensive Player of the Week

Jason DeVirgilio
Quarterback
6'2
220 lbs.
Hazlet

Making his first collegiate start, DeVirgilio didn’t disappoint, completing 11 of 22 passes for 173 yards and two touchdowns in MSU’s 20-3 victory over Cortland State.

Defensive Player of the Week

Jason Bratcher
Defensive Back
5'11
200 lbs.
Bloomfield

The chiseled senior free safety was an absolute monster last Saturday, collecting 10 tackles, two interceptions and deflecting three passes. Both of Bratcher’s interceptions led to MSU touchdowns.

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Saturday, September 19
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Men’s Soccer vs The College of New Jersey @ 1 p.m.

Tuesday, September 22
Women’s Volleyball vs Kean University @ 7 p.m.
Women’s Tennis vs The College of New Jersey @ 3:30 p.m.

All games are home

THE MONTCLAIRON FEARLESS FORECASTS

KEVIN P. HANCOCK, EDITOR-IN-CHIEF 0-3
PACKERS -7 OVER BENGALS - "I need a gimmie to up my pathetic record."
GIANTS -4 OVER COWBOYS - "Akman out! Giants will be victorious on Monday night."
RED HAWKS -8 1/2 OVER WESLEY - "Don't let me down guys!"

ED FLANNERY, MANAGING EDITOR 3-0
GIANTS 14 OVER COWBOYS - "The classic battle of good versus evil. Go Big Blue."
SEAHAWKS -6 1/2 OVER REDSKINS - "Seattle is great this year. Denver and K.C., look out!"
VIKINGS - 5 1/2 OVER LIONS - "I love Denver, but the Vikings are too strong this year."

TIM CASEY, PHOTOGRAPHY EDITOR 3-0
BILLS -6 OVER RAMS - "Buffalo will win their first game after falling short last week."
Syracuse -42 1/2 OVER Rutgers - "Scarlet Knights are the worst team, EVER."

JASON LAMPA, SPORTS EDITOR 2-0
SYRACUSE +43 OVER Rutgers - "Rutgers is horrible. They may lose by over 50."
JETS +9 OVER Colts - "The Jets will get their first win of 1998."

BOSTON COLLEGE +19 OVER Temple - "BC is too strong for Temple."
Frosh QB leads Hawks to opening day win

RB Sean Brown runs for 53 yards, 1 touchdown in MSU's 20-3 victory over Cortland State

By Jason Lampa
Sports Editor

Freshman quarterback Jason DiVirgilio completed 11 of 22 passes of 173 yards and freshman running back Sean Brown ran for 63 yards on 10 carries, including an 18 yard touchdown run to lead Montclair State (1-0) to a 20-3 victory over Cortland State (1-1) on Saturday afternoon in front of a crowd of 1,000 at Sprague Field in Upper Montclair.

The victory gave MSU its first opening day victory in five years and its first time beating Cortland State after losing to them four years in a row.

Trailing 3-0 after a Cortland State field goal from Nick Coursen, DiVirgilio led the Red Hawks 82 yards on an 11-play drive, ending with a 20-yard touchdown pass from DiVirgilio to freshman wide receiver Mike Or... 

SEE FOOTBALL, ON P. 22

Victory confirms that optimism is well deserved

By Jason Lampa
Sports Editor

Coming off its first winning season in three years with a 6-4 record last season and its entire starting defense returning, the MSU football program had reason to be optimistic that the 1998 season would be a season to remember.

After defeating Cortland State 20-3 on Saturday, a team in which had defeated MSU four years in a row prior to Saturday's game, the Red Hawks look as though their optimism is well-founded.

Trailing 3-0 in the second quarter with Ron Lewis, MSU's top running back injured, and a quarterback making collegiate debut against a team which is a perennial NCAA Division III power, the Red Hawks rallying together behind a strong defensive effort and contributions from a number of underclassmen.

Defense: The MSU run defense with all 11 starters returning from last year's team, were led by their two phenomenal outside linebackers Keith Izza and Kirk Capers and ferocious inside linebacker. Izza collected 13 tackles,...

"After defeating Cortland State 20-3, the Red Hawks look as if their optimism is well-found."

Offense: Freshman quarterback Jason DeVirgilio had a solid opening day performance completing 11 of 22 passes for 173 yards and two touchdowns passes. DeVirgilio held the ball in the pocket to long and some of his passes were off the mark, but for the most part played like a seasoned veteran against a team in the upper echelon of Division III football.

Lewis was injured in the second quarter but still managed to gain around 50 yards. Senior... 

SEE OPTIMISM, ON P. 21

KICKOFF '98

PEP RALLY '98: Former MSU Quarterback Brian Cooney introduces Sophomore Rashid Jones (#99-Newark) and the rest of the Red Hawk team to the crowd.

This week's Red Hawk Athletic Schedule, p. 23
FOOTBALL: The offensive and defensive players of the game in MSU's victory of Cortland State. PAGE 23
THE WEEK IN REVIEW: See how the Red Hawks fared this week in Soccer and Field Hockey. PAGE 21