After the controversy following the fraudulent Nicki Minaj show, students doubted if a Homecoming 2010 concert was still in the works. Despite those doubts, the SGA Programming Board has confirmed that Fabolous, Miguel and DJ Kast one will be performing Friday, Oct. 8 in Memorial Auditorium at 8:00 p.m.

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Scam Pushes Student to Petition SGA
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Joel Torres, 26 and a commuter, began writing the petition the Wednesday that the campus learned Minaj’s concert was a scam. He started getting signatures that weekend.

The SGA is aware of the petition. Dr. Susan A. Cole, president of the university, received an e-mailed copy of the petition as well. Although the scam caused Torres to write the petition, he said that Clementi’s death was the most recent and probably hit closest to home for Montclair State, there is a bigger issue at hand. This was pointed out by MacMath and Angela Almonte, who is a peer advocate of the LGBT Center.

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Tragedy at Rutgers University Hits Home
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There is no doubt everyone is still feeling the aftermath of Tyler Clementi’s suicide.

Last week, Clementi’s father and freshman at Rutgers University, committed suicide after a five video of him having intimate relations with another man was posted online.

Clementi jumped off the George Washington Bridge. His car, wallet and computer were all found close to the bridge. This month, five other young people who identified as homosexual also committed suicide.

Six total deaths in the last few weeks concerning gay, bisexual and transgender community is not something that anyone can turn a blind eye towards. This is an especially important issue for college communities.

“The LGBT Center was deeply saddened to hear about the tragedy at Rutgers University. The loss of yet another member of our community brings light to the epidemic we are faced with. We need to continue to reach out to these youths to let them know that they are not alone and it yet gets better,” Amie MacMath, program assistant at the LGBT Center, said.

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The next SGA meeting will be next Wednesday, Oct. 13.

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more talents to the roster. Kristin Chapman, SGA Secretary general, said, “We could either have one huge name or one well-known name and two more reputable names. It was our balancing act.” Nicole Galipo, a sophomore, said, “I think they got three performers to satisfy all of the students after the show. I think Fabolous is just about equal to Nicki Minaj, but I’m not too heard of the other two.”

Recently gaining airtime for hit single, “Can We Dance?” featuring J. Cole, Miguel is an upcoming talent that MSU was able to sign across. Brittanay Chea, a freshman who bought tickets for the Nicki Minaj show, said, “I bought tickets for the concert that we never got.”

Nicole Galipo, SGA Secretary general, said, “Since Nicki Minaj is a big deal $20 makes sense, but it’s still a down grade. Nicki Minaj is a big deal, but as long as someone is coming, it’s fine by me.”

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This was part of Quarter Wars – one vote is gained for every 10 dollars received in quarters. The two home-coming winners will donate the money acquired in Quarter Wars to the char-ity they chose. Hundreds of students came out to chant the name of their contestant of choice.

Waiting in the rain for an hour, an enthusiastic group of Sigma Delta Tau’s happily voiced their support for Christana Alamos.

“Christana doesn’t worry about her social life. She’s very involved with her major and community service,” said Carly Chupka, a junior family and child studies major, and member of Sigma Delta Tau.

Despite the competition, contestants were friendly and supportive of each other.

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everyone can express power, and that
is something he is trying to achieve.
Torres wants to be a part of the
SGA, and he wants to encourage other
people to join in as well. Unfortunately
for Torres, his busy lifestyle of com-
muting, studying, taking care of his
three children and working cannot
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the list is going to keep growing.
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Collectively, we believe that last week’s “Nicki Minaj fi-
asco” showcases how irresponsible our SGA has been
with our monies. We have come to realize that there is
no information available to the student body stating
how our funds are being allocated. This issue is not
only affecting those students who wanted to attend
the Nicki Minaj concert. It affects the entire student
body community because we collectively contribute to
the budget controlled by the SGA.

On one side, there are a large number of students
who have publicly complained that the significant
amount of money spent to get a musician artist to perform
for an hour or so was utterly ridiculous. They believe
that their contributory dollars could have been used
for other productive activities. On the other hand, the
individuals who wanted to see Ms. Minaj perform are
also upset because they paid for something that was
not professionally handled. They are also offended
by the fact that they have contributed another
$10,000 to a false booking agency. Many of these indi-
viduals would have waited until October 8th to figure
out the scam if it wasn’t for tech savvy members of our
community posting information on Twitter.

See the full petition online at
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At her daughter’s death she asked herself, “What can I do so this doesn’t happen here?” Rutgers University had a big [LGBT Center] and they missed someone. Ours is beginning to grow,” Almonte said. She feels that students need to understand that being gay is just as normal as being straight.

“Montclair State does a great job reaching out to our LGBT students, faculty and staff on campus. The creation of the LGBT Center in Jan. 2009 is evidence of the university’s commitment to this community and to providing resources needed to be supportive,” MacMath said.

Almonte also feels as if our LGBT Center is doing its best, but she believes “that we can always be better.” This could be one of the reasons why Almonte is working diligently with sororities on campus to schedule events for Coming Out Week.

“The LGBT Center celebrates Coming Out Week each year in memory of Matthew Shepard. This week is a time where Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Queer identified students are encouraged to come out and be authentically who they are,” MacMath stated. This week is also used to raise awareness, Almonte stated. She is trying to get everyone involved in the week, which is why she’s working with sororities to show people that it isn’t just the LGBT Center involved.

“If we can educate that it’s normal and get that across to students, we’ll have a successful Coming Out Week,” Almonte stated. Coming out week will begin Oct. 11 and end Oct. 14. There will be many events and activities throughout the week promoting the LGBT community.

Facts about Cyber Bullying
(according to cyberbullyalert.com)
- 40% of teenagers with Internet access have reported being bullied online this past year.
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The Social Network

The Social Network hit the box office this weekend and reached $25 million in ticket sales, according to The New York Times. Many MSU students took a peak at the film that is being described as defining the Millennium Generation.

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Reflecting on information that was used in the movie, Ratanjot Rekhi answered, "I thought it was a good movie, it basically just gave me a lot of insight to know how Facebook came out. It basically just told you what I expected, I thought it would be again he went to Harvard. It wasn't around it was our age, but then it was around it was our age, and the future of the Bond lot is part of that discussion according to Shannon."

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After a short introduction of Dominican novelist Díaz, it was time he took the podium. A slender man, tanned, with a round, shaved head, Díaz began in a ridicu-

ously high-pitched squaky tone, which broke the ice of sugar-alme.

A wave of laughter snowballed rap-

idly, as the enthusiastic tension was

quickly massaged with jokes. “Yehhh, man,” were the first two words that came out in Díaz’s normal voice. Díaz wasted no time as he shared a short

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Junot Diaz

Author

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Díaz’s upstaging was in a strict, immigrant-military household which taught him that screw ups were not acceptable. This is when Díaz stressed the importance of being compassionate towards oneself. He asked the question that lingered through the night: “Why are you treating yourself the way you would never treat a four-year-old?”

He added that it was when he decided to start being compassionate towards himself, that he was able to tackle his mission towards his artistic calling. “If you really love any art, it will see you through.” Díaz revealed that The Brief Wondrous Life of Oscar Was book didn’t take 11 years to write, but it took 11 years because he wanted it to transform someone. Díaz advised to all aspiring artists, “If you want that to be true about your piece of art, that art has to change you first, be-

fore it can change someone else.” It is important to keep your entire self present at home, at college and with friends because you never know what you will need in the future.

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As he made two fists and curled them both towards his thin chin, his el-

bows stuck out, and his head raced in, Díaz confessed his biggest regret was never letting his guard down.

Díaz admitted that he wished he was never letting his guard down. “My mask is to “drop your guard” he said. “The only way to take off the mask is to “drop your guard” he said, and “people will respect the wrinkles in your personality.”

It's a real single lady fright with dancing, perfect for the spirit of Halloween.

This week’s Nessa.0 features a video called “Single Ladies Gone Wrong.”

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Díaz said that we live in a culture of respectability and it teaches us what’s on the surface is more important than content. No wonder this straightforward, cool “nerd of color” wore a blue cotton shirt, dark denim jeans and pair athletic kicks to his live literature reading. He has removed his mask.

He confessed that Montclair rejected him, but used it as a transition to bolster his last point: “You’re awesome because you fail a lot.” He added that the most successful people who grow are the one’s who tolerate failure the best. If you have an artistically call-

ing all you have to do is find your form.
Newark Detective Talks about Gang Violence

Alan Akins
Staf F Writer

Fraternities and sororities are proud symbols of college tradition who often display their pride through the use of special hand signs, dances and calls. Within these groups are the proud members organized in special ranks, and when the time comes, interested individuals will have the opportunity to pledge for a chance at Greek life. However, much of this behavior is very similar to a rapidly growing culture in the United States, gangs. Many people have had a hard time distinguishing between gangs and fraternities or sororities. Yesterday the tables were turned in room 1020 of University Hall.

"Money, Power, Respect" is an event sponsored by Omega Phi Chi and Iota Phi Theta, and both groups are trying to destroy the misconceptions people have about Greek life due to gang prominence. These groups also seek to show students a new understanding of gangs and what it means to be a gang member. Rosemary Garcia of Omega Phi Chi said, "I think it's going to be a really fun program and very informational about gang awareness. It will give insight into the real life of a gang member."

"The gang problem is not a police problem, it is everyone's problem," said Detective Stephanie Treadwell who gave a presentation involving videos and slides with her partner Detective Sonji Powell. Both are detectives from the Newark Police Department and deal with gangs often. According to Detective Treadwell, gangs started on the West coast, originally as a political movement to provide assistance for areas with people who could not afford housing or community programs that needed funding. However, funding was need for gangs, so they began to sell drugs. After the sale of drugs, violence followed. Gangs arrived on the East coast in 1990 in Riker's Island Penitentiary. The Latin Kings of that prison would beat on the African American inmates.

"With the violence, we always say that once a gang member reaches the age of about 25, he or she is considered a senior citizen because most of them don't live past that age," said Detective Treadwell. Gangs continue to recruit younger members, and today there are at least three generations within each gang.

Tremain Williams, a senior and vice president of Iota Phi Theta, stated that it is the individuals within a fraternity or sorority that bring about issues of violence or negative behavior. Most fraternities and sororities are not involved in violence and promote better behavior among students. Iota Phi Theta is a predominantly African American fraternity, and many of its members are from urban areas where gang violence is present such as Newark and Jersey City.

Nominees Chosen for Homecoming King and Queen

Congratulations to:

Monica DeMarco
Alicia Torres
Christina Alamo
Erin Keenan
Victoria Selko
Carlos Garcia
Kevin Hernandez
Farid Oyelaja
Jack Stovall
Joesph Zobel

You can vote online: www.vote.montclair.edu
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

October 4
- Homecoming BBQ
- Homecoming King and Queen Talent Show
- Office Decoration and Residence Hall Banner Contest

October 5
- Inflatables
- Outdoor Movie: Iron Man 2

October 6
- International Student Organization Food Festival
- Pre-Softball Game BBQ
- Softball Game/Pep Rally: Faculty, Staff, and Students
- King and Queen Finalist Announcement
- Coffeehouse

October 7
- Smoothies and Novelties
- Montclair State Iron Chef Competition
- Montclair State vs. Rutgers-Newark Volleyball Game
- Casino Night

October 8
- Coffee Bar
- Floatbuilding
- Airbrushing
- Banner Contest Judging
- Montclair State vs. New Paltz Field Hockey Game
- Kaleidoscope
- Homefest!

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- Midnight Breakfast
- Marine Corp Flight Orientation
- Carnival
  - Carnival booths and novelty items such as face painting, hair wrapping, caricaturist, photo booth, and inflatables. Local vendors will be on site as well.
- Vinyasa Power Yoga
- Mini-University
- BBQ
- Campus/Construction Tours
- Homecoming Parade/Performance
- Montclair State vs. City College of New York Men’s Soccer Game
- Tailgate
- Ice Skating
- Montclair State vs. The College of New Jersey Football Game
  - Halftime: Drums of Thunder and Recognition of Class of 1960/Coach Edwards
  - King/Queen and Parade Winners Announced
- Dinner from Home
- Hype Night
- Kaleidoscope

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Q: How can we deal with off-campus relationships?

**He Said**

Robert Allen

There’s a simple rule to follow when you have a relationship with someone not on campus: the further away you are, the more effort necessary to try and make it work. It’s one thing if you are with someone from another nearby school, but once you are talking about a significant other who is more than a gas tank away, you are more prone to problems.

Not everyone has the luxury of living down the hall from their boy or girl. People move out, transfer, graduate; those and many other scenarios may put a wedge in your perfect relationship. 1) Don’t freak out. Your boyfriend or girlfriend is not going to be around as much, so not hearing from them every day is more likely. It doesn’t mean they have things to do. They just have things to do.

2) Leave it spontaneous. The more you try to make your long-distance relationship last long-term is not to plan conversations or Skype chats. When you schedule talking to your significant other like it’s a class, it becomes more of a chore than a perk. Also, it isn’t like you scheduled those events back when you were nearby one another, right?

3) Visit, but not too often. The visit is something that takes a bit of planning. Your significant other should be available and not have a big paper to write or exam to study for. You are there for them, so you want them to be there for you too. There also needs to be a discussion with any potential roommates. Nothing much has to be said; just a heads up. Think of it as a verbal sock on the doorknob.

4) Trust him/her. Facebook stalking may be such a great skill of yours that you wish it could go on your resume, but it isn’t fair. Your other half is trying to live their life. Of course you are a part of that, but you aren’t the entire thing. Text messages may go unanswered. Random wall posts will confuse you. Take it all with a grain of salt; use the entire salt shaker.

**She Said**

Jade Mohnke

My first recommendation would be to refrain from jumping into an off-campus relationship unless you’re all in. Of course, being only a couple minutes away from your partner presents a completely different situation than being a plane ride away. However, any amount of distance could be just enough to make or break a relationship.

Besides the ability to text your guy or girlfriend whenever you wish, you also have the perks of a completely different situation than being a plane ride away. However, any amount of distance could be just enough to make or break a relationship.

It means that when you’re apart you don’t have to pretend that you’re with them. It’s one thing to go “all in,” however you don’t have to do it for so long without physically seeing one another, so plan a visit. Of course, if you’re within driving distance, this shouldn’t be much of an issue, but consider your schedule and plan each other in.

Make sure that when you see each other you not only spend some time alone, but also get to know their friends and surroundings. A big factor in long distance relationships is trust. Meeting his or her friends can make you feel more comfortable and make stories more relatable.

In establishing this trust, try not to encourage guilt on either side. No, this does not mean to hook up with random people; hide it from your significant other and hold no remorse. It means that when you’re apart you don’t have to pretend that you’re with them.

It’s true that when you enter into a relationship you may want to go “all in,” however you don’t want to make your significant other the only person in your life. That brings me to my next point: suffocation. When you’re dating someone off-campus, you don’t want a phone call or text every minute of every hour. Off-campus relationships work the same way. It’s one thing to check in, but another to hound. Sending a cute text every once in a while is appreciated, but don’t overdo it.

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The Workout Station: Abdominals

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Are You Among the “Very Young at Heart?”

Pursue Your Passion to Stay Young

"Fairy tales can come true, it can happen to you, if you’re young at heart. For it’s hard you will find, to be narrow of mind, if you’re young at heart. You can go out to extremes with impossible schemes. You can laugh when your dreams fall apart at the seams. And life gets more exciting with each passing day, and love is either in your heart or on its way. Don’t you know that it’s worth every treasure on earth to be young at heart? For as rich as you are, it’s much better by far to be young at heart. And if you should survive to 105, look at all you’ll derive out being alive. Then here is the best part, you have a head start. If you are among the very young at heart."

"Young at Heart" by Johnny Richards and Carolyn Leigh

College football has legendary coach Joe Paterno still roaming the sidelines this fall at age 85. He has either found what it means to be “young at heart” or the youthful college football players year after year have indeed kept him “young at heart!”

The recent Oct. 3 issue of Parade magazine mentioned other college football coaches that refused to step down after the traditional retirement age of 65, such as Grambling University’s Eddie Robinson who retired at age 78 and Florida State’s Bobby Bowden who left the coaching ranks last year at age 80. Then Parade mentioned the legendary Alabama coach Paul “Bear” Bryant, who told friends he often felt like quitting, but couldn’t because so many staff members depended on him. When he finally retired, he jokingly predicted he would “probably croak in a week.” Four weeks later he was dead.

Perhaps MSU students, faculty, alumni and campus staff members depend on you. Many MSU alumni out there are “among the young at heart,” who have found their vocation so inspiring that they don’t want to retire at a certain age, but instead count one’s blessings, and try to follow a healthy lifestyle by keeping physically and mentally active, opting for nutritious foods and beverages and getting adequate sleep, fresh air and exercise—optimal ways to keep your heart “young.” And last but not least: You must keep thinking “young” so that “love is either in your heart or on its way.”

James Carpentier

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Vanessa Harpengoez

Assistant Feature Editor

This week’s workout focuses on abdominals and getting them looking great! You will need a set of dumbbells for these easy steps. Remember with abdominal workouts and stretching, it is very important to breathe throughout to fully contract all parts of the muscle. Remember to do different muscle group workouts weekly, so that each muscle group gets time to develop and recover.

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The Exorcist is coming to Montclair State University

Father Vincent Lampert, is one of less than two dozen Priests in the United States who have been trained, and given the faculties from the Catholic Church to serve as an Exorcist.

Fr. Lampert was appointed the official Exorcist for the Archdiocese of Indianapolis in 2005 and received formal training under the Head Exorcist in Rome in 2006.

Father Lampert will deliver the FIRST ANNUAL ARCHBISHOP JOHN J. MYERS LECTURE SERIES, sponsored by the NEWMAN CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY at MONTCLAIR STATE UNIVERSITY on the Catholic Church’s understanding of exorcism, demonic activity, and the like. The event, “The Real Exorcist,” is open to the public and a Q&A session will follow the formal portion of Father’s presentation.

**October 13, 2010 - 7:30 Pm**
Montclair State University
University Hall Conference Center
(7th Floor)

NEWMAN CATHOLIC CAMPUS MINISTRY
A Class II Organization of the Montclair State University SGA
students have reacted to the recent events at Rutgers with a message of tolerance. Tyler Clementi should have never felt that suicide was his only option after facing humiliation and privacy violations by his roommate, Dharun Ravi. While many have brought up the issues of privacy, social networking and webcams, some have taken it as an opportunity to look at how our society treats lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender (LGBT) people.

At Montclair State we have a thriving LGBT center that works tirelessly to provide support and a safe haven for students. Looking at the reality of hate crimes in recent years, one could argue that this is a tolerant campus – whether they are based on gender, race or sexuality. But the recent events at Rutgers hit close to home. If anything, it has shown the value of having a supportive LGBT organization on campus where all students feel comfortable and welcome. Unfortunately, it has also shown the statutes that are ignored on sites like Twitter and Facebook.

Originally created as sites that provide social connections and access to instant information, the popularity of Twitter and Facebook has skyrocketed within the past year alone. It seems that everyone – from John McCain to Lady Gaga – treats Facebook as a way to see what is good or bad, popular or ignored. As a society, it suggests that we promote intolerance. When we debate over whether human beings are “legal” or not, we promote intolerance. When we debate whether or not Americans can be openly homosexual and still serve in the country in the military, we suggest that it is wrong to be a homosexual being. Desensitizing terms followed by actions have consequences. Once we classify people as the “other,” it is easy to dehumanize and treat them badly.

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Susan Cole: access to information on SGA

In response to Torres and the undersigned students, access to the SGA’s financial records are, indeed, public, if you so choose to ask. The SGA is a public entity and, they, not Montclair State University, polices their own spending.

As for the second point raised, on behalf of the SGA community’s role on campus, that request needs to begin from within the monies. What better time of the year to take pride and responsibility for what your school can offer than at Homecoming?

Instead of being a parody of itself, Homecoming weekend can be seen as a way to see what is good and bad, as well as what changes and improvements are needed. Not everyone may enjoy the carnival happening this weekend, but it is up to the MSU community to state that.

The entire SGA has not been reimbursed to the university. There is, however, one easy option for getting your views heard and helping Montclair State get the most bang for their buck: become a legislator for the SGA.

Robert Aitken

The Homecoming Saga Continues

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The majority of the noise surrounding Homecoming 2010 pivoted to the newfound Niki Minaj booking fiasco. Now, announced just days ago, recording artist Fabolous will take the place thought to have been filled by Minaj.

It seems like, in most cases, MSU students do not care about the happenings of our campus. This is why it is at least refreshing to hear about a petition started by Minaj to learn about a petition started by Minaj. For others, we will be motivated to do more than just tolerate their differences.

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Speaking of wild parties, these happen at the Village sometimes. It’s bound to happen in a wet dorm. This is why there are rules on noise levels coming from one apartment. ResEd has designated quiet hours from 10 p.m. to 7 a.m. Sunday through Thursday, and 12 a.m. to 12 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

This rule makes sense; there shouldn’t be excess noise when people are trying to study. However, the building has actually had C.A.s patrol the hallways at night during quiet hours and do nothing but yell at people to be quiet. My apartment has personally been told to be quiet on six separate occasions in the first month, and only now was it following a time when there was a lot of noise. A good example of how ridiculous it has gotten came a few Mondays ago. It was about 11 p.m. and one of my roommates was playing a video game, while the rest of us were studying and doing homework. My roommate’s TV was far from too loud, considering I live in the bedroom next to him and couldn’t hear the TV with my door wide open. Yet a C.A. came by, and told us that the TV was too loud.

I understand enforcing quiet hours rule if there is clearly a party or some other crazy event going on at 2 a.m. on Thursday or something.

But to have C.A.s patrolling a building and yelling at residents for every little peep is excessive and ridiculous. In addition to my own apartment, I’ve seen three other apartments in my floor alone get in trouble for the same thing. It’s like when you go to summer camp when you’re a kid and you can’t make noise when it’s lights out. Last I checked, the people here aren’t 10 years old... At least allow your residents to enjoy the freedoms they have."

Mike Monostra, a broadcasting major, is in his first year as Sports Editor for The Montclarion.

Village Residents Treated like Kids at Camp

Mike Monostra, senior students speak up

Village C.A.s Should Think Twice Before Yelling During Evening Rounds

Students Speak:

How do you feel about privacy on Facebook? Do you update your status often and share personal information?

Maulik Sardhara, Sophomore Accounting

"It's not private at all, depending on your settings. Even if you do have settings, they're constantly making changes. You don't really have any privacy."

Mahgavi Kanani, Sophomore Business

"It's okay for temporary situations, perhaps for a week or two. Not for long-term... You can't rely on it."

Lauren Horn, Junior Family & Child Studies

"I feel that Facebook has enough privacy on it. There's different settings to how you want it. If you only want people to see your picture or if you want them to see everything from your religious background to sexual preference."

Tahj Hemby, Junior Psychology

"It's very important. You don't want to talk to people that you're not familiar with or you don't have any information on. If you meet people off of Facebook, you just want to make sure you know who you're speaking to and what they're about."

Want to see videos of ‘Students Speak’ interviews?
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A Little Chitchat: Stinkbugs

Insects may seem like a strange subject for a use for a subject such as this, but if you have not been reading the newspaper or looking for them on your own personal computer, you may have been surprised to find out that stink bugs are in New Jersey. If you have not heard of the bugs before, you are not alone. However, as more and more people begin to realize their presence, there is a growing concern about how to deal with them.

Stink bugs are known for their unpleasant smell, which they release when they are disturbed. This smell is often described as resembling that of skunk spray. In addition to their unpleasant odor, stink bugs can also cause damage to crops. They are often found in fields and gardens, but they can also be found in homes and other buildings.

As stink bugs continue to become more widespread, it is important to be aware of how to deal with them. There are several steps you can take to prevent stink bugs from entering your home. First, make sure to seal any gaps or cracks around your home, as stink bugs can easily sneak in through these openings. You can use weather stripping, caulk, or other sealing materials to help prevent them from entering.

Another way to prevent stink bugs from entering your home is to keep your home clean and free of food sources. Stink bugs are attracted to areas with food, so it is important to keep your kitchen and other food areas clean. This includes not leaving food out and washing dishes after use.

If you do find stink bugs in your home, there are several steps you can take to get rid of them. One option is to use a vacuum to remove the bugs from your home. You can also use insecticides to kill the stink bugs. Be sure to follow the instructions on the product label and use the products according to the manufacturer's directions.

By taking these steps, you can help prevent stink bugs from entering your home and causing damage. It is important to be aware of the presence of these insects and to take action to prevent them from entering your home. With the right steps, you can keep stink bugs out of your home and protect your crops and your property.

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The Social Network

DIRECTOR: David Fincher
STARRING: Jesse Eisenberg, Andrew Garfield,知识点
PLOT: The story of the birth of Facebook and the people who claim Zuckerberg stole their intellectual property.

STAFF WRITER: Sara Sciabarrasi
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The portrayal of Zuckerberg in The Social Network is up to each viewer and is a matter of opinion. The film’s portrayal of him wasn’t entirely clear cut. The most important part of the film is that there really is no clear protagonist or antagonist. At the same time, that’s what makes the character and I couldn’t help but overdose audience members murmur things like “I like him” or “he’s funny.” With Zuckerberg being the news lately for donating up to $100 million to struggling Newark public schools, many thought it was to help negate his bad image in the movie. But aside from the occasional scene calling, the film’s portrayal of him wasn’t very convincing. Another great touch to the movie is that it is based on a true story and uses flashbacks to and from Facebook’s inception. The most important part of the film is that there really is no clear protagonist or antagonist. At the same time, that’s what makes the character and I couldn’t help but overdose audience members murmur things like “I like him” or “he’s funny.” With Zuckerberg being the news lately for donating up to $100 million to struggling Newark public schools, many thought it was to help negate his bad image in the movie. But aside from the occasional scene calling, the film’s portrayal of him wasn’t very convincing. Another great touch to the movie is that it is based on a true story and uses flashbacks to and from Facebook’s inception.

UPDATE YOUR STATUSES: The Social Network is Here

Film Provides Inside Look at the Creation of Facebook

Janelle Monaé, a new funky R&B singer talks about her role in The Montclarion

Wendy Poole, better known as BP, talked about the band's new album, theatrical performance and praise of their fan base, among other topics. Of Montreal has always been a theatrical band. When performing live, band members will often add live ac- cessories including makeup and wings. Barnese dressed in tight, revealing feminino clothes and makeup. She became a trendsetter, and Of Montreal has built a following in the world of alternative rock. At the same time, that's what makes the character and I couldn’t help but overdose audience members murmur things like “I like him” or “he’s funny.” With Zuckerberg being the news lately for donating up to $100 million to struggling Newark public schools, many thought it was to help negate his bad image in the movie. But aside from the occasional scene calling, the film’s portrayal of him wasn’t very convincing. Another great touch to the movie is that it is based on a true story and uses flashbacks to and from Facebook’s inception.

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Michael Douglas Returns To Wall Street
Remake Fails to Live Up to Promises of Original

The National Performs At The Wellmont
Crowd Goes Wild for Brooklyn Based Indie Rockers

Ken Macri
Staff Writer

Let me just say right from the start of this review that Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps is not nearly as good as the original Wall Street that was released in 1987, which also stars Michael Douglas. This 2010 remake fails to create a compelling storyline to keep the audience intrigued throughout the film. As a result, most of the audience will be bored about halfway through the film. The movie runs for two hours and ten minutes, but it feels like four hours, which isn’t necessarily a good thing.

Michael Douglas stars as Gordon Gekko at the top of his game, much like in the original Wall Street. Shia LaBeouf plays Jacob Moore, a whiz-kid, energy investment expert at a firm where his mentor Louis Zabel (Frank Langella), the head of Wall Street power firm Keller-Zabel, is watching a lifetime of work collapse with the rest of Wall Street. The stock market’s derivatives confidence game has lost confidence, and soon only Bexton James (Josh Berlin), a savvy and revered big shot billionaire, remains.

The problem with this film isn’t the cast because Douglas, LaBeouf, Berlin and Langella are all solid. The problem is the movie itself. There is no point in making a remake, and there is especially no point if you’re going to use the same leading man in both. Douglas’ Oscar-winning performance in the original Wall Street draws comparison to this 2010 film. But what good did director Oliver Stone think would come out of a remake? How can Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps be judged against the 1987 original? However, before the opening credits even rolled, almost everyone knew it wasn’t going to live up to expectations. This is a huge disappointment in the personal life and his relationship with Winnie Gekko (Cindy Mulligan) and then Gordon Gekko’s rise and fall from the Wall Street market and firms. The film relies heavily on LaBeouf’s emotional range, which is displayed throughout. In my opinion, however, LaBeouf isn’t fit to play a big shot Wall Street expert. Overall, this film was a disappointment because the storyline was boring and too drawn out. It’s really a shame that a lot of talent went to waste in this film. By the end of it I really felt like watching the original Wall Street, which actually had a point and a valiant storyline to back it up.

Ken’s Grade:
2.5 out of 5 Stars

To watch the trailer for Wall Street: Money Never Sleeps visit www.themontclairion.org

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Standing as an exception to my generation, I’ve developed a selective enthusiasm towards concerts. Unless I absolutely adore a band, I will not see them perform. I firmly believe that I would be less impressed myself. There is nothing worse than being a show and the person next to you to atten- dance. It is a great stage. The set list consisted mostly of their most recent album, Boxer and High Violet. Casting my gaze across the stage I noticed that they crammed an eclectic group of instruments that represent the instrumental flourishes commonly found in their music. The first song that they played was “Runaway,” a superb choice. This song in particular is a prime example of the band’s top-notch songwriting and arrangement. Rumors of the front man’s stage fright fly across indie genre sites and I could plainly see his timidity. This did not detract from the performance; in fact, it added to it. Arrogant vocalists dehumanize the music. Berninger’s shy glances and timid body language made me believe in his lyrics. He seemed to be singing honestly and without surface showmanship.

The next song was “Anyone’s Ghost,” followed by “Mistaken for Strangers” and “Fake Empire,” the first track off of the album, Boxer. It was palatable and I found myself lost in the music and it’s realness. The National’s new album, High Violet, is to die for. I was simply too far to receive the front man. “Just a high five,” I thought wistfully. My heart sank when he walked off stage. After two minutes of dead air and frantic clapping, The National took the stage for their encore. They played four more songs before Matt Berninger decided to appease his audience. He tested precariously at the edge of the stage. The crowd was going wild. Hands were raised in hopelessness-desperation, mine being among them. I was simply too far to receive the human contact I desired from the front man. “Just a high five,” I thought wistfully.

This phenomenon remains a mystery to me—why do the public always have to see their favorite bands? Aren’t they aware that they have the rare advantage of being able to see above everyone else? Regardless, I was pleased to see that one of my favorite bands was performing at my proximity to the stage. Unlike most venues, the Wellmont is well ventilated and the sound quality was great. I could plainly see his timidity. This did not detract from the performance; in fact, it added to it. Arrogant vocalists dehumanize the music. Berninger’s shy glances and timid body language made me believe in his lyrics. He seemed to be singing honestly and without surface showmanship. The audience was ventilated and the Wellmont is well designed. The National’s new album, High Violet, is to die for. I was simply too far to receive the front man. “Just a high five,” I thought wistfully.

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A moment later, there he was, climbing down from the stage and wad- ing into the screaming surge of fans. I couldn’t believe my eyes, he just so hap- pened to descend from the stage mere feet in front of me! The man behind the microphone in true groupie fashion, I pushed forward and managed to place my hand on the arm of his charming navy suit. All around me hands were reaching out to touch the front man, he was en- thusiastically throwing his own hands forward to high-five his fans. He only got a few steps into the crowd before he turned around and climbed back on stage. That action alone left me ecstatic— and moments later when the show ended I couldn’t be happier with the experience.

The National put on a fantastic per- formance and you better believe I will keep an eye out for their next show in the area. The National’s new album, High Violet, is to die for.
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Mathias Kissanka and Osi Umebiora share the Giants’ team lead in sacks, with four each.

NSU and Jets Quarter Season Report Cards

Believe it or not, the first quarter of the NFL season is over. It’s time for first marking period report cards for our locals, the Jets and the Giants.

Giants

The New York Football Giants just came off one of their most impressive defensive outings in a while. But before that, the team looked like they were about to fall into the deep end after two losses in a row in which they were out-scored 67-24. At 2-2, they are in a three-way tie for first place in the NFC East with the Redskins and the Eagles.

Offense:

For the most part, Manning has been hitting his spots quite well, and has spread the ball around, too. Smith, Nicks and Manningham all have over 200 yards receiving, but Nicks has been the standout with four touchdowns receiving. With a quarterback rating of 91.2, Manning is averaging 250 yards a game, has a 69% completion percentage and throw for five touchdowns. The thing that’s hurting him and the offense the most is the six interceptions. If you take a closer look, four of those interceptions were balls that bounced off of his receivers’ hands.

For the running game it proved to be a great choice to have Bradshaw as the starter. Lawrence Tynes was scraggly just over three yards per carry. His look-for-contact running style affected him physically. This year, Bradshaw is averaging over five yards per carry with 382 yards and three touchdowns, Jacobs, although getting only about a third as many car-

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Defense:

For the defense, it’s about the momentum. If they take the momentum from the big win last week with them, they will be hard to beat. Unfortunately, this report card is about the first four games out the next 12. The Colts run all over them, but they had a great show against the Panthers and completely dominated the Bears.

Mathias Kissanka and Osi Umebiora lead the team with four sacks each. The team total is 16, but remember, 10 of those came against the Bears. With three feasible recoveries and five interceptions, they can create turnovers.

Defensive grade: B. Most of the defensive stats came in one game against the Bears, who have a struggling offen-

tive line to begin with. And their lack-

luster performance against the Colts pre-

vented them from getting a better grade.

Special Teams:

Field goal kicker Lawrence Tynes is 5/6 on field goal tries right now, a percentage that definitely has to go up. Punter Matt Dodge can boot the ball but lacks accuracy — a total 190 degree shift from the F eagles era. Rookie Barnes Raymond can’t seem to find a rhythm returning kicks. He is only aver-

aging 4.9 yards per return.

Special Teams grade: D. It’s hard to give them a better grade when the punters and the returners are still very young and still developing their skills. Until then, they might want to find alternative solu-

tions to the problem.

Overall grade: C. What this team has going for it right now is the momentum of a huge win. Also, that 2-2 record doesn’t look so bad when you realize they lost to only A FC teams so far, which

means nothing in tiebreaker scenarios. The Redskins lost to the Rams, and the Eagles lost to the Packers and the Redskins. The Giants, like any other team, do better against teams they see more often.

See the Jets quarter-

Field Hockey Losing Streak at Ramapo

Mike Monestreti

After two consecutive non-conference losses, MSU field hockey recovered with a 4-2 victory over NAAC rival Ramapo on Tuesday afternoon.

The score makes the game seem closer than it actually was as the Red Hawks controlled possession for much of the game. Senior forward Deana Hagel in particular was all over the field; she controlled possession for much of the game. Ramapo couldn’t get a shot on goal.

All of the MSU goals were scored off of penalty corners, a play that had hurt the team in two previous losses to Misericordia and Union. The Red Hawks got plenty of opportunities from corners, as they got 12 penalty corners in the game, while Ramapo got just one.

The Red Hawks were firing early, as Ramapo couldn’t get a shot on goal in the first half. Ramapo got a goal off of their only penalty corner of the game as Rebekah Pashkner scored to cut MSU’s lead to 2-1. Then, at the start of the second half, Amanda Ferruccio scored just 46 seconds in to tie the game at two.

MSU wouldn’t let the game remain tied for long, as their penalty corner assault continued just six minutes later. Hagel scored her second goal of the game off of a pass from Carroll to hand the lead back to MSU at 3-2.

Four minutes later, Michelle Hagel was able to fire a shot off of a penalty corner and into the net for her first goal of the season. The score gave the Red Hawks’ arguably 4-2 lead.

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Roadrunner defense struggled to get the ball out of their own end. The Red Hawks improved to 7-3 on the season with Tuesday’s win. Their next game comes on Friday, when MSU will host SUNY-New Paltz as part of the kick-off to Homecoming weekend. The game will take place at Spring Field starting at 7 p.m. Check out www.themontclarion.org next week for video highlights of Friday’s game.
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An Inside Look at the MLB Postseason

Jay Hoita
Staff Writer

The 2010 MLB season is over and the playoffs are about to begin. The Pittsburgh Pirates sit at their right-hand place at the bottom of the league, next to the Washington Nationals and San Francisco Giants. But at the other end of the spectrum we have the Philadelphia Phillies posting the best record in the major leagues, the New York Yankees returning (yet again) to the playoffs and the 20-year-old Bobby Cox bringing the Atlanta Braves to a familiar place, squeezing in with a Wild Card birth on the last day of the season.

Since removing the ‘devil’ from their name, the Tampa Bay Rays have been improving everyone. They’ve been a team for only a dozen years, but find themselves atop the monstrous AL East team for only a dozen years, but finding themselves in the playoffs are about to begin. The Minnesota Twins are back in the American League Championship Series, winning this series against the Twins as easily as the Rays are going to beat the Rangers.

From there it becomes a dog fight. If the Championship series does end up being the Rays versus the Yankees, it’ll be a showdown to the final game. The Rays outdid the Yankees in the regular season, winning 10 out of 18 games, but the Yankees are a more established team. When it comes down to the wire there is a much greater chance for the Rays to be clutch than the Rays, but anything is possible. Neither the Twins nor the Braves will be able to beat both powerhouses in the American League. Getting to the World Series for them is going to be a huge uphill climb.

The Rays pitching staff is average and their pitching staff is stellar, but the Giants are throwing Tim Lincecum and Matt Cain on the hill each, a testament to why the Giants are teaming. Splitting one of the first two games will most likely go against the Twins in the series. Splitting one of the first two games would be an advantage to the Braves, who won’t have to travel as far as the Rays, but the Rays are to the final game. The Rays outdid the Yankees in the regular season, winning 10 out of 18 games, but the Yankees are a more established team. When it comes down to the wire there is a much greater chance for the Rays to be clutch than the Rays, but anything is possible. Neither the Twins nor the Braves will be able to beat both powerhouses in the American League. Getting to the World Series for them is going to be a huge uphill climb.

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Defender Corin Short and the Red Hawks remained undefeated in the NJAC after defeating Rutgers-Camden on Saturday.

The Red Hawks came out victorious against the Rutgers-Camden Raptors in Saturday’s match up. The game quickly became an intense battle as each team wasted no time on offense.

At just 15:40 in the first period junior midfielder, Mike Pytler, scored his fifth goal of the season with a volley to the right side, putting the Red Hawks on top at 1-0. Following Montclair’s first goal, Rutgers-Camden’s goalie, Tim VanLiew had four saves before Raptors could even make a return attempt.

Montclair’s defense proved to be dominant as they kept the ball in Red Hawk territory for the majority of the first period. In the final five minutes of the half, senior midfielder Andrew Filorica scored his second goal of the season to put the Raptor on the board to tie it up. Filorica returned with another shot on goal but was blocked to end the first period.

The Red Hawks came out ready to play in the second period with five consecutive shots within the first 10 minutes. Although unsuccessful, Montclair set the pace for the remainder of the period. Allowing only two shot attempts by the Raptors, Montclair kept the game in check for the rest of regulation play at just 1-1 and sent the teams into overtime.

In the first few minutes of overtime, former Red Hawk and Rutgers-Camden transfer, Chris Edelschein could have taken the win for the Raptors with a header shot, but was blocked by Montclair goalie Anthony Rapi. Rapi would end the game with only one crucial save. Into the second overtime, tension and uncertainty grew. Two more shots were made with five minutes remaining by Red Hawk’s Sean Paul and Kevin Zalewski, yet they were no match for VanLiew.

A corner kick by the Red Hawks’ Pytler to Dan Mendez, set Montclair up for the win. With Mendez on the ball 25 yards away, he saw Corin Short just at 6 yards. Mendez served the ball to Short, who then headed it in to the right post for the win. Even in the high intensity final minutes, Montclair proved to be calm and organized which deservingly set them out on top.

The Red Hawks improve their record to 7-1-2 and remain undefeated in the NJAC, 4-0. On Tuesday night the Red Hawks traveled to Eastern Connecticut for a 7:00 p.m. game. Their next home game will be on Saturday Oct. 9 at 12:00 P.M. as they take on CCNY.

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Women’s Soccer Shuts Out Rutgers-Camden

Red Hawks hold Scarlet Raptors without a shot in victory

Last week, MSU women’s soccer get an offensively oriented 7-3 win over Rutgers-Newark. And this week, they followed with an equally impressive 1-0 shutout over Rutgers-Camden.

Montclair’s Women’s soccer team won its second consecutive game, only the time they won in a dominating defensive effort that not only saw Rutgers-Camden get shut-out in goals, but in shots as well.

“Defense is everything,” said Marise Zayak soon after her 1-0 shut-out. “I can’t stress that enough. I’m on top of my defense more than anybody.”

The lone goal of the game came at the 13 minute mark when sophomore midfielder Rachel Szovoyzna struck from 35 yards out. It would be Szovoyzna’s team leading eighth.

Though they were held scoreless the rest of the way, Montclair’s defense stood like a brickwall in front of sophomore goalkeeper Zayak. The Red Hawks did not allow Rutgers-Camden to take a single shot on goal in the game. The Scarlet Raptors also only managed a single corner.

Zayak earned her third shutout of the season without having to make a single save. It was the first time in her career that she earned the shutout without making any saves.

Zayak, a native of Jackson, N.J., went on to discuss the difficulty in playing in a game where she doesn’t get tested. “It’s a challenge to stay focused when I’m not facing any shots. I stay focused [by making] sure I am talking a lot throughout the game.”

With these back-to-back victories, the Red Hawks have quickly bounced back from a previous three game losing streak. The Red Hawks’ record now sits at 5-5-2 while Rutgers-Camden drops to 7-1-2.

The team has a tough task this upcoming Wednesday as they play host to the Kean (5-2-2) for the only time this season. The game will be under the lights at Sprague Field starting at 7 p.m. For more scores and schedules, log on to www.montclair.edu/athletics.
Hero Scores Seven as Ice Hockey Cruises

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Freshman John Hero gave a super-human performance, scoring seven of the team’s 10 goals in the Red Hawks 10-3 victory. After the second period, the Red Hawks scored six goals and should be more refreshed than either the National or American League. Though the National League’s best...
MSU Set To Battle TCNJ On Homecoming

Montclair State will host TCNJ in this year’s Homecoming Game on Saturday at 3 p.m. Advertised as the oldest college football rivalry between two New Jersey schools, the Red Hawks-Lions series started back 1929. All-time, MSU has won 48 games against the Lions, lost 27 and the teams have tied once. With 1929, the Red Hawks and Lions have used the struggling tanked TCNJ as a stepping stone towards their winning streak. Expectations will be high as an undefeated Montclair fans will be out in full force on Saturday. There’s no doubt that the Lions have that obstacle this time, coming to four; the question of whether they can follow through with a win is all that remains.


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Montclair State and TCNJ will meet in MSU’s Homecoming Game on Saturday.

Even though the 2010 statistics show a lopsided matchup, the last few matchups between these two teams have been close. TCNJ last visited MSU for homecoming in 2008, which the Red Hawks won 14-6. Last season, MSU escaped a tough battle with the Lions with a last second field goal to win the game 16-13. However, both of those meetings came in rainy and windy conditions. With the weather forecast being sunny for Saturday, the Lions won’t have that obstacle this time.

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Quarterback Tom Fischer’s two touchdown passes helped the Red Hawks to a 21-7 victory over Kean on Friday night.

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MSU's kicker Jake Delvento had good field position after a Tom Fischer to Bobby Knoppel, who scampered 35 yards on the second play of the game changing, momentum changer as MSU extended their lead to 14-0. However, it was only the first quarter, that play would be the game changer as MSU extended their lead to 14-0.

In the third quarter, the Red Hawks got a 24-yard touchdown pass from Fischer to Byron Lewis to open their lead back up to 21-7. Offensively, Fischer struggled, completing just six of 14 passes and throwing two interceptions. However, he made his completions count as he threw for 249 total yards.

Defensively, MSU enters this weekend with a perfect 4-0 record, including three wins in the NJAC. The Red Hawks won two of two teams with a perfect record in the NJAC along with Cortland State. Because of the tight race in the standings, MSU can’t afford any slip-ups. This weekend’s game is also the first of four straight on the road for the Lions. After being beat badly last week, it wouldn’t be a surprise to see TCNJ come out on Saturday with a little extra fire in their bellies.

MSU's quarterback Tom Fischer's two touchdown passes, interception return keys MSU to win.

Game on Saturday at 3 p.m.

MSU’s defense comes into Saturday with a perfect 4-0 record. The Lions have struggled so far in 2010, as they will enter Saturday’s game with just a 1-5 record. TCNJ got their only win two weeks ago as they edged out Brookdale 24-21.

The Lions are coming off a rough loss against Cortland, as the Red Dragons blew out TCNJ 37-0. Last year, MSU football defeated Kean in the last game of the regular season to win the NJAC Championship. This season, the teams played midway through the season, the Red Hawks delivered a dagger through the Cougar’s heart, defeating them 21-7 and effectively dropping them out of contention for the NJAC title.

Statistically, Kean held their own with the Red Hawks. The Cougars outrebounded MSU on offense, 249 yards to 242. Kean also had one more first down than the Red Hawks and was able to keep the MSU offense quiet for most of the second half. However, when it came to game changing, momentum plays, the Red Hawks came up big, similar to the way they did the some in last year’s conference championship.

MSU took an early 7-0 lead off of a Tom Fischer to Bobby Roessing touchdown pass. Later in the first quarter, the Cougars had good field position after MSU kicker Jake Delventis missed a 45-yard field goal. However, on the second play of the drive, Cougar quarterback Tom D’Ambrosi was picked off by Red Hawk cornerback Gary Kneppel, who scooped 35 yards for a touchdown. Though it was only the first quarter, that play would be the game changer as MSU extended their lead to 14-0.

The Red Hawk defense was able to hold the Cougars at bay for most of the final three quarters. Even though the Cougars were under a larger offensive game struggle to get going. However, when it came to half.

Field Hockey Beats Ramapo

MSU Field Hockey beat Ramapo Tuesday night with a little extra surprise to see TCNJ come out badly last week, it wouldn’t be a battle with the Lions with a little extra fire in their bellies.


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Field again to play Buffalo State they will be back at Sprague Field at 3 p.m. The following Saturday, the Red Hawks will head on home for games two the next two weeks. They will host TCNJ for Homecoming on Saturday at 3 p.m. The following Saturday, the Red Hawks will head on home for games two the next two weeks. They will host TCNJ for Homecoming on Saturday at 3 p.m. The following Saturday, the Red Hawks will head on home for games two the next two weeks. They will host TCNJ for Homecoming on Saturday at 3 p.m.

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There’s no doubt that the fans will be out in full force on Saturday to cheer on their Red Hawks. Expectations will be high as an undefeated Montclair State football team takes the field. They will be heavy favorites to extend their winning streak on homecoming to four; the question of whether they can follow through with a win is all that remains.