After nearly a year of campus-wide construction, and with the end in sight, all campus renovations have been stopped to begin a process called “reverse construction.”

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This came as a surprise to the many students who had to trudge through dirty patches of sidewalk and roads to get to their classes. A source close to Pennington said MSU President Susan Filomano was informed of the decision “immediately” after the announcement.

“While I am happy to see the students of MSU continue to be engaged and involved in issues such as those that effect student organizations, it is important to note that this decision was made by the university administration.”

Ethan T. Fria
News Editor

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On March 18
Lindsey Rasemann, 22, of Brick, was arrested for stealing cats from the Animal Hospital on Valley Road. She is scheduled to appear in Little Falls Municipal Court. (building #36)

On March 19
The Edison Township City Council Board met to discuss a resolution supporting studies done to support this idea. The study concluded that teenage pregnancy dropped significantly after the age of 20. There have also been many supporting studies done to support this idea. The study concluded that teenage pregnancy ends after 20 years of age.

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Anyone who has information regarding these incidents is urged to call the police station from any campus phone at T-I-P-S (8477). All calls are strictly confidential.
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In the last issue of the Montclarion Mark Ludas was misquoted. His name is actually Marc Ludaris.

The Montclarion will correct its factual errors. If you think there is a mistake in a story, please call Editor-in-Chief Lori at ext. 5230.
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political career: with courage
and boundless audacity.

Spiegel immediately knew that Cole would be a
great fit for this role and had no
trouble getting her on board with the movie. MSU
was the chosen college be-
cause Spiegel had a feeling the staff and student body
would not be the least bit
suspicious, hoping they’d re-
main gullible and oblivious.
Cole found all of us, in-
cluding Dr. Pennington, who
tsaid, “Cole played the part so
well that I never would have guessed she wasn’t the real
President! She deserves a life-size
statue for that performance!”

The Academy of Motion
Pictures, Arts and Sciences
is recognizing Cole with not
only an Oscar for her perfor-
mance, but also a life-size
golden statue of herself that
will be on display on campus
within the week.

The statue, made out of 18
carat gold and diamonds, will
be placed inbetween Univer-
sity Hall and Dickson Hall. It is
expected to be finished by the
end of the spring semester.

Cole says, “I was so happy
to get the chance to work on
this movie, and honored to
have the statue built. I sure
hope everyone will be excited
to see it on campus!”

The Montclair State
University Administration has
recently been informed
that ‘!” is our contribution to
the English language, similar
to how Shakespeare invented the
word “beardmen” and the way
that “thous” has changed to
to “you.” Language is always
changing, and we want to
contribute to that.”

This is a monumental
move for the English lan-
guage. President Obama has
yet to comment on the addi-
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mitee for Organized Words
(COW) announced that
the English language is officially
adding a 27th letter to the
dictionary.

This change was in re-
sponse to 2,546 petitions
submitted to the committee,
asking the stagnation of the
English language as the rea-
sion.

The petitioners held a rally in February prelun-
ing their intentions. 10,000 people attended the rally,
and riot police had to be called after petitioners began
assaulting police with giant cutout letters.

The unorthodox letter is ”!”
Not quite a letter, critics
have claimed, but it was the
only formulaed combination
of symbols that modern key-
boards would allow.

Petitioners claimed that
”!” represents a sound that
can not be equated with any
one letter of the current
alphabet.

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Minaj enjoyed spending her rare time eating at the Red Hawk Diner.

This is Minaj's work. This is the perfect opportunity to make the campus

feel like summertime all the time.

Students interested in traveling this way from class to class can register with the university to receive grow credits needed for graduation by utilizing the river system. Pulling up the pipes that were laid for the BCBC plant wide location for the lazy river. The river culminates in a wave pool located across from the NJ Transit Depot. The Village. A slide from the third floor of the Duck provides speedy entrance to the river.

After the initial installation around the main campus sources say the lazy river could eventually replace shuttles in transporting students from residence halls to class. A fee of $45 will be charged to all students' accounts and parking lots to classes. A ticketing system is being developed with alternate transportation cuts down on time.

The Montclairian staff thanks the student body for their patronage to the paper since it has been 80 years since it has had the correct. Editions of the paper will no longer be printed.

Taylor also leaves these words of wisdom for those aspiring copy editors and those who want to start a new venture without making a mistake.
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Women’s Fashion

Denise Potter
Staff Writer

Sure, the newest runway fashion is great and all, and you swore you’d practically give your first born child up for a pair of Louboutins, but if you want to know what’s really trending this month, look around your campus. It’s there that you will find an indefinite supply of the hottest fashion for spring.

The weather will be warming up in a matter of weeks and you’ve got to assimilate to this ASAP. But the cool spring temperatures by no means guarantee flip-flop-friendly temperatures. So, do vintage right.

Thus, I give you the most stylish solution: cut-off shorts and Uggs. This combination is classic, but if you dare to break from the norm, you’ll be looking sprightlier than ever, breezing your long, lovely legs. Rocking your favorite terry footwear will literally never feel better as you prove you’re eternally between seasons. No chills!

But hey, for some of us, jean shorts just aren’t it. Front pockets, back pockets, that confusing zipper and button combo in the front, it can get to be an inconvenience all too quickly. So, designed with you in mind, is the trusty yoga pant.

No buttoning, zipping or even stretching to fit into, the yoga pant will be both a comfortable and classey look. You can pair them with running shoes when you’re ready to get your sweat session on or simply pair them with boots to send your class feeling like the it-girl of the century, or at least the last five years. Now, that’s how you do vintage right.

Men’s Fashion

Jonathan Michael Molina
Art & Ans Editor

“Lookin’ like a fool wit’ che pants on the ground!” Lately did they know, saggy pants have become the hottest trend along with basketball shorts, flip-flops and hi-top sneakers this spring. This recent male renaissance came to fruition during the winter, so men across the country banded together and demanded that they be allowed in public straight out of bed to the red carpet, free of judgment. Now, designers such as Armani, Gucci and Thom Browne have been hastily designing extremely overpriced jeans and shorts that have their branding as the only defining characteristic.

These skinny jeans highlight the perfect amount of male butt while maintaining the modesty that has eluded them before. The draping fabric also covers the male silhouette into the perfect indistinguishable blob that has defined spring 2013. Complimenting these groundbreaking designs are long, swothy velour shorts that aren’t quite short but aren’t too long. These shorts are this era’s “man-pris,” allowing modesty, because God forbid if anything above the knees is shown.

To compliment these two staple pieces, men should look into flip-flops and hi-top Nike sneakers with colors that are so bright that the late Ray Charles would have put on a second pair of sunglasses. Flip-flops with large gaudy labels are in high demand as well as the 6000th reissue of Air Jordans with soles made out of mini-mini-squares. Highlighted brands for this season are Ed Hardy, Afliction and Topman. The era of slim-fit pants, oxfort collar shirts and wingtip shoes are swiftly coming to an end. If any of you guys want to keep up with the times, now is the time.
Emoticons on Resumés
Tricks to Make Your Resumé Stand Out

With constant battling in the competitive job market, it’s more important now than ever to stay on top of building the perfect resumé. Now, it’s easier than ever to connect with potential employers by sending electronic resumés or personal website links via e-mail.

There’s a lot that goes into building an online resumé. There seems to be a lot of confusion as to what is appropriate to include and what is not. Should it be colorful? Should a personal photo be included?

Now, the most recently approved addition to the electronic resumé is the insertion of appropriate emoticons, that’s right, those little personality-packed smiley faces.

While it may not be appropriate to include emoticons on a resumé when applying for a finance job, emoticons are being used prominently in resumés sent out to jobs relating to the fields of human resources, psychology, art, graphic design, broadcasting, journalism and teaching. Emoticons are not for everyone and they are not to be used irresponsibly. When emoticons are used properly and executed with creative taste, it is actually a preferred method of resumé writing.

If you’re ready to explore this new trend of inserting emoticons into your professional electronic resumé, please visit our Career Service Center on campus.

Inappropriate use:
Montclair State University Psychology
Prospective graduation: May 2013

Inserting a graduation emoticon is absolutely inappropriate. The potential employer already has a mental picture of graduation, so there is no need to add an unnecessary emoticon here. Adding excessive and unneeded emoticons which do not display or further enhance your personality can not only be ineffective, but can also backfire.

Appropriate use:
Skills: Telemarketing, communication, marketing, public relations

This works well, because before the potential employer even reads what section of the resumé you are presenting, you are already creating a picture that can be associated with telephones and communication, which are the bulk of your skills. This says a lot more than just an emoticon with a smiley face. An artist, for example, would include the emoticon with a color palette over their listing of artistic skills. Make sense?

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Jessica Czarnogursky

Any student on campus knows Steve Johnson as the kind-faced professor with an extensive background in media and journalism.

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As the tour progressed, Daltrey took a liking to Johnson and integrated him into the lineup. Though the Georgia boy may have looked slightly out of place with the British redhead, his vocals blended perfectly with Daltrey’s, and their music always played well when recalled how absurd it seemed at the time. Johnson said of Daltrey’s household name in no time. Johnson had no problem escaping the responsibility to Johnson’s studies and to his vision for the remainder of their tour in Europe. A man dedicated to his studies and to his vision for the growth of the media, Johnson declined the offer with heavy heart.

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High Fructose Corn Syrup
Health-Benefits You Were Never Told

Aless Fissinger
Staff Writer

Despite all of the negative press surrounding high fructose corn syrup (HFCS), the truth is that this sweetening agent is simply composed of the naturally sweet juices that are inside a kernel of corn. You may have seen one of those oh-so-pleasant commercials of mothers at a children’s party or the boyfriend and girlfriend sharing a snack. In each instance, one of the actors is proclaiming their enjoyment of foods with high-fructose corn syrup because it makes things taste good, it is natural, and it provides the same nutritional content as sugar.

Well folks, you heard it from the best source available: Everyone knows that you cannot put anything on the television that is not true. Just in case you are still not convinced, here are some reasons why this controversial ingredient is actually an important part of a happy and healthy lifestyle.

The benefits are obvious by just looking at the name. High fructose corn syrup actually comes right from corn, a vegetable, making it healthier than any other type of sweetener in the country.

While the term “sugar” is often associated with health consequences like diabetes and obesity, high fructose corn syrup actually acts to fight diabetes.

Since it is derived from a vegetable, this product is an excellent source of fiber, which studies have shown assists in weight management and decreases the risk for diabetes, cardiovascular disease and high blood pressure. Therefore, the benefits of HFCS even exceed those claimed by the “all natural, non-sugar sweetener” like Truvia.

Fructose is just a fancy word that literally breaks down to “fruit sugar,” which is a good thing when you compare it to all other forms of sugar like table sugar, white sugar or brown sugar.

For more, turn to page 12.

In fact, your children may already be brushing their teeth with high fructose corn syrup. Many brands of toothpaste list high fructose corn syrup as an ingredient, especially in children’s toothpastes, as there must be a good reason for it.

Forget boring mint toothpaste.

Safety First

Many worry about the safety of high fructose corn syrup and doubt whether the sweetener has a place in an all-natural diet.

The good news is that the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has very strict and specific standards when it comes to defining the word “natural” and high fructose corn syrup has made the cut. In addition to being a natural product, high fructose corn syrup has also been given the FDA’s stamp of approval for safety, so it is termed “Generally Recognized As Safe” (GRAS).

Increases Dental Health

When mothers hear the word sugar, they not only think of obesity and diabetes, but they also think of cavities! Luckily, high fructose corn syrup is the sweet exception to this negative stereotype. During the swelling of the corn kernel to produce HFCS, the cavity-forming compounds are destroyed, making this a miracle sweetener.

Don’t fall into the Truvia trap.

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Master of Dis-Guys
Hidden Treasures in Blanton Food Court

Lindsay Rassmann
Managing Editor

Appetizers

Mozzie Ding Dongs
$11.77
Tired of the same old mozzarella sticks? Try Guy's Ding Dongs and experience an eight-blend cheese curd deep-fried in used motor oil and served with mysterious red dipping sauce.

Gotta Have It All Platter
$20.86
No need for entrée if you're getting this deluxe appetizer portioned for one incredibly hungry superhuman. Platter comes with Mozzie Ding Dongs, sky-high nachos, a leaning tower of onion rings and Smokin' Flappers served with all condiments conveniently emulsified into one liquid.

Bro-B-Que Chicken & Pork Flapper
$35.89
Ain't no thang like a chicken wang and a side of pork. Served with whatever else you want. Just add $15.

Entrées

Wham Slam Thank You Ma'am
$20.98
Boy, is this a big one! Served lukewarm and seasoned to Guy's taste, this will have you wondering what you just ate. Served with fried mayonnaise and pickled mustard. Free side salads are only $5.

Carp-e Diem
$19.08
A 48 oz. carp marinated in skunked natural "Natty" ice, strained through a hair net and deep-fried fat until it begs to be taken out. Served with deep-fried vegetables and a deep-fried beverage.

Big Ole Flappin' Barrel Surprise
$32.45
We take 12 oz. of anything we can find in our freshly prepared freezer and cook whatever it is in bacon fat. Garnished with a dozen strips of bacon and freshly-made bacon glaze.

PB&J&C
$13.33
A peanut butter-and-jelly sandwich remix! Take this classic sandwich, add grilled cheese and voila! Served with chips, pickles and a picture of Guy Fieri stapled on top. Eat this and reminisce about your childhood while watching Hey Arnold! and Catdog. Skip class and play Crash Bandicoot while you're at it.

Dessert

Gee-wiz Cheesecake
$85
This hearty dessert features a tasty blend of cheese wiz and American cheese, baked in the largest pan we can find. (Served as three slices.)

Choc-a-lot
$45
Chocolate chips, brownie, Hershey's syrup, M&Ms and blended chocolate doughnut, all in a chocolate waffle cone with chocolate ice cream and chocolate sprinkles.
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Aries March 21 - April 19
You find your weekly routine to be repetitive and frustrating. This week, though, you will encounter something new and unexpected that will break you out of this monotonous cycle.

Taurus April 20 - May 20
You will notice that you have more free time than usual. However, just because you do not tend to be as busy this week, doesn’t mean that it’s time to lie around on the couch. Use your free time wisely to have fun and get things done.

Gemini May 21 - June 20
Before you become angry and yell at someone you believe is upset with you, put yourself in their shoes, as you may discover that this “crisis” isn’t such a big deal after all.

Cancer June 21 - July 22
You are officially overworked, but congrats because you have officially earned yourself some time to rest. Take a short break from your busy life to get your energy back. Once you do, you will feel better than ever!

Leo July 23 - August 22
Yelling and fighting with your close ones is never the best way to get what you want. Speak in a calm and mature manner to get your point across.

Virgo August 23 - September 22
Lately, people have been taking advantage of your goodwill. It is time to put your foot down and think about your own needs rather than the ones of others.

Libra September 23 - October 22
You are going to wish that this week would never end, for it seems to be full of positive and fun energy. Enjoy it to the max!

Scorpio October 23 - November 21
You will have a lot of fun and a great time in general this week. Before getting too comfortable though, set some time aside to get your work and priorities done. Having fun does not mean slackin’ off.

Sagittarius November 22 - December 21
This is one of those lazy weeks where you feel like staying in and doing things for yourself. Although you normally enjoy going out and seeing others, you will feel more laid-back this week.

Capricorn December 22 - January 19
Even though certain deadlines for assignments seem far away, they are really not. Problems always emerge when you wait until the last minute to get things done.

Aquarius January 20 - February 18
You will be receiving a positive answer regarding something that you have suspected to be true for quite some time. It will be pretty intense, so prepare yourself. Just remember to always remain calm and not make a scene.

Pisces February 19 - March 20
This is an unlucky week when it comes to friendship. Perhaps you won’t be able to keep these plans you’ve made or maybe you’ve just gotten into a fight with a friend. Whatever the case may be, be cautious when informing friends about anything that you don’t feel comfortable with.

ACROSS
3. Best Beer
5. Who made this?
6. Our favorite food
8. Where babies come from
10. Ad on the side of my screen
12. American currency
13. Number of letters in Montclarion
14. The best animal!

DOWN
1. What all the cool kids do
2. Editor-in-chief’s last name
4. The last letter of the alphabet
7. Legal drinking age
9. It’s raining
11. President of Montclair
Opinion
Constructive Cynicism

What do you think about printers?

John Graham
Junior
Music Therapy
I think printers are useful. We use them every day for long things in school, for printing pictures, articles, things to read, things to look at. You can print flyers for if you’re working in a band. You can print papers for handing out something in school. They’re a limitless thing that you can use.

Clay Green
Freshman
Theater/Biochemistry
I don’t like how [in my] freshman year there was no money limit. Because we pay for tuition, shouldn’t that pay part of the package? It does help practicing to be more environmentally friendly, printing front to back.

Carolyn Mathieu
Junior
Chemistry
I think people keep printing and printing a whole bunch of things rather than wait for their documents, which is ridiculous. There should be some kind of tab after you print something two or three times to stop it. What are people’s things can be printed out. I do also believe that there are some documents that need to be in color, so there should be some color printers.

Kathryn Schamber
Junior
Mathematics
Printers can be the worst things possible when they decide not to work at the last minute. However printers can ruin your life when you’re trying to study for a quiz or a test.

Dann Truitt
Senior
English Education
I think printers are go great! I love them. I use them every day.

Drew Stevens
Senior
Business Administration
I have mixed feelings about printers because I believe that they’re not really eco-friendly and that we should be switching to a paperless society, but, I still have an affinity for holding a book in my hand and having a printed piece of paper to read from.

Thumbs Up

Parking Services
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CarParc Diem
Account Holds
Sunday Classes

Thumbs Down

Blanton
Graduating on Time
Spring
Battling Illiteracy: The Frontier To Utopia
An important message from Suzan Coal

Suzan Coal believes that the most important message from the future is that there is no better setting for the teaching of illiteracy than a school in space. Her project, called “The Space Classroom,” aims to revolutionize education by using the unique environment of space to enhance learning outcomes.

Coal’s vision includes the construction of a space station specifically designed for educational purposes. The station would house a variety of classrooms, each equipped with advanced technology to facilitate learning in subjects ranging from mathematics and science to literature and the arts. Students would live and learn in space, gaining a new perspective on knowledge and fostering a sense of curiosity and discovery.

Coal argues that traditional methods of teaching are outdated and ineffective in preparing students for the challenges of the 21st century. By contrast, the space classroom would provide a unique and compelling context for learning, where students would be encouraged to think creatively and critically.

“This is not just a matter of improving literacy rates,” Coal explains. “It is about creating a new generation of problem solvers who are equipped to tackle the complex challenges of our time.”

The space classroom would not replace traditional schools, but rather complement them, offering an additional platform for education that is both innovative and effective. By leveraging the unique environment of space, Coal believes that we can unlock the full potential of every student, empowering them to become leaders in their fields and contribute to the betterment of society.

Coal’s vision is not without its critics, who argue that the costs and technological challenges of space education are prohibitive. However, Coal remains undeterred, insisting that the benefits of space education far outweigh its challenges.

“Education is not just about imparting knowledge,” she concludes. “It is about empowering students to think for themselves, to question, to explore, and to create. The space classroom offers a unique opportunity to do just that.”

For more information on Suzan Coal’s space classroom project, visit www.spaceclassroom.org.

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Paul Revere was an important figure in U.S. history. He was the warning system for the American colonies during the Revolutionary War. Revere is known for his midnight ride to alert the American soldiers to the approach of the British. He is considered a hero of the American Revolution and is celebrated in our country.

Another line that really captures the essence of the song is “I got the swag and it’s pumping out my ovaries.” This line perfectly describes the feeling of confidence and empowerment that the song delivers. It’s a strong and powerful line that embodies the artist’s message of female empowerment.

The song has a timeless feel to it, which is why it has remained popular for over 100 years. It’s a song that continues to resonate with people today, and it’s a testament to the power of music in conveying important messages.

Another important aspect of the song is its message of resistance and rebellion. The lyrics are a call to arms for those who feel mistreated and underappreciated. It’s a song that empowers people to stand up for themselves and fight for their rights.

In conclusion, “Paul Revere” is a song that has stood the test of time. It’s a powerful and inspiring piece of music that continues to resonate with people today. Whether you’re a fan of rock music or a fan of history, this song is worth listening to and learning about.

As a music lover, I was pleased to have the opportunity to explore this classic song. It’s a great reminder of the power of music to inspire and uplift us all.

Music Makes The World Go Round
My taste in music is better than yours

"On my own time, I try at the time. In this institution. In He Man"

Music By Alesha Dixon
Alesha Dixon is an English singer, songwriter and dancer who rose to prominence in the early 2000s with her debut album, "A Little Thing Called Me." She has since released several successful albums and singles, and her music is characterized by its catchy melodies and upbeat rhythms.

The song "On My Own Time" is from her album "A Little Thing Called Me," which was released in 2013. The song is a dance-pop track that features Alesha Dixon's signature vocals and a catchy beat.

The lyrics of the song are about living life on your own terms. "On My Own Time" is a celebration of individuality and self-expression. Alesha Dixon encourages listeners to follow their dreams and stay true to themselves.

The song's melody and rhythm are infectious, and it's easy to get lost in the music. The chorus, "On my own time, I try at the time. In this institution. In He Man," is a playful nod to the character He-Man from the 1980s children's television show "Masters of the Universe.

Music makes the world go round. It has the power to transport us to different places and emotions. "On My Own Time" is a reminder that we can do anything we set our mind to, as long as we stay true to ourselves and follow our dreams.

Monika Bujas, a Communication major, says, "Music is a powerful tool that can unite people and inspire change. It’s a way to express ourselves and connect with others in a meaningful way. "On My Own Time" is a great example of how music can empower us to be our best selves and to chase our dreams without fear.

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Monika Bujas is the 2013-2014 Opinion Editor for The Montclarion.
Guys! It’s Friday!

Nicole Duque
Staff Writer

Known best for her award-winning vocal talent, Rebecca Black gained attention through her hit song “Friday,” which, by the end of March 2011, received over 62 million hits on YouTube. Blasted on the radio, in arenas during major sporting events and praised globally for the song’s intense, complex lyrics, “Friday” was Black’s golden ticket to stardom. For first-timers, the only highly recommended track is “Friday,” although if you haven’t heard it by now, it’s quite a shame. You’re seriously missing out on one of the best. In 2010, the young, humble teenager of Irvine, California, was introduced to ARK Music Factory, an influx and well-reputable Los Angeles label through a music video client. Realizing that Black had a talent that could surpass any other, the label didn’t charge her any fees and welcomed her to come back to produce more singles whenever the teen felt like it.

The music video was uploaded to YouTube on Feb. 10, 2011 and received about 1,000 views during the first month. The video went viral on March 11, with millions of views in a matter of days. With nearly no thumbs down or negative comments, Black was invited and appeared on The Tonight Show with Jay Leno on March 22, 2011, during which she performed her song and responded to the amazingly positive feedback. At the show, the audience could sit down. Everyone was cheering and singing along, backing in the legend’s voice. Jay Leno himself observed that he never had such a genuinely talented musician on his show before. Later that year, MTV selected Black to host the “Music Video Awards Fan Army Part” in April, the channel’s first online awards show.

Pop singer such as Katy Perry took particular interest in Black and asked her to participate in her music video for “Last Friday Night (T.G.I.F.)” as a homage to “Friday.” Katy Perry stated in an interview with MTV that the music video wouldn’t be complete without Black’s presence because Black was her new inspiration. As a part of her “Dream Tour,” Perry routinely performed “Last Friday Night” and even brought Rebecca with her on tour to sing a duet.

Black even caught the attention of pop sensation Justin Bieber, as he stated in a press conference that he would love to work with Black to produce a duet. Flattered, Black accepted because her style was just beyond Bieber’s track. Starting her own label, RB Records, Black released a self-produced single, “My Moment,” depicting the differences between her life before and after her fame. Her worldwide fans were overwhelmed with joy, causing the video to reach millions of views, landing her new single on top charts internationally.

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MUSIC recording, finally famous

Kelly McGarvey

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For a Rap Duo Attack

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Although the Academy Awards have passed us by last month, rumors are already swirling about next year’s nominations. Granted, there is always speculation around the fantastic pictures and dedicated actors but there is overwhelming support surrounding one multifaceted team. The cast of Jersey Shore goes to undeniable lengths to provide authenticity to their roles portraying trashy guidos and guidettes on this reality show. Here, their efforts have not gone unnoticed. Their fan following is cult-ish: those who tune in week after week are made speechless by the raw emotion oozing from what some would call, “tanned babes.”

The Academy Awards are typically a celebration of movies. However, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences has altered the rules starting in 2014. Councilmember Joe Schmo says, “This has been the topic of controversy for quite some time, yet we have felt that some shows are more deserving than an Emmy Award. They deserve more prestige.”

There will always be mixed feelings about who deserves what, and this nomination will be no different.

Many are upset that the Academy Awards have decided to allow television shows to be a part of the ceremony, especially when they already have one all their own. The controversy peaked when the public learned of the reason this change was being made: Jersey Shore. "Jersey Shore? Really? Okay, now I know it’s the end of the world,” says Academy Awards fan Stephanie Lopez. Plenty others share her sentiment threatening that if the Academy Awards continues this disrespect, they will lose millions of viewers from tuning in next year.

Yet, there are those who are delighted to see their favorite stars finally being honored for this show, despite book deals, spin off shows, clothing lines and endorsements. The Jersey Shore is finally getting the respect that they deserve and will begin to be taken seriously as an art form. Loyal fan Danielle Johnson says, “They work so hard for everything they have achieved. The haters are just jealous. ‘GTL’ for life.”

Others think the controversy is too extreme. “Honestly, I don’t see the big deal,” says Mike Fern, a self-proclaimed fan of the show. “They’re just having fun, and if you don’t like them, don’t watch the show.”

But some moments from Jersey Shore cannot be denied. It took sheer courage when Mike “The Situation” Sorrentino slammed his head into a wall to scare off his opponent Ronnie back in season four. In season three, Nicole “Snooki” Polizzi was arrested for public intoxication in the middle of the day. She took her role to the next level, invoking the emotion of viewers across the country and internationally. Whatever you love or hate the cast of Jersey Shore, you cannot argue the fact that they are pure entertainment, down to the bar fights, drunk-en escapades and idiotic banter. Whether you think they deserve an Oscar or a stint in boot camp to clean up their act, either way, they’ve got your attention.

We will just have to stay tuned in and see if the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences will keep their mentality and lose faithful fans or if they are committing the greatest pop culture prank of all time. The Jersey Shore cast is infamous and will remain so even if the Academy Awards retract their statement, allowing the cast to be considered. Only time will tell.
You Don’t Know Jack

Jack the current mascot for the New Jersey Jackals, bent out still competition from the likes of Fireman Ed, a giant bisscut and one of the greese from the MSU campus.

The Red Hawks celebrating one of their many “wins” from the 2012-2013 season. Montclair State University now awaits what will become the Montclair State Jackals!

Believe it or not, the women’s basketball team is not as perfect as we were driven to believe they are. After extensive research, the NCAA has come up with evidences that Montclair State University cheated in every single one of their games during the 2012-2013 season.

What began as a simple experiment turned into a slippery slope of scientific discovery and deception that would make Space Jam look plausible.

The team was feeling relatively down before their first game but, just as Bill Murray walked onto the court in glorious fashion, green smoke filled the locker room and the Red Hawks were playing and did not see the NCAA was to provide the team to achieve the same result with the help of the team.

To test their strength, they were asked to jump and do tricks on a trampoline. To test their strength, they were asked to jump and do tricks on a trampoline. To test their strength, they were asked to jump and do tricks on a trampoline. To test their strength, they were asked to jump and do tricks on a trampoline.

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Finally, after weeks of practice and a little luck, the Red Hawks were playing and did not see the NCAA was to provide the team to achieve the same result with the help of the team.

In that moment, the team quickly gathered their shoes in a circle as Tobie went around spreading the goo on the ground and turned it into a manic pageant of the British noble apple jolly on toast. "We weren't sure if it would work but we figured we'd give it a shot," said Tobie. "We never did expect to get us carried away as we did."

"Technically, we didn't break any NCAA rules," said coach Karin Harvey. "Nowhere in the rule book does it say that the laws of science is illegal."

Despite having genuine talent and the potential to achieve the same results with their own will and strength, the Red Hawks became comfortable with the way they were playing and did not see what was coming from a mile away.

Once in the national spotlight, the Red Hawks knew they had to be extra careful, which they were. Unfortunately, they were not aware that the NCAA was to provide uniforms and equipment for all the teams after the second round.

After giving it everything they had, the Red Hawks inevitably fell to the Captains of Christopher Newport by a final score of 85-70. The school still swears the NCAA’s decision on if and how the school will be punished for the events due to the fact that they were extreme circumstances.
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NCAA Announces New Sport

Mike Panepinto

The Montclair State University softball team has just received news from the NCAA that it will be added to the list of scholarships in the fall of 2014. This is the first official NCAA cornhole hole. Above are the dimensions and parameters needed to make an official NCAA cornhole hole.

Cornhole originated in Kansas when an Amish settlement had corn on a man's ability to throw a rock into a hole.

Womens Baseball Hit Hard by Controversy

Rich Efrus

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A dirty base, symbolizing the no-longer-spoiled reputation of Montclair State Softball. It must be true when they say that the bigger they are, the harder they fall.

There are no baseball fields in the high altitude where the team could train. All of the state for each player on the team have been wiped clean as well, since all of the wins were revoked and are being counted as invalid. This scandal puts a lot of unwanted attention on Montclair State University and its athletic department. The softball team is still under investigation by the NCAA, and will be for the next few years. This is to make sure the team and program are not doing anything wrong, from recruiting to offseason training and even during games. The last three seasons have been wiped clean and it is as if the Red Hawks never even played a game. For the players and coaches, this is a devastating blow for all their hard work and time they put into the last three seasons to make the program and team better.

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Womens Kickball vs. The Rockettes
March 30, 3:30 p.m.
MSU will open up its season with the long-awaited exhibition match against last year’s World Kickball Champions.

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Montclair: A Knight’s Tail

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When I say “Montclair State University,” what comes to mind? Is it the gorgeous Susan Cole? The historic parking? Our glorious mascot, the Red Hawk? If none of those come to mind, you clearly have not experienced the fundamental basics of our fine university’s heart and soul.

I’m not talking about the Red Hawk Dinettes, the Rathskeller or the secret clubhouse behind the amphitheater. I’m talking about the Monty Hawkins.

“Isn’t Nick, who is that?” Well, I’ll tell you right after I ask a question of my own. How do you not know of Monty Hawkins, MSU’s number-one super fan?

I am here, today, to share with you the tale of Monty Hawkins, the man behind not only the Red Hawk, but also the school’s motto of “Carpe Diem.”

Monty Hawkins was born Sir Isaac Montresor Montclair, older brother to Foo Fighters drummer Taylor Hawkins. Yes, he was born a knight.

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There is no denying he is Montclair State University’s most recognizable fan. He is a silent guardian, a watchful protector and the fan it needs. He is a silent knight, a superior being to lead this school to greatness.

Hawkins and the red-hot flare eminated from him when he first came to MSU’s campus. Since 1989, Hawk-sports has attended every single MSU sporting event. How? Nobody knows. What we do know is that he has never been to a losing game and, when he is not in attendance, MSU sports teams have a 42 percent win rate.

Some believe he is a higher being, while others believe he is more of a Minnie Pearl-type character.

More interesting than the most interesting man alive and more mysterious than Big Foot and the Loch Ness Monster combined, he isn’t the fan this school deserves, but the fan it needs. He is a silent guardian, a watchful protector, a red knight.

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On that day, Hawkins changed his name to Monty and vowed that he would rule Montclair State and make them the collegiate equivalent of the Mongol Empire, with him being their Genghis Khan.

The next day, he stormed into Susan Cole’s office, demanded a high five from Cole immediately declared that the school’s new mascot would be the Red Hawk in honor of Hawkins and the red-hot flares that emanated from him when he told Cole to “seat the day.”

The meeting also became MSU’s motto to act as a constant reminder to students that Montclair State will continue to grow to new heights.

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