Bells on a Hill: MSU Hosts Wedding

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On Oct. 26, the Universi- ty Director of Web Services, Cindy Meneghin, after 40 years, was finally able to legal- ly wed her partner Men- coen Killian as Montclair State hosted its first same- sex marriage.

N.J. became the 14th state to legalize same-sex marriage.

Happy celebration host- ed hundreds of guests, all of whom were personally wel- comed like family by Men- coen Killian-Meneghin and Cindy Killian-Meneghin and their children at the door of the seventh floor University Hall ballroom.

The wedding party soon made their way to a stable on a stage at the back of the ballroom, where a rain- bow flag was gently draped with pride. Cindy Killian- Meneghin and Maureen Killian-Meneghin joyfully welcomed their friends, family and colleagues as the ceremony began.

“How many people are able to say they are as loved by their colleagues and co- workers?” Cindy Killian-Me- neghin asked as she opened the night. “To stand with you over this many years has been an honor.”

While they have been to- gether for 40 years now, they have been at the forefront of fighting for gay marriage in New Jersey for over 11 years.

The Killian-Meneghins were one of six same-sex couples involved in the law- suit against the state, which eventually led to the legal- ization of marriage equality in New Jersey on Oct. 21.

“We’ve been fighting for civil gay marriage in New Jersey for over 11 years and, over the course of that time, we’ve had successes and setbacks. It’s almost sur- real for it to finally be happen- ing,” explains their son, Josh Killian-Meneghin, who is a junior here at Mont- clar State University. “We are very lucky to be able to do this and that our community has given us nothing but sup- port along the journey.”

Siblings Josh and Sarah Killian-Meneghin have been alongside their mothers for their whole lives, supporting and fighting for equality.

They proudly stood with their parents the night of the wedding as two of the wit- nesses of the union. “Their Sandy continued on Page 4.

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On Oct. 21
Student Brian Burke, 19, of Pennsauken, N.J., was arrested and charged with possession of marijuana while in Gibbon Hall. Burke is scheduled to appear in Little Falls Municipal Court. (building #58)

On Oct. 9
A student reported that her credit card was stolen and used on campus. This case is under investigation.

On Oct. 23
A Standard Parking employee reported damage to the entrance gates of the New Jersey Transit parking deck. This case is under investigation. (building #58)

On Oct. 10
A non-student Tyana Lyons-Holiday, 21, of Newark, N.J., was arrested and charged with simple assault for her involvement in a physical altercation with a student inside of Fenwick Hall. Lyons-Holiday is scheduled to appear in Little Falls Municipal Court. (building #58)

On Oct. 12
A student reported that money was taken from their wallet while in Hawk Crossings. This case is under investigation. (building #52)

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On Oct. 6
A student reported that a video game console and its game and peripherals were stolen from an unsecured room in Basie Hall. This case is under investigation. (building #52)

On Oct. 5
A student reported a stolen laptop from the first floor lounge in Gibson Hall. This case is under investigation. (building #58)

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Sexual Harassment in the Workplace

How one woman navigated the political minefield in Pakistan

Dr. Fouzia Saeed, author of Working With Sharks: A Pakistani Woman’s Story of Sexual Harassment, details her struggle to bring the issue of sexual harassment into the public sphere.

According to Pakistan’s 2006 International Labour Organization surveys, 38.8% of women in Pakistan’s formal sector had experienced sexual harassment. Dr. Saeed, who worked as an international civil servant, was one of those women.

When she left Pakistan and moved to the United States, she found that what she had experienced in Pakistan was not unique to Saeed.

Saeed explained the myths that had engulfed the issue, such as “who eats the woman’s goods?” “good women always say yes;” “no woman’s fault;” “good in men’s nature;” “yes it’s in men’s nature;” and “no means yes;” or “it’s in men’s nature,” abound in common thought across the world and especially in Pakistan.

But the laws on the books did not necessarily reflect the views of the Pakistani government.

Pakistan’s 1986 Anti-Discrimination Act contained a clause that protected men against harassment but not women.

The Sexual Harassment (Prevention and Protection) Act, passed in 2004, was the first time that the Pakistani government had legislated to protect women from harassment.

These laws were not enough for Saeed.

She was not satisfied with the laws on the books but was determined to make them work.

Saeed bulldozed her way into the government while forming the network An Alarming Alliance Against Sexual Harassment (AASHA) that worked for 10 years to bring her bills to the floor.

“I learned it was a mandate of my profession,” Saeed said. “I was to learn to deal with it. Those were the concepts with which I grew up,” Saeed said.

Saeed bulldozed her way into the government while forming the network An Alarming Alliance Against Sexual Harassment (AASHA) that worked for 10 years in order to get laws passed in the government that would make legislators, employers and employees aware and sensitive to the issue of sexual harassment.

At first, the government was resistant to approaches from Saeed and AASHA, claiming that the term “sexual harassment” was inappropriate.

Saeed expressed the importance of being able to adapt, saying, “You have to change your tactics and think differently with every man,” Saeed said.

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“The two bills that were passed in 1986 to address those types of concerns,” Saeed said, “had been red- ”
**Halloween**

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the idea of the modern Hal- loween celebration can be traced back to the Festival of Samhain. Origin- ated in the pre-Christian Celts, the festival was initially created by the Celts to remember their dead ancestors each year on their four “high” sabbats.

With the setting of the sun on Samhain the veil was lifted, allowing the Celts to communicate with the dead, to see them the following year on their four “hick” sabbats.

Bringing shorter days and long, colder periods of winter Samhain stirred the ideas of impending death, en- folding of resources and staff, and the need to take back its previous properties. Due to the Sam- hain, there was a belief that the veil between the two realms was deemed sufficiently altered, a belief, which it is still maintained that is the origin of the soul of hallow.

Being the mystical at- tendee people they were, the Celts believed time slowed down at the “hick” sabbats where the di- vision between the mortal world and the spiritual realm of the dead was thinnest, confrontations between the two realms were deemed possible and something needed to be done to form the basis of Hallow- een.

Covering the history of the holiday, it’s difficult to present the origin of the tradition, as the Celts did not them. “Gazing” began on to present the origin of the celebration, to bring shorter days and longer nights, and to shape the holiday into what it is today.

Contrary to popular belief, the holiday wasn’t created by the Celts themselves, but by the Irish and the Celts, who came to shape the holiday into what it is today.

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When one thinks of velvet, retro leisure suits and medieval dresses may come to mind. However, this fabric has undergone transformations that are unimaginable.

Traditionally, velvet is a fabric that represents nobility. It expresses strength, wealth and taste.

With a past that dates back to 2000 B.C., velvet was introduced in Egypt, robing the most powerful royals. As a staple piece during the medieval era that was carried into the Renaissance, velvet is a fabric with great history. Not only was this luxuriant textile used during the most influential time periods, it has also become a very important fabric in today’s fashion.

Making its way into couture, velvet is now a textile often found on the runway. Many designers incorporate this fabric into their ready-to-wear and couture collections.

Last spring, velvet was seen strutting its stuff down the runway as a part of many famous designers’ garments. To highlight specific pieces, Valentino featured a beautiful velvet skirt and Fendi featured a red velvet-detailed strappy sandal.

In the colder months of 2012 and 2013, velvet was an obvious staple piece in the wardrobes of many fashion lovers. Seen on pants, skirts, tops, shoes and even jackets, this fabric took the industry by storm. Proving itself as an awesome fall trend, velvet is back for this season and is here to stay.

Want to rock the velvet trend? Start by choosing your price range. An abundance of retailers at different price points sell velvet pieces.

Companies such as H&M and Forever 21 feature fun velvet garments at affordable prices. If you are looking for something more classic, large department stores and designer boutiques feature velvet designs, but come at a more expensive price.

The garment you choose will differ depending on your signature style. From tops and pants to shoes and jackets, velvet has been incorporated into possibly every area of fashion.
It happens to children, teens, parents and yes, even college kids, no matter what age you are. Endless varieties of candies are always around to tempt you during the Halloween season. Let’s face it, if candy is your sweet of choice, sometimes the healthier option is to indulge in just a little rather than deprive yourself. Unfortunately, it can be hard to decipher the bad from the better, and sometimes, the treats that we would assume are the better choices could be the worst.

**Chocolate Covered Raisins, Nuts and Pretzels**
Coversing an originally healthy or decent product with chocolate does not mean that it is still good for you. Chocolate-covered dried fruits often contain more sugar per serving than a candy bar. Covering nuts in chocolate is pretty much how many name-brand candy bars start, and coating a pretzel in chocolate just gives you a pretty salty candy. Moderation is still very important, and covering them in chocolate may not be the best idea for regular consumption.

**Starbursts Disguised By Their Size**
A common assumption is that this fruity candy is void of fat, but these tiny bites are actually 17 percent fat, not to mention each Starburst contains the equivalent of one teaspoon of sugar. When it comes to the “fun size” packs, Starbursts are a better choice with significantly less fat, sugar and the stickiness that makes your mouth a breeding ground for cavities.

**Which is better: Dunkin’s Pumpkin Bagel or Pumpkin Doughnut?**
Sure, it may be fun to participate in purchasing all of the Halloween versions of your fast food and coffee shop favorites, but these tiny bites are actually 17 percent fat, not to mention each Starburst contains the equivalent of one teaspoon of sugar. When it comes to the “fun size” packs, Starbursts are a better choice with significantly less fat, sugar and the stickiness that makes your mouth a breeding ground for cavities.

**Charms Blow Pops**
Who would have thought that gum on a stick would be one of the most sugary treats in your candy bag? The candy coating and bubble gum center give these candy pops 15 grams of sugar. That is even more than a Snickers or Tootsie Pop. What is even worse is that as you continue to chew on the bubble gum after the pop is gone, your teeth remain coated in sugar and are at risk of cavities.

**Sweet Potatoes, Pumpkin and Winter Squash**
All winter squash varieties and sweet potatoes contain the perfect combination of vitamin A, fiber and calcium. The main difference is that the skin of sweet potatoes should be consumed for greater nutritional benefits while the pumpkin and squash skin is not edible. Not sure of what to do with these superfoods? Roast them in the oven, puree or chunk them for soups and add them to baked goods. These nutritional powerhouses can be added to baked goods, cereals, yogurt, smoothies and salads. Chia seeds can also serve as an egg replacement by making one tablespoon chia seeds with three tablespoons water for about 10-20 minutes or until a gel-like consistency is formed.

**Black Rice**
This ancient whole grain has a nutty flavor and a chewier texture than your typical white or brown rice, making it a versatile starting point for any side dish. One tablespoon of dry, black rice contains just as many cancer-fighting antioxidants, known as anthocyanins, as a tablespoon of blueberries.

**Reese’s Pumpkin**
Perhaps one of the most tempting Halloween candies is the special edition Reese’s Pumpkin that is only available during the Halloween season. Packaged as a single serving, this pumpkin contains almost twice normal Reese’s cups in one! Yes, it is much more fun, and it even seems to taste better than the original peanut butter cup. However, at 170 calories, 10 grams of fat (four of which are saturated) and 10 grams of sugar, it might be a better idea to split one with a friend. My favorite treat every once in a while is Justin’s Dark Chocolate Peanut Butter Cup. With a unique texture, all organic ingredients and the benefits of dark chocolate, it is a treat that I can feel better about.

**Double Trouble: White Chocolate Candy Corn M&Ms**
It is no secret that M&Ms are not the healthiest candies out there, but when adding candy corn to the title, one may assume that some of the fat is taken out to compensate for the candy corn addition. In reality, combining the two is worse than eating them on their own. This is most likely the Halloween candy with the highest saturated fat content, containing seven grams of saturated fat and 11 grams of sugar.

**The Twinx Trick**
Twix is often mistaken as one of the “healthier” candy bars available but is actually a stack of repeating layers of chocolate, caramel and nuts. Would you believe that a single serving of this candy contains over 20 percent of the maximum amount of saturated fat recommended daily? Let’s compare the nutritional facts of a serving of Twix with a serving of Tootsie Rollie.

3 Twix Minis: 190 calories, 7g fat (4g saturated), 15g sugars
3 Tootsie Rolles: 70 calories, 1.5g fat (.5g saturated), 9.5g sugars
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The ACP/CMA National College Media Convention is held every year in a different part of the country. This year, the senior editors and executive board of The Montclarion had the opportunity to spend the convention directly in the heart of the French Quarter in New Orleans, La.

For four days, the editors attended sessions ranging from simple page design tips to advice on managing an entire staff and social media. After the sessions, they took in the sights and sounds of the French Quarter, touring places like the famous Cafe du Monde, Bourbon Street and Jackson Square. The editors also called in to WMSC 90.3 on Friday, Oct. 25 to discuss the trip thus far with David Heale on his radio show.

The trip was a great opportunity for the editors and the paper as a whole. "Going to New Orleans was a once in a lifetime opportunity for both the newspaper and the staff. The sessions were informative and gave us great tips for our futures and for making the paper better. The food and the culture were definitely my favorite part of the trip. There’s a sense of pride and unity down there, especially after Katrina, that you wouldn’t find anywhere else."

-Jessica Czarnogursky
Editor-in-Chief

"This trip was perfect in so many ways. The convention was awesome and the setting was more than perfect. I couldn’t have asked for a better group of people to go with, either. The convention was just a great way to compare our paper to others across the country and learn so much from a city rich in amazing culture."

-Catherine Baxter, Managing Editor

Linda Lee and camp group barbecue.

"The Montclarion’ Goes to New Orleans"}

"Myth Busters to Exercise"

There are plenty of myths out there for exercises fooling many. Some people will use one as an excuse to exercise or not exercise. Some myths can affect the way you work out. If you are not well informed, these myths can disrupt your health and how you feel about your body. Your goal should be what you want and might instead injure your body because you’re not taking care of yourself nutritionally. It is important that if you are working out and want to see good results, you should incorporate a healthy diet while still exercising regularly.

Myth 1: Sport drinks are good after workouts.

Sport drinks aren’t really good for you unless you are doing strenuous exercises and working out for long periods at a time. These drinks are full of sugar and have a lot of extra calories. Instead of doing the body good after a workout, it is just adding the calories back on.

Myth 2: Protein bars and shakes are top nutrition foods.

They are not the best nutritious snacks out there. Though they are good sources of protein, with as much as 32 grams in a bar, they are also loaded with lots of calories and sugar. Most shakes and protein bars are similar to candy bars and they are not as healthy as they sound. It would be a better bet if you get your protein source from natural foods.

Myth 3: Women should not lift weights.

Women that lift weights become bulky or big. Women are not taking proper care of their bodies because they are not lifting. Women that lift weights become strong and even for women, it helps keep your body from wearing out. It is important to lift weights because it helps the muscles become stronger, even for women. Women should not be intimidated by weights.

Myth 4: The scale is a sign of progress.

Your scales just tell you the weight of your body. However, muscles weight more than fat. You can weigh in after exercising and realize the scale will be reading a higher mark than a lower mark. This might disappoint many because they expect weight loss. The scale is just a number and one should rely on clothes and how you feel about your body. Your goal should be what you want to look like and how you want to feel. It is not about the number on the scale.

Myth 5: Exercise allows me to skip out on dieting.

Just because you exercise does not mean you can slack off on your diet. In order to have a healthy lifestyle, you have to incorporate both exercise and a healthy diet. A healthy balance is about 40 percent in the gym and 60 percent diet. If you work out hard and not eat properly, then you will not get you the results you want and might instead injure your body because you’re not taking care of yourself nutritionally. It is important that if you are working out and want to see good results, you should incorporate a healthy diet while still exercising regularly.

"On the way back to the airport, the driver asked us in Louisiana drawl if we had enjoyed the city. I said it was beautiful. But that doesn’t do my feelings any justice. I went there hoping to learn the power of words. I left knowing how frail they truly are."

-Ethan Fria, News Editor
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Aries March 21 - April 19

"Why is life so hard?" you may ask, especially now as things keep piling up in your life. Although not much can be done to mitigate the circumstances, the best thing you can do for yourself is to suck it up and see where it goes from there. Keep in mind that the hardest things in life often bring the greatest rewards.

Taurus April 20 - May 20

You don’t feel well about being pushed into anything too hasty. Even in desperate times, you prefer to stick to your own ways of doing things. Being too stubborn, however, won’t always let you get your way. Getting new ideas from others can bring important life lessons.

Gemini May 21 - June 20

Perhaps every cloud does have a silver lining. As your troubles fade away little by little, you will learn to appreciate the things that you already have. Sure, you may not be truly as happy as you wanted to be, but then again, what is happiness? Why do we always assume that happiness is getting what we want?

Cancer June 21 - July 22

Others expect so much from you, but have you let them known what you expect from them lately? You’re great at what you do, but let’s face it; you’re no miracle worker. This is your time to be more assertive, and let others walk in your shoes for a day.

Leo July 23 - August 22

Why is everyone so concerned with the lives of others? That is something that you cannot wrap your head around. Worrying about other people won’t necessarily help you own situation, but may in fact worsen it from stress and anxiety. Let others behave as they please and just focus on your own things for now. Otherwise, you will be no different from them.

Virgo August 23 - September 22

There is no need to wave your white flag in defeat just because something is out of your reach or because of what others say about you. Even if it does not happen overnight, you still have a good chance of accomplishing your goals. Try to rework the weakest parts of your plans.

Libra September 23 - October 22

Although you truly want everyone to be happy, there is still need to be the bearer of bad news. Candor, however, may unveil negativity on others without even realizing it. Be wary of how your thoughts can impact your plans throughout the day. Fortunately, you can overcome your own doubts if you acknowledge them first.

Scorpio October 23 - November 21

You think to yourself, how can some people be so perfect? Well, it turns out your wrong. No one is perfect. Every person has his or her flaws. If we were all perfect, plastic surgeons would be out of business, we wouldn’t have wars, and we wouldn’t need education. So next time you see someone who is “perfect,” you may find that they lack something you already have.

Sagittarius November 22 - December 21

Regret can feel awful. It is like a hangover that you can’t get rid of. The only antidote for this mess is a change of heart. You are the one making yourself feel worse each day by constantly reminding yourself of what you’ve done and what you could have done to prevent it.

Capricorn December 22 - January 19

Everybody hurts, especially yourself in your current situation. As much as you want to be in control, you cannot help but want to cry. Here’s some advice for you: cry. Bawl your eyes out if you want, there’s no reason for you to not. You’ll be surprised at how relieved you feel afterwards.

Aquarius January 20 - February 18

One of your closest relationships looks to have hit rock bottom, but don’t stress—it’s only temporary. There is a reason this significant other of yours is behaving in an unusual way, and it may turn out to help you. Just don’t confront them in such a hostile manner, as it can bring an end to something that could have been great.

Pisces February 19 - March 20

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And now time for something different...

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do not directly affect campus life. Students feel that there is two sides to the issue."

Drinking the recent marriage equality endorsement has brought more than minor disagreement to the campus. It was a full-on debate.

Using a very par-able title, campus is divided into LGBT community [those issues] or the mainstream, but at the same time, it may not currently affect them. There's two sides to the issue.

Jennifer Sutyak Public Relations Sophomore

"Yes, because if it affects one person, then it will be a public endorsement. Everyone has a different opinion about it [the SGA should make public announcements about issues, even if it only affects one person]."

Christina Graham Fine Arts Studios Drawing Senior

"I want to take the middle ground here. The student body is very diverse. There are plenty of people who are really excited about the marriage equality bill being passed, and extra support from SGA would be great for them. I understand that they probably feel offended that because there are same-sex relationships in the school and supporters on this point feel like they're being turned against. I also understand the support that the SGA has for the bill. But the SGA seems to say that this is an educational environment and not a political environment."

Frank Contreras Fine Arts Studios Painting Senior

"I think it's hard to say what student couples and don't because there are same-sex couples on campus right now. Maybe they don't feel comfortable being together or with the SGA recent refers to not want to make a statement, but even by not making a statement, they are still making a statement. By not making a statement, it's a message. So whether they support the issue or not, I think we can have at least made a general statement."

Vicky Leta | The Montclarion

"We should I think that they should just stick to what's relevant on campus rather than going off-campus. The SGA must endorse for on campus [issues] at Montclair State University, not off-campus. If it's not happening on campus, it's irrelevant."

Theresa Lawlor Accounting Sophomore

"I think they should vote on issues which do not directly affect campus life. Just because it's happening on campus, it actually does [afflict students]. So I think that they should whether or not to endorse off-campus issues."

Undeclared Freshman

"Well, I can see both sides. In some ways, it will affect the kids of campus in the long run. Some people will react in different ways, but in the future, so in the future [these], some ways, it will effect the kids of campus. They're on campus to be for on-campus issues at Montclair State University."

"I cannot understand [the SGA] not saying what affects campus and doesn't affect the school. We shouldn't have to make a decision not to endorse political views. The SGA has caused a lot of stress for this campus. It's very ambiguous whether they support this or not."

Jennifer Glaser Visual Arts Major Senior

"The SGA is supposed to be a student of this campus, so Glaser led a history working to protect the campus a hostile place, many students felt the SGA wasn't vocal enough when this issue was up for vote. The underlying issue with the SGA is that we are trying to get more involved in making political stances, but just like newborn calves, the SGA tries to run. But, our legs don't have the willingness to support us.

There has to be some credit given to the SGA since they have gotten more involved in endorsing political views. Let us review what had been said during the meeting in regards to the bills when this was initially presented. One opposition was that since this does not affect the campus directly, it shouldn't be voted on. True, of a campus, but considering the amount of organizations that had endorsed it there was bound to be backlash. This made the campus uncomfortable for the SGA."

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"I don't think that the SGA needs to endorse the bill. They need to stop and think about it."

Jennifer Glaser Visual Arts Major Senior

"I think their recent endorsement had not been directly stated, but against the decision. This seemingly metaphoric war of something has caused a lot of stress for this campus."

"Fortunately, at yesterday's meeting, the procedure of voting for the bill was called into question. As some students felt it was unfair. The SGA has followed the Standard Robert Rules of Order when taking on a parliamentary procedure."

"Usually, the SGA will follow a two-thirds majority vote to pass a bill, but in the case of the bill, it was required to pass a student of the SGA and the school itself."

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Tired of the one major lesson

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that s p o k e s and hauntings of all kinds can
crawl up from the depths of the Earth and wreak
menace on the populace. Okay, well, maybe it's not quite that bad. But it seems that three
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tume for your friend's party or
to men" is a good life principle,

The Editor

I have to differences with a position that is advanced
in the piece "Just Say No to GMOs." I agree with him on many
points, but I would like to comment about

NICHOLAS TAYLOR

Prime Cope editor

I think most of the information that is
agreed upon in the discussion about

COLUMNIST

turing genetically-modified foods is extremely
polarized, much like the issue of clean
water. I also agree that the odds actually stick within the con-
sumer; people with al-

ley Cyrus, your favorite TV character or
an animal object. It's always

There are endless possibilities
and activities, like Gene

ink and getting together with
on surgery treats is socially
acceptible? In fact, I'd argue
that Halloween is the most fun
time of the year for all of us.

Halloween, The Best Holiday

This increase can be attrib-

utes to the one major lesson

Kenzie Brin, a Classics/English major,

Kristen Bryfogle, an Assistant

in her second year as the Assistant

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I hate allergies, so I just keep it to

Wayne Ernst
This up-and-coming musical received its world premiere at London’s Meier Chocolate Factory in 2007, followed by its national debut at Princeton’s McCarter Theater in 2010. The musical follows three parallel narratives of the Wright brothers’ quest for aeronautical discovery, Lindbergh’s flight across the Atlantic and Earhart’s ambitious and mysterious adventure to circumnavigate the globe, as well as her romance relationship with publisher George Putnam.

Each narrative has its own individual musical motif and style that embodies the characters and their stories. The first story follows the failures and successes of Orville and Wilbur Wright (played by Van Pae and Peter Surace). The duo presents a revolutionary dream dynamic combined with a refreshing, prickly sense of humor. The journey of a young, bright-eyed Lindbergh (portrayed by Steve Ray mond) captures the electricity and restlessness of the first aviators to take flight in the Atlantic. Of course, it wouldn’t really be a musical without a little romance. The adventure of Earhart, who regards her incredible feats in the air and on earth as a second love-affair with Putnam (played by Torren White and Christopher Cherrin). Like any production, the cast faced its share of challenges, one of which, according to Geritano, was translating the show from the tiny Combo Hall (Room 125) into Memorial Auditorium. “We had some massive set pieces such as the hangar doors, the platforms that served as planes and Lindbergh’s eight-feet-high lift that we didn’t get to physically work with until the weekend before the show.” This difficult process, however, was well worth it. The cast and crew put their emotions on an incredible production and even had the honor of performing for the composer and lyricist for Take Flight, Richard Maltby Jr. and David Shire.

“To me, this show is all about that mysterious human need to be more than we are and more than what others think we should be. It explores why we have dreams and what drives us to defy logic and reality to go after them.”

–Kirk Geritano

This past Sunday marks the close of MSU’s production of Take Flight. The production had a successful two-week run in Memorial Auditorium. The hard work and dedication of the incredibly talented Theater and Dance Department, audiences were able to glance into the timeless evolution of history of aeronautics. Under the direction of Mark Hursley with music and words by David Share, Richard Maltby Jr. and John Wise, this spirited new musical tells three separate tales of some of American history’s highest flying figures: Amelia Earhart, Charles Lindbergh, and the Wright brothers.

Kirk Geritano plays Don Hall, the chief aeronautical engineer of Ryan Aircraft, the company which eventually agreed to build Lindbergh’s “Spirit of St. Louis.” “However, I barely ever play the real Don Hall,” he admits. “I mainly play a hallucination of Hall conjured up by Lindbergh during his solo flight to Paris. I embody his common sense, his practicality and most importantly, his doubts and fears. I want him to accept his fears and to realize that he is good enough to make his dreams come true.”

The Weinstein Company is currently filming in the UK in September. It is hitting US theaters on Nov. 8. Zoe Saldana was originally set to play the female lead, but dropped out due to conflicts with scheduling. McAdams has some other movies lined up as well, including a thriller about a Checkers who illegally immigrates to Hamburg and gets a job at the German HQ for West German Terror. A Must Want Must, coming out in 2014, stars McAdams alongside Daniel Brühl and Robin Wright. Also on McAdams’ list is an untitled Cameron Crowe project that is currently filming in Hawaii. Bradley Cooper stars in a defense contractor who teams up with an Air Force pilot, played by Emma Stone, to supervise a spy satellite launch at a military base in Hawai. This film features a highly acclaimed cast that is comprised of McAdams as well as Cooper, Stone, Jay Baruchel, Bill Murray, Alex Baldwin and Danny McBride. This untitled film, written and directed by Cameron Crowe (Almost Famous, Vanilla Sky, We Bought A Zoo), will be released in 2014. McAdams is also no stranger to playing the female lead in romantic dramas, as she starred in The Time Traveler’s Wife, Midnight in Paris and The Vow. Her other well-known movie credits include Mean Girls, Wedding Crashers, Red Eye, The Family Stone and Mommie Dearest, among other movies. This heroic female lead actress has a lot lined up and will be beating the silver screen many times within the next year.

“‘Our director announced that they were in the audience to the collective shock and surprise of cast, crew and audience,’” Geritano recollected. “They spoke with us afterwards about how thrilled they were to see a show they struggled to get off the ground become fully realized and that they forgot they were watching professional performers.”

This excitement from the creators of the show was well-deserved and, with the amount of talent in the cast, not at all surprising. Take Flight treated audiences to a soaring performance.
Three Bands, One Night
Isabel Hershki
Contributing Writer

On Oct. 21, fans stood in line outside of Webster Hall, waiting in the cold to enter the Marlin Room. Scheduled on that evening’s line-up were the bands Great Caesar, A Great Big Pile of Leaves and Someone Still Loves You Boris Yeltsin. Once these bands hit the stage, it was clear that the concertgoers were in for a night of pure musical talent.

The opener for the evening was Great Caesar, a band comprised of six men from Brooklyn, N.Y. The crowd seemed hesitant when they first began to play, unsure of how good this unsigned sextet would be. But within minutes of their set, it was clear that the word “great” was putting this band’s talent mildly. Armed with brass infusion and the smooth, sultry sounds of lead singer John-Michael Parker’s vocals, Great Caesar made it clear that their sound was individual and to only them and a force to be reckoned with. By the time they made it through the first few songs, the audience was dancing and weaving to the clear-cut jazz-influenced sounds this band produced. When they closed up their set with a cover of the late Amy Winehouse’s “Valerie,” the crowd went wild, demanding more. It was clear that this band, yet to be signed, was a treasure to the music industry.

Next up was A Great Big Pile of Leaves, a band also based out of Brooklyn. Signed by Topshelf Records, the four men have been creating indie rock music since 2007. Unlike Great Caesar, they had already amassed a relatively large following, and fans were eager for them to begin. Once they hit the stage, A Great Big Pile of Leaves began playing crowd favorites such as “We Don’t Need Our Heads” and “Great Fun.” Lead singer Pete Fazzi were on point. Their music all live together and produce and write music constantly. When asked about how they felt that their song was reaching so many people all over the world, the band explained, “We started this band where we want our music to be heard by as many people as possible and try to have an effect on people, as many as possible, whether it’s a radio, commercial or a live show. We are just really excited to be getting our music out there.”

The band’s hit song, “Best Day of My Life,” is featured on multiple albums and ads, not only in the United States but also overseas. “I’ve only seen it on YouTube, but to me, the most special thing is when we get calls that our family and friends have seen it,” remarked Sholley. “As my dad will say, I am getting calls from my friends who see it,” said drummer Matt Sanchez. “It’s surreal.”

The band expressed how they all write and tune it. The instrumental styles, they each get a hand in the crafting and nuts and bolts of the album. Barnett explained, “We write, we all play each other’s instruments.”

With playing each other’s instruments, they end up with a final product that is unique to only them and a stance to be reckoned with. The three bands, together, made it clear that anyone would even try to deny them in the first place.

As the venue began to clear, members of the band came down to interact with the audience, signing merchandise and taking photos. At the end of the night, people left raving. Overall, it was an absolute success as far as any concert could go. The only bad thing was to be said about the evening? The “post-concert depression” that would likely follow.

Their happy-go-lucky sound closed up the evening for a joyful note. With every song they played, they proved over and over again just why they were the headliner for the tour. The talent was undeniable, not that anyone would even try to deny them in the first place.

Victoria Nelli
Staff Writer

“Blink” and “Believer” are the titles of two tracks off of the American Authors’ self-titled EP that was released on Aug. 27. This band truly believes they have what it takes, and it has nothing to do with luck. The band made up of Zachary Barnett, James Adam Shelley, Dave Rubin and Matt Sanchez are taking the music (and commercial) world by storm. For these four band mates and best friends, it’s not about just playing together, but about living together too.

Not only did they all attend the prestigious Berklee College of Music together, but after living in Boston, they all relocated to Brooklyn, where they all live together and produce and write music constantly.

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The BMI stage at Lollapalooza stands out to them as one of their favorite memories as a band, not only because it is a notable achievement to play the stage where bands such as Fall Out Boy have played, but because it was such a big deal because they were the first band to play at the festival.

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Towards the end of the interview, Sanchez and Barnett said, “We started this band trying to play the best music and the most relatable songs we can as long as we can continue to play music and continue to be a band.”

In their hit single, they sing, “This is our life, the best day of our life,” but with a talent like theirs and such wonderful attributes, I believe they are going to have a lot more “best days” to come in the near future.
A Horribly Good Show

Have you ever wondered what it might be like if Dr. Frankenstein, that maniacal mad-scientist, had allowed some sexy lingerie, makeup and platform heels? Theater goers were thrilled to discover the answer to this age-old question as they filed back into the Student Center Committee Lounge for the MSU Players’ annual shadow cast production of The Rocky Horror Picture Show. Under the direction of Paul Rahter and assistant director Daniel Restrepo, the vibrant, gender-bending cast of characters took to the stage once more for this raunchy, beloved classic.

The infamous low-budget film, one of the most well-known cult classics of all time, follows the misadventures of newly-engaged Janet Weiss and Brad Majors, who are forced to seek refuge in a strange and spunky mansion after their car breaks down in a terrible storm. Before they know it, the couple is stripped of their clothing and ravished by a group of kinky Transvestites who are led by the mad-fabulous transsexual Doctor Frank N. Furter, a luscious red alien from the planet Transsexual. When the doctor reveals his latest creation, the couple quickly goes from strange to just plain outrageous, as the couple sets forth on a strange and obscene journey.

For many, this freaky film is more than just entertainment; it’s tradition. To this day, audiences attend midnight screenings of The Rocky Horror Picture Show to perform the entire story in front of a cinema screen. Clad in their finest most fabulous costumes, audiences of a Rocky Horror screening are encouraged to scream derision, throw strange items (such as toast) at the performers and sing along to their favorite songs.

This year’s tantalizing transsexual doctor was brought to life by Lorraine Perri, a senior and Child Studies major, who brought a refreshing, powerful feminine aura to the role usually played by a man. “The most challenging part would have to be the fact that I had to play a man who dresses as a woman,” admitted Perri. “I had to step out of my comfort zone to embody this iconic character; sexually, mentally and physically. Also, it was great to portray such a different role than what I’m used to. I’m one who typically enjoys taking on and overcoming challenges, and I felt like I learned a lot about myself when I do that.”

“The movie always held a special place in my heart,” said director Paul Rahter. “The reason for my passion for Rocky was my directorial debut way back four years ago, it was my MSU Players debut as well. Little freshman Paul was given the opportunity to put Dr. Scott under the direction of the wonderful Kate Frazier.” This year marked the 20th anniversary of the annual Players’ production, and Rahter had big ideas to celebrate it: “My vision for this year was to change some of the perception that it’s only another Rocky Horror; meaning it doesn’t deserve the time and attention that a main stage show would require.”

Rather set expectations for his performers high for the beginning and reported that they rose to the challenge beautifully. “It was like being a parent and watching your child grow and become a fully fledged adult. It was really cool to see my cast grow and become even better than they already were.”

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Staff Writer

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**Sports**

**UFC Fight Night 30 Exits**

Despite how it looked from the audience’s perspective, fighting Munoz was difficult for Machida. “It’s very hard,” said Machida. “They train together. He’s a coach. He’s a friend, but as a professional, I don’t think about that,” said Machida.

Being that they train together, they are mentally prepared, and just fight through it. Munoz was a very game opponent, but Machida was on point, rocking Harris away in a 128-lb catchweight scrap with a powerful variety of strikes to push the pace and get the “W.”

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**Mens Soccer**

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**Womens Soccer**

For the second straight year, Montclair State clinched the NCAA title with their shutout of Richard Stockton College on Saturday. Junior Melanie Greco, Senior Allison Walker and sophomore Martina Landeka each had a goal in the game. The Red Hawks remain unbeaten through 16 games and look forward to the coming postseason as they host the NJAC Semi-finals this coming week.

**Football**

Quarterback Ryan Davies had a spectacular outing against the Morrisville State Mustangs this past Saturday. After throwing a 78 and a 50 yard touchdown pass, he ran in another touchdown to lead the Red Hawks to a 34-21 victory. Freshman running back Daniel Nieves also had a big day rushing for 167 yards and a touchdown of his own.

**Field Hockey**

On Oct. 25, they picked up a 3-2 win over Scranton as senior back Sierra Rutzbach and freshman forwards Gianna Moglino and Arielle Galpazo each scored goals. On Oct. 26 at Richard Stockton College, Montclair picked up its second win with a 3-1 victory. They rounded out their road trip when they improved their overall record to 17-1 with a 5-0 shutout over Keans.
Field Hockey Wins Six Straight

Montclair State had two difficult games this week, only to come away with hard-fought wins in both. MSU is now 16-1 overall and 4-1 in the New Jersey Athletic Conference (NJAC).

The Red Hawks started their week on Oct. 23 at the University of Scranton Royals, scoring 13 minutes in when freshman forward Gianna Moglino, who knocked in the goal from the right side off a cross, gave the Red Hawks an early 1-0 lead. However, Moglino kept her hot streak going by scoring a goal in the 20th minute to give the Red Hawks an early 1-0 lead.

The rest of the first half was fairly contested and featured no scoring. Montclair State struck first in the second half at the 54th minute when Tafro blasted a shot into the back of the net off of an assist from senior defender Emily Stockton into a goal.

Scranton scored twice in the 39th minute when senior Sierra Rauchbach cleared the ball out of the Red Hawk zone as the opposing University of Scranton Royals, who notched a goal.

Scranton sealed the game for MSU by making it close, but they were not able to find the final goal needed to win.

On Oct. 26, Montclair State traveled to Smith Field for a matchup with the Rich-ard Stockton Ospreys. MSU won the contest 3-1. Moglino kept her hot streak going by scoring a goal in the 20th minute to give the Red Hawks an early 1-0 lead.

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Just a minute later, Stockton retaliated with a tally of her own to make the game 2-0. However, Moglino sealed the game for MSU by scoring in the 57th minute. The assist was credited to senior midfielder Jennifer Tafro, who matched a goal.

Montclair State won the contest 3-1 and continues to win in their final regular season conference with 31 points. She is seventh in the NJAC in second in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC. She is seventh in the NJAC.

Montclair State wraps up their regular season schedule this week with two games. On Tuesday, Oct. 29, MSU traveled to Union to take on Rensselaer at 7:30 p.m. in their final regular season conference game (Results next week).

On Saturday, Nov. 2, the Red Hawks welcome the Gwynedd-Mercy College Griffins to Sprague Field at 1 p.m. for their final regular season contest. The game is Senior Day for Montclair State and seniors Allison Jilimski, Brooke Hullings, Jennifer Tafro, Stephanie Lewis and Sierra Rauchbach will all be honored at the game.

Photo Courtesy of graduateInformation
Senior Sierra Rauchbach shares the ball out of the Red Hawk zone as the opposing defense closes in.

Photo Courtesy of Sports Information
Sophomore Maura Johnston breaks away from the defense.
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# Who's Hot This Week

**Denzel Nieves**  
Running Back — Football  
Nieves was named the NJAC Offensive Rookie of the Week after helping the Red Hawks snap a four-game losing streak. Nieves ran for 167 yards and a touchdown.

**Sydney Stein**  
Womens Swimming and Diving  
Stein scored 21 points individually as Montclair State nearly pulled off an upset against TCNJ. Stein won both the 500m and 1000m freestyle events, setting a new school record in the latter.

# Game of the Week

**Football**  
vs. William Paterson  
Nov. 2, 6 p.m.

The Red Hawks take on long-time rival William Paterson under the lights at Sprague Field.

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**Stats**

- 1000m FREE - 11:05.56  
- 500m FREE - 5:29.66

**Season Stats**

- Longest Rush - 32 Yards  
- 185 Touchdowns
After taking last week off, the Montclair State Red Hawks football team came out energized and entered their game at Morrisville State on Oct. 26 with a renewed sense of urgency. It resulted in a 34-21 victory over the Mustangs and their four-game losing streak came to an end.

The game did not start well for the Red Hawks, as Morrisville quarterback Lumar Johnson scored a two-yard rushing touchdown with 6:26 left in the first quarter to give Morrisville a 7-0 lead. After the Red Hawks missed a field goal on their next possession, Johnson struck again as he threw an 80-yard touchdown pass to wide receiver Anthony Mella to give Morrisville a 14-0 lead to end the first quarter.

Despite the early deficit, Montclair State never gave up. With five minutes left in the second half, sophomore quarterback Ryan Davies threw a 78-yard touchdown pass to freshman wide receiver Malcolm Robinson to make the score 14-7 Morrisville at halftime. The momentum continued midway through the third quarter as Davies threw another touchdown pass, this time a 50-yarder to sophomore wide receiver Clinton Coffey to even the score at 14-14.

As the third quarter wound down, freshman running back Denzel Nieves put together a 30-yard run that landed the Red Hawks into Morrisville territory. Nieves would eventually score on a three-yard touchdown run to give Montclair State a 21-14 lead with 31 seconds left in the third quarter.

Montclair State fought back, however, as Johnson scored on a five-yard touchdown run to cap off a 12-play, 75-yard drive that ended in a rushing touchdown by Davies to make the final score 34-21 Montclair State.

In total, Davies threw for 224 yards and completed 11 of 22 passes with two touchdowns and an interception. For rushing, Nieves put together a breakout performance. Along with his touchdown, he ran for 167 yards total. Additionally, Scoppa, along with his touchdown run, ran for 109 yards.

In total, the Montclair State running game outgained Morrisville 279-226 while Montclair State's offense altogether gained 503 yards.

On defense, senior linebacker Adnan Sakiri recorded 20 tackles for the second time in his career and forced a fumble while junior defensive back C.J. Conway recorded 10 tackles and broke up four passes.

“It’s a relief that we ended our losing skid,” said Conway. “We got off to a rough start this year, but we’re finally turning things around and coming together as a team and no one is giving up on the season, no matter what happens.”

Now 2-5 on the season and 1-4 in NJAC play, the Red Hawks have three games remaining on the season. Their next game will be this coming Saturday, Nov. 2 at Sprague Field against William Patterson University at 6 p.m.