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MSU Drops The Wrestling Team

Jose Ortiz
Managing Editor

The Red Hawk wrestling team may have received the final knockout blow in what has been a long and trying fight.

At the end of a season which saw high expectations, allegations, job discrimination complaints and more than 80 percent of the players quitting the team, MSU has decided to cut wrestling from its varsity sports program.

The decision came down to the wrestlers right before the beginning of Spring Break, just days after Red Hawk Derrick Goduto was arrested for battery.

"There was an air of negativity and interference surrounding the activity this past year," said Vice President of Student Development and Campus Life Dr. Karen Pennington. "I do feel it was an inappropriate atmosphere and it did not provide a developmental activity for students. Our student athletes deserve a better experience than some were allowing them to have."

Just last year, MSU's wrestling team faced the same fate, as Assauulted Student Forced To Take Polygraph

Oriana Diagostino
Staff Writer

An unidentified MSU student who claimed she was attacked one evening outside of the Drop In Center is now being obligated to take a polygraph test by MSU police.

The police department said an anonymous person called MSU's Tips hotline and informed the hotline that the "victim" simply created her story in order to successfully pursue her 'agenda for better lighting.' The victim did not personally comment as she is nervous about the meeting.

"The MSU administration may be a part of the call, to "cover up their own neglect in not providing better lighting in a more timely fashion, instead of just doing what is right." said Sierfield. "I personally find it unprofessional."

Conflict arose at an SGA meeting March 8, due to disagreements in regards to the constitutionality of bills.

"The tension was not caused from an argument, but from passionate legislators who debated for what they thought would be better for the students of Montclair state," said Senator Ralph Mullamen.

Mullamen wrote an e-mail to the entire SGA, apologizing for speaking in an offensive manner during the meeting.

Tension arose at a recent SGA meeting, due to the debate of bills that many legislators had opposed feelings towards. The meetings are held every Wednesday (above).

For the students of Montclair State, "I think much of the tension could have been avoided if the same questions that were addressed at the SGA meeting were asked in committees," said Johnson. "There were disrespectful comments that were spoken and unspoken through notes which can be attested by President Angelo Lilla. Disrespect was happening under the noses of every single person in the room."

"I feel only a few SGA members have taken advantage of these attempts" and stepped up, said Johnson. "If we don't talk about these issues, then we will not be able to work together efficiently. We wonder why students do not want to..." (TENSION CONTINUED ON P.4)

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MONDAY 27
Mindfulness Meditation, Drop In Center, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Let's Talk About Sex, Drop In Center, 4:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
CARIBBEAN: Bob Marley Social- Ice, Gold & Green, SC Ballrooms, 8:00 p.m.
TUESDAY 28
Kapua Alpha Phi: Phenomenal Woman, SC Dining Room, 7:00 p.m.
Creative Arts for Stress Relief, Drop In Center, 12:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY 29
OSCE: Big Time @ MSU, SC Ratt, 7:30 p.m.
Creative Arts for the Inner Child, Drop In Center, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Salsa Lessons, Drop In Center, 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
SATURDAY 30
Pecan Day
Rhythm & Brass, Kasser Theater, 7:00 p.m.
Download for contour.

By Chantal Gabel

Local News

Mischief Surfaces During Spring Break

WAYNE - The Four Seasons Restaurant and Cocktail Lounge in Short Hills is getting a new name.

Mysterious fire precipitates name change as owner is forced to vacate a tradem ark infringement lawsuit was filed by the famed Four Seasons Restaurant in Milwood Manhattan, which will carry the name "Johnny's on the Green."

That winning name, offered by Holly Backett of Wayne, was among 465 entries, including many duplicates, the restaur

ant received over the past 1 1/2 months, Maryann Marrone said yesterday.

Marrone and his wife, Mary, operate the 90 seat facility at 440 Pascack Hills Road. The entry site of this entrance to the city of East Oranges 18-hole suburban golf course and that city s vast water reserve property

wasMillburn.

NEWARK - Police said they arrested 38 people on drug and gun charges, beginning citywide sweeps that started Tuesday afternoon and continued until Wednesday morning.

These arrests came from the city and other parts of New Jersey, police said.

During the sweep, which covered drug sales in all four city wards, police confiscated three guns, 250 packages of heroin, 771 vials of cocaine and $1,131 in cash, authorities said.

MONTCLAIR - Joseph Mellicker spoke of a "chilling effect" on pri
cate schools should Montclair erect more hurdles to their expansion.

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Sodexho Workers Disapprove Ballots

Shayna Jacobs
Assistant News Editor

Sodexho employees, who are Service Workers United union members, have expressed disapproval of the secret-ballot deauthorization vote, to be held on Wednesday, March 29, a date recently changed. A counter-petition has circulated in opposition.

Two employees said they were misinformed about the original petition, and signed under a false understanding. The original petition sought to gain approval for the deauthorization.

"We, the undersigned employees of Sodexho and members of Service Workers United (SWU), understand that the best way to make positive change on the job is through our union," the petition said. "We realize that the de-authorization election is an attempt to weaken our union and discredit the hard fought victories by our co-workers."

A driver who dreamed of being a writer, admired Snoop Dogg and Sigmund Freud, and earned a full academic scholarship at MSU.

Costa also worked as a bartender at his family's nightclub in Elizabeth.

Costa is survived by his parents, Antonio and Isabel Costa, and brothers Sergio A. and Christopher Costa. Funeral arrangements were held Wednesday, March 15 and Thursday, March 16 at the Walter J. Johnson Funeral Home in Clark.

Montclair State University Presents
The Spring 2006 Margaret and Herman Sokol Science Lecture Series
Thursday, April 6, 2006, 8:00 p.m.
at the Alexander Kasser Theater

"Chemistry's Essential Tension: The same and not the same"

Dr. Roald Hoffmann studied chemistry at Columbia and Harvard Universities (Ph.D. 1962). Since 1965, he is at Cornell University now as the Frank H. T. Rhodes Professor of Humane Letters. He has received many of the honors of his profession, including the 1981 Nobel Prize in Chemistry (shared with Kenichi Fukui) and the 1990 Priestley Medal.

Dr. Hoffmann has over 500 published papers in chemistry. He is also a writer of essays, non-fiction, poems and plays.

Tickets, available through the theater box office, are free to MSU community; $10.00 – others.

"Take Back the Night" To Be Held At MSU April

Every April, people across the world come together to protest violence. "Take Back the Night" is the declaration that everyone has the right to be free from violence, the right to be heard, and the freedom to reclaim those rights if they have been taken.

"Take Back the Night" raises community awareness regarding violence, honours the memories of victims and celebrates survivors, ends the "silence," and empowers everyone to take direct action in ending violence.

A program of "Take Back the Night" will be held April 6 at 6:30 p.m. in the Student Center Quad. Guest speakers will include MSU administrators, faculty and survivors of violence.

A candle light vigil and walk across campus will conclude the evening's program.

For more information, go to www.takebackthenight.org or contact the Montclair State University Center for Non-Violence and Prevention Programs at 973-655-7033.

Article courtesy of www.montclair.edu
join organizations, and then we are reminded
that petty behavior drives new members
away. “During every SGA meeting, Amy con-
stantly reminds those present to be respect-
ful of one another,” said Mullenax. “I said
what I said for the same reasons she does.”
Mullenax has suggested to legislators
that branches of the SGA meet to discuss
what happened at that Wednesday’s meet-
ing.
Mullenax added that the issues that arise
throughout the SGA meetings should have
less focus than that of the campus.
SGA Secretary Stephanie Sattelberger
said at the end of the meeting, “I have to ask
that branches of the SGA meet to discuss
issues that arise throughout the SGA meet-
ing. •
Mullenax added that he commends the
person who feels he should be impeached “for
doing what he thinks is right.”
This meeting was honestly not that much
of an upset,” said Mullenax.
“However, I feel that we can learn from
the meeting as a whole; the role of commit-
tees and authors in checking for constitution-
ality before a bill reaches the floor, debating
techniques and concepts, and the relation-
ship between branches of the government.”

SODEXHO
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Montclair explaining their views.
“Although, I have only had to have union
representation two times in my (32-year)
career (both times being here at Sodexho),
I was good to know that I had strong union
representation behind me,” wrote Gloria
Harvey, Freeman Hall cafeteria shop stew-
ard.
Over 80 employees out of a fluctuating
number around 150, signed the reverse peti-
tion, according to Wilma Neil, of the SWU
staff.
“The workers ability to have a union
strike at the very center of our democracy,” said Neil.
The deauthorization vote is being held
by the National Labor Relations Board will
decide whether the provision in Sodexho’s
contract with their union, requiring all work-
ers to join, will be void.

WRESTLING
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Players and coaches have suggested that
the decision to bring in Torres over Sabol was
a part of the university’s plan to get rid of
wrestling for good.
“Dr. Pennington doesn’t want the team
here, Holly doesn’t want the team here,
that was established last year,” Rodriguez
said. “But they still have never given us a
reason why they had such a problem with the
team.”
In order to supplement the costs of the
spot last year, the student athletic fees were
raised. Now that the sport is being dropped
again, according to Dr. Pennington, those
funds will be re-allocated to the other 17
varsity sports.
The Red Hawk wrestling program is eas-
ily one of the most decorated sports in MSU’s
history. Two team national championships,
100 All-Americans, and over 25 individual
National Championships are among the
team’s most notable accolades.

University Hall Grand Opening
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News Editor
Chantal Gabel
President Susan A. Cole has invited the
campus community to University Hall’s offi-
cial opening, which will be held Mon. March
27 at 10:30 a.m. in the seventh-floor confer-
ence center.
Along with Cole will be Governor Jon
Corzine. During the ceremony, there will
be a presentation of the inaugural Educator
Medal of Honor, sponsored by MSU’s College
of Education and Human Services and the
New Jersey Education Association.
The $54 million facility, which was origi-
nally set to open March 20, had a highly
anticipated opening when construction began
two years ago.
According to Provost Richard Lynde,
University Hall is “the largest and most
sophisticated building project ever completed
at Montclair State University.”
15-20 percent of female college students have experienced forced intercourse, and 5-15 percent of college men have acknowledged forced sexual intercourse.

The association's statistics also pointed out that strangers committed 58 percent of all violent crimes of students, and that 56 percent of campus violence, occurs between 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

The statistic may even be flawed due to the fact that there is a serious underreporting of crimes among victims, according to the association. Additionally, The Astronomical Society of Victoria Inc., Australia reported lighting and its effect on crime in a survey that has been conducted in the past.

The society reported that The National Institute of Justice of the U.S. Department of Justice presented a comprehensive report on the matter, and in regards to the impact of lighting on crime, it has been speculated that lighting is effective in some places, ineffective in others, and counter productive in still other circumstances.

It was not proven that lighting prevents crime; however it was evaluated that the effectiveness of lighting remains unknown and that people fear less when an area is well lit.

The society conducted similar studies in the UK and said that there were some reductions in crimes committed at night but this could not be associated with the lighting improvements.

The society added that lighting can be pro-crime or assault or against the same. A light can help a burglar crack a code, or it can help spotlight an assailant, burglar or perpetrator.

The International Dark-Sky Association said that so far as campus lighting is concerned, "there is good lighting and there is bad lighting." Bad lighting was defined as lighting with an extreme amount of glare, which created shadows, providing areas for criminals to conceal their presence.

Good lighting didn't produce glare and the light distribution was well controlled, which happened to minimize dark areas. The association said that low pressure sodium lamps are the most effective type of lighting.

In regards to the assault on campus, students had mixed reactions.

Senior Early Childhood Education major Mia Lee believes the lighting on campus should improve. "I hope she didn't put out a false report I was actually kind of scared when I first heard about it," said Lee. "During the incident I had class, and I always walk by there every night. I get out around 10:00 p.m., and hearing about something like that happening makes me feel very edgy. I guess if she did fake it, she got her point across. The polygraph is absurd."

Secondary Education Dept. graduate student Lisa Roberto feels similar to Lee. "I think that [the student getting a polygraph test] is the most asinine thing I have ever heard in my life," said Roberto. "I can't believe [MSU] would waste their time and energy by conducting a polygraph test when they should be doing something to protect the students instead of questioning them."

According to Barrett, people are victims of crime in daylight, lighted areas, and inside as well as outside buildings. He offered the following advice: "Community members need to be aware of their surroundings, utilize simple precautions such as walking with a friend or using a walking escort provided by University Police each Tuesday, and report issues of safety that concern them."

Do You Feel Safe With the Lighting on Campus?

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Would the Addition of More Lighting affect How Safe You Feel?

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ARE THE REAL MEN OF MSU?

Take part in selecting the Real Men of MSU! The Center for Non-Violence and Prevention Programs ("CNVPP"), a division of University Police, is proud to announce Montclair State University's first Real Men of MSU campaign. The campaign is designed to educate the community by representing positive male role models who respect and support women and are willing to take a stand regarding violence against women. The campaign will kick-off in September, 2006 and will consist of an extensive on-campus poster/media campaign, dedicated website and calendar featuring 12 Real Men of MSU!

We are currently looking for nominations for men within the MSU community whom you believe have made a positive difference in the lives of women, women's rights and violence against women through education, organized events, speaking up for women or simply being a positive person in a woman's life. An inter-departmental committee consisting of members from The Women's Center, Wellness Education, University Police, Student Leadership Programs, Greek Life, Athletics Division, Residence Life, and the Psychology Department will select 12 men for the Real Men of MSU 2006 campaign.

Pick-up a nomination form today and nominate your "real man." Nomination forms can be picked up at the Center for Non-Violence and Prevention Programs, located in the Student Center - 2nd floor, adjacent to the cafeteria. Hurry, the Center will only be accepting nominations until March 29.
Bach meets Bird and you've already paid for your ticket.

Rhythm and Brass

Incorporating influences as divergent as Stevie Wonder, Pink Floyd, The Beatles, Johann Sebastian Bach, and Duke Ellington. Rhythm & Brass searches for the commonality in these influences and weaves them into a single concert experience.

DATE AND TIME:
March 25 at 7:30pm
MSU welcomes the College Band Directors National Association Conference

MSU Wind Symphony

Program includes works by Dimitri Shostakovich (Galop), Donald Grantham (Bum’s Rush), William Rimes (Amazing Grace), Gregory Fritz (Concertino for Tuba) and Malcolm Arnold (Peterloo Overture).

DATE AND TIME:
March 24 at 7:30pm
MSU welcomes the College Band Directors National Association Conference

Reynaldo Reyes, piano

Reyes is the Philippines’ most celebrated pianist. He is also a recipient of several international piano accolades including the Rio de Janeiro International Piano Contest, the Busoni International Piano Contest in Bolzano, Italy, and the Marguerite Long International Piano Contest in Paris.

DATE AND TIME:
March 26 at 3:00pm

For tickets or more information please call 973-655-5112 or check online at www.montclair.edu/kasser
The number of non-traditional students at MSU continues to increase each semester. coming back to school, but they continue their educations regardless.

Non-Traditional Students Face Many “Risk Factors”

Alicia Feghhi
Staff Writer

Though non-traditional student enrollment is increasing in America, not all of these students complete their degree. The 1996–98 Beginning Postsecondary Students Longitudinal Study from the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), a national sample of students enrolled in four-year colleges and universities and two-year colleges, reported that 50 percent of non-traditional students seeking a bachelor's degree were no longer enrolled for any degree three years later, compared with 17 percent of traditional students. According to the U.S. Department of Education’s (USDE) 2002 Condition of Education for Non-Traditional Undergraduates, there are several "risk factors" associated with non-traditional status: financial independence, part-time attendance, delayed enrollment, full-time work, dependents, single parenthood and lack of a high school diploma or a GED. These are negative factors that block the ability of students to stay in school and earn their degree.

One of the studies in the USDE report of non-traditional student attrition, conducted by researchers J. Bean and B. Metzner, stated that non-traditional students face circumstantial barriers (unable to make child care arrangements or pay for college) need services to ease them into the academic transition by enabling them to concentrate on the student role, like having flexible class scheduling, child care arrangements and job

Alicia Feghhi
Staff Writer

Going back to school holds a different meaning for Glenda Smith, a senior early childhood education major at Montclair State University (MSU) now. It no longer is about the "Black to School" sale, where she would spongle at stores for dorm supplies and accessories. And no longer is it a time to party all night while somehow finishing writing a paper.

"Returning to school is a time and a place to learn, live and grow," said Smith, 60, who went back to school in 2002 after a 35-year absence.

She is one of Montclair State University's 2,116 non-traditional students this semester. Size also represents the increasing trend of non-traditional students in U.S. colleges and universities, at 56.7 percent, according to a 2003 poll by The Chronicle of Higher Education, a magazine of news about education and jobs for university faculty members and administrators.

A non-traditional student is characterized as being 25 years or older who has not gone to college, has no other academic history other than high school or GED and has graduated from high school or an equivalent institution more than two years ago.

Although MSU's total of non-traditional students continues to increase, MSU has a lack of specialized programs (see box) for non-traditional students compared to other New Jersey State universities, like Wilkinson Paterson University's (WPU) Center for Continuing Education and Distance Learning (CEDL) and its College of Continuing Studies (CCS).

Smith, an African American and North Carolina native, dropped out of high school in her hometown of Linville as a junior in 1966 because she got pregnant and soon married. The Smith family moved to New Jersey the following year. In 1967 she got her GED at Kennedy High School in Paterson and since then has been working at Head Start Child Care Center in Paterson as a daycare assistant, where she works weekdays from 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Head Start is also paying for her courses.

Eyes of A Non-Traditional Student

Alicia Feghhi
Staff Writer

When Walsh spoke, she distinguished herself from her classmates by mentioning the following:

- 44 years old
- Hasn't attended school in 10 years
- Married: married for 20 years
- Children: 3 daughters, 15-year-old twins and a 15-year-old
- Life experience

Walsh reflects the qualities of a non-traditional student. Walsh, a full-time communications/public

Aruba Really Is “One Happy Island”

The Most Memorable Moments of One Editor's Spring Break

Jessica Havery
Former Arts and Entertainment Editor

I still had two days left in Aruba when I started to dread my return to the good ole Garden State. Of course, who would voluntarily leave the sunny days spent horseback riding on the coast of a Caribbean island to return to a state that truly isn't even a garden state?

Aruba, on the other hand, does live up to the white "One Happy Island" slogan imprinted on the red license plates of its street legal ATVs and rented Jeeps. For seven days, my friends and I roamed the island in hopes of discovering just how happy Aruba was and, believe me, we found happiness.

Now before you jump to conclusions, this wasn't the typical college spring break vaca-

Instead, there were one-hour massages, days on the beach, sunsets by the pool, evenings on the town and late-nights in the hot tub. There were no clocks; no cell phones and virtually no connection to anyone outside of Aruba. For seven days, aside from a little sun burn and two hours of rain, my life was perfect. Here are ten reasons why:

Beachfront resorts, horseback riding and constant happy hours made Aruba the best place to go to for spring break.

The People:
I love to travel, but don't always do well traveling in groups. There is a very small list of people that I could spend seven straight days with and, luckily, I found those travel companions in Mike, Brian and Elissa. With such a laid back group, making plans was always easy and never hectic. Even though we spent a lot of time apart doing different things, our nights on the town were very eventful and plenty revealing.

Eagle Beach:
Our hotel, La Cabana, sits right on the edge of Eagle Beach. After walking approxi-

courtesy of www.lacabana.com

Aruba Website:
For more information on Aruba, visit their website at www.aruba.com

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Motto: "One Happy Island"

Beaches:
- Eagle Beach
- Palm Beach
- Noord Beach

Sunshine:
- 330 sunny days each year

Horseback Riding:
- Aruba Riding Adventures

La Cabana Beach Resort & Spa:
- La Cabana Beach Resort & Spa
- "One Happy Island"

Drinks:
- Starbucks
- Happy Hour

Dancing:
- Disco"
Dear J and J,

I've been dating my girlfriend for a while now. She's still speaks to her ex and it makes me feel uncomfortable especially when they spend time together alone. I trust my girlfriend but I can't help but feel I'm she has grown.

What should I do?

Jose Ortiz
Managing Editor

Depending on the amount of time you've been together, I think that it is quite normal to feel a little intimidated by the ex. This intimidation can make you feel insecure, especially since your girlfriend still holds relations with her ex.

In a perfect world your girlfriend would hate her ex-boyfriend because he cheated on her or lied to her. But not all relationships end in disaster. There is such a thing as a mutual understanding of unbelievable differences, which could cause a couple to peacefully go in their own directions. So your girlfriend didn't have a bad break up and as a result, she still spends time with her ex.

The first thing I would say to do is to not hint that you feel intimidated or threatened by him, unless something happens that crosses a line. So long as he's not leaning in to kiss her, you aren't finding love notes, and they aren't on the phone with each other until the early morning hours, you should stay cool. But if she's spending more time with him than she has with you, or he's buying her lavish gifts, it's time to sit down and discuss the situation with your girl.

Before you start telling her about the problem, however, think about how you may have affected this situation from your end. Firstly, you don't specify in your question how soon after the initial break-up you two got together. You might be a rebound, and that's a position you have to keep yourself out of. If you might be a rebound and she's still spending time with her ex, there's a chance that your fear aren't unwarrented.

Also, make sure that you are doing everything you can to do make her happy in the relationship. If you are working all of the time or hanging out with your friends instead of her, you are lowering her no choice, but to go back to what is familiar to her. As long as you are confident that you haven't been anything less than a good boyfriend, you have every right to question her about it.

Be reasonable. Don't tell her that she can never see him again, because you two aren't married and may not have even been together long enough to warrant that sort of request. Acting a little jealous lets her know that you care, too much, is just overbearing though.

No one likes being compared so body else. Her hanging out with her ex, inadvertently pits you next to him and puts you in a position to live up to him. That's not fair to you, and if that's the feeling you are getting from this, then you should let her know immediately. However, if you really trust your girlfriend you should stay quiet until it becomes a serious problem.

Right now I think it's likely that your anxiety is just playing tricks on your mind.

Jessica Sproviero
Assistant Graphics Editor

Even though they have a history, it may not mean anything. Their previous relationship did end for one reason or another. It's always a bad idea to trust your friends, and they could realize that. Although rare, it is possible to remain friends forever loved ones; just not to an exten­sive point.

Acquaintances are just, just make sure your motives are as inno­cent as you believe hers to be. Try making the effort to befrend him yourself. Prove to your girl that you can trust her and that you can accept her friends. You may actually like the guy and find there was nothing to be worried about. The more information you have about the two of them the better; keeping yourself uninformed will slowly grow away at your trust. I hope this helps.

You do want to put her in a situation where she will have to make a choice. Few are more vicious than a female backed into a corner and she will most likely fight back. It is a difficult situation, but ignoring it will only lead to further complications. Bring it up, express your concern, and then maybe your girl will be able to separate herself from the guy and find there was nothing to be worried about. Make demands and accusations, but show that softer, more vulnerable side. If she sees how genuine you are she will most likely see the light and pay more attention to you. Just remem­ber; just because there is no sex involved does not mean your relationship is safe.

If you have any questions you would like answered by our team of sex and relationship advisers, send an e-mail to MNU.Postalmail@gmail.com with "Sex Said, She Said" in the subject line.

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ARUBA
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There's something to be said about seeing the desert and uninhabited coastline of an island on horseback.

...except, of course, watching the drunken hijax of a woman in her 40s. Imagine mine bared, that this serpent thing that could travel from one pool bar to the other to cash in on the two-for-one specials. By the end of the six-hour time frame, if everyone has their way, the hotel has cooled in completely and the guest is so trashed they don't even realize the need to drink on the beach.

I am proud of Aruba for choosing a slogan that actually suits their lifestyle. Not one, but I did encounter an unhappy Aruban, except maybe for the performers at the festival. Even running into New Jersey vacationers like myself proved to be a happy experience and, rather than flipping each other the traditional Turnipke finger, we exchanged exit numbers and rejoiced in our chances meeting. I guess it would be ridiculous to expect New Jersey to be a happy state. In fact, if Aruba wasn't solely dependent on the sup­port and express your own Aruba -Aruba vacation, provides the perfect opportunity for Aruba to live up to their slogan.

Horseback Riding:

With Elena started our voyage to the lighthouse at the end of the island, we had no idea it would be a five-mile walk in the humid Aruban weather. After making our way through four resorts, a few neighbor­hoods and a small desert we saw the one sight that Arubans pride themselves on: the bottom of the lighthouse cliff, there was an entire family of goats. Having read that goats roam wild in Aruba and are often more concerned with kicking you out of the way to seeing a random goat in the middle of the street. The five-mile walk paid off. I got a chance to see the beauty of the goats and, after climbing a few cliffs to get to the lighthouse, got some great photos of an amazing cliffside.

One Happy Island:

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Non-Traditional Students are present on campus, coexisting with traditional undergrads everyday.

“I just love learning and I believe education is something no one can take away from you,” Smith said.

Smith, a woman, also represents the majority of non-traditional students. There are 58 percent of female, undergraduate, non-traditional students, compared to 42 percent of men, according to the National Center for Education Statistics (NCES), which collects data about education in the United States and other nations.

Though Smith no longer has to cook a big meal at home for her family, she said the responsibilities are still endless.

“I have to play the role of a student, a mother, a friend and an employee,” she said.

“It is hard to keep up with the baggage of those different identities.”

According to Provost Richard Lynde, MSU used to have a CCS similar to WPU’s CSE, until the director resigned in 2001. “We did two national searches, neither of which was successful, and found that the type of person we were looking for could command a very significant salary and would require additional staff,” Lynde said. He also said there wasn’t enough classroom and housing space for a CCS.

Rather than “limp along at a modest level,” he said MSU decided to focus in post-baccalaureate education by “revitalizing master’s programs, creating doctoral programs and encouraging departments to enter the continuing education realm by offering certificate programs,” such as child advocacy and management. However, there are a few certificate options open to undergraduates, like computer training.

With the opening of University Hall this semester, Lynde said it may bring forth “a number of space renovations and assignments” which may give room in both administrative and classroom space to re-establish a Continuing Education program within the next two to three years.

Smith looks forward to a Continuing Education program and said she could benefit from a few services for non-traditional students, like WPU’s CSE and its CEDL.

“It would be beneficial and would make it easier for adults to adjust to a learning environment,” she said. “Having a CCS would also be exciting.”

WPU’s CSE offers certificates as well as personal and professional development programs, and has classes scheduled during evenings and weekends, according to Joanne Ciriello, WPU’s Coordinator of Educational Outreach. She said the CEDL gives students the option to attend fully or partially-online courses to provide flexible time management opportunities.

To illustrate this trend, the National Center for Education Statistics (2000) reported 91 percent of public university students and about 50 percent of all private institutions, represented a total of 1.6 million students, were offering or planning to suggest, online distance education.

Smith would love to be part of that statistic.

“Participating in distance education may permit us to defeat some of the difficulties we stumble upon in managing school and work schedules,” she said.

Lynde said distance education is a very complex and costly project, and does not think that pure distance education is useful. However, he said MSU is making use of distance systems in the languages and through the study abroad program, which connects students at MSU with students in other countries.

“The mix of face-to-face and distance experiences in a single course enables the best of both approaches to be shared in one course experience,” he said.

In addition to WPU’s CSE, its Center for Continuing Education and Distance Learning (CEDL) allows working adults to earn their degree at their own pace and work around their schedules, according to the CEDL website. It features online courses and non-credit courses, as well as on-site corporate training.

“We bridge the need for professional development and the demanding schedule of today’s working adults by having instructors visit their work places,” said Grijalva, WPU’s Coordinator of Educational Outreach. It enables businesses to arrange to have faculty teach an academic degree or certificate program at the company site so they can conveniently complete their degrees at their own workplace.

For now, non-traditional students may utilize MSU’s Center for Academic Adult Advising and Learning (CAAL) for non-traditional students in March 2002 in accordance with Nicole Weir, Assistant Director of the CAAL. She said the CAAL offers access to higher education and academic support for non-traditional students who are seeking to begin or complete undergraduate degree programs.

Instead of taking the New Student Experience course, the CAAL has developed its own new student experience course, the Adult Academic Success Seminar, a two-credit course taught by instructors who understand adult learning theories.

Credit for life experience is an option that MSU shares with 2,900 colleges in America that offers the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP), which gives undergraduates an opportunity to demonstrate college-level achievement through tests in undergraduate courses.

Students may earn credit for life experience through the evaluating services of the New York University Proficiency Testing in Foreign Languages or at Thomas Edison State College (TESC) in Trenton. According to the TESC website, it is one of New Jersey’s 12 public universities of higher education, and its mission is to provide in one of the top 20 schools in the nation that use technology for learning opportunities to adults.

Along with MSU, universities such as Kean, WPU and Fairleigh Dickinson each have a non-degree program for students who want to enroll in courses without seeking admission to a degree program, according to the university websites.

Weir said the majority of students want a degree for personal satisfaction or want to achieve skills for a new career, said Weir, “and because more and more corporations emphasize having a degree in anything, the numbers of non-traditional students will more than likely increase to meet the demand.”

Weir said non-traditional students easily apply their knowledge in their current careers and take advantage of opportunities because they have learned to never let them pass by nor take them for granted. She said Business Administration and Family and Child Studies are the popular majors of non-traditional students. She also hopes to see an increase of non-traditionals, like Smith, at MSU.

“With so much life experience, I think non-traditional students take school more seriously and they don’t party the day before a final,” Dalton said.

On average, Frank Erdman, MSU’s Assistant Campus Director, said it takes up to eight years for non-traditionals to finish their degree program due to their part-time status, while it takes five years for full-time students.

No matter how long it takes Smith to get her degree, she looks forward to earning her teaching certificate, and she will take it to the grave.

With a hearty chuckle, she said, “If I die in the classroom, I’ll be happy.”
relations major who resides in Essex Fells, has an edge over her classmates in regards to life experience. While living in London, her mom was in Florida dying of cancer. Walsh was with her mom when she passed at The Hospice by the Sea in Florida.

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AWARDS: Six (6) $500 Scholarships in 2006 for MSU Students

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These scholarships are named for Catherine A. Becker, who has served as the president of Local 1904 for twenty-five years, and for the early supporters of the faculty, librarian and professional staff union: James P. Keenen III, Joseph T. Moore, Anita E. Uhia and Connie Waller. One of the 6 scholarships will be given in honor of Catherine A. Becker's sister, Ellen Kerns Nunn. Following Ellen's death last spring, Local 1904's Executive Board decided to show our esteem for Catherine and her family by designating one of our six scholarships as the Ellen Kerns Nunn Scholarship. Ellen, an MSU alumna, was a single working parent. This specific award is designated for a single parent who is working (full – or part-time) while pursuing an education at MSU. If no one applies in this category or if an applicant for this specific award does not meet the first three criteria listed below, the scholarship will revert to the general pool.

ELIGIBILITY: Eligibility is limited to students who:

a. are enrolled full time at Montclair State University at the time the award payment is made;

b. are not on academic or disciplinary suspension or probation;

c. in whole or in part depend on their own work for the economic resources for their enrollment at Montclair State University.

Applicants for the Ellen Kerns Nunn scholarship

d. must be working full or part-time and supporting at least one dependent child in their household.

e. if graduate students must be enrolled for a minimum of 6 hours.

APPLICATION: A complete application consists of the following:

a. a completed application form and essay prepared by the student; and

b. letters of recommendation from a combination of any two of the following employed at Montclair State University: faculty members, professional staff members, or librarians who are members of the AFT Local 1904 bargaining unit.

c. For applicants for the Ellen Kerns Nunn scholarship: In addition to a and b you will need to submit a notarized statement that you are a working single parent with at least one dependent child in your household.

Please make sure that you show this form to individuals whom you ask for a reference to insure that they belong to one of these three groups. MSU administrators and adjunct faculty cannot be members of the Local and therefore recommendation letters cannot be accepted from them.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION: Applicants will be evaluated on the basis of:

a. an essay describing the student’s need, the role of higher education in the student’s life, plans for using the scholarship, career goals, achievements, community service; and

b. the candidate’s two (2) letters of recommendation from AFT Local 1904 bargaining unit members.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: The student application packet (cover sheet and essay, notarized statement if applicable) and the two (2) letters of recommendation must be received no later than 4:00 P.M., Wednesday, April 12, 2006 by:

Linda Turano, Office Manager
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The application can also be downloaded at www.aftlocal1904.org/kmschol.htm and are available in Room 208, College Hall; and in the EOF office, 2nd floor, Morehead Hall.
The Department of Residential Education and Services would like to thank our entire student staff for your hard work, tireless dedication to the students of MSU, and all the little things you do to make a big difference.
Sanity Comes At A Price In Beyond Therapy

MSU Players Examine Mental Health In Durang's Comedy

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Beyond Therapy

Dr. Michael Klimak
Director: Leah Klimak-krishnan
And Michael Precotto

Sanity has never been especially prominent in the first floor of the Student Center in Anaheim, and with the opening of the Players production of Beyond Therapy (March 2-5), directed by Michael Klimak, a new level of psychic intrigue enters the arena.

The Christopher Durang comedy features two dysfunctional leads, each "seeking romance" who are initially incapable of being participants in a functional relationship, two therapists, who only contribute to the mayhem that unfolded, a homosexual boyfriend and a waiter whose absence from the plot provides the dead stag time for the awkward beginnings of a relationship between Prudence (Leish Kreunenacker) and Bruce (Michael Precotto), the leads. Bruce and Prudence answer each other's personal ads, at a meeting spot in a New York restaurant. Bruce is bisexual, presently living with a man, but wants to fill an emotional void by pursuing a relationship with a woman.

Prudence, is neurotic and in her thirties. Bruce is nervous and insatiable upon their initial meeting only perpetuates Prudence's neuroses. Bruce's incompetent attempt at courtship generates a dramatic response from Prudence who is thoroughly offended.

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"Beyond Therapy is consistently entertaining, and while the plot dragged at points, the absurdity of it was enough to keep the play amusing throughout."

by Bruce's first compliment, "You have lovely eyelashes." Moreover, the two characters meet with their therapists in the second and third scenes. Prudence's therapist, Stuart Framingham (Gerald Vaughn) is professional on first impression, but we soon learn of an ongoing sexual relationship between Prudence and Dr. Michael Klimak, who is also Prudence's therapist.

Prudence repeatedly threatens that each denies the other's existence, a premise of sexual frustration and mental disorder. They both pursue a relationship with a woman. The play is a sort of organization and professionalism is the strongest comedic element in the play.

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Bruce, undoubtedly the reason for the team's unsuccessful therapy sessions. Prudence repeatedly threatens that each denies the other's existence, a premise of sexual frustration and mental disorder. They both pursue a relationship with a woman.

Bruce's therapy, and ironically proves to be the least rational of the two, in the third scene of art. One confrontation between Prudence, who develops a liking for Bruce during their second restaurant encounter, and Bob, Bruce's partner, happens in their apartment, at a dinner date meant to be exclusively for Bruce and Prudence.

Boat, biter about Bruce's new female companion, intrudes on not leaving the apartment as was pre-arranged, and confronts Prudence, rendering her more emotionally on edge than she had been. The scene results in a spiral wreck from Bob and a harangue phone dialogue with Bob's overhearing mother. Beyond Therapy is consistently funny

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No Toupee or Comb-Over For These Actresses
Adopting The Sinead O'Connor Look On Film Often Leads To Mixed Results

By Marc Schwarz
ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

Bruce Willis shaved his head for 12 Monkeys, no big deal. Colin Farrell lopped off his locks for Daredevil, nary a word. Vin Diesel let the sun shine on all his dune for xXx, not a peep. But what's the one thing most people know about V for Vendetta, the thriller that opens Friday? It's the flick that Natalie Portman shaved her head for.

Not since Keri Russell cut her hair short when Felicity was a must-watch show among a certain demographic has a haircut been the source of so much discussion. Maybe it was the startling transformation from the Queen Amidala cinnamon-bun 'do in Star Wars to the Sinead O'Connor look for her red carpet appearances, but Google "Natalie Portman shaved head," and you get 410,000 hits.

Here's a look at other actresses who've bared it all from the neck up:

Demi Moore
Film: G.I. Jane
Year: 1997
Role: E.J. Jordan O'Neil

Why the shaved head? To prove she can be just as tough as any other Navy SEAL candidates, Moore's O'Neill buzzed it all off.

Fallout: The movie was a bomb, earning Moore her second consecutive Worst-Actress Razzie. It would also be her last big-budget film for awhile; her next was 2003's Charlie's Angels: Full Throttle.

Natalie Portman shocked audiences by going bald for her role in the big-screen adaptation of Alan Moore's graphic novel V for Vendetta, but no one knows for sure if the film will be a success or another G.F. Jane-style flop.

Angela: Full Throttle
Sigourney Weaver
Film: Alien 3

Why the shaved head? After Ripley's pod crashes on another planet and her shipmates are killed, she wakes up in a prison without her flowing locks.

Fallout: Because of production problems, filming was halted. When it resumed months later, Weaver's hair had grown back. She would have it reshaved only for a $40,000 bonus. The producers decided to save money and paid $16,000 to have a bald cap with very short hair made.

Samantha Morton
Film: Minority Report
Year: 2002
Role: Agatha

Why the shaved head? She's a "PreCog," who's wired up to a contraption that enables her to see into the future so murderers can be arrested before they commit the crime.

Fallout: The two-time Oscar nominee kept the short-cropped look for her next two films, In America and Code 46.

Cate Blanchett
Film: Heaven
Year: 2002
Role: Philippa

Why the shaved head? To avoid being recognized after she escapes from prison.

Fallout: The look didn't last long, but it did have a side benefit, enabling her to fulfill a childhood fantasy. "As a teenager, I wanted to shock my mother and cut off all my hair," she said.

Persis Khambatta
Film: Star Trek The Motion Picture
Year: 1979
Role: Lt. Ilia

Why the shaved head? It was the look sported by Deltan aliens who served as navigators on the starship USS Enterprise.

Fallout: The former Miss India asked producer Gene Roddenberry to take out insurance in case her hair didn't grow back. It did. Her film career never took off, and she died of a heart attack in 1998 at age 47.

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Texas is the Reason and Sunny Day Real Estate. The band unforgettingly combines elements of metal, and punk while making sure that the vocal melodies of Woosley take center stage.

One of the golden rules for a hard rock band that features a pure vocalist is that the vocalist be able to carry the music completely on their back at times.

Woosley's powerful voice is showcased throughout the album and for good reason. The band lets their music play a subordinate role to Woosley's striking vocal style as it pierces the guttural thickness of the band's muddily sound.

The main bright side of Morning Over Midnight is reserved for the lamenting music fan that is sitting back and already waiting for a reiteration of late 90s rock era. Nasal sounding vocals and songs about teenage girls seem to be toping the charts lately. With the rise of lighter pop punk bands like Fall Out Boy, Fivespeed offers a legitimate alternative as they contain neither.

While Morning over Midnight is largely a musical onslaught, the band breaks from their wall-of-sound style guitar distortion to introduce calmer ballad type tracks like destined radio hit "Blame It On You" and the acoustic finale "Misery Loves Company."

The album has its share of flaws however. The album tracks fall into the trap of blending into one another due to periodic moments of repetitious guitar tonality and basic chord progressions.

The dynamics of the rhythm section follow a very structured pattern as well. The album would seem like a step backward for fun experimentation and the indie-rock mentality. Fivespeed is concerned with a very straightforward style that can be digested without much analysis or interpretation.

The band's transparency is clearly reflected in Woosley's blatant lyrical style, "You've made your mark on me, now it's plain as day to see." Nonetheless, the band seems not to want to promise anything but a return to a strong established formulated idea that has been developed over recent years in rock. How will the band's appeal to a fading rock era affect their future? Only time will tell.

FIVESPEED cont'd from p 12

Life Is On It's Death Bed

VH1 Reality Show Loses Steam

David Bianculli
ST Campus

The mismatched faded-glory roommates on The Surreal Life, like the series itself, used to be fun to watch.

That's no longer true. Sunday's sixth-sea­son premiere of the series (at 9 p.m. EST on VH1), featured a cast that's largely unfamiliar, distressingly uninteresting, and based on the selective samples VH1 has sent out from this new season collectively revolving. It's so revolting, in fact, that I'd like to lead the revol by calling for this series, which I once supported as entertaining, to be put out of its misery. Or, at least, out of ours. Originally, taking the forced cohabitation concept of MTV's The Real World and applying it to former celebrities was a funny idea. The original cast, back when The WB launched the show in 2003, included MC Hammer, Emmanuel Lewis, Corey Feldman and Gabrielle Carteris, none of whom seemed to be in on the joke that they were part of that joke.

Season two was even better, inspired by the pairing of, and intriguing connection between, evangelist Tammy Faye Bakker and porn star Ron Jeremy. The third go-round, the first on VH1, fea­tured an even odder pairing, Brigitte Nielsen and Flavor Flav, a romance that lasted just long enough to tease into a spinoff series, Strange Love.

Season four also generated a spinoff, My Fair Brady, thanks to the romance between former Brady Bunch star Christopher Knight and former America's Top Model winner Adrienne Curry.

Season four also included a moment I deliberately refrained from describing spe­cifically in my review: A naked and drunken Verne Troyer, either mistaking the hallway for a bathroom or not caring, relieving himself as the camera and as the eyes of his roommates, rolled.

The fifth season was filled with even more disagreeable folks, from Osmarse to Jessica Dickinson, and by that point The Surreal Life had devolved into an annoying, competi­tion for camera time and spinoff possibili­ties.

Speaking of spinoffs, the latest Flavor Flav show, Flavor of Love, just ended its run with 5.9 million viewers, the most ever tuned in Weekly.

So VH1 executives aren't likely to can­cel the mother ship. The Surreal Life, any time soon, despite my complaints, unless they do something really drastic. Like watch it. Edition six commandments Florence Henderson of The Brady Bunch as a special hostess, probably because the cast itself has all the star wattage of a night light.

Take away Sherman Hemsley of The Jeffersons, and what have you got? A bunch of pecos-celebrities you couldn't identify in a police lineup, even if you wanted to: Playboy playmate Andrea Lowell, Poison bassist C.C. Deville, Steve Harwell of Smashmouth and Patricia Arquette's transgendered broth­er, Alexis.

Oh, and former Whittaker's video star Tawny Kitaen, whose vacuum-brained act here is either a calculated attempt to cash in on Jessica Simpson-type "tuna/chicken" stu­pidity, or a pitiful exposure of someone who doesn't know a weathervane from a "water vain" (whatever that might be), and whose attempts to ask a question as a TV reporter for a day had me asking the question, "Why am I watching this?" With this shallow a non-talent pool, there's no good reason.

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Worst Actor
Rob Schneider (Deuce Bigalow: European Gigolo)
Will Ferrell (Bewitched)
The Rock (Doom)
Jamie Kennedy (Son of the Mask)
Tom Cruise (War of the Worlds)

Worst Actress
Jenny McCarthy (Dirty Love)
Tarra Reid (Alone in the Dark)
Hillary Duff (The Perfect Man)
Hillary Duff (Cheaper by the Dozen 2)
Jessie Alba (Fantastic Four)
Jennifer Lopez (Monster-in-Law)
Jessica Alba (Into the Blue)

Worst Supporting Actor
Hayden Christensen (Star Wars: Revenge of the Sith)
Eugene Levy (The Man)
Alan Cumming (Son of the Mask)
Eugene Levy (Cheaper by the Dozen 2)
Burt Reynolds (The Dukes of Hazard)
Bob Hoskins (Son of the Mask)
Burt Reynolds (The Longest Yard)

Worst Supporting Actress
Paris Hilton (House of Wax)
Katie Holmes (Batman Begins)
Carmen Electra (Dirty Love)
Jessica Simpson (The Dukes of Hazzard)
Ashlee Simpson (Undiscovered)

Worst Director
John Malcovich Asher (Dirty Love)
Uwe Boll (Alone in the Dark)
Nora Ephron (Bewitched)
Jay Chandrasekhar (The Dukes of Hazzard)

Worst Screenplay
Jenny McCarthy (Dirty Love)
Nora Ephron, Delia Ephron and Adam McKay (Bewitched)
Rob Schneider, David Garrett and Jason Ward (Deuce Bigalow: European Gigolo)
John O’Brien (The Dukes of Hazard)
Lance Khazei (Son of the Mask)

Worst Remake or Sequel
Son of the Mask
Bewitched
Deuce Bigalow: European Gigolo
The Dukes of Hazard
House of Wax

Worst Screen Couple
Will Ferrell and Nicole Kidman (Bewitched)
Rob Schneider and his diapers (Deuce Bigalow: European Gigolo)
Jenny McCarthy and anyone dumb enough to befriend or date her (Dirty Love)
Jessica Simpson and her “Daisy Dukes” (The Dukes of Hazard)
Jamie Kennedy and anybody stuck sharing the screen with him (Son of the Mask)

Dirty Love, the Razzie Award winner for Worst Picture, includes a sequence where our heroine (Jenny McCarthy) runs around a supermarket leaking period blood.

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Concerning Campus Security

Reporting on an assault on campus is a regrettable job for The Montclarion. Luckily, Montclair State University is a relatively safe campus that enjoys a low rate of violent crime. Perhaps that is what makes this story more sensational.

However, what may be just as tragic are the inadequacies that led to this incident. Students and administrators alike have known for years that lighting is a dark spot on the campus in terms of both facilities and safety.

The issue has been brought up repeatedly in Safety Committee meetings, with some issues dismissed as addressed in a mysterious "master plan." Such a master plan is no consolation to the poor woman who was victim to the assault near the Drop-In Center.

This borders on negligence, in that MSU knew of an active safety issue yet chose to put it off. According to the story, the lights were placed in response to this incident? We may never know if more police patrols would have prevented this incident, but they couldn't hurt.

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It is never an effective tactic. However, it is interesting that this person possibly concluded that the only way to bring upon change was inventing disaster. Perhaps she's on to something since lobbying by other means so often yields no results. If it was going to take an assault to get lighting in this area, we would much rather it be a phony assault than a legitimate one. After all, if it came out that the story was fabricated, will the university undo the placement of the lights placed in response to this incident?

Again the university is showing disregard for current students, ignoring pressing issues, and focusing on future students such as by building new buildings.

This is symptomatic of one of the university's largest faults, reactionary practices instead of proactively solving problems. It took the look of over ten-thousand social security numbers for the university to finally get serious about protecting student privacy information.

The allegations that the alleged victim made up the story in order to bring attention to a crusade of sorts is interesting. The practice of making up false police stories endangers the lives of those officers responding, costs quite a bit of money in overtime and other expenses and keeps officers away from other important tasks.

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Correction from March 9th Issue:

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Statistics of the Week

New sales tax rate proposed by Governor Corzine.
Saint Patrick’s In The Motherland

Abroad Columnist Reflects On Progress And Regress In Ireland On The Irish Holiday

So there I was last Friday, my body pressed against a guardrail, my eyes strain-
ing to catch a glimpse of any developments coming my way. The scene was O’Connell Street in Dublin, where I anticipated the pleasures of a St. Patrick’s Day celebration in the Irish capital of the world. Thousands of people joined me that morning, hoary dressed in defense of freezing rain and gusting wind, bemoaning the slight delays affecting the parade’s start. But as the celebration commenced, complete with marching bands, colorful floats and, yes, the occasional human leprechaun walking the streets, one thought came to mind: New York and Chicago may have larger budgets and bombastic on this day, but the heart and soul of Paddy’s Day is here in Ireland.

Also, here in Ireland were hundreds of Gardai (the plural form of police officers over here) on St. Patrick’s Day, at times in groups of up to six looming over the proceedings, looking for any suspicious activity. Nothing more than standard operating procedure for an event of this magnitude, correct? Well ... Perhaps not.

On Feb. 25 of this year, Dublin allowed a “Love Ulster” march to take place, one organized by citizens of Northern Ireland (still under English rule) to honor those murdered by the Irish Republican Army (IRA) during “The Troubles.” This period led to nearly 3,200 deaths over this time as those in favor of NI independence clashed with those loyal to the crown. While the popular belief may hold that difficulties between the two groups have largely subsided, in actuality there is still an air of distrust and uneasiness.

This was demonstrated in the immediate wake of the Ulster march, as hundreds of “Republican” supposedly in support for Ireland (and wearing the flag as a mask of identity), took to the streets throwing rocks and petrol bombs through shop windows and at Gardai, smashing cars and assaulting several bystanders. While no one was killed, 14 Gardai and civilians were injured and required medical attention. Most notably, however, was the relatively weak showing of police force on the scene (reportedly, less than 100 Gardai were present when the riot began and were not authorized to break up the mayhem within several hours later).

While they held their ground, rioters pelted them with rocks and other debris (including construction bricks left over from street restoration), all the while waiting for some coordination from their superiors. The single Garda (police, singular form) helicopter did not arrive until most of the rioting had broken up and dispersed.

Currently, there is great debate over the numbers of Gardai currently out protecting Ireland. Bertie Ahern, the Taoisoch (Prime Minister) maintains that they number nearly 14,000, as reported by the Irish Independent. But it was recently revealed that the number of Gardai patrolling Dublin has only been increased by two (!) over the last calendar year (from 3,740 to 3,742). These statistics, however, have been denied by the Justice Minister Michael McDowell, who claims that the numbers have increased from last March’s 3,685 to their “current” level at 3,794, an increase of 109. But while the celebrations of St. Patrick’s Day went largely without incident last Friday, the Ulster march is a troubling reminder that regardless of what they may number, the current numbers and training are not sufficient enough to police an Ireland which has been rapidly growing over the past decade or so.

Economically, Ireland has doubled in size during the 1990s, earning the moniker of the “Celtic Tiger” for its remarkable growth and prosperity. Indeed, Ireland’s population grew by nearly ten percent from 3.5 million citizens (excluding NI) in 1991 to nearly four million in April of 2002. Though this was formerly a country caricatured by potato farming and local drunkards, it is now a shining example of prosperity, and better yet, the positive impact the European Union can have on its lesser member nations. Just an afternoon’s tour through Dublin and the surrounding suburbs brings evidence of newly constructed bridges, rail systems and other infrastructure, all with the EU flag emblazoned on the side accompanied by the words “Funded by the European Union.” Ask around; this is a different Ireland than the one that existed in 1990.

What is the price of all of this? Rapid development makes for a nice series of press conferences, but as students at Montclair State University can attest, maintenance of infrastructure and human services must be advanced simultaneously to ensure successful results. Last year, 25,913 bench warrants for arrest were handed out by the Irish District Court and as reported by the Irish Independent, 8,507 still have not been enforced by the Gardai. Meanwhile, 85 percent of burglaries last year went undetected, while nearly 44 percent of serious assaults went undetected as well. From the department of massive understatements, these statistics are troubling.

The truth of the matter is that Ireland has been ill-prepared to deal with its own growing pains, as the police presence makes clear. There’s little question that the overall effect of being Westernized on par with the rest of Europe has been a good thing for the nation. But if it finds itself unable to meet the demands of such a burgeoning country, then perhaps Ireland would be best advised scaling back its “progress” until the other aspects of life can catch up. The faces and people that populate this country are not figures on a ledger, statistics for the economic engine of Western civilization. They represent the highest priority of Ireland and need to be addressed as such.

Karl DeVries, an English major currently studying abroad in Ireland, is a former opinion editor for The Montclarion.
Wrestling’s Final Takedown
Placing The Blame for The Misfortune of The Wrestling Team

I was shocked to hear the news that the wrestling team had been cut for the second time in two years. As a reporter who has covered this team extensively, I know that news really hurt a lot of the students on the team. The fact is that for the past two years the Red Hawk wrestlers have been put through trials and tribulations that the other athletic programs at MSU dare not dream about.

When I questioned Athletic Director Holly Gera about the decision to go with Torres instead of Sabol, she said that it was confidential. Almost two full seasons after this initial decision and she still has yet to give me, Sabol, the wrestlers or anyone else a reason as to why she made the decision. Supposedly it’s ‘confidential.’ That’s usually the school’s way of saying that they don’t want to speak about something because it’s too controversial.

Why can’t we as students know the motivations behind university decisions? We are adults, yet they shied us from the truth as though we were six year olds on the brink of discovering that there is no Santa. I wonder if Gera knows that she made the wrong decision in hiring Torres. She’ll have to be blind or stupid to not know that now.

It was suggested to me by many people that the reason Torres was brought in was to intentionally bring down the program. I couldn’t believe it at first, but looking at the most face the fact that their MSU wrestling careers are now doomed. Yeah, great university, right?

The worst part about this is that their reasoning could be called vague at best. Dr. Pennington says that the atmosphere was not appropriate for college students. Well, when the coach you hire is berating the players and making lewd sexual comments towards his athletes, I guess that would make for an uncomfortable atmosphere. Why should the wrestlers be punished because of the immaturity of one coach?

It is obvious through this decision that the reason Torres was brought in was to intentionally bring down the program... it would be a shame to think that those could be the motivations of our university administrators.”

Jose Ortiz, an English major, is in his first year as managing editor for The Montclarion.

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Question of The Week

What Is Good About Montclair State University?

Danielle Mullins

Year: Freshman  
Major: Art

“Montclair is diverse and very open-minded.”

Erika Pickus

Year: Freshman  
Major: Dance

“The diversity. It is right near New York City!”

Kristen Shephard

Year: Freshman  
Major: Musical Theatre

“The diversity of students and my friends make the school the best it can be.”

Owen Amster

Year: Sophomore  
Major: Accounting

“The ability to drink in the Village”

Tracy Anne Rouniquel

Year: Junior  
Major: Marketing and Management

“The diversity is amazing. I always meet someone new everyday.”

Trevor McNeal

Year: Junior  
Major: English

“It’s easy to find something to do on campus.”

Eric Sylvester

Year: Junior  
Major: Education

“The ways that they are trying to make MSU a better looking place, like the new buildings.”

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Workplace power struggles are now unavailing; after Monday, group assignments and business decisions will require diplomacy. Minor department or personal criticism may this week strain key relationships.

Team business assignments, although socially complicated, will soon offer tangible rewards. Many Geminis will now be asked to correct the mistakes of outdated managers or unproductive employees. Take all such opportunities seriously over the next 10 days, sudden promotions or rare job offers may arrive without warning. After mid-week, explore new social outlets and group activities with loved ones.

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**Blake Is Hot Despite Loss**

**Pat Lee**

Staff Writer

The 2006 tennis season is getting into full swing as spring marches around the corner. The men’s top ten is seeing a changing of the guard with some old faces on their way out and some new ones making their way in.

The No. 1 spot is currently held by Roger Federer who, yet again, off to a blistering start with a 22-3 record, with his only loss coming to No. 2 Rafael Nadal in the final at Dubai.

First-time top ten player James Blake is also on a hot streak with two titles already and a runner-up spot in last week’s Pacific Life Open. Blake is currently at No. 9 with a 19-5 record but look for him to be in about fifth place by the end of the year. Blake has probably the biggest following in the game right now and his speed and athleticism is unrivaled. Once he becomes a steady player he’s going to be one of the best for awhile.

Americans on the way out of the top ten are Andre Agassi and posterboy Andy Roddick. Andre looks to be on his last leg this year, only competing in three tournaments this season and compiling a meager 4-3 record. The 36-year-old Agassi has been battling a plethora of injuries, ranging from a severe ankle sprain to spinal nerve problems in his back. I think that, this year, Wimbledon and U.S. Open are going to be his last shots at winning another major. I guarantee that if Agassi with another major championship, he’ll retire. This year should be his farewell tour. He’s getting towards Old Yeller sentiments. I loved watching him when he was in his prime and I don’t think there’s anything left in his tank.

Andy Roddick is another story. He’s off to a modest 11-5 record with a semi-final appearance in San Jose and a quarter-final in Memphis, but he’s losing to people he shouldn’t be losing to. I am not a fan of Roddick, but I think this year he’s going to win Wimbledon. Federer’s reign is going to be ended and the only person who’s given him trouble on grass is big-serving Roddick. Having a huge forehand, decent volleys and a 156 mph serve is all it takes to win on the fast surface. Just look at the past champions. Big-serving, decent groundstrokes and a willingness to come forward. Roddick is most likely going to slip out of the top ten for a few weeks, but should be at about eight in the rankings by the end of the year.

Argentinian David Nalbandian is at his all-time highest in the rankings at No. 5 and will stay there for the rest of the year because he’s the most consistent player on tour over the last four years. He always does well in the majors. His workman approach to tennis earned him the Master’s series year ending championship last year with a big upset over Federer and that’s given him plenty of confidence for the 2006 season. Expect solid runs in all tournaments for Nalbandian but nothing nothing.

The last prediction for the top ten is German Tommy Haas. Haas is virtually mirroring Blake with two titles already as well. He’s earned himself a 19-4 record this year with two of those losses coming to Federer and one coming to Blake. In the Australian Open he took Federer to a fifth set which is how many sets people can expect to win off of Federer in their careers. If Haas stays healthy, look for this former No. 3 to be back in the top ten again this year.

**New Breakthrough In Sports**

Mike Johnson

Sports Editor

Bill Lester made NASCAR history by becoming the first black driver to qualify for a “Cup” race in 20 years since Willy T. Ribbs. On Friday, Lester qualified fast enough to start Sunday’s race in Atlanta in the 19th position.

But Lester never got the chance to start the race on Sunday. Then, too, didn’t rain. Rain fell all morning and afternoon and after two and half hours, NASCAR officials made the announcement that the race would be postponed until Monday. It was the first time in two years that NASCAR was not able to squeeze in a race on a Sunday.

Lester was finally able to race his historical laps, but he slowly made his way to the back of the pack and never charged up to the front. Although Lester may be a Nextel Cup rookie, he is no slouch when it comes to maneuvering a car around the track. Should I say truck?

Lester, a regular in the Craftsman Truck Series, has started in a total of 105 races in seven years and has finished in the top five NASCAR from most other sports. But a victory in the Nascar Cup would do much more than that.

Lester plans on racing full-time in the Nextel Cup in 2007 when Toyota introduces its Camry as the first non-American car to compete in NASCAR. If Lester were to score a win in 2007, he would also bring Toyota and African-Americans to victory circle and would most likely attract more sponsors than anyone else because, let’s face it, nothing is more important than sponsorships in NASCAR. The car is simply one big moving advertisement. NASCAR has made futile attempts to attract black viewers, but the efforts have somewhat failed. Although Lester is making news, there should be more black drivers jumping on board to try and knock down the barrier that NASCAR so desperately wants knocked down.

Although Lester finished the race in 38th, the important thing was that he didn’t crash and didn’t make any controversy. He kept to himself and that is something that all rookies must do in order to gain respect from the drivers and fans alike.

Lester did earn respect on Monday and he should be a regular on the NASCAR Nextel Cup circuit, NASCAR’s top division, in 2007.

Overshadowed by Lester’s historic run, Kasey Kahne started first and finished first, a task that is rare in itself but the amazing thing about Kahne’s victory is that it marks the first time a Dodge has entered Victory Circle at Atlanta. Richard Petty won in 1977. Mark Martin finished second, followed by Dale Earnhardt Jr., Jeff Gordon, Tony Stewart and Jimmie Johnson.
For the past few months, nothing has changed in the NHL. Some teams like the Devils, Flyers and Flames have been in and out.

The Lightning, Devils, Thrashers, Canadiens and Maple Leafs are all separated by several points and are fighting for the last three spots in the East. The Avalanche, Mighty Ducks, Canucks, Oilers, Kings and Sharks are all fighting for the final four spots in the West and are separated by only four points all together with the Avalanche leading the way.

1. Ottawa Senators (47-15-6): The Senators have been as high as first and as low as fourth, but have settled probably where they should be. They have scored the most goals and are the second fewest of the season. They are 5-4-1 in their last four games and tied with the Red Wings for best overall record in the NHL. Of course, you have the Dominator who set the record for the best season goal scorer.

2. Detroit Red Wings (47-15-6): The Red Wings have a great team year after year. They have some of the best players in the league and have always been competitive. One thing to note is that they have never won four consecutive games in a row. There has been a lot of scoring, but have not and probably never will move out of the top-five. They are one point behind the Senators.

3. Buffalo Sabres (44-17-7): The last time we saw the Sabres in the power rankings, they crept in to the eighth position. Since then, the Sabres have made a run at first place in the East. They are looking at making the Eastern Conference finals and could be the team for the most teams in the East.

4. Carolina Hurricanes (43-17-8): Eric Staal has worked out well for Carolina this year. Sometimes draft picks don't work out and teams wind up picking the wrong player. This is not the case with Staal. He has a plus-40 rating, points and power-play goals. The 19-year old is also leading the team to four points in division and most likely their season 0-1 seed in the Eastern Conference. Martin Gerber is getting the job done for the Canes in goal and has surprised NHL fans across the country.

5. Dallas Stars (45-20-3): The Stars have been ranked fourth and fifth all season. Marty Turco, who has a goals against average of 2.53 is a big reason why. Trevor Linden, Jason Arnott and Mike Modano, three names tied together are familiar with, are one, two and three in scoring. The big stat is that only eight people are ranked with a minus, so that means the Stars are doing a lot more scoring than their opponents.

6. Nashville Predators (40-29-4): The Predators are the only team in the NHL to not have a minus. They are doing a lot of things right and are one of the better teams in the league. They are playing well and winning the important divisional games coming up ahead on their schedule, they can ease into the playoffs with the No. 3 seed. If not, they may have to fight for the No. 5 seed or worse.

7. Anaheim Mighty Ducks (34-21-12): The Ducks haven't emerged in the top ten until recently. That's because they have been struggling a bit. The league has seen the Ducks in the top ten and dropped them back down. They have a good way to kill some time while you wait on your two hour break between classes. Make sure you don't get too competitive and put on elbow and knee pads because you don't want to be that guy. Just do it casually and enjoy looking at this.

8. Calgary Flames (38-22-8): The Flames are looking at a playoff spot right now. Their goals-for is the fourth worst in the Western Conference, but their goals-against is the best. They say defense wins championships and the Flames are trying to live up to that saying.

9. Philadelphia Flyers (39-21-10): Flyers fans finally have something to be happy about. Andrei Ntiniakssi, the Olympic ski medalist for Finland is showing signs of leadership and has handed the duties of the scoring points over to other players. He has been at his best with a career high of 51 points. Ntiniakssi has lowered his GAA to 2.01 and has been a good goal scorer.
What’s Your Fantasy?

Mike Johnson
Sports Editor

For those of you who dream of owning your own sports franchise one day and sitting back and making decisions, such as trading and signing players, you’re in luck. Fantasy baseball has begun on Yahoo and signups will continue through most of April. Whether you are a Yankees fan, Red Sox fan or a fan of some other team that doesn’t matter, you are able to own the best players in all of baseball and use them in any way you’d like.

Any baseball fan can appreciate the ability to control your own major league franchise because, after all, it’s what we all dream of. Your league would be made up of 12 teams instead of the 30 MLB teams.

The idea is to get a complete balance of position players who have power, speed and defense, starting pitchers and closing pitchers. You may not get one of these three people, depending on your position in the draft order, but there are a bunch of players that you would never think of as first round picks that go quickly. And if you don’t get that player you had your eye on, you can always trade for him, but if your opponent knows you are desperate, expect him to low-ball you with a horrible offer that you should really consider declining. If you are trading for someone’s second round pick, make sure you give them a second rounder or worse. Try to hold on to your first round pick. You picked him for a reason, so you don’t want him to go.

If you are offered a trade, make sure you get back what you are giving up. Again, make sure you trade players that were picked up in the same rounds, unless you find a player that was overlooked until later rounds, then, feel free to steal that pick away. In my league, Jason Giambi went in the twelfth round or so and I would love to trade for him for a ninth or tenth rounder, but Todd Helton occupies my first base slot. Starting and relief pitching are probably the most important. In order for any team to succeed, it needs pitching and this is still true of your team. Select the best pitchers as quickly as you can. Johan Santana, Pedro Martinez and Roy Halladay are the top three ranked pitchers according to ESPN the magazine and I took that advice and got Pedro. Just have fun and do it quickly because you don’t want to miss out on the action.

Alex Rodriguez of the Yankees (left), Albert Pujols of the St. Louis Cardinals (middle) and Vladimir Guerrero of the Los Angeles Angels are listed as the top three players to draft this year.

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Al Spalding had a career winning percentage of 79.0 (253-65) over his seventeen-year career from 1891-1907.

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Sat. vs. Cortland 2 p.m.
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Last Week’s Results
3/18 - MSU 6, Whittier 6
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SPORTS

Player of The Week

ATHANASIA TOTARO
Senior
Hometown: Roseland, NJ

Totaro (5-0) pitched nine innings against Western New England and gave up only eight hits and allowed one earned run.

BRIAN KLINMACH
Sophomore
Hometown: Clark, NJ

Klinmack posted five goals against Farmingdale State and nine more against Manhattanville College. Klinmack was also named KLC Player of the Week.

ROBBOWNESS
Junior
Hometown: Sparta, NJ

Robbowness is batting .385 for the season and leads the team in total bases and is second in RBI. Rob went four-for-four with two RBI against Claremont McKenna.

SHAUNA BROCKLEBANK
Junior
Hometown: Long Branch, NJ

Brocklebank leads the Red Hawks in goals and points and is second in assists. She also has two game-winning goals.
Red Hawk Spotlight: Jessica Garrabrant

An Inside Look At MSU Women's Basketball Star Jessica Garrabrant

Mike Johnson
Sports Editor

The Montclair State University wrestling program has had 100 wrestlers named to the All-American team and their latest, Derrick Goduto, was their last. Panzer Gym will no longer be the site of wrestling matches hosted by the two-time Division III National Champion Red Hawks.

Of course, no one can really be surprised by the selection. Not only was MSU wrestling basically on a trial period this year, but the controversy surrounding the wrestling team by season’s end seemed too much to bear.

Here is a look back at some Red Hawk Wrestling history and the people that made the program one of the most elite programs.

| Win Streak: | 28-0 Bob Mizerek 1959-1962 |
| Loss Streak: | 2-28-0 1965-66 |

RocLHawk Spotlight: Jessica Garrabrant

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Standing a shade under 5'10, Garrabrant has never been the tall-est girl on the floor, at least not at MSU. Yet she has led the team in rebounds over the past two seasons, and her game is much bigger than her frame.

Garrabrant, a Denville, NJ native averages about nine points and nine rebounds per contest. She's the all-time leading scorer and rebounder in Morris Knolls' women's basketball history. Garrabrant could easily be called the Red Hawks' second scoring option on this floor, and she is the team leader in minutes played. But she's not even playing in her best sport.

Garrabrant is a four-time first team All-State soccer player. She admits that soccer was her best sport growing up, and that basket- ball was a second love. She played soccer throughout high school, but when she went to college, she decided to forge a chance of DI glory to play basketball at MSU.

"Soccer was always my whole life and I am certainly better at soccer," she said. "But by the end of high school I loved playing bas ketball more than I liked playing soccer."

Lucky for MSU.

Since Garrabrant has been a member of the team, they've become a better rebounding team, a more diverse offensive squad, and an annual contender in the NJAC. Without her, the Red Hawks lose who could be the only girl on the team that can run full speed for 40 minutes and not tire herself out.

The human ecology major says that she always wanted to be a doc­ tor, but lacked the time needed to balance her basketball, restrained social life and her studies. The rebounding machine is always strapped for time. Between her running rituals, working out at the gym, school-work and basketball, she doesn't have much free time.

When she does get a few extra moments to spare, Garrabrant usu­ ally spends them with her close friends. The Red Hawk guard is what one would call a natural athlete.

She has been involved in sports since she was a child. Along with soccer and basketball, Garrabrant also participated in track and field.

"I can't still, I'm always doing something," she said. "I like doing any sort of activity. I'll go mountain climbing, running, or play baseball. Anything as long as I'm active."

To call her humble would be an understatement of enormous proportions. Garrabrant gave her­ self a three out ten measuring her skill. "I can't assume that I automatically have a starting spot on the team. This season is over and I could still lose my position next year or not even play."

Garrabrant plans to train hard over the summer and bring her game to the next level. According to the athlete, it's striving to get to that next level that motivates her in life and in basketball.

When she's not playing ball, run­ ning, studying, or working out, Jess spends her time hanging out with friends and family. Unlike many college students, she doesn't sub­ scribe to going out to bars every night, or binge drinking. She calls herself an easy date because she enjoys all different types of mov­ ies from comedies to horrors to dramas.

Barring any unfortunate inju­ ries, Garrabrant will be a member of the Red Hawks for the next two seasons. The Red Hawks are a team on the brink of conference championship. Often times, the way she plays dictates the way the team performs. If her work ethic and dedication to excellence is any indication of how the team will play for the next two seasons, then there should be plenty of victories for MSU in the near future.

One Final Goodbye To MSU Wrestling

For the past two years the Red Hawk women's basketball team has had had the energy of a bunny on the court. You may have seen her streaking across the floor, rising above forwards and centers to grab a rebound. You could have also seen her jagging throughout the campus and in Montclair. Sophomore Red Hawk Jess Garrabrant has been a native averages about nine points and nine rebounds per contest.

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