

# THE CIRCLE

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## "Parkers" demand more privileges

By Jennifer Grego and Veronica Shea

Due to the increased enrollment of students at Marist this semester, the college has expanded its housing facilities to include a converted motel in the Hyde Park area. The thirty-two students residing there have expressed mixed emotions about their situation.

A much emphasized point was that even after being initially inconvenienced by the placement in a hotel on Route 9, the Hyde Park residence was still not suitable for habitation upon arrival. The previous tenants had only vacated the premises approximately a week prior to this.

The majority of rooms house two students, and are now equipped with bunk beds, two desks, two dressers, a metal closet, as well as one small wall closet, three lamps, a private bathroom, and one-piece kitchen unit consisting of a sink, two burners, and a refrigerator. "The bathrooms were filthy when we got here," remarked one student. Aside from having to clean them, students must also provide the materials to do so.

In an effort to alleviate this and other problems, a petition was circulated and signed by residents. It included such grievances as the nonexistence of security, insufficient outdoor lighting on the stairs and in the parking lot, absence of window screens, no laundry facilities in the building, costly cable hook-up for television, need for consistent maintenance, and the lack of proper refuse disposal. This petition was presented to Father Richard LaMorte, part-time Housing Director, and Peter Amato, Housing Coordinator. In response, several of these conditions have been remedied.

The major concern of the students now is that security has yet to be provided for them. The close proximity of a local bar

has many students fearful of harassment by patrons. In addition, the window and door to each room are easily accessible from the street. Another security deficiency, particularly in the event of a fire, is the fact that there is only one staircase available to students living on the second floor.

Lack of communication between the campus and the Hyde Park apartments is also an issue which surfaced in the petition. The students would like a bulletin board placed in their residence, to inform them of campus activities. Aside from this, there is a need for a central meeting place such as a lounge. There was no phone installed until recently, when one was placed outside the building, visible from the roadway. Incoming calls cannot be received, unless someone happens to hear the phone outside, and placement of a lounge could possibly rectify this situation. Some students have already absorbed the cost of a private phone, because of the inconvenience of the outside phone.

Although improvements are necessary, the outlook of students is not entirely negative. The residence is, for the most part, an ideal place for study, and the privacy created by the situation is also appreciated. Students enjoy the opportunity to cook for themselves, and, unlike on-campus residents, are provided with refrigerators. The private bath facilities are a great asset as well.

Students without their own means of transportation have been accommodated by a van which runs at scheduled times throughout the day. There were few complaints as to the promptness of the service; however, there is a hope for more frequent departures. With the present schedule it is essential to plan one's day on campus in advance. As one student puts it, "We are inconvenienced enough being out here, and we just want the same privileges as the students living on campus."

## Hazards averted in north fire

By Christopher Hogan Staff Writer

Three Fairview Fire Department trucks and six Marist Security personnel cooperated in putting out a brush fire approximately 150 yards north of the maintenance building and a half mile north of Gregory and Benoit Houses Tuesday. There were no injuries or damages reported.

Director of Maintenance Andrew Pavelko said the fire, which was caused by a "fire hazard," started on top of tree trimmings and litter that maintenance workers and outsiders had dumped in the area "some time ago." He added that someone may have dropped a lit cigarette on top of the litter, causing the fire.

Director of Safety and Security Joseph Waters said he could not determine the cause of the fire and he would not say if the area is a fire hazard until a thorough investigation is completed. He added that another fire in the same area could burn southward and reach Benoit and Gregory Houses, but it was not probable due to the "fast service" of the Fairview Fire Department.

As of Tuesday afternoon, the northern area was filled with tree trimmings, damaged

dormitory dressers and chairs, and scraps of plaster. There was little evidence of any other litter in the area. The nearby ruined storage houses contain piles of wood, parts of old traffic signs, and ruined doors from dormitory rooms and offices.

There are open garbage cans with trash filled to the tops, used doors, scattered tree trimmings, and assorted trash one quarter of a mile away from Gregory and Benoit Houses.

Pavelko says he had considered enclosing the area with fences so that outsiders could be prevented from dumping their litter, but he was unable to do that without interfering with cross country runners who use the area to practice and compete. He said that he would attempt to eliminate the "fire hazard" after road contractors have finished constructing and paving campus roads, including one road which will lay in front of the maintenance building. He added that he hopes to install a fence that will allow the runners to use the area without interference from barriers.

Waters says he will work with Pavelko and the Fairview Fire Department to insure that the incident does not occur again. As of Tuesday afternoon, he did not have a solution to deal with the problem in "a practical matter."

## Housing solution alternatives sought

By Thomas Hasset Staff Writer

"Something has to be done, but what that something is, is the question," said Cox, Dean of Students, in response to rumors of new housing plans. Dean Cox is involved with planning and obtaining information for the Board of Trustees on the student housing situation.

Cox noted that once the school knew why the freshmen students were doing poorly, they were able to tackle the problem by locating all freshman in one spot and not scattering them around the campus. This caused a higher retention of students on campus and an 1100 count request for a possible 950 room spaces in the dormitories. This is where the housing problems lie and the creation of the need for the Oakwood and Hyde Park residence emerged.

Two factors raise the question of a new dorm. First, the increased number of students applying resulted in the largest number of rejections and the largest class ever this year. Second, the installation of the Freshmen program last year resulted in an increased number of students returning this year.

This prompted the administration to find a different housing alternative. Garden Apartments would be an attraction to upper classmen, serving as a way to get them back on campus. This, Cox refers to as, "a returning to the tradition of the rights of passage."

The Garden Apartments would be flexible in that if the number of students declined the apartments would be open to faculty

and staff for renting. The site for the building of additional housing would be at the North end of the campus if it were to take place. The school has 45 acres on the other side of waterworks road available. If building takes place, Benoit and Gregory will still remain at the present site. The cost of new housing is being sought from outside sources and budgeting of general costs at the college. According to Cox, "The school is looking into low interest funding by the federal government."

According to reports by Dean Cox there have been few complaints of over-crowding in the dorms as a result of the rise in student population. "The vast majority of students this year have a higher degree of pride in what is happening," says Cox.

In response to the question of other expansions that would take place, Cox says, "The response of the number of students will determine the response to the number of faculty." He explained that a healthy interest in some areas of study, such as Modern Language, is just beginning and that popular areas, such as communications, needs an increase in the faculty.

The housing situation and other expansion projects at this point are in the discussion stages. The Board of Trustees is slated to meet again in October at which time formal announcements may be made. However, Dean Cox noted that a decision must be made by the end of the semester so that plans can be made for next year's freshman class. In a final comment, Cox says, "These momentary inconveniences will reflect in the eventual Alma Mater that is to come at Marist."

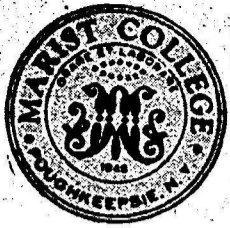
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### Thanks

Dear Editor:  
On behalf of the Athletic Department, I want to thank Mike McCarthy for an outstanding job at the Pep Rally.

Thanks to Mike's hard work, the Pep Rally was a success.  
Dick Quinn  
Assistant Athletic Director

### Upset

Dear Editor:  
I'd like to say that I was both annoyed at the journalism and angered by the interview with former freshmen from Ladycliff College.

The students in the interview were only there for a year. They have very little idea what college is all about if they put such emphasis on socializing with the guys and staying out late as a primary concern. Everyone who went to Ladycliff knew the rules and regulations concerning student life beforehand, such as curfew for first-year students. Unlike what the article implied, Ladycliff was not a PRISON!

I spent three years at the "Cliff" and I resent the insensitivity of those students for negating the positive aspects of the school I consider my true Alma Mater. More than that, I consider it irresponsible journalism on the part of the newspaper in selecting a few students whose opinions and experiences concerning Ladycliff are but the exceptions, and not the rule. Their comments were neither flattering nor fair. The school was a community with a longstanding set of values and traditions that I am not alone in saying will be sorely missed.

Sue Davis

### Needs Friends

Dear Editor:  
I am writing in reference to obtaining your assistance in a matter I can no longer neglect.

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## Not an easy decision

Everything seems to be moving along so well these days on campus that it's almost as if something sinister must be going on. Why is everything so quiet?

Furthermore, the sports teams are all winning! Vandalism in the dorms is down from what it was at this time last year. There was a crowd at the mixer Friday night and the Pub is thriving. One might even say that the school year has started off with a "big bang."

In the middle of this, although it may be hard to imagine, every single person in the Marist Community is not happy. There are some problems.

One of those problems is housing. There just isn't enough room on campus for all the students that wish to board here. There situation is not one that is being overlooked. One tends to forget about the inconvenienced student living in Hyde Park without a phone or washer or dryer. Everything on campus seems to be moving along just great, so why think about the people off campus? Because they are students too.

The Board of Trustees has been thinking about these students frequently in the past few weeks. They have been negotiating the possibility of building garden apartments on the north end of campus. A decision will not

be made until sometime in October.

Upon first reflection of this one would think that it would be the ideal solution to the housing problem. Everyone would be able to reside on campus. People could be near their friends again and not have to rely on the van service to and from campus. It would hold the community together more because less students would be inclined to move off campus. Or would they?

How much would it cost to live in one of these apartments? Would there be resident advisors? Would the keg rule hold? All of these questions would have to be taken into consideration before a decision could be made.

Also, what is to become of the Hyde Park and Oakwood buildings? Would these dormitories be sold? Would they be kept along with the garden apartments? Is the anticipated class of '85 large enough that the community would expand to occupy a total of eight housing facilities?

These questions are not easily answered. It will take time to weigh the pros and cons before a final decision can be made. It is not an easy decision to make. Hopefully, the right one will be made and next semester Marist will have no worries at all!

## Go for it

This year, as Marist greets the largest freshman class ever in attendance, there is the need to clarify how the many positive changes that they have been hearing about were made possible. The responsibility for improvements is not only through the work of the administration and faculty, but most importantly, the students.

During one's freshman year there is a tendency to attempt to discover all that Marist has to offer the student, while beginning to understand his role in the community. Sometimes as he is caught in the position of observer, the opportunity to become in-

involved slips away. What Marist is at present is due to the efforts of the now-alumni; what it will be depends on the students here today.

Marist belongs to the students. The administration is here to work with, not for, the students. According to the results of the freshman survey, the majority of them are optimistic, enthusiastic, and well satisfied with their decision to attend Marist. What the freshmen begin to offer now to Marist will be the reflection they see as seniors; hopefully, each freshman class will have more to discover.

## Freshman Elections

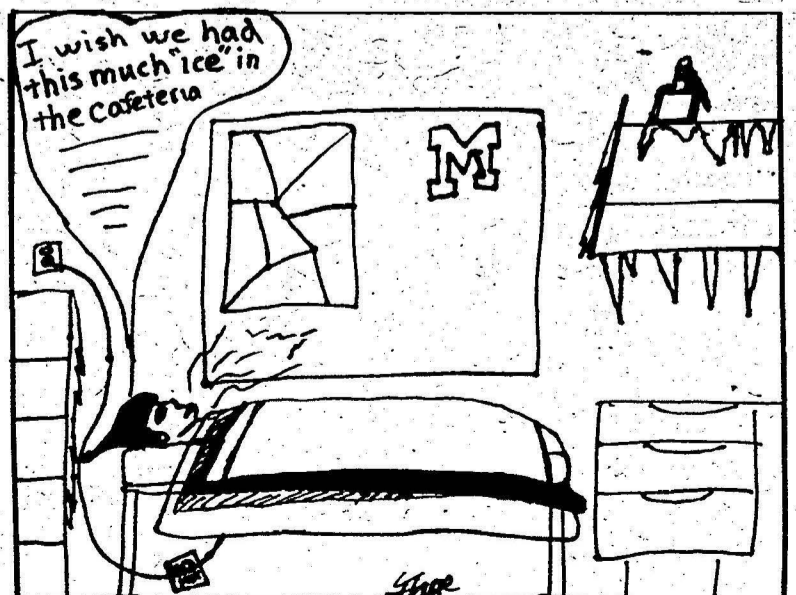
The Freshman class elections are to be held Wednesday, October 8th.

Thirteen students are vying for four positions as class officers. Being that the class has only been here for the past month and a half it is imperative that the students get to know all of the candidates before they make a decision and vote.

On Monday, October 6th at 9:30 PM in the Leo Stone lounge the candidates for the Presidency and Vice Presidency will be making presentations on their ideas for the upcoming year.

The candidates for the position of Treasurer and Secretary are slated to make their presentations on October 7th at 9:30 PM in Sheahan Lounge. Elections will be held the following day, October 8th.

Attendance at these various presentations are extremely important because the candidates selected will determine the success of the class of 1984. Make sure that you know that the person you vote for is who you think is the most promising candidate for the class. Make your vote count!



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## Inquiring Photographer

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Tom Cassin, Senior, R.A.: Ali - 15th round, controversial decision, - sympathy for the elderly.



Denise DeVincentis, Sophomore: Who's fighting?



Jackie Pisanal, Sophomore: What fight? Who are they? Wrestlers?



Frank Lorica, Sophomore: I really don't care... I don't like either, but if I were to choose I'd pick Rocky Mariano in the tenth.



Jeanne Novotny, Sophomore: I don't like Ali. I hope Holmes wins.

# Parent's Weekend Events

By Loretta Kennedy  
and  
Marybeth Kearney

Dinner-theater, President's Brunch and a Parent-Student dance are some of the many events planned for this year's Parents Weekend.

The College Union Board will be kicking off the weekend with a Dinner Theater on Friday evening. A buffet dinner will be served along with a theater presentation of Neil Simon's play "Plaza Suite." Before

dinner and during the intermission an open bar will be available.

The nationally ranked Marist Soccer team will be playing Kings Point early Saturday morning to begin a full day of activities.

The parents will have an opportunity to interact with faculty members and meet President Dennis Murray at the Presidential Brunch. This event was especially well received last year and can present a special outlook on the Marist community. Historical tours will also be a part of this

weekend's festivities. There will be trips to Vanderbilt Mansion, Roosevelt Estates, and the Samuel Morse House. Following this there will be a 6:15 mass in the College Chapel, as well as an 11:00 AM service on Sunday.

Saturday evening offers a choice of the Digger Phelps Roast in the McCann Center or the Parent Student dance in the College Dining Hall.

The weekend is scheduled to wind up with a brunch, planned for 11:45 AM in the Foolish Fox Pub.

## Freshmen Survey Reveals Optimism

By Peter Fredsall  
and  
Mary Alice Russo  
Staff Writers

Interviews with 105 freshmen students have indicated that the class of 1984 is generally satisfied so far with Marist College. What the new students have found most impressive, and in some cases surprising, is the friendliness of the student body.

About seventy-five percent volunteered that the quality of the food served in the cafeteria was poor, but about twenty percent noted the meals are not as bad as they had expected. Approximately sixty-percent expressed satisfaction with the idea of the all-freshman dormitories. Three students, however, commented that the houses should be mixed to allow freshman to meet some upperclassmen. Sheahan residents showed particular displeasure over the number of rooms with triple occupancy, saying that they found their roommates compatible but longed for more space.

Computer Math major, Lynne Di Napoli remarked, "I didn't expect the people to be so nice." Almost everyone interviewed had

similar feelings with each person asserting enthusiasm for his or her floor. Many Sheahan Hall residents however, said that the large number of students in the building posed problems in gaining access to telephones, washing machines, and showers. Those with three to a room consistently mentioned lack of space as a problem. Patrice Larath stated, "The triples really kill you- there is no room." Sheahan was best defended, however, by Barbara Stenderhoff, who said, "I think Sheahan is better than Leo; you get to know people better."

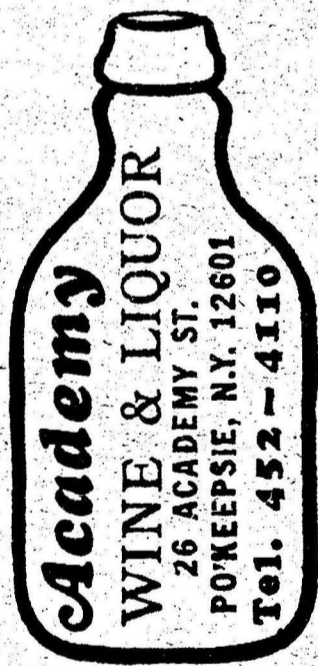
A majority of those asked about the dorms approved of the weekday rule prohibiting drinking; although fewer men (only about half) liked the idea than did women. Almost everyone disliked the rule against being able to drink alcohol while standing in the hallway.

About seventy-percent expressed satisfaction with their classes, with some, such as Patty Bowles, noting that the work is much harder than it was in high school. An equal amount described the faculty favorably saying that they are not cold and inaccessible as they feared they might be.

"They care about you as a student," says Nanette Plescia, A Communications major of her professors.

A few students complained about varied problems, such as the noise of the trains nearby the dormitories ("the brochure didn't mention that," noted one Leo resident), not having enough places to go in the area in the afternoon, difficulties in finding on-campus jobs, and washers and driers that work poorly. Some things praised by the freshmen were the small size of the classes and campus, the location on the Hudson, the McCann Center, and the Big Brother/Big Sister program. Communications Major Karen Flood, of New Town, Conn. quipped that the program is "wicked excellent."

About ninety-five percent of the freshmen considered themselves well adjusted to being away from their family and friends, with many stating they missed boyfriends and girlfriends. Betty Cea, said she went away to school because she, "was looking forward to being more independent." Almost everyone was enjoying that independence, and seemed so far to be enjoying life at Marist College.



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# Time Out For the Lord

By Mark R. Wegg  
Assistant Campus Minister

A Carmelite monk, Rev. William McNamara, O.C.D., who happens to be a mystic, hermit, and well-known spiritual writer came to our campus the week before last and spoke on the wildness of God. He eloquently expounded on the boundless force of God that one is able to experience. Obviously his knowledge of God was learned through contemplative prayer and mystical experience. The audience appeared delighted by Father McNamara's depiction of his hermit life in the pristine backwoods of Nova Scotia. Indeed, the

lifestyle of this man gave witness to the fact that God's wildness possessed him in some way.

The religious mystic is indeed a sign of contradiction to much of the modern world. Christian mystics have often written how their lives are literally consumed by the love of God. They go as far as to say that the only true reality is the God-reality omnipresent in creation. And they of modern time insist that mystical realization does not deter one from being human but rather completes human nature as it actually fulfills the deepest yearning at the core of man—that is, to be united with the

Transcendence in life—and thus giving birth to full humanity.

For those that attended this presentation, the monk's sharing was an invitation to them to experience the untamed creative wildness of God. In order to do that one must yield to God especially through a prayerful relationship. I wonder if everyone on campus who believed in God spent five minutes putting himself/herself in God's presence in quiet what greater things might begin to happen in his/her life and in the life of the Marist community at large? Perhaps God's wildness might be tapped bearing witness to the scripture that "the eye has not seen, nor has the ear

heard, nor has it so much as dawned on man what God has prepared for them that love Him."

At any rate, I would hope that those who are at least a bit interested in deepening their relationship with the Lord would seek a path of contemplation in their lives if they have not already done so. In that seeking of God, God will be found. As one sage said—"If one has begun to seek God, that person has already found God." And in finding God, one may discover that God is more lovingly wild as much as wildly loving than ever imagined.

## Guest Speaker

Guest Speaker is the new addition to The Circle. Faculty members, the administration, maintenance workers and any other person affiliated with the campus whatsoever who is not a student is cordially invited to voice his/her opinion on any subject. Now is your chance to have a direct line to the students. Just drop a line in the campus mail addressed to The Circle and let the staff know if you are interested.

This week, Donald Anderson, English and Communication Arts teacher graciously accepted the task of kicking off the column with the following "interview."

X—I would like to ask you something about theatre.

O—Theatre?

X—You know...plays, greasepaint, Stanislavsky.

O—Oh.

X—You are a theatre-person, aren't you?

O—I don't know.

X—Well, you do things with plays, don't you?

O—Sometimes.

X—You don't sound all that positive. Don't you believe in theatre?

O—Believe?

X—Believe. You do believe in belief, don't you? Isn't theatre where you—I have it here somewhere—where you "willingly suspend your disbelief?"

O—I've heard that. Yes. I know that from somewhere.

X—You sound surprised.

O—Yes. It's very pleasant.

X—And don't you think theatre and believing are somehow closely connected? Theatre finds its origins in religious observances, isn't that right?

O—That is often suggested.

X—And don't you think one of the attractions of theatre is that it helps

strengthen one's ability to believe? I mean, accepting the reality of a play is almost an act of faith, isn't it? When the curtain opens, and there is the painted scenery and the artificial lighting and the drawn-faces—and people accept it—isn't that an amazing thing?

O—You seem quite excited by the idea.

X—Well, yes, I guess I am. I seem to be discovering it as I am talking to you.

O—And you believe it?

X—Certainly. Don't you?

O—I don't know.

X—But you're the theatre-person.

O—Am I? I know you said that, but—

X—What?

O—I have doubts.

X—Doubts. What do you mean? Either you are or you aren't.

O—Do you really believe that?

X—Look...this makes for no kind of interview. You don't even know what you

think.

O—Perhaps I was miscast.

X—I'm beginning to believe it.

O—Don't.

X—What?

O—Don't believe it. I don't want you to.

X—And I suppose you don't care if I believe in theatre or not.

O—I doubt it very much.

X—Stop that, will you? Stop this whole silly thing. You're playing with me.

O—Well?

X—Look, I don't want you to mess things up for everyone. There are people who read this paper who love theatre—who really do believe in it.

O—Yes?

X—You're—hell. Let's just continue this some other time. All right?

O—Fine. But, uh—

X—Yes?

O—Break a leg.

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and  
Laurie Washburn

The members of Benoit's and Gregory's House Council have each made plans for what they hope will be a productive year. The Benoit Council members are Dicki Daronco, a Jr., Bruce Kulas, a Soph., Chuck Petty, a Jr., Corinne Strange, a Soph., and Jim Corbett a Jr., who is the Resident Coordinator.

Beautification of the house is their first priority, and thus, a Beautification Committee has been established. The Chairman of the Beautification Committee, Kevin Sullivan says, "Over half our materials (from last semester) are missing; we are going to try to build our supply of house essentials to what it was." Corbett specified this by saying, "we want to get more furniture, a coffee table, and a rug." They feel these materials will improve the atmosphere. Sullivan commented, "We're going to try to make it seem like home."

Benoit residents want to improve the grounds and the external condition of the house. However, Ralph Zaccagnino, the Inter House Council Representative, says, "We can't do anything to the outside, because of Maintenance Unions."

The Resident Coordinator, Corbett, who is also the President of Sigma Phi Epsilon, says, "Once we get the house fixed up, Benoit House and the Fraternity will co-sponsor a Presidential Reception."

The neighboring house, Gregory, has elected Celeste Courtney, a Jr., Susan Gehen, a Jr., Gene Hajduka, a Soph., Eilene Hogan, a Sr., Mike Iantosca, a Sr., Bob Kenney, a Jr., Theresa Sullivan, a Soph., and Laurie Washburn, a Soph., as House Council Members, with Brian Whalen a Sr., as the Resident Coordinator. The House decided to elect officers who are: Hogan-Secretary, Iantosca-Treasurer,

and Sullivan-Parliamentarian. Grace Tejada is the Inter-House Council Representative.

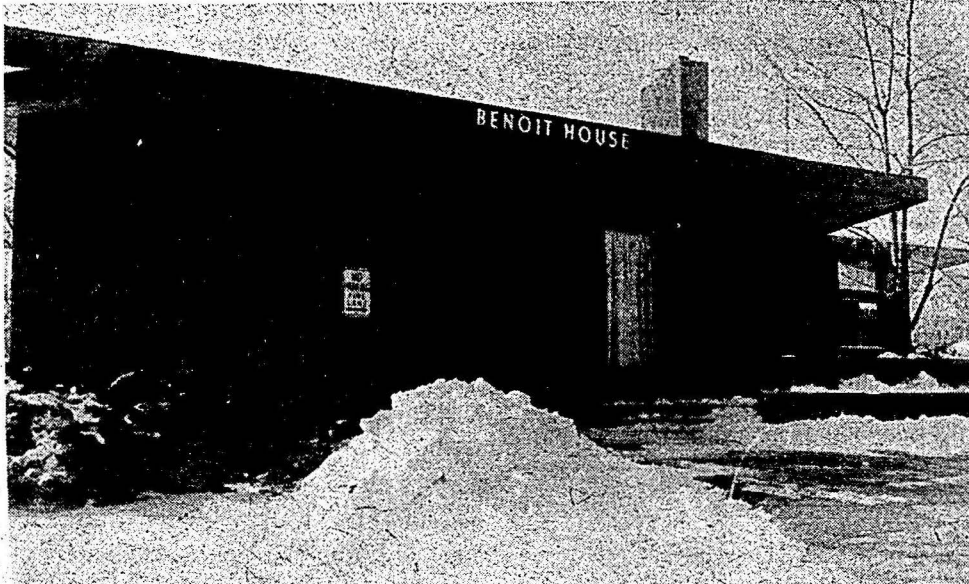
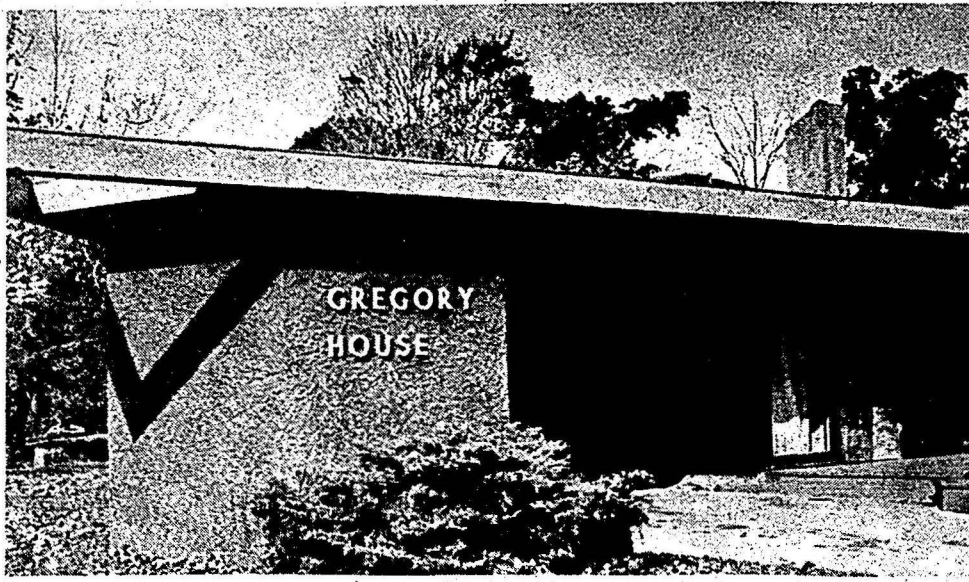
Many kitchen supplies and furniture have already been donated by members of Gregory house to spark the beautification proceedings. Kitchen curtains were made by Miss Hogan.

Keeping with the long standing tradition of serving the Marist Community, all of Gregory House residents agreed to be on call for campus tours. Several campus orientated services are being considered, such as a concert and a Christmas trip to New York City. Other social plans include the standard Halloween and Christmas House Parties.

Another major concern of the House Council is the improvement of other residents' attitudes towards living in Gregory. The R.C. Brian Whalen, expressed these views when he stated, "I'd like to see the ground laid for unity on this side of campus. Also, I see in the future, several opportunities for the rest of the campus to interact with us more often."

Celeste Courtney said, "Gregory House is not a dorm, it's a home. We are all members of the same family. We care about each other and we treat each other like brothers and sisters."

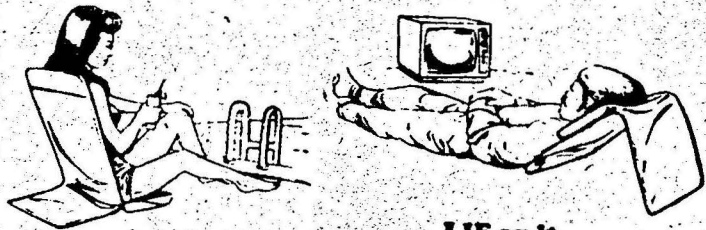
Recently, two concerned Gregory and Benoit residents, Courtney and George Penny, devised a petition to point out to the Marist Community that the residents' safety is endangered. Because of the newly paved riverfront, there is a substantial increase in traffic on the Waterworks Road. The residents of Benoit and Gregory find the speeding, skidding and boisterous behavior of the local teenagers a nuisance. They also feel it is extremely dangerous for cars pulling out of the parking lot or students trying to cross the road. Penny and Courtney are hopeful, the petition will be one step in the direction of alleviating this problem.



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## Campus Announcements

Marist College Freshman woman student from Kenya needs a host family for the semester offering room and board in exchange for 10 hours of housework or babysitting, etc., per week. Please notify Bro. Joseph in C-834 or leave word with Mrs. Betty Jacox at Ext. 228.

State Senator Jay Rollson, Jr. will address campaign issues on Thursday, Oct. 2, 11:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., in Fireside Lounge at Marist College. Senator Rollson is the incumbent candidate for reelection in the 39th District, representing Columbia, Dutchess, Putnam and northern Westchester counties. The event, which is open to the public free of charge, is sponsored by the Marist Upward Bound Program.

Have your picture taken with your friends! The Marist Psychology Club is sponsoring a CLICK-CLICK program Tuesday October 9 from 10:00 AM-5:00 PM in D-105 (Psychology Lounge). Have your picture taken and receive it on the spot for \$1.00. Send a picture home to your mother! Get a picture taken of you and your girl/boyfriend. Keep informed of upcoming CLICK-CLICK contest.

ATTENTION JUNIORS! Applications are now being accepted to the Secondary Education Program. Anyone interested in teaching high school or junior high school English, math science, social studies, or languages should pick up application forms and further information this week from Mrs. Nolan, Campus Center, Room 266. Candidates admitted to the program will be placed in a pre-student teaching field experience for the Spring 1981 semester.

ATTENTION STUDENTS, FACULTY and STAFF

At long last there is an office on the Marist Campus that regularly burns the midnight oil.

The Office of the Registrar is open evenings, Monday through Friday 'til 9:00 PM to answer questions you may have concerning registration, course schedule, transcript request, etc., etc.

For their convenience, evening students may make appointments for academic advisement; however walk-ins are always welcomed.

So remember the next time you have a question or problem after hours, the office of the Registrar is open and waiting to hear from you!

ATTENTION - ALL SENIORS

Any student intending to graduate in either January or May 1981 who has not yet received a reminder of his outstanding requirements from the Registrar's Office should contact Mrs. Eileen Shaw as soon as possible.

ATTENTION - VETERANS

if you are eligible for educational benefits and have not yet applied, contact Mrs. Eileen Shaw in the Registrar's Office.

OCT. 2 LACROSSE Organizational Meeting, McCann Center classroom, 9:00 p.m. All new players must attend.

# Booters Remain Unbeaten



Marist attempt for goal is a near-miss.

By Dennis Martin  
Staff Writer

Marist's soccer team remained undefeated Saturday by defeating Fairfield University by the score of 2-1. The victory increased their Tri-State Conference record to 2-0 and their overall record to 5-0.

Marist started out slow in the first half, as they failed to take advantage of many good scoring opportunities. Fairfield attempted to force Marist into a rough game by, as Doc Goldman said, "using a mugging type defense in the penalty area." While Marist was unable to take advantage of a weak Fairfield team's mistakes, Fairfield offered very little trouble for goalie Andy Homola.

Marist's off-target shooting finally came to an end with 38:00 left to play, as sophomore Bob Cooper connected on a fine pass from senior Julio Rostran. Marist continued to control play, and with 10:00 left to play, the ever dangerous Raul Verne, from Peru, scored on a direct kick. Marist and goalie Andy Homola lost their chance for a shutout with 5:30 left to play, when on what Coach Goldman called a "defensive lapse," Fairfield was able to score their only goal of the game, thus accounting for the final score of 2-1. Marist will attempt to continue their undefeated season in games against Kings Point at home on Saturday, starting at 11 AM, and a tough Tri-State Soccer Conference team, St. Peter's, next Wednesday.

## Women's Tennis

By Mike McCarthy  
Sports Editor

Marist's womens tennis team beat Purchase on Tuesday, Sept. 29, to even their record at 1-1 after dropping a decision to Iona on Friday.

The score against Purchase was 4-1, with the girls winning 3 of the singles matches and the doubles match. "The team is a lot stronger this year," said Lisa Arcuri, a senior doubles player with the team. "Our

coach is psyched, I think he was really happy with the turnout of girls this year. The freshmen have really gotten involved." This year the team boasts 11 girls, 4 of these freshmen, while last years team had only 7 members. "I'd like to see a lot more people come out to see us," Arcuri said of the fan support. "A lot of people are missing some good athletes." The teams next match is at home Monday against New Paltz.

## "WE'RE RANKED"

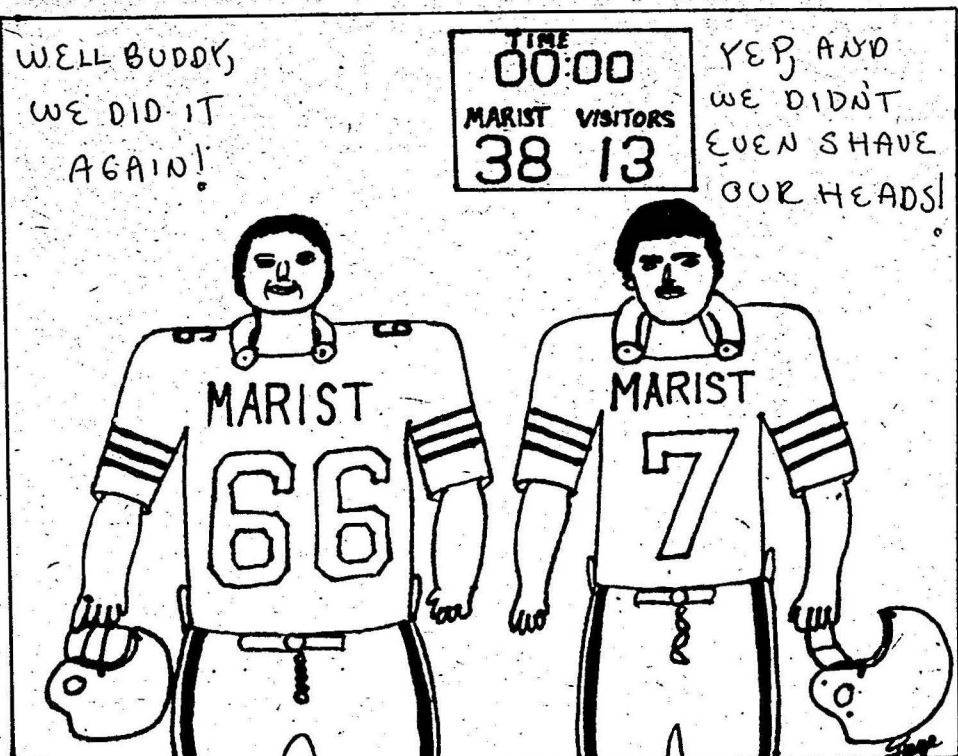
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<b>Division I</b>							
1	Clemson (14)	4-0	345	6	U.S. International	4-2-1	76
2	San Francisco (6)	4-0	323	7	UMSL	3-1	72
3	Indiana (2)	5-1-1	292	8	Marist	2-0	36
4	Alabama A&M (1)	5-0	275	9	Oakland (1)	5-2	32
5	Connecticut (1)	5-1	250	10	Randolph-Macon	2-0	14
6	Phil. Textile	2-0	221	<b>Division III</b>			
7	St. Louis	5-2	207	1	Glassboro (21)	6-0	354
8	Columbia	1-0	188	2	Wash. (St. Louis) (3)	3-1	300
9	SIUE	5-2	148	3	Lynchburg	2-0-1	298
10	UCLA	6-0	142	4	Ohio Wesleyan	6-1	295
11	American	1-0	118	5	Brandeis	2-0	267
12	Rhode Island	3-0	85	6	Ithaca	2-1	233
13	Cleveland State	3-1-1	61	7	Scranton	4-0	216
14	LIU	3-0	52	8	Wheaton	5-0	189
15	Penn State	4-1	50	9	Babson	2-0-1	149
16	SMU	1-1-2	40	10	Binghamton	2-1	134
17	Wisc./Milwaukee	5-0-2	26	11	Dennison	3-1	130
18	Appalachian State	4-0	16	12	Averett	2-1	91
19	Fullerton	3-1-1	12	13	Cortland	2-2	58
20	William & Mary	4-1	8	14	William Patterson	1-0	41
<b>Division II</b>							
1	Lock Haven (23)	3-0	186	15	Elizabethtown	3-1	38
2	So. Connecticut	2-1	114	16	MacMurray	2-2	25
3	W. Va. Wesleyan	5-0	101	17	Wooster P.I.	2-0	22
4	Eastern Illinois	3-1	90	18	Wilmington (Ohio)	4-2	19
5	FIU	1-1	84	19	Colorado College	4-3-1	8
				20	Washington (Md.)	1-0	2

— First-place votes in parentheses

## INTRAMURAL LINE

The Intramural season began Tuesday with Flag Football. The following is the schedule for the next two weeks:

Tuesday 9/30	3:30	Razorbacks vs. Krumville Tubers
	4:45	Homegrown vs. Guido's
Wednesday 10/1	3:30	Phi Tappa Kegga vs. Disco Stranglers
	4:45	5th Floor Rockies vs. Numbers
Thursday 10/2	3:30	Skull Riders vs. Bastards
	4:45	Penguin Club vs. Gators
Monday 10/6	3:30	Razorbacks vs. Disco Stranglers
	4:45	Homegrown vs. Numbers
Tuesday 10/7	3:30	Krumville Tubers vs. Bastards
	4:45	Guido's vs. Gators
Wednesday 10/8	3:30	Phi Tappa Kegga vs. Skull Riders
	4:45	5th Floor Rockies vs. Penguin Club
Thursday 10/9	3:30	Razorbacks vs. Bastards
	4:45	Homegrown vs. Gators



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## ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

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Julio Rostran, who scored the deciding goal against Southampton, registered an assist against Fairfield, and has served as the most consistent scorer this season.

# MARIST 'FLUSHES' ST. JOHNS, 38-13

By Barry Lewis  
Sportswriter

"There was an incentive in this game. We owed them something from last year, and they won't laugh at us any more" said Marist football captain Dave Whelley, as his team walked off Leonidoff Field Saturday after handing St. Johns University a 38-13 beating. The win raised the Red Foxes record to 2-0, best in the Met. Conference.

St. John's head coach, Bob Ricca, had said before the contest that "Marist is ready for us, and we won't be underestimating them at all. They are the only first place team in the conference, so this should be a dog-fight." The game was all hard hitting, but it seemed that revenge was the only thing on the minds of the Red Foxes, after last year's 36-6 thrashing by this same Red Men team.

It also was to be a day where Marist could run when they had to, and pass the rest of the way for their first balanced attack of the season. After winning the toss, and choosing to receive, Lou Corsetti ran the ball to the Marist 43 yard line. Electing to pass to his team's first offensive play, rookie quarterback Jim Cleary tossed the ball to back Preston Felton, another first year player on a young Marist offense. Felton ran the ball up to the Red Men 5 yard line, being stopped by St. John's Dennis Bligen. With a gain of 52 yards, Marist once again handed off to Felton, but this time was halted at the 3. This drive though, was not to be wasted, as once again Preston Felton took the hand off up the middle to give the Red Foxes an early 7-0 lead, as the extra-point attempt by freshman Kevin Daley was good. In seemingly the same style that beat Brooklyn College a week earlier, Marist went the rest of the game without ever trailing the Red Men.

The Marist offense seemed to be a little laxidaisical as the second quarter got under way, and were unable to control many passes, which forced the Red Foxes to punt. Starting on their own 45 yard line, St. John's proceeded to run on Marist, and with second year quarterback Tony Truzzolino given all the time in the world, the Red Men quarterback threw a 30 yard pass to senior Frank Savelli and St. John's quickly tied up the game 7-7 on Denis Bligen's extra point. On the very next series, Red Fox quarterback Jim Cleary handed off to Preston Felton at the 34 yard line and watched along with a packed home crowd as

Felton ran almost untouched thru the defense with the score. The run was 66 yards, and after the point conversion, Marist led 14-7.

After almost breaking away with the punt return St. Johns coughed up the ball on their next offensive play as Jim Cox jumped on the fumble to give the Red Foxes the ball at the Red Men 42 yard line. With a series of pitchouts to Felton, Jim Dowd and Ed Pruitt, and a fine run by quarterback Cleary, Marist brought the ball to the 22 yard line. An illegal procedure call on the offense brought the ball back to the 27, but a fumble by Felton gave the ball right back to St. Johns.

Not able to do anything with their offense, the Red Men punted the ball back to Marist and with 1:26 left in the half, the Red Foxes had the ball at the Red Men 9. It was then back to the Preston Felton offensive show, as the 195 pound running back ran thru the St. Johns defense for his third consecutive touchdown.

"We have a great offense, and the blocking was there when I needed it. The holes were all around me, so I just went thru them," commented Felton at the half. "We were slow at first, but now we're awesome." If anyone was awesome, it would have to be Felton, who's game totals included 14 carries for 104 yards and 3 touchdowns.

The extra point once again was good and although leading 21-7, the second and third year players, those on the field during last years pounding wanted more. St. Johns got the ball on the punt, but after two incomplete passes, quarterback Truzzolino finally found a receiver, Marist linebacker Dennis Diesel. Hitting last week with the impact of a Diesel Train, this week it was the speed of a Diesel that got the Marist offense going once again. Minutes later, quarterback Jim Cleary hit sophomore Mike Spawn in the end zone for the Red Foxes fourth touchdown of the half. With the touchdown went the half, as Marist led 28-7. In the half Marist quarterback Cleary went 9-18 for 179 yards and 2 touchdowns.

The differences in the offense of the two schools were clearly shown early in the third quarter as St. Johns after a 4th and 2 play was left inches short of a first down, while Marist on a 4th and inches play forced the Red Men to commit themselves, and with an illegal procedure call, the Red Foxes found new life. Moving the ball to the 17 yard line, Marist head coach Mike



Preston Felton scores one of his 3 touchdowns.

Malet ordered the field goal unit on the field, and what he got was a 27 yard score from first year player Kevin Daley. Daley is now 9-9 on extra-points, with the 27 yarder.

After another fine stand by the Red Foxes defense which had stopped St. Johns fourth down try at the Marist 11, the Red Foxes took control of the ball and slowly brought it to the 31 yard line of the Red Men before officials blew the whistle to end the third quarter.

The Marist attack continued in the fourth quarter, with the Red Foxes continuing their assault on the Red Men territory. A 2nd and 11 play at the 25 yard line saw new Marist quarterback Steve Jacaruso's pass in the end zone to Mike Spawn, for his second touchdown of the afternoon. After the good kick, the Red Foxes lead grew to 38-7 and it looked like

that might be the game. This though was not to be as St. Johns put one more touchdown on the board as a pass by Truzzolino was drilled right into the hands of Ed DeGasperis for the score. The try for the two point conversion was no good, and the game ended with that score, 38-13.

After the game Marist head coach Mike Malet gave his thoughts of the victory. "Everyones playing and working hard. That's the difference. St. Johns gave us our worst beating last season, and we wanted this football game. We needed it." Coach Malet added, "I'm happy but not over optimistic. Next week we play Iona, and that will be our test. We're capable of alot of things, but we must all do our jobs." For now, it seems that the Red Foxes job on the gridiron is one that will make some other schools take notice.

## Honor Roll

LOU CORSETTI - ranked No. 1 in punt returns (Div. III), Met Conf. Player of the week. (week 1)

TOM KELLY - ranked No. 5 in pass receiving (Div III)

PRESTON FELTON - 3 touchdowns, 104 yards rushing, Met Conf. Player of the week (week 2).  
ECACH HONOR ROLL

# Crew Begins Take 2 of 3 races at Ithaca

By Mike McCarthy  
Sports Editor

Marist took 2 of 3 varsity crew scrimmage races at Ithaca College Saturday. The men's lightweight boat took the opener by 8 boat lengths, the women's varsity won by 15 lengths, and the men's heavyweight boat dropped the third race by 2 lengths.

"The fall season is always more relaxed," remarked Andy Meyn, "but it's very instrumental in our training approach, and we are taking it very seriously."

Meyn, who coached Ithaca for 2 years, was impressed with his team's showing.

"Ithaca has always been a small college power," said Meyn, "and we completely dominated 2 races due to our early water practice start." The heavyweight boat has all the tools, its just a matter of strength, basics and conditioning. I expect them to be much more competitive by the end of the fall."

The men's varsity boat boasts coxswain Kristine Garrison, Captain Bill "Buffalo" Graham, Brian Morrissey, Tom Lasale, John Dyer, transfer Bill Johnson, Kevin Kowalski, Jim Foley and Phil "Trill" DiMaria. The lightweight boat hosts cox-

wain Sue Dubatowka, Eric Dupont, Dom Calabro, Scott Bennett, Jim Spratt, Frank Kozakiewicz, Kevin Wilson, Joe Verelli and Dave Ryan.

The rowers have a tentative race at Merrimack on Sunday October 5, then have a race at home against Lowell the following Saturday, Oct. 11. October 19 has Marist at the Head of the Charles River Regatta in Boston, and then to New York City for the Maritime International. The season will close in Philadelphia for the Frostbite Regatta on Saturday, November 15, and reopen again in the spring.

### This Week in Sports

Football - Iona - A - Fri.

Cross Country - Mansfield St. Inv. - Sat.

Women's Volleyball - New Paltz - H - Thurs.

Soccer - Siena - A - Wed.  
Kingspoint - H - Sat.

Women's Tennis - New Paltz - H - Mon.

## High on Sports

By Mike McCarthy

We're still rollin! Two of Marist's major fall sports squads, the football and soccer teams, remain undefeated through the second week of the season. The fans, too, have not slackened their tremendous support of the teams as they forge ahead. And anyone who's been reading this column for two weeks, and reading the results of the games, and yet still feels fan loyalty has nothing to do with what goes on on the field, deserves to be put in the Sheahan ground floor porter closet for a week.

Some Maristonians even gloat over the football victories a la videotape in the pub, adding to their supportive reputation.

This weekend things should just keep on rolling. There is a bus going to highly touted Iona, but that shouldn't stall the Marist express as long as the aforementioned bus is full. (\$3.00, McCann Center). The soccer team travels to Siena on Wednesday but comes right back to Leonidoff Saturday against Kings Point, expecting

rousing cheers for Marist's winningest team of the year.

But some of Marist's lesser known athletes are also working hard for that support that they too deserve. The womens volleyball team will play it's second game of the season at McCann tonight against New Paltz, while the womens tennis team is well into their season (1-1) and play New Paltz at home next Monday. The crew team is also moving, taking two of three scrimmage races at Ithaca on Saturday.

Last but not least, the intramural season is kicking off this week with flag football. If you're not on a team, nothing is stopping you from going down and cheering your buddies on. And the McCann Center is still open till midnight for all you late night athletes to vent your frustrations in a healthy way. So lets keep the big Marist ball moving upwards, and we'll all keep smilin'!

# We're Still Rollin'