Important Changes Made; Administrators Named

By John Schetz

Several important changes in administration have taken place over the summer that will greatly affect the Marist community this year.

The changes came about as a result of the administrative council and President Linus Foyle’s decisions.

Dean Edward Waters and Dean Richard LaPierra have been appointed as Internal College Coordinators, in addition to their regular duties. As Internal College Coordinators, Dean Waters and Dean LaPierra will be resuming President Foyle’s campus responsibilities while President Foyle is away from Marist during the year for the college fund raising program.

Other appointments are those of Vincent Toscano as Director of Learning Resources, as Assistant Professor of History, and Dr. Peter O’Keefe, Professor of History, now also the Director of Bridge Year Program.

Prior to the appointment of Dean Waters, who is also the Director of Special College Programs, and LaPierra, the Academic Dean, as Internal College Coordinators, the college president coordinated all internal and external affairs. The new position however, will give the president more free time for external affairs.

As Director of Learning Resources, Mr. Toscano is responsible for the Spellman Library and the Audio-Visual TV Center, and hopes to find new ways for the university to be used to improve the learning environment.

Dr. O’Keefe, as Director of Bridge Year Programs, is responsible for the Lourdes Bridge Year Program and the Spackenkill Bridge Year Program, in addition to others. Dean LaPierra feels that the administration, with its new changes, is well integrated and that this will make things better for everyone involved.

He said, “I really have confidence in the people that have been appointed, and I think that once they get the feel of their new positions, they will make a very significant contribution to the college.”

WMCR Nears Completion

By Chip Kennard

A leading member of the Marist College Radio Club has announced in a recent interview, his optimism in the air by the end of October.

Pete Celantano, the general manager of WMCR, and one of the initial organizers of the student radio station, has labored towards the coming broadcasting operation for past four years. After presenting a written proposal to the Marist College Student Government last year, his radio club was allocated $1,900 for the purchase of radio broadcasting equipment. WMCR received one of the largest allocations granted by the student government that year.

Brother Donnelly also stated that the area has a lot of other possible uses, such as being used as a picnic area, pool, area, handball court and a basketball court for basketball practice.

This construction will be the first in a period of four years on campus to improve the recreational facilities.

SAGA Introduces New Food Plan

By Rich Burke

A new food plan has been introduced at Marist this semester, designed to better accommodate the needs of undergraduate students. The plan known as the points and coupons plan, is twofold.

Students enrolled in the points plan are entitled to sixty-five points for each meal they purchase. Under the coupons system, however, the student has paid for every meal offered, so a missed meal cannot be made up. Less than twenty percent of the residents have chosen this plan.

Jim Ladota, head of Saga's activities on campus, feels that the new program is off to a promising start.

"We suspect it will be well accepted," Mr. Ladota explained. "The only hitch could be that the students may find the points too easy to use."
Students Test Water; Emerges Clean  
By Jerry Puglia  
Last month, eight Marist students were invited by Dr. Michael Driscoll to conduct an independent research project on the National Science Foundation's Water Quality Project. The Marist students were to test the quality of the Hudson River water. The National Science Foundation funds a large number of small grants to colleges and universities throughout the country. The Marist students were to be funded by the Foundation, and funding was to be used for their research. The purpose of the project was to test the quality of the Hudson River water.  

The students were given a kit to test various chemical and physical characteristics of the water. They collected samples from various locations along the river and tested the water for pH, temperature, dissolved oxygen, and other characteristics. They also measured the flow rate of the river and calculated the amount of water passing through a given area. The data was then analyzed to determine the health of the river.  

The students found that the water in the Hudson River was relatively clean, with only minor problems such as low dissolved oxygen levels in some areas. The results of the study were presented to the Marist community and the results were shared with the National Science Foundation. The study was successful in demonstrating the potential of Marist students to conduct high-quality research.
Letters To The Editors

Resignation

Dear SAGA:

There were about 200 people at the SAGA meeting on Wednesday, January 24. It is my understanding that the purpose of the meeting was to discuss the student government. However, there were so many people present that the discussion became difficult to follow. I would like to comment on the meeting.

First, I would like to state that I am not a member of SAGA. I am a student who is concerned about the direction of the organization. I believe that the meeting was poorly run and that the information presented was not clear.

Second, I would like to express my concern about the future of SAGA. I believe that the organization needs a new direction. I would like to see SAGA become more involved in the community and more focused on the needs of the students.

Sincerely,

[Name]

Comment On Resignations

Dear Student:

I am writing to express my concern about the recent resignation of our student government officers. I believe that this decision was made hastily and without consideration of the consequences.

First, I would like to state that I am a member of SAGA and I value the work that our officers have done. I believe that they have been effective in representing the students and in making decisions that benefit us.

Second, I would like to state that I believe that our officers should have been given more time to consider their resignations. I believe that they should have been consulted more about the consequences of their actions.

Sincerely,

[Name]

United Farm Workers

Dear Student:

I am writing to express my concern about the treatment of the United Farm Workers. I believe that the workers are being exploited and that they should be treated fairly.

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Second, I would like to state that I believe that the workers should be given more rights and that they should be treated fairly.

Sincerely,

[Name]

Mosaic

To All Student Members: The Mosaic Club is receiving applications for Fall Production, contact us at: [Phone Number]

Help Wanted

Executive Secretary, salary $150/week. 2:30-4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday. Apply to: Mosaic Manager, 312 S. 6th St., Marist College, Poughkeepsie, N.Y. 12601.

The Library

As Director of Learning Resources, Mr. Vincent Saccio, Jr.'s, for the new library to be a magnificent place for study, in order to advise this, the following book has been read by me: "How to Read Well" by John E. Denvir. With this book's advice, I have found that the students are better able to read and understand their work. I believe that this book should be added to our library. Would you please consider it?

Sincerely,

[Name]
Counseling Expanded

The Marist College Counseling Center has expanded this year in both its size and scope. First, it staff of three part-time counselors, the office has grown into a full-time function that includes full-time staff and services for the disabled. The College is the Director of the Center, Ana Hagerty. Ana Hagerty is the Director of the Counseling Center. The first day of counseling, he sees that the College is in full-time need of counseling services, can expand its counseling services to better meet the needs of full-time students. In her own words, "I couldn't find anyone to help me with my problems."

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Booters Win First Victory

By Tom McTernan

Marist opened its 1974 soccer season on a winning note Saturday as Ludovico Aprigliano broke a scoreless tie with a goal in the 27th minute of the second half by giving the Red Foxes a 1-0 decision over Southampton at Leonidoff Field. Aprigliano, a freshman who was inserted only minutes earlier for starting right winger John Capozella, did a fine job keeping the ball on the ground with it after making a great diving save on the Colonials' last good shot on goal.

The first half was marked by rough hitting and end-to-end action, both teams getting within scoring range, only to be bumped off the ball before a good shot could be taken. Bill Putre played an outstanding game in the middle before he was ejected early in the second half for striking an opponent in the heat of battle. Marist's biggest chance came early in the first session when Skipper Tom Frey, and crew, Marie Garguilo, and crew, Fred Kolthay, Marist's young mathematics major at Marist, has been named Marist College Student-Athlete of the Week for the week ending September 22. The award marks the third consecutive week Frey has returned to the team. He always puts 100 per cent into anything he attends. Mr. Petro before October 4.

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High On Sports

By John Thach

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"Fred is truly an outstanding young man who is highly motivated and has all the characteristics of a leader," points out Goldman. "He is also very dedicated and conscientious as well as possessing a great deal of responsibility. McDonald, a business major at Marist, is a graduate of Cardinal Money High School, Rochester, where he earned letters in soccer.

INTHEURAL ANNOUNCEMENT

Anyone interested in competing in the Intramural Soccer League should pick up a roster in the Intramural Office (Footprints 316) Deadlines for submitting rosters will be Wednesday Oc-

KOLTHAY REPEATS AS ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

Fred Kolthay, Marist College's one cross-country runner, has been named Marist College Athlete of the Week for the week ending September 22. Kolthay, who was also last week's Athlete of the Week, is a member of the Marist cross-country team. Kolthay won the 1974 U.S. Merchant Marine Academy of Kings Point and New York Tech Sectionals on September 22 at Van Cortlandt Park in New York City. This puts Marist at 5-0 on the young season. Kolthay's score of 13-14-2 is the lowest total in the team's six meets this season. Kolthay has been named Marist College Athlete of the Week for the sixth consecutive week.

HOOP ANNOUNCEMENT

All men interested in trying out for both the Varsity and Junior Varsity Basketball teams, should attend a meeting on Tuesday, Oct. 1, at 2:30 p.m. in Room C-005. Bring your class schedule and pencil. If you cannot attend this meeting, please see your team coach.

Sailing Claims Third

Gunny Alban, also did well in the "B" division putting Marist in second place. Marist sails again this weekend in the Minor Regatta at home. Hopefully, the addition of newly-acquired crew will help steer the team to victory.