Perez nominated for Regents  

By Terence Moore

Dean of Students Antonio Perez has become the first Marist community member to be nominated for a Regents appointment of the University of the State of New York. The Regents are the primary education decision makers in the state.

While Perez said he was honored to be considered to fill the Regents vacancy, he added his chances of being elected are slim.

"It felt very honored to at least be considered for nomination but my chances of actually being appointed aren't too good. An opening like this comes along once every 10 years and the process of making appointments is very political," said Perez.

Perez was nominated by state Senator Israel Ruiz, Jr., who asked Perez if he was interested in the position in early March, according to Dean of Students Antonio Perez.

The Regents' jurisdiction extends from kindergarten through professional and graduate schools, affecting some 400,000 students in 200 elementary and secondary schools and 95 colleges and universities.

Perez said having a Marist representative as a Regent would be a great advantage to the college in gaining approval of new programs proposals when submitted to the state for review.

"The vote will take place March 6," he said.

CSL opposes Leo freshmen dorm  

By Christopher Hogan

The proposed freshmen dorm is "an unnecessary use of force" for prospective Marist freshman, says a letter from the Council of Student Leaders (CSL) to the Board of Trustees today.

"Strengthening of presently existing programs" and "phasing in" of the proposal are alternatives that Student Government president Frank Riccardi presented to the Student Life Committee and were present to the Board of Trustees today.

According to the CSL letter, alternatives are to gradually phase Leo Hall into a freshmen dorm by informing "next year's" entrants into Leo that they would only be allowed to re-enter their dorm if they decide to stay at Marist. An alternative would be that the "orientation program should have a heavier emphasis on residence-related information.

"The possibility of a senior dorm was discussed but no decision was made to "pack in the Leo Dorm,"" according to CSL member Susan Lesh."
**News in brief...**

**Clubs getting more money**

Student Government allocated $5,000 out of a proposed $8,000 to 12 clubs last Monday. The largest allocation of $800 was received by the Marist College Student Drama Society, which is planning a production of "Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf?" on March 2-3 to earn job descriptions and outline for anyone interested.的应用程序将在几周内进行。

**CUB looks for president**

Nominations are now being accepted by the College Business and Bursar Union, to fill the executive position of CUB president, and Secretary for the Spring semester. The election will be held March 30th and the cabinet will be seated March 31st. Full details about the open position and the duties of the executive position can be obtained from the College Business and Bursar Union.

**Increase in Admission apps**

A 43 percent increase in full admission applications will give Marist a large pool of choices to choose from. An increase in 1979-80 applications is expected to allow Marist to add more students to the fall class.

**The Rathskeller will have a special on Monday, from 9 p.m. to 12 a.m.**

**Tuition increase still unknown**

The most amount of tuition and room and board increases for 1979-80 will be decided by the Marist College Financial Aid Committee, according to James Daly, admissions director. Other increases may be made, but none have been paid in full. The amount auctioned were donated from various sources. Father Labonte donated five bottles of liquor. You and a friend donated two cases of beer. You and a friend donated $100.

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**Outlook Gets S.G. funding**

By Christopher Hogan

Student Government allocated $5,000 to the new appointment of a vice president for community relations. The position was created by the administration last fall, after discussing the need for a campus-wide advertising campaign.

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The Circle will not publish next week because of midterm exams. The Circle wishes the student body good luck on their exams. We will return to publication on March 17.

THE CIRCLE


casO's goal: acceptance

By Donnie Jones

A Halloween party for delinquent students was held at Marist College. The party, known as "Halloween for Children of Delinquent Parents," was sponsored by the Marist College Campus Organization (CASO) and the Marist College College of Education. The party was held to provide a safe and non-judgmental environment for these children to express their feelings and interact with others.

In the past, these children have been shunned and isolated due to the nature of their parents' behavior. The purpose of the party was to offer them a chance to feel a sense of belonging and to be accepted for whom they are.

The party was open to all children, regardless of their parents' backgrounds. It included a variety of activities, such as games, crafts, and a costume contest. The children were encouraged to be themselves and to have fun.

CASO president Kevin Williams explained that the event was intended to break down the barriers that often exist between delinquent children and the rest of society.

Williams said that a goal of the party was to show these children that they are not alone and that there are people who care about them. He added that the event was "a great success and we all look forward to your continued support."
The week in review

Around the world....

Western analysts here believe that the major fighting in Southeast Asia has ended but that fighting could resume at a later date. The experts predict that the conflict will have long-term ramifications on the region.

Inquiring Photographer

Question: What do you think of the idea of minority containment?

Weston: I think it's a very bad idea. It's a way of perpetuating poverty and inequality. It's a way of denying people their basic human rights.

Letters...from pg 4

 replaces. Failure to comply will face to take more drastic actions. It is a complaint with the Federal Trade Commission as well as the New York State Department of Consumer Affairs.

Do not hallucinate.

Dear editors,

I was just out of high school, I had no knowledge of alcoholism and vandalism. I am still somewhat confused.

I have been studying the issue of alcoholism and vandalism in the 1970s. This was the era when it became clear that these behaviors were not just minor transgressions, but were part of a larger problem affecting society.

President Carter withdrew from the 1979 presidential race.

Peace Talks Resume

President Carter announced to the news media Thursday that the Peace Talks between Egypt and Israel will resume. The talks, which were suspended in May, are scheduled to begin on Sunday. The talks were originally scheduled to begin on May 15th, but were postponed due to the president's illness. The exact agenda of the talks is still unknown, but it is expected to focus on the Israeli withdrawal from the Sinai Peninsula and the establishment of a permanent peace agreement.

John Buxton writes on breakdowns -赛季, tour on page 4

HIGH ON SPORTS

by Chris Hogan

Marist has won their last three games of the season before dropping a 1-0 loss to the Old Dominion University. On Wednesday night, the Marist Red Foxes defeated the Old Dominion Monarchs, 2-0, to advance to the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference (MAAC) tournament. The Red Foxes are currently ranked 14th in the nation and will likely receive an at-large bid to the NCAA tournament.

Scholder eyes IC4A's

by Tom Murphy

Paul Weis took second place on the 200 meter backstroke and is currently ranked fifth in the nation in the 200 meter backstroke. He will join the men's team at the IC4A championships on Sunday.

This Week in Sports

by Tom Murphy

Jerry Sheehan has announced the starting lineup for the week ending Feb. 1. On Saturday, the Marist men's track and field team will compete in the St. John's Invitational. The team has previously placed third in the meet and will be looking to improve on that performance.

Schoenfield's three points against Bentley College.

Swimmers wash out

by Dan Brant

Despite improved individual performances, the Marist women's swimming and diving team finished last out of nine teams at the Metropolitan Swim Conference Championship last weekend at Fordham University.

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Foxes reach E.A.I.A.W. Champs
Women oppose Niagara
University in regional competition

By John Mayer

For the first time in Marist history, the Women's Basketball team has qualified for the 16-team Eastern Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women Division 1A post-season playoff. The preliminary rounds of the competition will be held this weekend at the University of Rochester. According to head coach Linda Rogers, "It would be a good chance of getting into the semi-finals. After that I don't know.

In order to advance to the semi-finals the Red Fox women will have to win their opener tomorrow night against Niagara, and also defeat the winner of Friday's Canisius-Yale game on Saturday night.

The semi-final and final round of this NCAA 'A' Small College regional tournament will take place next weekend at Northeastern University in Boston.

"I'll be going with the same starters that I have all season," said Rogers. "I just hope we can keep out of foul trouble because that is where we gave up a lot of points this season."

Rogers feels that the success that led her team to the regional action was that the team was not dependent on just one person, but that all the players worked together.

"Everyone contributed equally to the team's success," Rogers said. "They did the best they could every time they stepped on the court." Rogers attributes another key to their achievement to team captain Anita Marano, whose leadership helped to keep the team under control on the court, which in her opinion is essential with the fast break offense that the Red Foxes used this season.

Injuries and illness were the two major factors that Rogers felt hurt her team, especially during the stretch of Hudson Valley Athletic Conference league games that the Red Foxes played toward the latter part of the regular season.

"On a whole, the season was excellent," Rogers said. "I was very pleased that my first season as coaching college basketball was such a success," said Rogers. "My players accomplished all the things that were important to me, and they worked very hard to do it."

Rogers plans to play an even tougher schedule next season, and will be looking for new players who can improve their fast break capabilities.

POST HOOPS...The Marist women were scheduled to end their regular season last night against Adelphi at the McCann Center, a victory would give them a 14-6 regular season record, the same as they ended with last year. This season also marked the first time the Red Foxes made the Hudson Valley Athletic Conference tournament, where they placed second behind Mercy. If Marist does win the E.A.I.A.W. regionals they will move on to the Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women nationals at the University of North Dakota on March 25-26.

Hoopsters slump again
Marist edged by three

By Christopher Hogan

Three defeats in the past week ended the Red Fox basketball team two game winning streak and set the Marist record back to 7-16 with one game remaining in the season.

Despite the return of injured freshmen guard Todd Hasler, the Foxes were unable to recover from a dismal past record of 7-13, and suffered losses to Pratt Institute, New York Tech, and Bentley College.

On Monday, Pratt defeated Marist 85-79 behind a 23-11 scoring average from five players. Marist trailed by one point at halftime but pulled away by five points in the second half when Bentley mounted a 19-14 scoring average.

New York Tech's Ervin Hicks crashed the boards with 15 rebounds and three Tech players combined scores to tally 54 of the team's 83 points to slip by Marist 44-40. Although Marist outrebounded Tech 30-25 and held the Bulldogs to a 16-3 scoring average from five players, Marist trailed by one point at the halfway mark.

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Bentley led Marist at halftime 32-40 and never relinquished their lead. Marist lost touch with Bentley in the opening minutes of the second half when Bentley mounted an 18 point lead with 14:16 remaining in the game.

Rules hamper booters

By Christopher Hogan

"Unusual" rules helped eliminate the Marist indoor soccer team in the semifinal match of the Drew University Indoor Soccer Tournament last Sunday.

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