The Marist College bookstore is often the object of criticism within the Marist community, with students and faculty alike citing high prices, unfair policies and poor service. Though many of these complaints are unjustified, accusations about the bookstore lead to a lack of understanding between some Marist students and security.

Joe Leary, director of Safety and Security, said, "There has been a long standing adversary relationship between not just students, but people and authority figures." Senior, Mikea Kistina said he believes there are problems. "I'm sure there are clashes, it is an authority type thing. We should work together instead of thinking of each other as an opposite side.

Many students stated security officers tend to take their jobs and positions too seriously. Kevin Smith, a junior from Saratoga Springs, stated that the problem is the attitude. "Security guards have a tough guy attitude and in order to relate to students they need to drop it."

"If you want to start acting like adults they need to start treating us like adults. They act like you are guilty until proven innocent," said Smith. "I am empowered by the knowledge of what constitutes a crime, and what behavior and what goes into it, then I am less vulnerable," Amato said. "We tell them their options of reporting, but we don't report it for them," Amato said. Victims can either report the assault to the local authorities or to the Marist administration.

"We don't try to coerce anybody," said Jane O'Brien, director of health services. "We try to explain why it is a good idea to report the incident, but we leave it up to the victim to report." The Counseling Center aims to provide guidance and support for victims, and it is open Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. "Victims are so confused at the time and they don't know what to do," O'Brien said. "Someone has to be clear headed and help them through the process."

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Issues of safety for women can be helped through the process. Confidentiality is the main principle stressed at the Counseling Center. Amato said. "If I am empowered by the knowledge of what constitutes behavior and what goes into it, then I am less vulnerable," Amato said. The Health Center trains resident assistants and orientation leaders to educate incoming freshmen.

"We show films and facilitate discussions on how sexual misconduct can result in tragic results," Amato said. The center also provides pamphlets and teaches people how to help a friend who has been raped.

"The Counseling Center, which is located in Burrey House, serves as an agency to help victimized people.

"People don't have to go through it alone," Amato said. "We have a support group, we have people who can help."

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The roots of “Chatter-Hater” are in the criticism you have written in past columns. The sources are the same, but the format is different. You claim to be a voice for change, but the reality is you have been a constant voice of resistance. Every time you write, it feels like you are repeating the same story in a different way.

As a journalist, I strive to present balanced and accurate information. However, your articles often seem to focus on personal attacks and are devoid of any constructive criticism. It is disappointing to see such a limited perspective.

I would like to challenge you to consider the following: rather than focusing solely on what you perceive as shortcomings, perhaps you could take a more proactive approach by offering solutions and constructive ideas. This would not only add value to your columns but also set a positive example for others who might follow in your footsteps.

In conclusion, while I agree that change is necessary, it is equally important to approach it with a sense of responsibility and empathy. I hope that in the future, our interactions will be characterized by mutual respect and a genuine desire to contribute positively to society.

Sincerely,
[Your Name]
The History of the Citibank Classic Visa card and the Age of Credit Card Security. In the 67th year of the 20th Century A.D., Citibank introduced a credit card aptly titled the Citibank Classic Visa® card. Established on the premise that a credit card should offer—24 hours a day—personal, personal service, the Citibank Classic Visa card marked the end of the Ice Age. And it ushered in a new era. With the introduction of the first PhotoCard, the credit card bearing one's own photo and signature on the front, it soon became evident that Man was entering the Post-Paleolithic Period. First, Man was no longer looking like a Neanderthal, as one often does on. more primitive cards such as the Student ID. He or she could now choose his or her own photo. Second, by detecting other anthropoids from using the card, Man was helping to prevent fraud. Surely this was a sign of advanced intelligence. The subsequent rise of services was nothing less than an American Revolution. So as you might expect, Citibank would be there for you, even if your card...
**Booters lose 4-1; mark now 2-1-2**

by ANDREW HOLMLUND

The men's soccer team (2-1-2) has lost three of its last four games, the most recent being a 1-0 setback to St. John's University yesterday.

Yesterday's setback at the hands of the Red FOXes now brings Marist's loss total to three this season.

Marist's last win was against Wagner College on Oct. 16, 1993.

Marist has yet to develop a winning streak this season, with a best finish of two consecutive victories.

The men's soccer team has a record of 2-1-2, with two losses and one draw.

**Gridders lose to RPI again, 14-7**

by GREG BIBB

The women's football team lost 14-7 to RPI yesterday, bringing their record to 1-2 on the season.

Marist had the ball in RPI's territory three times, but only managed to score once.

Despite the loss, the women's football team is continuing to improve and has a winning chance against RPI.

**Netters, 13-1; notch best record ever**

by JIM DERIVAN

The women's tennis team posted a 13-1 victory over Wagner College yesterday, bringing their record to 7-0 for the season.

The team's best record ever, 13-1, was achieved during the 1990 season.

The victory over Wagner College was expected, and the team continues to dominate in singles and doubles.

**STAT OF THE WEEK**

The men's football team has an 0-1-1 career record versus RPI.

**Teri L. Stewart**

**Staff Writer**

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**Spikers split four; third in Hartford**

by TERY STEWART

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