ResNet’s 2nd year a success

by TIM SORENSON  
Staff Writer

Best known for its running fox logo, ResNet finished the year ahead.

Residential Networking, or ResNet, is the program on campus that not only hooks up computers to the college’s mainframe for resident students, but also does much more. Rob Gumm, manager of Personal Computer Technologies Group, said no one knew what to expect when Marist started its ResNet program.

"No one knew how large this was going to be when we started," he said.

ResNet is actually new at Marist. It began September of last year with the first tour of the "SWAT" team.

This group of students and computer technicians went to each dorm and living area on campus to installed Internet and mainframe access to students who requested it for their personal computers.

While the program may be new, the idea is not. It all began about 7 years ago when the Internet was not a big deal, but more and more schools were getting on it.

A group of 12 students were actually recruited in volunteers...to let some technicians install a frame for resident students, but computers to the college's mainframe.

"It seemed to go very, very well," she said. "The numbers were staggering. We had more than 75 people signed up in the first round...and another several hundred people signed up in the second round."

Although he has not set any goals yet, Hogan said his main priority. He plans to do this by starting a freshman class newsletter and giving important information to Resident Student Council (RSC) presidents to be relayed to students.

Hogan already has many years of experience in politics.

He began by serving in the student council of his middle school, and in high school he was elected junior and senior class president. Hogan is from Kenilworth, NJ, and attended David Brearley High School.

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WATERFRONT PARK TO BECOME REALITY

BY JENNIFER SMITH

The library is not the only part of campus improvements that are anticipated to water down or early spring. It will start construction on the "Science," "Arts," "Library," and "Art" buildings.

The college has raised $14,564, including grants from five state agencies, the Dutchess County Industrial Agency and the Hudson River Improvement Fund, according to Tom Massa, chief college enrollment officer. Approximately $1 million in state and government assistance will be raised by the college.

Construction is promised, but it will be off-season, and workers will be on the field. The college intends to keep the "Science," "Arts," "Library," and "Art" buildings open during construction.

"The construction plan is a wonderful opportunity for parents and students to live in the campus and see the improvements," Ms. Massa said.

"It's a great idea," Lolita Wiesel, executive director of the Wiesel Foundation for Humanity, said. "We're very happy to see this happen." The Wiesel Foundation for Humanity is one of the sponsors of the event.

"This is a great opportunity," Ms. Massa said. "It will be a huge event, and it's a wonderful opportunity for people to see the improvements on the campus and the improvements that are happening around the college."
RESNET: Project aims to satisfy web surfing students

By TONY CONSTATINO

Mariot College

Students who have been struggling in mathematics need look no further. The Math lab offers help.

"This is indeed a useful service for our students," said Dr. Richard Lapierta, chemistry professor. "We have a number of students who are having trouble with this subject and we are glad to have the Math lab available." The lab is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Math lab is located in the basement of the Science building.

The Math lab is staffed by a team of volunteer students who are well versed in the subject. They are available to help students with their studies and are always willing to explain the concepts in a way that is easy to understand.

Contact the Math lab at 315-695-4123 for more information.

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by ELIZABETH CARRABBA

Donnelly Hall, once center of campus life

by KATRINA FUCHSBERGER

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**Riot changes Marist's history**

**On-campus amusement park closed after brawl**

by JENNIFER MATAZZO

The chlorine smell lingered over the summer after a brawl broke out around 3 p.m., shortly after about 1,000 people, and a large group of Jamaican people from Poughkeepsie at the Townhouses, Gartland Commons, massed into the Townhouse at the amusement park. The circle, the largest one in the history of the summer, said the music was too loud. **The Swiss Poland, who was playing the guitar, said he was too loud.**

**Attention Students**

**Attention Communication Majors**

Staff Writer

All communication majors are strongly encouraged to attend the upcoming meeting of the Attention Communication Majors on Wednesday, October 3, at 3 p.m. in the Communication building. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the upcoming Attention Communication Majors event, which will be held on Saturday, October 6, at 7 p.m. in the MACC. The event will feature guest speakers, a panel discussion, and a networking opportunity. Attendance is required for all communication majors.

**Hepatitis B, not a well-known virus**

by SIMON KIVACHARSKY

Famous Psychic

Emily's Recipe of the Week

Cheese and Bean Enchiladas

Emily Kucharczyk wrote this recipe for the column.

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Editors question professor’s comments

After reading Assistant accounting professor Robert Walsh’s ed piece in the October 4 issue, I was left with a question. It was an interesting piece, but the question was this: Why should some professors become editors?

First off, I would like to say that Mr. Walsh’s article was interesting. He presented his ideas and comments in a way that was easy to understand. However, I do have a question. Why would some professors become editors?

The reason is simple: they want to express their opinions on important issues. But is this a good thing? I am not so sure. I believe that professors should use their influence to promote knowledge and understanding, not just their personal opinions. After all, the role of an editor is to represent the interests of the public, not just the interests of a particular group of people.

In conclusion, I think that Mr. Walsh’s article was interesting, but I believe that it would have been better if it had been more focused on the issues rather than on personal opinions. This way, the readers would have been able to gain a better understanding of the issues, not just Mr. Walsh’s personal opinions.

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Professor supports columnist’s ideas

I was very impressed by the recent column written by Ed O’Keefe, “Why Marist College?” The article was well-researched and presented a strong argument for Marist College’s commitment to academic excellence.

I, too, believe that the Marist community is committed to providing a high-quality education. However, I think that Mr. O’Keefe’s article could have been improved by including more specific examples of the programs and services that Marist offers to students with disabilities. This would have helped to make a stronger case for Marist’s commitment to diversity.

In summary, I think that Mr. O’Keefe’s article was a good start, but more work needs to be done to make a stronger case for Marist College’s commitment to academic excellence.

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Homogenization is good...for milk

In 1995 a Wal-Mart was proposed for the site of the now-demolished Mid Hudson Business Park. But because of the recent trend to homogenize the country, many people are now complaining about the lack of local businesses.

I think that homogenization is actually a good thing. First of all, it makes it easier for people to shop, because they can find the same types of stores no matter where they go. Second, it makes it easier for businesses to advertise, because people will be more likely to buy from them if they know that they are part of a chain.

However, I do think that there is a limit to how far homogenization can go. For example, it would be a bad idea to have all of the stores in a mall be exactly the same. Instead, there should be a mix of different types of stores, so that people can find what they are looking for.

In conclusion, I think that homogenization is good for milk, but not for local businesses.

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The destruction of the Mid Hudson Business Park remains a topic of conversation among those who lived in the area.

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Totally Theatre

by RACHARL VOLLARDO

“Is there an ‘Is it over?’? Pencils mark both present listeners.”

“I will take Shakespere, Twelfth Night.”

This weekend the Merit College Council in Theatre Area will present the first of a two-season run of the season, Noel Coward’s Present Laughter.

Present Laughter centers around the character of Gary Essendine. Essendine, a speaking age-40, struggles to maintain his facade of the artist and his social life. He hosts flings with his comics and darker alike. He also has a small group of friends who know him better than his guests. Narrating this whole scene is an odd man, Garry’s ex-wife and lover of his own brother. Last but not least, there is a, ‘The “Is it over?” or “Is it over?” Pens? I Don’t care!!!’

“This is the first time I’ve done a stand-up show,” said Garry, who is an assistant professor of English at Marist, and said he is looking forward to seeing how the audience reactions to Coward’s “‘Is it over?” Pens?”

He said, “We are being shown for how the audience reactions are. There will be love scenes with bedroom scenes, a lot of laughter, and some laughs that are not the most fearsome. The show has a nice mixture of veterans; a nice mixture of new and ‘Is it over?’ Pens?”

It’s been a thrilling and fulfilling experience.”

For veterans like senior Chris Jones, who has been a part of the cast since the beginning of the season, Noel Coward’s Present Laughter is a great experience. The show has been a great experience for the cast. This is also very satisfying to be in front of my first full house in my first full house in a while,” he said.

Dischord Records legacy continues

by PATRICK WHITHE

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Shutout gives Marist tie for first

by THOMAS RYAN

A little advice to all the MAAC coaches who still have to play the Marist football team this year: do not start a freshman quarterback.

The Red Foxes sacked St. John's freshman quarterback Brendan Malone eight times and intercepted him twice in a 14-0 win that catapulted Marist into first place in the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference.

The Marist defense also held the Red Storm to a school-record low of 45 yards rushing as the Red Foxes continued to lock more and more like the 1997 team that led the nation in total defense. Jerry Gerth, Reid Ellis and Dwayne Bates dominated the St. John's offensive line, wreaking havoc for all sixty minutes, and Joe Macchial and Dominick Valla each recorded an interception.

Marist head coach Jim Parady said his defense was going to step up, since Marist was facing a team that came into the game ranked number one in the country in total defense.

"We felt our defense, would play up to the challenge, and they did," Parady said. "We had guys running clean, and when you have guys running clean like we did, you know it's the scheme."

That is the scheme put together by Marist defensive coordinator Rick Pardy. On this day, Pardy brought pressure from all sides against the freshman Malone, who to his credit always got up. However, he was not very effective, completing only 9 of 24 passes for 74 yards on the day.

Pardy said his defensive backs were the key to bringing the constant barrage against the Red Storm.

"We wanted to be sound and we were," Pardy said. "I was proud of the secondary cover-age that allowed us to bring our guys."

On the other side of the ball, Marist struggled early against the top-rated Red Storm defense. By the end of the first half the Marist offense was 2 for 14 in the red zone and a failed punt. The Marist defense had already stopped the Red Storm twice in the first half.

"There is no T in team" could not hold Marist together against the Red Storm.

"We like to think this is a good tune up for the MAAC championships, because our players had the opportunity to face players from a wide range of colleges from New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, and Rhode Island," said Coach Smith.

Now getting to the coveted MAAC championships, an event the Red Foxes have been looking forward to all year. As stated before, this year's winner will receive an automatic bid to the NCAA tournament, so with that in mind, the state of the Marist team, which looks promising in respects to their conference record, was not diminished.

Smith said he thinks the tournament might hurt the Red Foxes.

"If we were playing the teams head to head instead of a fliigated tournament, I would be cautiously optimistic," said coach Smith. "However, because of the paradox of the top four teams, it is quite conceivable that Fairfield could fire a large number of points at four, five and six singles, and second and third doubles, as well as the three singles and doubles being split up among allifiers and five any MAAC teams."

In other words, the old phrase "there is no 'T' in team" could never hold so much meaning. Without an overall team effort from Marist, the tournament's structures would allow for a much weaker team to capture points, and then if the cards fall right, take the tournament title.

Bielawski, however, said he is optimistic.

"It's making it a lot easier (winning the MAAC) because now... please see TENNIS, pg 14.

The Red Foxes' Jerry Gerth (37) sacks St. John's quarterback Brendan Malone, causing him to fumble. The Red Storm would recover the ball on this play, but wound up losing 14-0.

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TENNIS

Men's tennis gears up for MAAC Championships

by PETER MOYLAN

The Marist men's tennis team just had a week most team's dream about.

Not only they beat powerhouse and rival Fairfield, but they also went into the Eastern Athletic Conference tournament and blew up like an atomic bomb.

Marist beat the hated Stags 5-2, preserving their hopes of a successful season. For the Red Foxes, at the time being first time in school history, it seemed like a pinnacle of an all-time high.

"Now comes the big one. Marist travels to Pennsylvania on Saturday to take on a hungry Drexel team who lost at home last week to Fairfield. If the Red Foxes want the MAAC title, the only way they will get it is to duplicate what the Stags did."

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Quote of the Week

"We are going to see a lot of good competition and we think we are ready for it." - Darrel Bielawski on the MAAC teams in the MAACs.

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HEFFRON finished second, while sophomore Greg Salamone was not far behind in fourth place. A middle pack of Steve Palmer (12), Brian Perrella (14), Pete Starz (16), and Jeff Grady (18) completed the top ten.

For the women, freshman Liza Grudzinski continued to pace the team to victory and improved her record to 1-1. She finished first place finish and by crushing the former five-kilometer course record. Grudzinski ran the course in 18:37, eclipsing the previous record by over 30 seconds. She edged 10 second place second place Con­ nel University. Many of the runners ran to season best times, making this already dominant team even stronger.

"What does this mean for the future of the Red Foxes? With... please see CROSS COUN­ TRY, pg 14.

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TENNIS

Cross country teams continue to run strong with two wins

by JENNIFER GLOVER

From the flat, 80-degree Notre Dame course, to the hilly 50-de­ gree brick central New York site, the men's and women's cross country team proved that nothing stands in their way to first place victories.

Saturday, Oct. 3, the men's and women's cross country team traveled to Colgate University to participate in the Harry Long Invitational. Marist competed against host team Colgate and Metro Atlantic Athletic Confer­ ence rivals Niagara, Canisius, and Siena.

Marist continued to do what they seem to do best, run away with another victory. Senior Mike Meli led the men's team once again with his third consecutive first place finish of the year, setting a new record on the 7,500-meter course with his time of 25:21. Teammate Ben

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Stat of the Week

The Marist football team held St. John's to 45 yards rushing on Sat­ urday.