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Wilder’s ‘The Happy Journey’
To Be Parents’ Day Feature

The annual Parents’ Day program, sponsored by the Marian College Student association, will be held Sunday, Oct. 21, from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m.

The purpose of this meeting is to acquaint the parents with our school, faculty, students and, one another.

Highlighting the afternoon entertainment will be the presentation of a comedy—“The Happy Journey” by Thornton Wilder. The cast is composed of Emilee Clevenger, Mary Milhare, Joyce French, John O’Brian, Jim Allison, and Paul Fox.

Also appearing in the all-student program are the Bel Canto chorus and pianist Delores Seaths. Following will be a men’s and women’s volleyball games.

Parents’ Day committee, staffed by Student Board officer, are: invitations—Maureen Feeney, Paul Fox, and Dave James; refreshments—Mary Schwendenman and Carylou Siedling; entertainment—Shelibri Mears; reception and guides—Emilee Murray, Marian Robinson, and Paul Fox.

Enrollment Surges As 401 Register

Marian college, the only Catholic co-educational college in Indiana, has a record enrollment for this semester of 401 students, according to figures released by the registrar.

Pictured in a recent issue of one of the daily newspapers “was a sign on a college campus saying: Welcome to the best years of your life. Although there may be some discussion as to whether the four years of a college career are absolutely the best of one’s life, there still is a great deal of truth in those words. College years are certainly rich years of opportunity.

To the maturing minds of young men and women the vast treasures of the arts and sciences are opened wide. The accumulated wisdom of the ages, the knowledge and inventions of today, and the dreams and inventions of tomorrow lie waiting to be caught up by every new generation of college men and women. There is the exciting invitation to be enriched by this heritage and to make a contribution to it.

For students of a Catholic college there is the additional opportunity to grow in the knowledge, love, and practice of their faith. Living in the atmosphere of a Catholic college and following a course of studies permeated with Catholic theology and philosophy they have the even more exciting invitation to become saints as well as scholars.

Opportunities pose a challenge. They must be seized and used. They demand that something be done about them; they call for intelligent and active guidance.

Beginning a new year at Marian, you will do well to take inventory of the rich opportunities that await you. Meet their challenge with energy and courage. Do not allow these treasures to go to waste. Whether your college days prove to be the best years of your life or even good years depend upon you. May God and His Immaculate Mother bless you and help you to grow in wisdom and grace.

—Fr. Francis J. Reins, President, Marian College

MEET YOUR STUDENT BOARD . . . left to right, Maureen Feeney, treasurer; Jim McLaughlin, president; Paul Fox, secretary; Shelia Mears, vice-president; Marian Robinson, religious rep.; Carylou Siedling, publications rep.; Emilee Murray, NFCCS rep.; Dave James, Sophomore rep.; Paul Henn, junior rep.; Bill Method, senior rep.; Mary Schwendenman, Clare hall rep.; Sister M. Karen, moderator.

THE FAMED BOYS’ TOWN CHOIR from Father Flanagan’s home, shown in the Dowd Memorial Chapel. The concert organization has sung in more than 300 cities from coast to coast.

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CATHOLIC YOUTH WEEK

OCT. 25-NOV. 4

In Sympathy...

Faculty and students extend sincere sympathy to: Mrs. Coleman Clark upon the death of her mother; Sister Mary Jane, a sister; Robert and Margie Roth and Paul Fox, their mothers. Prayers are being offered for the repose of their souls.

Respectfully yours,
Joe McLaughlin, President
Student Association

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Dear Mr. Pooner,

Dear hopefully Broad-Minded,

Is Annual a Disappointment?

Suggestions Offer Improvements

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Student Association President
Gives Pattern for Collegiates

The 1956-57 first semester has been in session for approximately six weeks, but this is the first opportunity for me to welcome you officially. To the freshmen and other new students—I hope you enjoy and make the best of your stay at Marian. To the upperclassmen—it's good to see you back, and keep up the good work.

It has been my experience to note that the college student is viewed by the public in two ways. The high school senior seems to picture the college student laboring over many textbooks until all hours of the night. At the same time, the majority of the elders seem to picture us as young men and women having our last fling before taking our places in this "crude world."

To me, both pictures are inaccurate. The true picture lies between the two aforementioned. The true college student is neither a "book worm" for a strict "party-goer." He or she must use the two in right proportions, to be a wholly educated man or woman.

The knowledge we obtain from textbooks enables us to do our jobs well. But in doing these jobs, it is necessary that we work or practice on outside, rather than only inside, people. It is as necessary that we get along with them, as it is that we know what we are doing.

But social life isn't the only classroom. We have to be whole in the classroom that we should take advantage of. The on-campus extra-curricular and co-curricular activities, club participation, and athletics fall into this latter group. These might be considered classrooms for learning leadership, organization, accepting responsibility, and working with others.

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Point of View...

In the course of events, the students of Marian may have a chance to see some recent educational and educational movies but by the dramatic club. Let us hope that the choice of showings will be as enjoyable as the premier performance Saturday night, Oct. 6.

The movie, "A Song to Remember," based on the life of Frederic Chopin, was supported by a full cast. But, so to say, the poor mechanics played havoc with the audience. As for the showings, they are a combination of insipid acidity which made one wonder whether the producers were concerned with their production or not. The poor mechanics played havoc with the audience.

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Seven States, Five Countries Join Expanding Campus Crowd

by Paul Fox

Millers, freshmen—everywhere—wandering around searching of "that room" or "that person." Just walking similarly!

But do you still realize whom you're rubbing elbows with? Have you had the occasion to poke someone in the ribs hanging around a wisecrack only to be met with a blank stare? Unless the person is naturally anti-social, the face behind the stare probably belongs to one of our non-English speaking students.

New Flavor

Adding an international cosmopolitan flavor to our already diversity, freshmen class is the arrival of six new foreign students to our environs. The freshly-adopted Hoosiers and Marianists represent Jamaica, Guatemala, Panama, and Puerto Rico.

Downs-rite, seven states have made contributions to our small melting pot—Florida, Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Minnesota, Montana, and Ohio. It is refreshing to be reminded of the blend in backgrounds which personifies our university. No fewer than 56 high school communities have contributed to our fine crop of farm-ers.

The Sea of Faces

Last week we forget—we must make mention of the ten veterans enrolled as freshmen. It looks as if this

1956 Grads Report Progress

In Careers, Study, Homemaking

June graduates are filling a variety of interesting positions.

Back in school, but this time as teachers in the primary grades of Indianapolis schools, are Regina Bisgaard at St. Francis de Sales, Patricia Barnett at school 28, Theresia McCarthy at school 8, Sally Schwegman at school 40, and Mary Day Walsh at school 02. Ann Herber has the 6th grade at school 43.

Judy Rahn Morrow is teaching social studies in St. Lawrence junior high, Muncie, Ind., while Barry Padern is on the staff of St. Paul's in Valparaiso.

In Uncle Sam's army are: Robert Kretschmer, James O'Bryan, and Donald Werning, John Powell, employed in the credit department at Bryant Hotel, will leave for the army at the end of the month.

More Study

Two of the graduates, Lillian Gonzales and Joanne Ramboe, are completing their senior year at St. Vincent's hospital completing her medical technology program. Lillian has adopted a graduate scholarship, and is majoring in chemistry at the University of Cincinnati.

Maria Legg, a policeman's wife, in the city, hopes soon to go into the Fulton-Monroe division. Next year she will be teaching work in social studies.

Boys' Town Choir

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Another of the varied folk in the school is the 15, Sister Marian Eileen (Betty White) who has been granted a postulancy's habit and Sister Daniel (Nan Sunderhaus '48), a postulant and Sister Nazarenni (Nancy MacLaughlin) a postulant.

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The magazine Sports Illustrated calls it the Wonderful World of Sports. That's what we're here to tell you about this year. Mostly about the exciting stuff with Marian college with some looks at the rest of that wonderful world.

The major sport at Marian is of course basketball and the Knights have an interesting 22 game schedule awaiting them. There will be 11 home games this year which should really up that attendance mark. We'll have almost the same team back this year, especially Ty Cobb if he were playing today. Dusty thought it would be around 22 by the end of the season. The surprised writer reminded Dusty that the old coach had a life time average of 220, "If I knew," answered Dusty, "but man, he's over seventy years old now."

The tennis courts were completed in September, thanks to Coach Seyfried and the Student council. We noticed Coach Jim Clark and some of his players having a little meeting in the multhroom the other day. Gentleman Jim has worked hard off the court and especially the Knights. Handicapped by a lack of numbers and little experience, the team has worked very hard and has shown a team spirit that guarantees continued improvement.

Basketball practices for the Knights began Oct. 15. And so it goes in this wonderful world of sports!

Alumni Jottings . . .

"Western Hot" homecoming, Oct. 7, began with a social hour and in the evening with a wonderful world of entertainment. The number of alumni and friends increased steadily throughout the evening. It is always a thrill to see how many old friends can be located and how much fun can be had in reminiscing.

Business Directory

Batteries
Ni-Cad Battery Corporation 3240 Prosper, FL. 6-1509

Cleaners
Sanders Cleaners & Laundry, Inc. 3719 W. 40th St., ME. 5-2800

Driveway Contractors
Indiana Asphalt Paving Co. 2180 Columbia Ave., WA. 3-8545

Funeral Homes
Fenland & Fensky 2130 N. Meridian, WA. 4-5804

Florists
Drive-In Flower Mart 2840 E. 10th St., ME. 6-5558

Kleier Floral Co. 2901 W. 16th St., ME. 7-1481

Glass Dealers
Capitol Glass Co. 425 S. Missouri, ME. 5-1201

Landscapers
Nolan Landscape & Contracts 1050 E. 80th St., GL. 2147

Lumber Companies
Burnett-Binford Lumber Co. 1301 W. 40th St., WA. 6-5315

Intermediate Lumber Co. 2000 N. Sherman, ME. 6-6400

Manufacturers' Agents
E. P. W. Macomber Company 3378 Architects & Builders Bldg. ME. 1-5682

Men's Sports

Women's Sports

Swing Into Action As Season Opens

Women's sports, under the direction of Mrs. Thelma Clarke, will again take their important place in the athletic scene at Marian. The swimming team, captained by juniors, Frances Stricker, and coach by Jim Clarke has begun training in preparation for the scheduled meets.

Plans also are underway for a water ballet performance at our first Marian swimming party. Jane Gordon is organizing this project.

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Marian College has added new activities such as policy-making, travel, and curing. (College and University Relief Administration)

M-Club Elects 56'57 Officers

PAUSING DURING ORGANIZATION MEETING are the M-Club officers and Fr. Stinman, moderator—Don Werner, secretary; George Dohle, president; Mike Kramer, treasurer; and Dan McCarthy, vice-president.

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