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Dorm rooms to be inspected

by Lucinda Griner

Random inspections will be conducted in Clare and Alverna Halls for fire safety, health, and maintenance problems. The inspections will be conducted approximately on a monthly basis with a projected starting date of this weekend or the weekend of Nov. 18.

Linden Lucas, part-time MCPD officer and full-time firefighter for the Speedway Fire Department will be doing the fire safety part of the inspection. Lucas has been employed as a certified firefighter for 14 years and is qualified to conduct such inspections. Phil Bernard, Dorm Director, will take care of the health and maintenance portion.

Although the inspections will be on a random basis, rooms will only be checked when at least one resident is present. A few rooms from each wing will be checked on a given weekend.

The inspections are not intended to catch residents with anything they might have in their room against school policy, but are intended for safety.

Sunday Variety Show kicks off Homecoming week

by Amy Howell

As the saying goes, “lights, camera, action!” and Marian College’s 1988 Variety Show was under way. As the lights dimmed in the Marian Hall Auditorium, a hush grew among the crowd. On stage appeared the music-dance group Knight Moves singing “That’s When the Music Takes Me.” Another performance of Act I included “Grandma’s Feather Bed” done by Paula “Granny” Cicero, Elisa Sikorski, Rebecca Shrader, and Miriam Redelman. Melissa Peters sang “Indianapolis Indeed” better than the original done by Sandi Patti.

After a ten minute intermission, Act II began with a dance routine done to “Shake Your Love” by some members of Knight Moves. Also in that act was a skit performed by Kari Palma and Michelle Probst called “Totally Awesome.” It was about two California valley girls dating a hunk in a magazine, “like for sure!” Of course we can’t forget Knight Moves boogying on down to the rhythm of Elvis’ own “Blue Suede Shoes.”

Winding down the night’s program was the crowning of the 1988 Homecoming Queen, senior Bernadette Schafer.

The final performance was the song “Starmaker” that was sung by all of the members of Knight Moves.

When asked how she felt about the performance, Natalie Lake, who choreographed all of the songs sung by Knight Moves, said “Everybody did a good job and worked hard, but we need a better sound system. It was very embarrassing and if you thought it was cold out in the audience, you should have been backstage!”
Letters to the Editor

Band

If you feel like you want to meet some new people, add some spice in your life, or just have some fun, think about joining a musical group when you make out your schedules.

The band meets on Wednesdays at 5:30 p.m. We play a lot of exciting music, including songs like “Heard It Through the Grapevine,” “Shakedown,” and for jazzers, “Nights in Tunisia.”

The band plays for all home basketball games. Be sure to come on the 12th to support the team and hear the band.

Some plans for the band in the future are to go on a tour of some local high schools and possibly a trip to Cincinnati.

If you are more interested in smaller groups we have a clarinet quartet, a woodwind quintet, and a brass ensemble. You have many choices.

By the way, if you are in Humanities or plan to take it, keep in mind the special consideration given to band members...

Any questions, please call Jim Larner at ext. 302.

Maggots update

I would like to update the situation in my room, as first related by roommate Yvonne Spartz in last week's Carbon. First of all, the maggots, or carpet beetle larvae, were brought into our room by either our clothing or carpet, as implied in the Carbon. A pest exterminator finally arrived to evaluate the problem. In breaking open the tiles, he found larvae embedded in the tiles with eggs every inch or so. Being embedded, the larvae could not be brought in by our clothing.

After at least three weeks, I am happy to say that our room will be finally be sprayed by a professional exterminator. Maintenance sprayed our room a week ago, although it did not help. I appreciate the assistance, but my only question is-why did it take so long? Under no conditions should my roommate and I have had to live with these maggots (larvae) for almost a month. Then why did we- is what I want to know.

Thanks for your help.

-- Corrine Wickens

Blood drive

I would like to thank all the people involved in the blood drive for making it a success again this semester. I especially want to thank Victor Breckler and Sister Rosemary for their sacrifice of time and effort for this blood drive. Their help was invaluable. My gratitude goes mainly to the many courageous blood donors. Not only do I thank you, but so do all the many people whose lives you have greatly benefited by your sacrifice. Ultimately it is you, the donors, that make the blood drive such a success.

Raymond List

Doyle hot water

A special thanks to the residents of Doyle Hall for their patience and help in our efforts to convert from electric to a gas hot water heating system. This was especially evident when the pipe fractured last Thursday.

We sincerely believe that the effort will pay off in an improved hot water system. We'll continue to work on the individual showers until we solve the problem.

Joseph D. Ryan
Business Manager/Controller

Ron Schmoll
Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds

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Senior Profile

by Raymond List

Becky Harris, a senior Psychology major from Staunton, IN, has had a very busy and involved life here at Marian College. Her activities have included working with the orientation committee for four years, Student Affairs Committee, and holding the position of chairperson of the election committee. She has been a student assistant at the Admissions Office and was the tour coordinator for a year. At the present, she is the Psi Chi president and is a student academic advisor for freshmen and sophomores.

Becky plans to pursue a career in human resources planning. She would like to do work in the private industry sector as an interviewer and training specialist. She has been working for the past 11 months in an internship with the Indiana State Personnel Department as an Exam Developer Specialist, which includes assisting the State Appraisal System.

Even though Becky wants to work in the private industry, she does not want her life to be centered around making lots of money. She wants to live a "clean, spiritual life." As proof of her sincerity she plans to remain involved with the youth ministry at her church.

Her parting advice to students of Marian College is "Put a lot of effort in things you do. It will be gone before you know it."

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Marshall Gregory addresses English Club

by Corrine Wickens

"Life is like packing a suitcase full of stuff, but you never completely get the ties and underwear in there quite right...but stories are the stitching holding the world together," said Marshall Gregory, professor of English at Butler University.

Gregory spoke at Marian with a group of students and faculty, sponsored by the English Club.

The topic of the discussion was Gregory's article, "Ethical Criticim and Liberal Education: The Pedagogical Connection," which he first presented at a 1987 ADE MidWestern Summer Seminar at Michigan Technological University.

In his article, Gregory stressed the importance of literature as a basis for ethical guidance. According to Gregory, the main objective of liberal education is to work through literature towards perfection in both individuals and society. This is achieved by defining in the classroom the meaning and importance of perfection, and through discussion to improve critical thinking and understanding. He said that most teachers are too afraid to say that this is the purpose of studying literature. "We have not wanted to say bring it to our attention, and helps us think about what it shows us by placing the pictures in a context of words, ideas, thoughts, reflections, and responses embedded in character, action, and story."

"Life is like packing a suitcase full of stuff, but you never completely get the ties and underwear in there quite right. . . ."
Classified ads

Is there something you want to buy or sell? Then put an ad in the Carbon. For just $.25 a line you can buy or sell books, babysitting services, concert tickets, etc.

CAMPUS REPS NEEDED Earn big commissions and free trips by selling Nassau/Paradise Island, Cancun, Mexico and ski trips to Vermont and Colorado. For more information call toll free 1-800-231-0113 or in CT 203-967-3330.

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TO promote the classified section, the Carbon is offering a free one week run for the next twenty Marian students to run a classified ad. Classifieds must be clearly written and contain the advertiser's name, address, and phone number. The ads must be placed in the Carbon mailbox in the faculty mailroom in Mar

Lighter side

by Michael Rinard

As most of the Campers at Camp "M", who were marooned this past weekend as a result of the recent snowfall realized, the only major event on the weekend was the Variety Show in the Auditorium. A special feature of the program was the sound system, which left a lot to be desired.

It would appear that the sound system was installed at about the same time the Camp was built. Junior Cindy Cenepok said, "the only way the sound system even considered working this past Thursday for dress rehearsal, was to be slapped upside its collective head. Only after a severe bashing about the head and neck did the sound system begin to work."

What do we have to do to keep feedback out of the system? Do we have to take one microphone out to the middle of Cold Spring Road and take the other one out to the middle of 30th Street? How about taking one microphone over to 3024 Cold Spring Road, just for good measure!

With the amount of money which the students and their parents spend for an education here, you would think that the last problem would be a stupid sound system and its variety of feedback for a Variety Show.

It would appear AGAIN that the students are not getting their money's worth!
Hieronymus joins nursing staff

by Mary Pedtke

For those who have not had the pleasure of meeting our new Nursing Department faculty member, allow me to introduce Laura Hieronymus, Lecturer and Clinical Instructor in Nursing. Hieronymus is originally from Westfield, Indiana, and formerly worked as an E.R. and I.C.U. nurse in St. Vincent's Hospital of Carmel Emergency Room.

She came to Marian because she felt that after ten years of nursing it was time for a change. She likes the hours Marian offered her and she enjoys working with women and helping them learn.

Hieronymus feels that one of the most significant characteristics of Marian's Nursing program is the very personalized treatment students receive. Because of Marian's small size, the staff members are able to pay closer attention to the needs of each individual.

She also feels that Marian provides good opportunities for adults to get a degree because of the flexibility of the scheduling here. Consideration for students with children or students who have to come a long way to get to Marian transportation-wise is also taken in.

When asked if there were any changes she would like to see occur within the Nursing program at Marian, Hieronymus said, "I would like to see the department more involved with the rest of the college community, because we're pretty isolated. Although I think new students entering the nursing department will help to increase the amount of involvement."

Hieronymus is not only a lecturer and clinical instructor, she is an avid bicyclist as well, and is looking for a cycling partner. If anyone is interested, call Laura Hieronymus at ext. 314.

Marian College plans for future

by Tina M. Kunkler

"It's going to be an exciting time for the college," said President Louis Gatto about the strategic planning program in progress at Marian College.

The Marian College Board of Trustees, on the recommendation of the Strategic Planning Committee of that board, is developing a contract agreement with a consulting firm regarding this issue.

The program is expected to take about one and one half years to complete and to carry Marian College into the twenty-first century according to Gatto. He expects it to be very complete and comprehensive including addressing such issues as the future size of Marian, a marketing plan for the college, and how to best suit the needs of the future college students.

Don Johnson and Associates, a management and development consulting firm based in Waldoboro, Maine, completed a preliminary study of Marian in the spring of this year. The firm suggested the college work with them and look at the future of the college.

A contractual figure of a monthly cost is part of the agreement proposal according to Joe Ryan, Controller. "They're expensive," said Ryan. When asked if the project is worth the cost, Ryan replied, "If we all do a good job at it (working on the study), it will be."

When asked why Don Johnson and Associates was chosen, Gatto replied, "They have an excellent reputation in the area." He cited Franklin College and the Second Presbyterian Church as previous customers of the firm. He said that the firm will present the college with a "totally objective view of the institution with a great deal of expertise."

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Students visit Stratford
by Jody Skelly

On Thursday, October 27th a group of “Camp M” students left for Canada. While in Stratford the group had tickets for four plays, three of which were by William Shakespeare.

In the Avon Theatre, the group saw the play production “Two Gentlemen of Verona.” On the 28th, the “Camp M” group saw two more productions in the Festival Theatre, “The Three Musketeers” and another Shakespeare play “Richard III.” On October 29th, the students were able to catch a professional production of “Taming of the Shrew.”

Marian College faculty member, Sister Stella Gampfer said of the trip, “This was the most complete theatrical experience of my life. Being able to see four plays (three of them by Shakespeare) in three days and three of them on the same stage, gave me a true sense of the capacities of Shakespeare’s stage.”

In addition to seeing the play productions, the group was able to take a series of one hour tours of the Festival Theatre stage, backstage, and underground areas. While seeing the different sets the group was able to see numerous actors, each in three different roles.

In between the plays and spare time the group was able to view the Gallery at Stratford, Art in the park near the Avon River, Stratford Brass Rubbings Museum and Gallery, and Music at Knox.

For those who went it was a phenomenal part of a memorable season. The group’s response to this year’s Stratford program of Shakespeare, masterpiece drama, and musical comedy left them speechless and looking forward to next season at the Stratford Festival.

Knights basketball preps for homecoming
by Jeff Redenbaugh

The 1988 Homecoming basketball game will be against St. Francis College of Fort Wayne.

The Knights have been practicing very hard the past few weeks and have won a couple of scrimmages.

The Knights defeated Anderson College 87-70. They were led in scoring by Rick Russell and Steve Leonard who each scored 21 points.

The Knights also played the alumni and defeated them handily 83-67 and they played the alumni again at Hamilton Hts. High School and destroyed them 115-78.

The team has one more scrimmage against Depauw University on Tuesday Nov. 8.

The players should have a strong season this year and Coach John Grimes cordially invites everybody to come and cheer the Knights to victory on Saturday, Nov. 12, at 2 p.m. Admission is two dollars for parents and Marian students get in free if they show their ID.

Mock Rock Thursday
by Karla Jo Chrisler

This Thursday, November 10, at 8 p.m. in Marian Hall Auditorium, the Clare/Alverna Board will sponsor Mock Rock, a lip sync contest open to all Marian College students.

The competition will be judged in five areas on a scale from one to ten with ten being the highest. The areas include appearance and costume, lip sync, originality, and overall performance.

The competition will begin promptly at 8 p.m. and there will be an encore performance of last year’s winners, Kiss (Terrill Reed, Tina Meyers, Renee Gilmour, and Kelly Shaw).

During the competition the groups are free to do whatever they want; however, there are a few rules that need to be recognized.

There will be no water, alcohol, bottles, or anything that can be broken on stage. Any questionable lyrics or gestures will not be tolerated and there will be no hesitation to stop the music and close the curtains for anyone who refuses to oblige these rules.

Most of the groups have between three and seven people and there are no specific group names, yet they are identified by their songs. In order of appearance they are: Revenge, Parents Just Don’t Understand, I Hate Myself for Loving You, Do You Wanna Touch, The Twist, Leader of the Pack, Kokomo, She’s Lost That Loving Feeling, ABC-123, Pure Energy, Born to Boogie, Nightmare on My Street, Babylon, Doin’ The Butt, Don’t Worry -- Be Happy, and Wild, Wild, West.

The groups could use some support from their friends; so let’s all be there to cheer our favorite group on.

Honors seminar offered
by Amy Howell

Starting in January there will be an honors seminar offered on third world leaders. This class will be held every Monday from six to nine p.m.

It is offered to those students in the honors program and others who have permission from their advisors.

Sister Mary Carol Schroeder, O.S.F., former chairperson of the Marian College History Department, will be teaching this class. She will be accompanied by sociology professor, Mary Haugh, who has a Ph.D. in Sociology and African Studies.

The class will consist of readings, discussions, reports, and papers done on third world leaders.

The first part of the semester will focus on political development of the third world and on the ideology of its leaders.

The second half will be learning about the different case studies in Sub-Saharan Africa, South Asia, the Middle East, and the Pacific Basin.

Three credits are given for the class and it will also count towards a non-western credit. If anyone is interested in taking this class, speak with an advisor as soon as possible because it is only offered next semester.
Knightly notes

DON'T MISS THIS EVENT: Homecoming 1988 - "Hold On To The Night" Featuring: P.S. Dump Your Boyfriend. Nov. 12. Hilton on the Circle. $32 per couple includes: 6:00 Pictures, 7:00 Dinner, and 8:00 to 12:00 Dance. Cocktails from 6:00 to 7:00. Memories to last a lifetime.

Ugly Man Contest: Nov. 7-11 at Lunch and Dinner. Contestants pictures will be posted in the cafe. Vote for ugliest man by contributing $1 to his box. Sponsored by FCA.

The Sisters of St. Francis of Oldenburg, Indiana, invite single, Catholic women to find out more about life as a Sister by attending a Vocation Awareness Retreat, November 12-13 in Olivia Hall on the Motherhouse grounds. For information or to register, contact Sister Maureen Irvin, Sisters of St. Francis, Oldenburg, IN 47036, 812-934-2475.

The last day to withdraw from a course with a WP or WF grade is December 2, 1988. Students wishing to withdraw should leave themselves enough time to get all appropriate signatures. There is no guarantee that an advisor or instructor will be on campus on the deadline date.

On Friday, Nov. 18, the ACS will sponsor a tour of the Police Forensic Lab. We will leave Marian at 1:30 and return at approximately 4:30. Transportation will be provided. Meet at 1:25 at the Marian Hall Auditorium. Please sign the list on third floor science wing if you plan to attend. All are welcome. Contact Katie Carson, ext. 180, if you have questions.

On Sunday, Nov. 20, the ACS will sponsor a trip to the Museum of Science and Industry, the Field Museum, and the Aquarium in Chicago. There will be a shuttle between the two sites. More details will follow.

Photo contest announced

The Carbon is sponsoring a photo contest designed around the theme "Typically Marian."

Any student of Marian College may place a mounted photo entry into the entry box in the Theology/Philosophy Department office.

Prizes will be awarded for the best three photos. Businesses contributing prizes include Show Biz Pizza, Chi-Chi’s, Subway, and Cuts and Curls.

Mr. Denis Kelly, Jr., a professional photographer, will judge the contest.

For additional rules, consult last week’s edition of the Carbon or call Stacey Nicholas at ext. 170.

Deadline for entries is November 17, 1988. The winners will be announced on November 31.

Photo talents, here's a chance to get some great food prizes and show your stuff. A picture is not only worth a thousand words. It can this time bake your bread.