The Spring is here!!

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Plans proceed for new faculty residence buildings

This drawing depicts one of the future residences for the Sisters of St. Francis at Marian College. Sheehan Construction Company has completed preliminary testing and has begun removing trees and leveling ground on the site north of the campus apartments. An official ground-breaking ceremony will be scheduled during the first two weeks of April according to Sr. Norma Rocklage, O.S.F., Director of Mission Effectiveness. The project is slated for completion in August 1989.

New classes set for fall schedule

by Raymond Charles List

The Fall 1989 semester offers a variety of new classes. Interior Design (AR 208) is offered through the Art Department. It is similar to a class that used to be offered by the Home Economics Department. After Home Economics changed its format, the Art Department picked it up. The Art Department is also offering Non-West Art (AR 248). It will be taught by Ted Celenko, who is the curator of African Art at the Indianapolis Museum of Art. Printmaking (AR 280) will be the Art Department's special topic for the Fall Semester. Each department offers a special topic course periodically as something new and exciting for both faculty and students. This class will be taught by Mark Hall, who has a background in studio art as well as art history.

Principles of Advertising (BA 241), a new course from the Business Department, will focus on the role of advertising in the business organization.

The English Department is also offering a special topic course called When Literature Becomes Film (EN 240). This class, designed to examine the connection between literature and film, will be taught by Sr. Stella Gampfer.

The Honors Seminar next semester will be the Psychology of Myths (PS 290A). The class, to be taught by Sr. Olga Wittekind and Sr. Adele Zahn, will combine the fields of Jungian Psychology and Literature. The Psychology Department will once again offer Sports Psychology (PS 290B), taught by Chris Carr.

The two 200-level Nursing courses, NB 210 and NB 220, will take the BNS program into the junior level. This is part of the Nursing Department plan to implement a four year, generic BSN program.

Techniques of Broadcast Performance (SP 220) will be offering for the first time next semester by the Speech and Theatre Department. The department will also offer a special topic course called Sex Differences in Human Communication (SP 280), which will be taught by Maria Shipley. The class will examine cultural sex differences as revealed through verbal and nonverbal communication.

Preregistration for fall day classes is April 4-5 for Seniors and Juniors and April 11-12 for Sophomores and Freshmen. Preregistration for evening classes in the fall is April 3 and 10. Final registration for Fall classes will be August 23 and 24 for residents and commuters and August 28 for residents only. The full class schedule for the Fall Semester of 1989 is available in the Office of the Registrar along with the new course catalogs.

The only new course for Summer is Fr. Leopold Keffler's Field Biology on Beaver Island, Michigan (BI 280). Fr. Leopold will take students to Beaver Island to see and learn first hand what they have only read about in the classroom.
by Tina M. Kunkler

As I pondered the future of the Marian College Student Association over the past few weeks, I began to compile in my mind a list of characteristics and qualities I believe a student government leader should possess. The list includes knowledge of the people and workings of Marian College, commitment, leadership and direction, and honesty and integrity.

A knowledge of the people of Marian College is required to adequately meet the students’ needs. Students are the people the government serves. To know and understand student concerns, one must know who they are and where they stand on the current issues. To work toward resolving the issues, one must know and understand the process system of the college as a whole, i.e. who does what, who is responsible for what, who has the authority to make things happen. Open communication lines with all people is vital. Talk might be cheap, but listening is priceless.

Commitment to the duties a student leader takes on is vital. If he is not determined to complete a project to the best of his ability within the guidelines set, projects do not get done. This commitment requires the acceptance of responsibility for what is to be done. Take a look at what the candidates have accomplished in the past to determine their commitment levels.

Without a leader to make things happen, nothing does. Student leaders must take initiative in inspiring others to commitment. The goals they set must be concrete and attainable. A leader must have a direction in which to lead his constituents. A wanderer will go in circles, accomplishing nothing. Likewise, a dreamer will have plans, but never take action.

Most people are not stupid. They know when they are being fed a line. Honesty with the constituency is a must. If their faith is lost, their cooperation is lost. Integrity means following up on promises, acting positively, and earning the respect of one’s peers.

Statistics show that one third of the student population vote each election. As you and I go to the polls next week, think about the qualities and characteristics you would like to see in the people who serve you in student government, make a conscious effort to examine the candidates’ positions, and cast your vote accordingly.

Response to letter

Open letters are open to interpretation. I have heard good and bad interpretations of my recent open letter regarding MCSA.

For the record, the letter was not in text for editing and layout. All in all, I think I was treated better than I sometimes deserve. I just want to “tie down a little” some words of mine that may have appeared to have gotten loose from me.

-- Andrew Hohman

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Senior profile

by Kim Blair

Senior Brian Ellinghausen stands as an example of the Camp "M" collegiate athlete.

A biology major from Sunman, Indiana, Ellinghausen was a transfer student from University of Cincinnati. He has been involved in the Biology Club and earned Dean's List recognition last semester.

Ellinghausen, also known as Bowser, has been on the baseball team for the past four years. The past two years he has led the team as captain and played first base on field.

When asked how he got into the sport, Bowser stated, "It all started in Little League and continued from there."

During his baseball career, the senior made All-District and All-Area teams last year. After some thought, Bowser stated that Bill Buckner of the Angels is his major league idol.

Other highlights of last season were going to Florida and the 42 wins. He hopes to have a great final season to end his collegiate career and for Coach Lynn Morrell, who will retire at the end of the season. His goal is to make it to the District 21 play-offs.

Marian College is described by Ellinghausen as "a fine place to be" because the bigger university he attended was "too distracting."

After graduation, the athlete hopes to work in a biology or chemistry laboratory for a company such as Proctor and Gamble, Inc.

VolksMarch

by Stacey Nicholas

The Indy "G" Walkers will hold their second university VolksMarch at Marian College on April 1 (no fooling!).

The Volksmarch is not a contest of speed or endurance. Rather it is dedicated to promoting walking as a leisure sport in the interest of health, recreation, and fellowship.

Participants in the ten kilometer (six mile) walk begin with the scenic grounds of Marian College then travel along the Canal to the Indianapolis Museum of Art. The museum will be open if the walkers would like to visit.

The path then follows the White River Parkway to the Major Taylor Velodrome. The walk concludes on Campus at the Physical Education Center.

Event organizers said that the walk should take the average walker two hours to complete.

Members of the Marian community who would like to participate in the Volksmarch should meet at the Physical Education Center between 8 a.m. through 12 noon. A $6.00 registration fee can be paid at the beginning of the walk.

Peek at the week


Friday, March 31: All Student Recital, 7:30 pm, Stokely.

Saturday, April 1: April Fool's Day. Monte Carlo Nite. Baseball, Goshen, 1pm (A)(2).

Sunday, April 2: Baseball, Rose Hulman, 1pm, (H)(2).

Monday, April 3: Carbon Meeting, 4pm, Clare Hall Loby.

Tuesday, April 4: Advance Registration for all juniors and seniors. Mature Living Seminar, 10am - 2pm, MH 306.

Wednesday, April 5: Advanced Registration, for all seniors and juniors.

Thursday, April 6: Baseball, IUPUI, 1pm (A)(2).
VA Scholarships

Chicago, March 3. The Veterans Administration announced today that $8 million is available in scholarships to nursing and physical therapy students for the 1989-90 school year. Awards are for third- and fourth-year students in baccalaureate nursing and physical therapy degree programs, as well as master's degree programs in certain specialties.

VA officials said recipients receive tuition, educational expenses and a monthly stipend of $621. In exchange, participants agree to serve as full-time registered nurses or physical therapists in a VA medical center for a period of one year for each year of scholarship support. The maximum length of a scholarship award is two years.

Requests for applications may be made to the Chief of Nursing Service or the Chief of Rehabilitation Medicine at any VA medical center. Applications may also be requested from the Dean of Nursing, Director of Physical Therapy, or the Financial Aid Administrator at schools with accredited baccalaureate and master's programs.

Applications must be postmarked no later than May 29, 1989. Additional information is available by writing to the VA Health Professional Scholarship Program, Office of Academic Affairs (14N), 810 Vermont Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20420, or calling, toll-free, 1-800-368-5896.

New room selection process announced

Open houses, current room reservation, and housing in St. Francis Hall are some of the changes in room assignment procedures for the 1989-90 academic year.

Prior to room selection and sign-up, open house tours will be held for students to become better acquainted with residence hall rooms and facilities. St. Francis Hall will be open to men and women on April 11 and 12 from 4 to 7 p.m. Doyle Hall, North wing, will be open to women only on April 11 from 7 to 9 p.m. Alverna Hall will be open to men only on April 12 from 7 to 9 p.m.

Housing contracts will be issued the week of March 26-April 1 to all current residents. The deadline for returning the contract and a $15 housing deposit is April 21. Current residents who do not plan to return are requested to complete a separate form.

A tentative housing plan for 1989-90 has been developed based on estimates of the number of current students expected to return and the projected number of new incoming resident students. Proposed women’s residences include Clare Hall, Doyle Hall North wing, and St. Francis Hall South wing, first and second floors. Proposed men’s residences include Alverna Hall, Doyle Hall Main and East wings, and St. Francis Hall North wing, second floor. The above plan is subject to change if actual fall enrollment or other circumstances require adjustments in use of dormitory space.

Alverna Hall and Clare Hall East wing, first floor, will remain academic study units. Separate forms must be completed to apply for residence in these areas.

Returning students may reserve rooms in St. Francis Hall at the Office of the Dean for Student Affairs, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day, according to the following schedule: current Seniors and Juniors on April 24; current Sophomores on April 25; current Freshmen on April 26.

Returning resident students may reserve their current room for the fall on April 27 and 28 and May 1, in the office of that dorm’s resident director. Students on the third floor of Clare Hall are not eligible to reserve their rooms for next year because this area is reserved for incoming freshman women.

Returning students who wish to change rooms may select from the remaining rooms according to the following schedule: current Seniors and Juniors on May 2; current Sophomores on May 3; and current Freshmen on May 4. Room selection will be conducted in the Office of the Dean for Student Affairs from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the designated days.

Residents not reserving a room by the end of Spring Semester will have their housing requests processed with incoming students requesting housing.

Official notification of hall and room assignments will be issued on or before July 1, 1989. The Dean for Student Affairs reserves the right to make or change space assignments if conditions warrant.

Women’s History Month

*a profile of Dorthea Dix*

by Susan Williams

Dorthea Dix is the pioneer of the mental health field. Quite by accident, she discovered that during her lifetime people regarded as insane were locked in jails and treated no better than animals. Compelled by the atrocity, she traveled alone to every jail in her state compiling evidence of mistreatment.

Dix sent her discovery to the governor and the state legislature. She persisted until reforms were passed. She even took her arguments to other states for consideration. Gradually, the treatment of the mentally ill became more humane, and the number of legitimate mental hospitals grew substantially.

In the early 1800’s, mental illness was neither understood nor particularly studied. Popular conventions often held that the insane were possessed by evil spirits.

To twentieth century Americans, the humane treatment of the mentally ill is a given. To those afflicted with mental illness, however, Dix was a savior. She helped lay the foundation for many future successes in the mental health field.
Vatican ruling on Theology teachers

(CPS)-- Just weeks after a court ruled Catholic University of America could stop a professor who disagreed with church doctrine from teaching theology, the Vatican said it will now require all professors who teach theology on Catholic campuses to take an oath of fidelity to church dogma.

"I find it repugnant to American Catholic education," said Vernon Gregson, a religious studies professor at Loyola University of New Orleans.

The order -- issued by the Vatican's Congregation for the Doctrine of Faith -- follows a 1985 Vatican proposal to bring Roman Catholic campuses around the world under church control, a move which some Catholic educators in this country believe would erode U.S. schools' academic credibility.

In February, a Washington D.C. court upheld Catholic University's right to keep the Rev. Charles Curran -- whose teachings contradict Catholic doctrine -- from teaching theology classes.

The consequences of this Vatican order, though, are unclear because no one seems to know how the rule will be applied or, what, if any, penalties there would be.

"There was no input into the decision process even though there are ongoing discussions of similar issues," Gregson said.

"More than anything I think it's meant to quiet diversity of opinion."

"I don't know what it means," said Alice Gallin of the Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities. "Evidently it is a revival of something in Canon Law."

Although church law already contains a provision for such an oath, it has never been applied to college theology professors.

The oath requires loyalty to teaching such as the transformation of bread and wine into the body and blood of Jesus during Mass and many less solemn papal declarations. It may even require theology professors to adhere to the Vatican's rejection of contraception.

Gatto to write paper on Marian College's future

by Stacey Nicholas

Directly behind Dr. Louis C. Gatto's dark wood desk on a complementary bookcase sits a box filled with studies predicting the future of Higher Education in Indiana. These are the "tools" which well enable Gatto to write his white paper on "Marian College in the Year 2000."

Bain Farris, chairman of the Board of Trustees, has asked Gatto to write the paper because of Gatto's unique perspective. Gatto has been the president of the college for the past 18 years. He will retire at the end of this academic year.

Three architectural firms have volunteered their services to the project. Each firm has a previous connection with Marian or is just interested in the college. Gatto will be constructing, with the help of the studies, a student profile, new technology, and the role of the religious at Marian College at the turn of the century.

In predicting a student profile, Gatto will consider the size of the college and the enrollment breakdown between part-time and full-time students. This breakdown will enable the administration to develop an evening division which will allow the student to complete an associates degree at night.

"The campus of the future will rely heavily on technology," Gatto predicts. In his vision of Marian College, it is "only logical that the Marian of the future will have several IHETS [Indiana Higher Education Telecommunications Services]." IHETS connects colleges through television. Many public institutions are currently using it. The hook up allows a student to pick up classes at other colleges via satellite.

But the current duties of the president still pull on Gatto's time. "I'm going to have to get away for a while. Hopefully, I can complete the paper by the end of the academic year." And until then the box of surveys patiently waits for his attention.

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Indy road crews repairing near Marian

by Tina M. Kunkler

With the onslaught of warm spring weather, Indiana road crews begin three improvement projects near Marian College. Road crews for the Indianapolis Department of Transportation (DOT) began an expansion of 38th Street on March 27. One lane will be added to both East and West 38th Streets from I-465 to I-74, according to Amy Bradley of the DOT. One lane each way will remain open during the construction slated to be completed by November.

Intersection improvements and lane additions are also planned between I-465 and Lafayette Square. Over eight million dollars have been allotted for these two projects. Rehabilitation work is scheduled to begin April 10, 1989, on the Cold Spring Road – I-65 overpass, according to Gary Abell of the Indiana State Department of Highways. One lane of the overpass will remain open to traffic monitored by traffic lights. The project is scheduled for completion in July, depending on weather.

Brooks addresses students at convocation

by Dallice Hesselgrave

Gwendolyn Brooks, the first black recipient of a Pulitzer Prize, honored Marian College by giving a convocation on March 21, 1989. Currently, Brooks is the poet laureate of Illinois. She has spent most of her life in the Chicago area, after moving from Kansas at a young age. Her first book of poetry was published in 1945, called A Street in Bronzeville. Since then she has published seven more.

Brooks has served as poetry consultant for the Library of Congress. She is a member of the Distinguished American Academy of Arts and Letters.

Akin granted promotion

by Stacey Nicholas

Tim Akin, Chairman of the Accounting Department, has been promoted to Professor of Accounting by the Marian College Board of Trustees.

A letter of notification from President Louis C. Gatto commends Akin for work in his field. “The combination of the MBA, CPA, CFP, as well as the annual continuing education requirement in your discipline [accounting] has been judged to be a legitimate equivalent of the doctorate that is ordinarily required for the full professorship.”

The promotion follows Akin’s successful completion of the Certified Financial Planning (CFP) examination, a professional education program from the College of Financial Planning in Denver, Colorado.

The CFP program is a rigorous two-year, six-part curriculum on personal financial planning. It includes examinations in the following areas: the financial planning process, risk management, investments, tax planning and management, retirement and employee benefits, and estate planning.

Akin responded to the promotion by stating “I’m extremely proud. I really love my work here and it’s nice to get that acknowledgement.”

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Knightsy notes

A Lunch and Learn with Sr. Norma Rocklage, OSF, will be held April 6, 1989, at 11:30 to 12:20 in the West Dining Room. The topic is “The New Agenda of Women for Higher Education,” a recent report from the American Council on Education. Following Sr. Norma’s presentation will be an open discussion about the report and its possible implications at Marian College, as they might affect attitudes, curriculum, programs, etc., that deal with women in higher education and gender issues in general.

Bureau of Motor Vehicles Commissioner Charles E. Layton reminds motorists whose last names begin with E, F, or G that their pre-printed renewal forms must be postmarked by April 5 to guarantee the arrival of their license plates or renewal stickers by the end of the month. April 30 is the expiration date for all E, F, G registrants.

MCSNA will meet April 6 at 7:30 p.m. in St. Francis Hall to discuss nomination of officers for next year and to order sweatshirts.
Classified ads

SAME DAY WORD PROCESSING. I can produce letter-quality graphs, resumes, theses, journals, dissertations, and slides. From $2 per dst. Felesia (317) 545-7519.

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BABYSITTER - Wanted for a delightful 10 year old girl. Applicants must provide own transportation. Needed from 6:30 p.m. to 11 p.m. Located at 75th and Keystone area. Two or Three people needed. Call Katherine at 848-7133.

Knights in FL

by Jim Pruett (Stick)

The 1989 Marian College baseball spent spring break in Florida playing their game.

It was a successful trip for the Knights coming back with a record of six wins against four losses. Two games of the four losses were lost by one run in extra innings.

The Knights played some Division Three schools and the competition was tough. One of the highlights of the trip was sweeping a double header from St. Xavier, ranked third in the nation. The scores were 7-6 and 9-8.

Another highlight was playing an exhibition game against the Italian International Team, the Italy Green Sox. The game was played at Baseball City, Florida, on the Boardwalk and Baseball’s Main Stadium, the spring training site for the Kansas City Royals. The Knights outlasted the Green Sox by a score of 10-6.

The team hopes to carry over the success of the trip into the regular season. They began last week with wins over Rose Hulman and Franklin College. Garland King (Gar) carried out a Grand Slam in the 10-0 game of the Rose Hulman double header and a home run in the Franklin doubleheader.

Morrell retires

by Tina Kunkler

“It is an aim that I have to devote my time to one full-time job,” commented Dr. Lynn Morrell on the announcement that he will retire from his position as Marian College’s baseball coach at the end of the 1989 season.

Morrell will continue as chairman of the Physical Education Department and his teaching. He predicts a more balanced selection of courses in the department for the future. Previously many courses were taught only in the fall because of the demand of spring baseball.

During his tenure as Marian’s baseball coach, his teams have earned a record of 378 wins and 205 losses. He has the most wins of any coach in the Mid-Central Conference and is the second most winning coach in the NAIA District 21.

Citing the development of Marian’s baseball program over the years as a highlight of his career, Morrell recalled the playing field of his first coaching year. At tryouts for the team in the fall of 1971 he found blank space, a back stop, a fence, and weeds. A press box, dugouts, bleachers, and a marked diamond have replaced the weeds.

Bret A. Shambaugh, current Assistant Coach of the Marian baseball team and Assistant Director of Admissions, will be replacing Morrell as head coach.

Sports

Golf preps for season

As the season opener nears, interest runs high among the members of the golf squad. After a successful fall and a long winter the 13 Varsity Golfers are eager to start the season.

The major focus of the spring season is on the Mid-Central conference golf schedule which begins on April 4th with a home match.

Also the top three golfers of our fall season, Rob Kirchoff (So.), Gary Sheffer (Fr.), and Chris Beard (Fr.) are looking forward to competing in the Indiana Intercollegiate Invitational meet for all Indiana colleges on April 9 and 10.

This spring’s roster also includes other golfers from last fall’s squad: Mark Wisman (Sr.), Mike Lucas (Sr.), Steve Grossman (Jr.), Steve Swinford (So.), David Miller (Fr.), and some new faces: Brad Bechler (Jr.), Randy Domingo (So.), Rick Hertel (So.), Lance Waters (Fr.) and Doug Weigt (Fr).
Pirtle to complete doctorate

by George Spaeth

Professor Rosanne Pirtle of the Education Department, who has taught at Marian College for the past eight years, will begin a two semester sabbatical leave in the fall to finish the coursework for her doctorate degree.

Pirtle will attend Indiana University in Bloomington, from which she accepted a fellowship to continue her studies in Special Education with a concentration on early childhood. Her program’s emphasis is on curriculum, teacher training, family, and inquiry. The final program goal will deal with children born to adolescents.

As well as her regular coursework, Pirtle will also assist in assignments and projects for the Special Education Department at Indiana University.

When asked about her studies, she spoke of the changing role of the special educator. “Special education used to serve those who could not be served in the regular classroom, but now, more and more, we keep the child and service in the classroom. This change occurs most appropriately in early childhood, thus the importance of the move toward merging the two fields.”

With regards to her plans for the following year, she will return “to Marian, having broader skills and new gifts to share with the department.”

Pirtle’s replacement for the next academic year has yet to be announced. The position will be temporary and will not include her academic counselling duties, which will be shared among the remaining faculty members of the Education Department.

Science fair held on campus

by Dallice Hesselgrave

On March 21, 22, and 23, 1989, the 37th Central Indiana Regional Science and Engineering Fair was held in the Marian College gymnasiums. The fair was presented by Marian College, the Indianapolis News, and the Scientech Educational Foundation.

The Elementary Division was judged on Tuesday, March 21, and included grades four, five and six. On Wednesday, March 22, the junior division was judged, representing grades seven and eight. Judging of the Senior Division (grades 9-12) was held on Thursday, March 23. An outside organization judged the entries.

The schedule for each day included set-up time, judging, a dinner break, and an awards ceremony.

Marian College professors were on hand to answer questions and supervise.

Special awards were given by organizations such as AT&T, Junior Engineering Technical Society, NASA, and American Women in Science.

Little Brother/Sister Weekend

by Beth Peter

The Little Brother, Little Sister Weekend takes place on April 7. It is a traditional family-oriented activity usually occurring in the spring. Marian students are encouraged to invite their younger siblings to spend the weekend with them in the dorm.

The youngsters will be arriving and registering on Friday, April 7 at Clare Hall from 4:30-6 p.m. That night they have the option to go to a dance at Doyle Hall or watch movies at Clare Hall.

On Saturday, April 8, tentative plans include cartoons in the morning, a hike along the canal tow path, swimming at Allison, a Euchre tournament, and a scavenger hunt. A special guitar mass will be held at 6:30 p.m. At 8 p.m., the Knightly Music Awards will be presented.

All pre-registration forms should be turned in by Wednesday, March 29, so that an estimated count can be taken before the weekend.

We Need Your Help!

The Glenmary Sisters are looking for VOLUNTEERS to assist them in working with the spiritually and materially impoverished people in mission territories throughout Appalachia and the deep South.

Activities depend upon abilities and training of the volunteer, and the needs of the particular mission.

Duration of service is worked out on an individual basis.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, contact:
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P.S. Lisa and Therese thank you!
Plans for St. Francis Hall revised
suggestions solicited from Marian College community

TO: Marian College Students  DATE: March 29, 1989

FROM: Bill Woodman
Dean for Student Affairs

RE: St. Francis Hall "Commons" Area

In recent issues of the Carbon, we have shared preliminary plans for the development of the non-residential areas of St. Francis Hall into a "commons" area. The student "commons" would provide additional lounges, meeting rooms and recreational areas for co-curricular activities. Most are agreed that these additional facilities would enhance the quality of student life at Marian.

Based on feedback from students and faculty, we have made some modifications in the original plan. These changes have to do with areas 7, 7(a) and 7(b) on the floor plan diagram. There were strong opinions expressed to maintain the chapel as a chapel and to locate Campus Ministry in the adjacent space. In the original plan, these areas were designated for a T.V. Lounge with cable hook-up (area 7) and an office/work area for student publications. Since we feel that the T.V. Lounge would be an important and popular area, a new location would need to be identified for that facility.

Continue to give us your thoughts and opinions. Your input is most valued and appreciated.

Please Respond

for revised floor plan, please see page 10
Revised floor plan for St. Francis Hall

1. Quiet study area - library
2. Vending Area (accessible to quiet study & residents)
3. St. Francis Hall Lounge
4. Resident Director Office
5. Resident Director Apartment
6. Mailboxes for all resident students
7. Chapel
8. Campus Ministry
9. Chapel
10. Common lounge for all students/commuters
11. Mens' restroom
12. Student Government Office
13. Student Activities Director's Office
14. Student Organization Meeting Room
15. Video Game Room
16. Game room - pool table
17. Snack Bar extension (Cafe, private dining) 407 Square ft.
18. Utility/maintenance room
19. Womens' restroom
20. Snack Bar
21. Snack Bar Kitchen & serving area
22. Large Activities area - for dances, movies
23. Computer Room
24. Laundry facilities (in basement)

Denotes Change

Explanation and survey form may be found on p. 9
Spring Break Alternative: working in Appalachia

by Stacey Nicholas

"You will not set the world on fire," Fr. John Brown told the nine Marian College volunteers in Guthrie, Kentucky, "but you will make a difference in people’s lives."

The Marian College volunteers were a part of the Spring Break Alternative “89, a missionary program directed by Marian’s Campus Ministry Program. A second group of six students traveled to Beattyville, KY.

Ann Carson, Patti Boyle, Shannon Harvey, Michael Rinard, Mary Saucerman, Stacey Nicholas, Sr. Jean Gabriel Jones, Corrine Wickens, and Victor Breckerler traveled to Guthrie to work with the Glenmary Sisters, Sr. Mary Joseph and Sr. Bernadette.

Nestled between the Appalachian Mountains, Guthrie is a town where southern colonial mansions stand majestically beside shanty cabins. The parish house, where the volunteers stayed, was a mere two blocks from Tennessee.

Harvey, a freshman from Lafayette, commented about the trip, "We did a little bit of help for those who need it." Guthrie is largely comprised of senior citizens. The Glenmary Sisters have had a mission there since 1975. The Marian students did spring house cleaning and made personal visits.

Saucerman, a sophomore from Quincy, spoke about making an evening visit to Mrs. Emma Alexander, 96, and Miss Margarite Balee, 85, sisters who live together. “It was kind of sad. They had nothing to do, but sit in their house all day. They just needed company and someone to share their experiences with.” Mrs. Alexander had been an accountant in her husband’s restaurant and Miss Balee had taught English and Latin in New York for 38 years.

As they reflected on experiences, the missionaries realized that the situation in Guthrie with the elderly is not unique to that town. Rinard began, "We took a week and went down there and there’s similar work to be done in Indianapolis."

by Corrine Wickens

Over Spring Break, fourteen Marian College students and two Sisters of St. Francis traveled to two cities in Kentucky, Beattyville and Guthrie to do some volunteer work. The trip was sponsored by Campus Ministry.

The group that went to Beattyville were: Barb Crock, Lisa Kaufman, Ray List, Beth Riehle, Rich Welage, and Sr. Rose Mary Schroeder. The group that went to Guthrie included: Patti Boyle, Victor Breckerler, Ann Carson, Shannon Harvey, Stacey Nicholas, Michael Rinard, Mary Saucerman, Corrine Wickens, and Sr. Jean Gabriel Jones.

Most of the time was spent cleaning houses and visiting the elderly. In Guthrie, much of the ministry included washing windows, whereas, in Beattyville, most of the people simply wanted some company, because they were lonely. “We didn’t do much really,” junior List said. “The main thing was just getting to know who they are and their culture.”

Besides working with the elderly, both groups had the chance to play and work with younger children as well. Students from the Beattyville group entertained some foster children one afternoon, in order to give their foster parents some time to relax. They helped with the CCD program one day also.

The week was not just work for either group. The Beattyville group took a break from visiting people a couple different afternoons by visiting the Natural Bridge and “Daniel Boone’s Cottage.”

Each evening members from the Guthrie group also participated in various activities. Sr. Jean and junior Rinard attended a Satanism seminar, along with the other church leaders of the area.

Monday and Tuesday night, students attended two senior citizens’ dances. For sophomore Saucerman, these dances were what she remembered the most from the entire week, “I know how important it is for them to feel young; and when they saw us, they did.”

Another important aspect of the week for both groups was the community amongst the students and sisters themselves. The community shared by the Beattyville group was primarily experienced by quiet times of sharing and reflection each evening. On the other hand, the community in Guthrie was a camaraderie through silly songs, Rinard as Papa Smurf, and various jokes.
The Weekly Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1 Judge
5 Wine cups
9 Male sheep
12 Site of Taj Mahal
13 Girl's name
14 Sudsy brew
15 Abhor
17 Spanish article
18 Neckpiece
19 Carry
21 Country of Asia
23 Most pleasing
27 Agave plant
28 Chicago airport
29 Turf
31 Make lace
34 Chinese distance measure
35 Pullman car
38 Symbol for rhodium
39 Choose
41 Offspring
42 Eagle's nest

DOWN
1 Pigeon pea
2 The self
3 Period of time
4 Substances
5 Rugged mountain crest
6 Roman 1001
7 Devoured
8 Seasoning
9 Hare
10 Century plant
11 Flesh
16 Hostelries
20 Element
22 Kind of type: abbr.
23 Piece for one
24 Beat
25 Babylonian deity
26 Cover
30 More beloved
32 Seed covering
33 Pronoun
36 Dawn goddess
37 Newly enlisted soldier
40 Mood
43 Concerning
45 Sun god
47 Prevent
48 Reckless
49 Toward shelter
50 Records
54 Insect
56 In favor of
57 Flap
58 Vessel's curved planking
61 Cooled lava

COLLEGE PRESS SERVICE

Campus Ministry will sponsor a Candidates' Forum for Marian College Student Association offices on March 30, 1989, at 7:30 p.m. in the Marian Hall Auditorium. Candidates for the offices of president, vice president, treasurer, secretary, Academic Affairs Committee representative, and Student Affairs Committee representative on the executive board are invited to speak.

MCISA is sponsoring a meeting of students with the Marian College Board of Trustee members on April 12 from 5 to 7 p.m. in the Aviary of Allison Mansion. The purpose of the event is to open communication between students and board members. Refreshments will be catered by ARA Food Service. Faculty are also invited.

Accounting Society Spring Party to be held March 31 in Allison Mansion at 7 p.m. All Accounting majors and minors are invited. Be prepared for fun. Pictionary Competition!

Some students who are expecting to receive their diplomas in ceremony on graduation day have not yet ordered their cap and gown. Please do so as soon as possible. If you need information or assistance, see Margaret Camp in the Academic Dean's Office or call 929-0217.

Senior Comprehensive Exam results are due April 14.

Last day to withdraw with a WP or WF is April 28.

Phi Delta Kappa Indianapolis Chapter is offering two $500 scholarships to future educators. Potential recipients are graduates of high schools in Marion and adjacent counties. The applicant must be accepted on a teacher education program and have a C+ or better GPA. See Sr. Marilynn or Joyce Johnstone for particulars.

Reminder: Anyone planning to go on the Theatre Department Stratford Shakespeare Festival Trip must have their $30 reservation deposit paid before April 3, 1989. Any questions, contact Dr. Edgecombe at ext. 292.

April 13, 1989 has been set as the Professional Development Day for Marian College full-time faculty and professional staff. Dr. Jean Houston, internationally recognized educator and human capacities professional, will conduct the program lasting from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. No day or evening classes are scheduled for that day. Each department is encouraged to invite one student to attend the activities.

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