

# the collegian

## Student Elections set for Sept. 18

As you may have already seen from some of the advertising around campus, petitions are now available for Senior, Junior, and Sophomore Class Vice-Presidents and Senators. Under the new constitution, each class is now represented by six Class Senators plus a Class President and Class Vice-President. Representation is no longer based on residency but on class standing. Each representative is responsible for representing a certain portion of his/her class at the weekly Student Senate meetings Sunday evenings at 7:15 p.m. and at other committee meetings.

The Student Senate this year has more members than ever before so there are plenty of positions to run for. If you are interested in running, petitions are available in the student government offices on the 2nd floor of Ferroggiaro Center. Each petition must contain 50 signatures and social security numbers of members of your class. A student may sign more than one petition for the same office. Signing a petition does not indicate your preference for a candidate but just your endorsement that the person is a suitable candidate. Petitions are due Friday, September 14 by 12 midnight. They must be turned in at the student government sometime at or before this time. A candidate may begin hanging campaign material as soon as this petition is turned in. Class Vice-Presidents may spend up to \$50.00 on their campaigning and Class Senators may spend up to \$25.00. All candidates must turn in receipts to the Executive Council for verification prior to the end of the election.

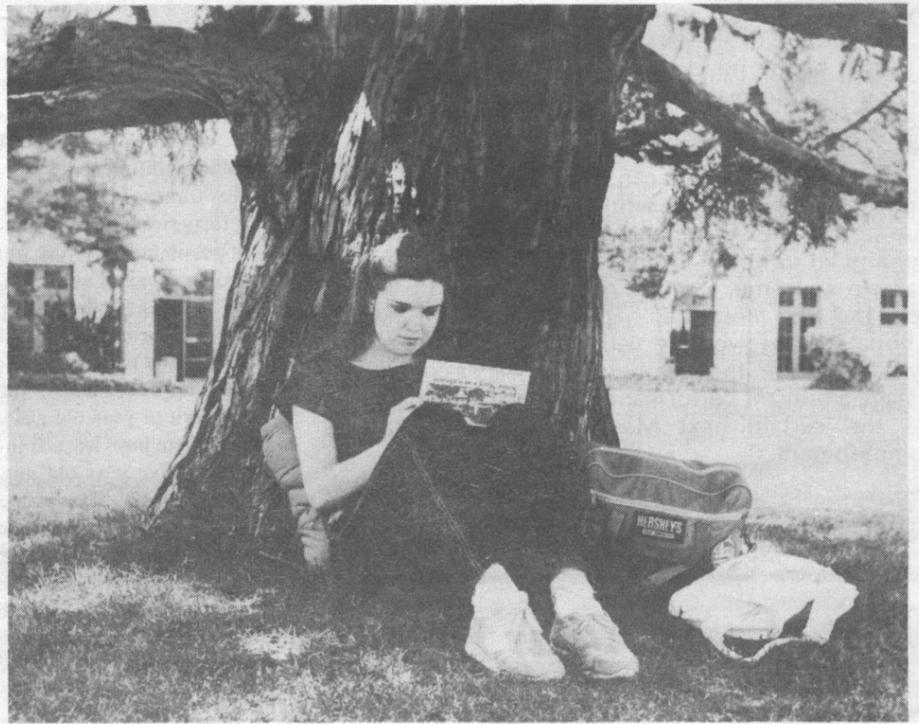
Each candidate must give a 3 - 5 minute campaign speech. Campaign

speeches will be held in Delphine Lounge Monday, September 17 at 6:00 p.m. (Juniors will be going first so that they can leave and go to the Junior Class Social that night at 6:30.) All students are encouraged to come to the speeches to hear what the future representatives of their class have to say.

Elections will be held Tuesday, September 18 from 11:00 — 1:30 and 4:45 — 6:30 in front of Ferroggiaro. From 2:00 - 4:00 balloting will be held at Samuel Merritt College of Nursing in Oakland in order to provide the nursing students with a greater opportunity to vote. Wednesday, September 19 voting will be held in front of Ferroggiaro from 10:30 - 2:00. The ballots will be counted that afternoon and the results will be posted on the Ferroggiaro Center bulletin board shortly thereafter. To win a candidate must get 50% of the votes plus 1. In the need of a run-off election, it will be held Thursday, September 20 and Friday, September 21.

If you are interested in running for an office, stop by the student government offices and pick up your petition today. If you have any questions concerning the election procedure, do not hesitate to contact a member of the Executive Council either during their office hours or in their room.

Freshman Class elections will be held in October in order to allow the Freshman Class to get to know each other better. Normally under the new constitution, the Class Vice-Presidents will be elected in the Spring. However, since the new constitution was ratified after the time of the class elections, this year the Vice-Presidents are being elected this fall.



## New ASSMC constitution

All governments are established by some written document uniting people of a common interest in order that they may care for their needs and carry out their wishes. Our student government here at Saint Mary's is no different. We have a student Constitution which creates the Associated Students of Saint Mary's College and provides protection for the interests of the students,

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promotes and regulates student activity, and preserves the traditions of the College.

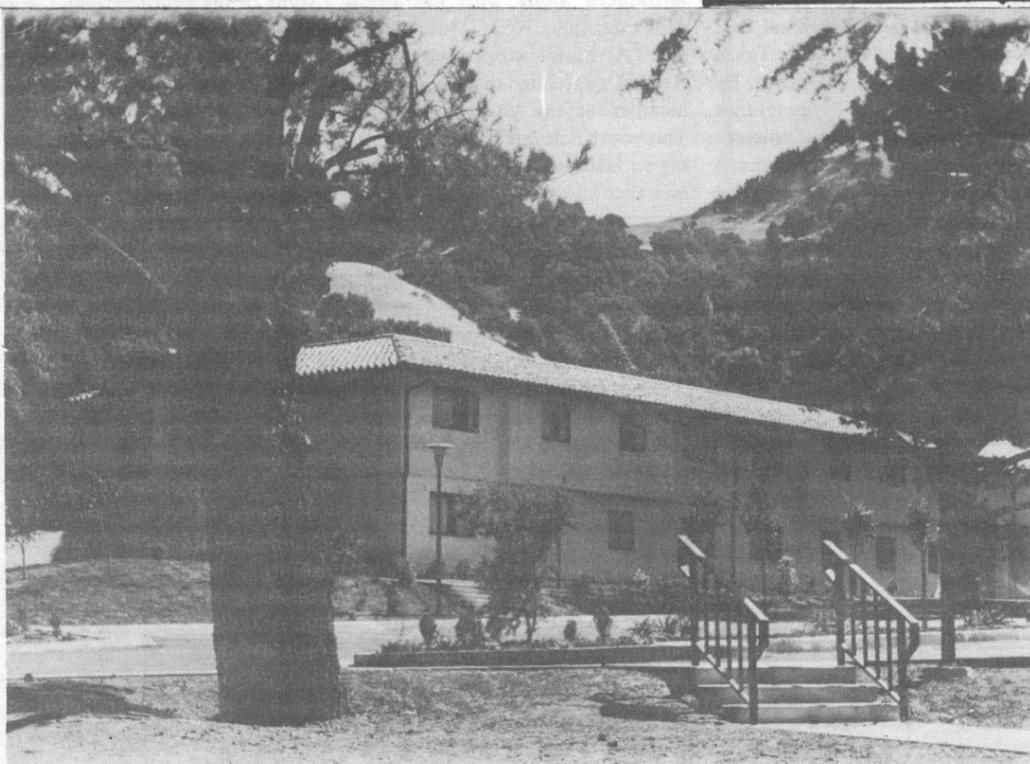
Throughout the spring semester, a committee of Student Senate members worked diligently revising the ASSMC Constitution. The old constitution was poorly organized and inconsistent in parts. The committee tried to clarify and revise sections in order to allow the Constitution to better serve the student body now and in future years.

One of the major improvements in the new Constitution is the structure of the Student Senate, The Senate is the legislative branch of the Associated Students; all regular business and major decisions making is conducted by the Senate. Since the Senate is so vital to our student government at Saint Mary's, it is imperative that all students have a fair and equal voice. The old system was organized to provide for this but in practicality it failed. Representation was based on residency. Since approximately half of the student body lives on campus and half off campus, about half of the Senate members should live on and half off. Yet in actuality, the 1983-84 Student Senate had only two members who lived off campus. This created a situation where people were representing students they never saw nor even shared that common link which was supposed to be the basis for the representation. The new Constitution tries to let people represent students they actually see and those with whom they share the same needs and concerns. It was felt that a junior representative would have more in common politically with other juniors that he/she was representing than a resident student representative would have with non-resident students he/she was supposed to be

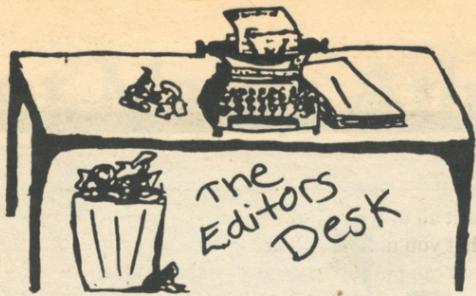
representing. Each class will now have six elected Class Senators plus a Class President and a Class Vice-President. The class will be divided up so that each Senator is responsible for representing a certain portion of the class. It is hoped that this will bring the representation closer to the student body.

Another much needed revision in the Constitution was some checks and balances. In the past the controls placed on officers, organizations, and clubs of the Association were few and not very strict. This got the ASSMC into trouble sometimes because it was hard to watch over finances as well as the programs themselves and provide the best possible for the student body. The new Constitution makes steps towards more regulation throughout the ASSMC. For example, all clubs must be reviewed prior to the allocation of funds to them to insure that the club is benefitting the student body. Another example is the creation of the Media Board. The Media Board appoints the heads of *The Collegian*, *Gael*, and *KSMC* at the appropriate times as well as reviewing their organizations periodically to make sure that all is up to standards to provide the best services possible to the students. In the past the Student Senate has little voice in directing the Media of the Association.

This academic year will be the first time the new Constitution will be used after its implementation last spring. It is hoped that it will provide a more efficient and responsible student government serving the needs of the entire student body. Copies of the ASSMC Constitution are available for review both on reserve in the library and in the ASSMC offices on the 2nd floor of Ferroggiaro Center.



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# Republican Convention Journal

To the St. Mary's community:

Well the curtain has risen on yet another year, and the familiar stage of Saint Mary's College is set to witness the performance of a new cast. Having accepted the role of Collegian Editor, it is my hope that I will be able to support the rest of the cast, to highlight the accomplishments of all, whose efforts will combine to make the 1984-85 rendition of "A Year in the Life of St. Mary's College" a memorable success.

I would like to share with you a few of my ideas regarding our newspaper, *The Collegian*. First of all, I believe that the paper exists to serve the needs of the student body. Therefore, my primary goals as editor are to provide you, the students of St. Mary's, with a viable and responsible source of the news you need and to bring to your attention any information which can enhance your experience of college life.

I also believe that *The Collegian* should be a voice through which all students can speak. If there is ever anything you would like to see written or would like to write, please stop by the office (located on second floor Ferragiaro) and let us know. Opinions, ideas, and suggestions are always welcome. I cannot read minds but I can read letters, and I am more than happy to do so.

I hope that by working with each other instead of against each other, the members of St. Mary's community can stage a brilliant performance during the year and can close the curtain next May with a true sense of accomplishment.

Best wishes,  
June Ahearn  
Editor

## A Note From Your Leaders

Dear Seniors,

Welcome back! Can you believe we are in our last year here at St. Mary's?! We have shared many memorable times in the last three years, and I am looking forward to making our Senior year our best ever.

I am sure you are all looking forward to our biggest event of the year — the Senior Ball. The plans are already in the making, and I am confident it will be a success.

Furthermore, we are fortunate to be the sponsors of the Halloween Dance, which will be a major fund-raising event for the seniors. We will begin the year with a Senior Wine and Cheese on Wednesday, Septem-

ber 19, at 7:00 p.m., in Dryden Hall. This is the first chance for us to come together as seniors, and I hope to see you all there. The Senior Class Committee will be formed by the elections of class vice-president and six class Senators. I urge all those interested to run for office. I served on our Class Committee for the past two years and found it to be a lot of fun. (Right Steve?)

I hope that you are interested in becoming involved in the Senior Class events. Please feel free to give me any suggestions you may have to make this year special. The success of our year depends on you. Thanks for your support.

Sincerely,  
Rosanne Parodi  
Senior Class President

To the Junior Class of Saint Mary's,

Welcome to the new academic year. As your Junior Class President it is my duty to represent our class in the Student Council and to make this year as socially successful as I possibly can. The dates for our indoor socials are listed in the Social Calendar but we are open to outdoor events as often as we like. For activities, we are not limited to dinners,

dances and "cocktail parties" so please feel free to voice your ideas.

You can drop by my room, Syufy 15, or catch me around the campus, but either way I want to hear your suggestions in order to make this a great year for everybody.

Thank you for electing me your Class President and good luck in your studies.

Sincerely,  
Bill Clark

Dear Sophomore Class,

First of all I would like to thank all of you for your support in last year's election. As your Sophomore Class President, I look forward to helping make this year the very best for everyone at St. Mary's.

Every Monday from 3:00 to 4:00, I will be available to hear your ideas, suggestions, and complaints. This time will enable everyone to become involved in planning our class activities.

The year ahead of us is filled with many exciting events. Our first event is a Sophomore Class social in

Dryden, on September 25. Our second social will also be held in Dryden and will take place on November 7. The event I am most excited about this year will be the first ever freshmen/sophomore Winter Formal in January. In addition to these events, we are working on many more new and exciting ideas.

This is *our* year, and to assure success, we must all work hard. Remember, I will always be open for suggestions. I wish everyone all the best in the upcoming year.

Sincerely yours,  
Victoria M. Verber  
Sophomore Class President

In attempting to write this journal I know that I am trying to achieve the impossible: To write an account of the Republican Convention 1984 held in Dallas, Texas which is completely objective. My feeling about the matter is that each person is composed of a different metal and just as each reacts differently to the same chemical so it is with people. The impressions, feelings and thoughts expressed in this series of articles are mine. You may not have felt the same thing, even if you were by my side for the entire convention.

I started my summer out trying to get a job at the Democratic Convention in San Francisco but that fell through. I then tried to get a job at the Republican Convention which I did. It was a prospect I was not originally excited about, not because of political differences but over the fact that transportation to Dallas was via a forty five hour bus ride. There was a possibility of flying but that was more expensive and I was interested to meet the "conservative youth" of today. During the bus ride I talked with many of them and found their makeup and interests ranged from the sixteen year old girl who asked me where boys learned to kiss to the twenty five year old guy who had recently received his masters in U.S.-Soviet relations and consequently could talk of nothing else.

We arrived in Dallas three hours ahead of schedule and subsequently our rooms were not ready. It took about an hour for our rooms to get ready and I quickly rushed into the shower and let forty five hours of dust, grime and exhaustion slip down the drain.

The only event planned for our first day was a reception at the H.L. Hunt estate. (A replica of George Washington's Mount Vernon home.) The party was hosted by the Texas Delegation for the California Delegation and we as the California Youth Delegation were invited to attend and help out. I found it quaint that no alcohol was served at the party because Mrs. Hunt was a teetotaler. I subsequently was coerced into driving a golf cart filled with dispensers of lemonade to the refreshment tables set up on the four acre lawn which sloped gently down to a pretty lake.

The party was attended by about twelve hundred people and speeches were given on the front balcony by Mrs. Hunt, Cong. Phil Gramm (R-Texas), Senator Pete Wilson (R-Calif.), and California Governor George Deukmajian. The night was wrapped up by a contry band that ended its set by having Miss Texas come out and sing a few songs. By the time I got back to my hotel that night I had concluded that conventions were a meeting of the famous and the not so famous, the powerful

and not so powerful and I would often feel this way in the ensuing days.

Monday, August 20, 1984

I rushed out of my bed at 7:05 a.m. thinking I had to be ready by 7:30 a.m. to leave for the convention center. Had I known the truth I would not have rushed so because I would be working on a different project that morning. Senator Pete Wilson (R-Calif.) was having a party at the Anatole Hotel where President Reagan would be staying and I would be helping them out that morning. I had worked as an intern for the Wilson office in San Francisco this summer so I knew the people who would be working at the party.

When our group of about fifteen arrived at the Anatole we were put to work making nametags that included Senators, Congressmen and other people such as Jeanne Kirkpatrick (U.S. Ambassador to the United Nations) and Ed Meese III (Chief of Staff in the White House). I wanted to sit at the tables where the 1500 nametags would be handed out but they were full so I was stuck with the job of handing out media advisory sheets. I saw Senator Strom Thurmond (R-N. Carolina) talking with some people and was thinking of going up and talking to him but instead I started talking to a lady in line. After a few minutes she introduced herself as Mara Michener, her husband James Michener (bestselling author of such novels as *Hawaii*, *Poland*), and the couple they were with, Marvin Stone (editor of *U.S. News and World Report*) and Mrs. Stone. I was so excited to meet James Michener that I practically ignored Marvin Stone. I talked with James Michener for about twenty minutes and halfway through our conversations he got out his notepad and started asking me my impressions of the convention. I knew he was writing an article for *U.S. News and World Report* on the convention so I tried my best to sound intelligent and when the Sept. 3, 1984 issue came out I found his article and my name along with two paragraphs of my comments.

After all the guests had entered I went in and took some food from the buffet tables. Again Senator Wilson and Governor Deukmajian took center stage and talked about the twenty two years of their friendship starting in the California legislature when Ronald Reagan was Governor. I did not see Jeanne Kirkpatrick at the party but Ed Meese III was introduced along with the President's brother, Neil "Moon" Reagan. A funny story about Neil Reagan was related to me by another member of the youth delegation. This youth delegate had started talking to Neil and asked him whether now that his brother was President if

he called him Ron or Mr. President. Neil smiled and said, "I call him you son of a bitch like I always have."

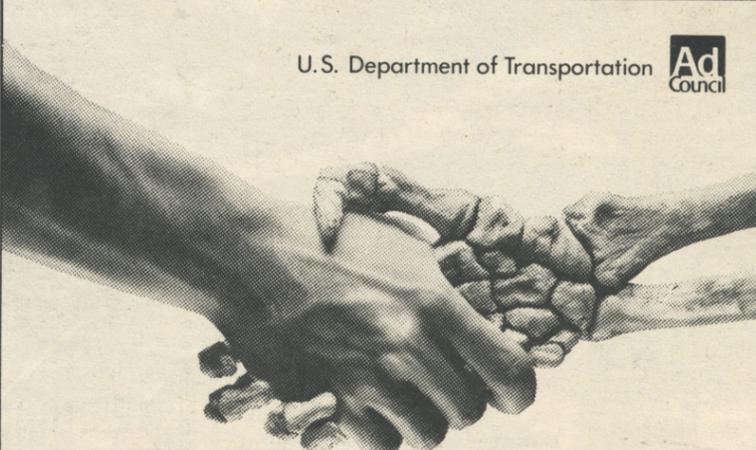
When the party was over the fifteen of us were taken to a special area of the convention hall called the Arena. It is a large circular building like a sports auditorium with a large closed circuit T.V. and is connected to the main convention hall by an underground passageway. A Reagan-Bush Re-Election seminar was going to be held in the Arena for the youth delegates. The first speaker was Maureen Reagan and I was interested to hear her speak because of the disagreement she has with her father over the Equal Rights Amendment. She did not talk about that and talked instead about her early interest in politics. I felt the entire thrust of the seminar was to make the youth feel as if they were important to the party. After Maureen we heard from people involved in the campaign and they ended the seminar with speeches by Cong. Phil Gramm (R-Texas) and Cong. Newt Gingrich who has the distinction of being the only republican congressman from Georgia. Cong. Gingrich has founded a group called the Conservative Opportunity Society which is supposedly in opposition to the liberal welfare state and much of their literature was distributed.

We had about an hour free between the end of the seminar and the beginning of the convention so I grabbed a hot dog from the concession stand and it must be said that during the convention I seldom ate anything more nutritious.

There was only one ticket for every four youth delegates so each person stayed for only a half hour in the convention hall. I took the first half hour to watch the opening of the session and the presentation of the flags. Just as I was walking out to give my ticket to another youth delegate Jeanne Kirkpatrick was being introduced. I watched her speech on the closed circuit T.V. in the Arena. I felt her speech was the best of the convention besides that of Reagan and Bush which are difficult to compare because of the difference in their subject matter. After Kirkpatrick's speech Senator Howard Baker (R-Tenn.) gave a fine speech which was followed by the keynote speech of Katherine Ortega (Treasurer of the United States). It was a good speech but not anything near the democratic keynote speech of New York Governor Mario Cuomo. The buses took us back to our hotel and some of the youth delegates wanted to stay up and socialize but the day had left me with such little strength that all I could do was collapse in my bed.

Kent Heckenlively

U.S. Department of Transportation 



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## Performing Arts Calendar

September 13

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Dan Cawthon as DAMIEN. Free performance for students and staff. 8:00 p.m.

September 14-16

Dan Cawthon as DAMIEN. Friday and Saturday, 8:00 p.m. Sunday, 2:00 p.m. General admission, \$5.00. Students/seniors, \$2.50.

September 17

Tickets go on sale for BONNIE HAYES AND THE WILD COMBO, 12 noon, LeFevre Box Office. All seats \$6.00.

September 18

International Film Series begins with *The Virgin Spring*, directed by Ingmar Bergman. General Admission, \$5.00. Students/seniors, \$2.50. 8:00 p.m.

September 28

BONNIE HAYES AND THE WILD COMBO. All seats \$6.00 8:00 p.m.

## DAN CAWTHON

as



## Damien

A play by  
ALDYTH MORRIS

Set and Light Design  
by JOHN MITCHELL

Sound Design  
by ED TYWONIAK

THURS. SEPT. 13 8 PM  
Free preview for SMC Faculty,  
Staff, Students

FRI. SEPT. 14 8 PM  
SAT. SEPT. 15 8 PM  
SUN. SEPT. 16 2 PM

SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE  
General Admission: \$5

LE FEVRE THEATRE  
Students/Seniors: \$2.50

Presented by Saint Mary's College Committee for Lectures, Art and Music (CLAM)

## First Impressions of SMC

by Ben Herning

I just want all of you out there to know that you didn't fool me. Oh sure, you can put one over on a lot of people, but not me. From the moment I arrived, I felt that something was out of whack but I could not figure out the source of my uneasiness. I mean, what could be wrong?

St. Mary's is an exceptional school. Everyone I talk to is very helpful and even genuinely friendly. The campus and surrounding area are nothing short of picturesque. The teaching staff seems to be perfect (from what I have seen.) And students are honestly nice and easy to get to know. After all people seem most important when I consider I won't be in class forever. So, what could be wrong?

Forgive me for being human, but I come from a fairly large city, San Jose, and I have never seen such friendly people. In and out of class I can be myself, with no questions. Even more than that, the Administration actually cares about the students.

It is obvious to me that this is a rare, wonderful attitude. I have friends that go to other various unnamed institutions of learning (i.e. Broncos, Bears, etc.), and they just don't care! What's worse, they treat you like a number and not a person. Such is not the case here.

I wrote a letter to a friend and told her of this "peculiar" manner in which people act around St. Mary's, and she said that's what she had always heard. So now I am really wondering.

I am here because I wanted to go to a good school but why is it more people don't know about this hidden wonder called St. Mary's? I guess it just goes to show how low the intelligence of the average person really is. A lot of people don't even know they are missing out. Who needs the old Jesuits who do their job well but don't care how you do, when we have these nice guys called the Christian Brothers.

You see, my story began about a year ago when my father really wanted me to attend St. Mary's. But I thought, what does he know? He never went here, and worse, he went to that rival school, oh, I forget the name. But he had gone to a Christian Brothers high school, and what do you know? They taught him well; he was right. St. Mary's is exactly the kind of place I had been looking for, and I'm not the only one.

When I spoke to other Freshman in my dorm, they felt the same way. One commented, "This feels like a high school, except everyone is grown up and quite serious about his studies... with a few exceptions." His roommate put it a little differently. He said, "Dude, this school is way cool, parties all over!"

Well however, you look at it, St. Mary's is a very good school to attend out of high school. And you know, I think I figured out the great St. Mary's mystery. It is not a school pretending to be a great school. It is a great school just being itself. But you still didn't fool me I figured it out on my own!

## CLAM Announces Full Season of Fall Events

Professor Dan Cawthon, Coordinator of Performing Arts and newly appointed head of the Committee for Lectures, Arts and Music (CLAM) has announced a full season of events for the Fall Semester.

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Leading off the season on September 14, 15, and 16 will be a performance of *Damien* by Aldyth Morris, a one-man drama recounting the life of Father Damien de Veuster — the Leper Priest of Molokai. The role is performed by Professor Cawthon who has recreated the role he once played at the Berkeley Stage Company's Festival of Extraordinary People. John Mitchell, the technical director of LeFevre Theatre, has designed the set and lighting. Ed Tywoniak designed the sound score. A special free performance for students, faculty, and staff will be presented on Thursday, September 13, in LeFevre Theatre at 8:00 p.m.

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Two weeks later, on September 28, a rock concert featuring BONNIE HAYES AND THE WILD COMBO will be presented. This Group is well known in the Bay Area for its distinctive rock sound, as recorded on its albums, *Brave New Girl* and *Good Clean Fun*. The opening set for the evening will feature THE YANKS, another popular Bay Area rock group. Only 340 tickets will be available for the concert, at \$6.00 each. They will be on sale Monday, September 17, at 12 noon, in the LeFevre Box Office. First come first served.

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As the presidential election campaign picks up steam in the fall, the St. Mary's community will be afforded a unique opportunity to view the final TV debate between President Reagan and Walter Mondale. A wide screen television projection of the debate will be arranged, attended by a panel of political analysts from newspapers in the area who will discuss the issues touched upon by the candidates. Their pres-

entation will be followed by a question and answer session with the audience.

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A MONSTER MOVIE MARATHON to celebrate halloween has been scheduled for October 31, beginning at 11:00 p.m.. Revellers are encouraged to come in costume to be frightened by THE THING, WOLFEN, and the original INVASION OF THE BODY SNATCHERS. Seating is limited to 350. Tickets for the event will go on sale at 12:00 noon, Monday, October 29, for \$5.00. First come, first served.

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The month of November will be given over to the Music, Dance and Theatre Department's production of Sophocles' ANTIGONE. The production will run the first two weekends. Directed by Professor Cawthon, it will also feature choreography by dance professor Claire Sheridan and an original sound score by KSMC chief Ed Tywoniak. John Mitchell, known for his sets for the *Miracle Worker* and *Sweet Charity* last year, will provide the set and lighting design. Suzie Rafferty, also back this year from the Berkeley Shakespeare Festival, will design and make the costumes.

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Rounding out Fall Semester's events will be a performance of J.S. Bach's MAGNIFICAT in the chapel to celebrate the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, December 8. This Marian canticle for chorus and orchestra will be presented by the joint choirs of the Walnut Creek Presbyterian Church and the Diablo Valley Masterworks Chorale. The second half of the evening will be handled by the DVC Chamber singers, who will present a selection of Christmas hymns, motets and carols. The evening will be under the direction of Richard Kamprath.

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Punctuating all these events on Tuesday Evenings at 8:00 p.m. will

be an International Film Festival which will feature entries from major modern directors from around the world. The dates and films are as follows:

September 18  
THE VIRGIN SPRING, Ingmar Bergman  
October 2  
LA STRADA, Federico Fellini  
October 16  
THE SHOP ON MAIN STREET, Jan Kadar and Elmar Klos  
November 20  
CITIZEN KANE, Orson Welles  
December 4  
DEATH IN VENICE, Luchino Visconti  
Admission to the films is \$2.50 for St. Mary's students.

## January Term Already

I know. I know. We just began the Fall term. Nevertheless, we must concern ourselves with a few points of importance regarding January term lest time slips away, and we find ourselves out in the cold.

Brother Brendan Kneale, director of the January Term, reminds us of the following:

1. Registration for January courses will be taking place in a few weeks. In Particular, registration for travel courses and independent study courses takes place before the other courses. Those junior and senior students in good standing who plan an internship or special study course in January must get a faculty advisor and fill out a special form early in the semester.
2. Many Students did not pick up their copies of the JANUARY CATALOGUE at registration time, September 4. Extra copies of the catalogue are available from the Registrar's Office and from Brother Brendan in his office, Roncalli Annex. More than eighty courses are described in the catalogue.

### Just a Thought

"It's too nice a day to sit inside for an hour and a half. Let's blow off class!"

Do you every catch yourself having thoughts like this one? You probably haven't realized it but each time you give into this urge, you might as well kiss good-bye to \$28.30!!

Believe it or not, that's what you pay. (Based on twice-a-week classes for full time students.)

### Personally . . .

Personals are back in *The Collegian*, so drop a line to a friend or two, let that man know he has a secret admirer out there, or just get something off your mind.

Next deadline—September 20.

## Bonnie Hayes



The Wild Combo, now nearly three years intact, have never sounded more true to their name. Marked by an immediate identification with a hard-edged pop sound, further listenings reveal considerable subtlety and diversity. Bonnie and the band have become mainstays of the Northern California rock scene. They work hard and enjoy enormous popularity in the clubs and on radio. Bonnie Hayes & The Wild Combo have earned their reputation for creating the finest progressive pop music in the Bay Area. This is music that is fun and immediately likable while at the same time uncompromising and fulfilling. Enjoy it! Coming to St. Mary's, September 28.

# SMC Clubs and Organizations—

## Men's Crew



The St. Mary's Men's Crew Team is returning after a very successful season last year. They emerged as a strong contender, finishing second on the West coast in the Varsity Four event, defeating schools like Stanford, USC, UCLA, and other schools with much larger programs

than ours.

The Novice/Frosh boat also finished in the top four on the West coast in an exciting finish with only 5 seconds separating 1st and 4th place.

The team this year will surely match its previous record and will hopefully be traveling to Europe at

the end of the season for the World University Championships in Italy.

There are many seats open to new students, and everyone is encouraged to come give it a try. For more information, please call: 376-6439 or 351-7183.

## Chapel Choir

Chapel Choir is an active and visible part of the St. Mary's campus. Whether it is ringing in the new school year (Mass of the Holy Spirit) with a powerful refrain or singing with joy to the accomplishment of graduation (Baccalaureate Mass) it adds excitement to festive occasions.

Some of the highlight performances of the year are the campus-wide liturgies such as Ash Wednesday on February 20 and Founder's Day. The choir will also embellish liturgies with a full orchestral ensemble at the "Liturgy of Lights" (Christmas) and "Initiation Sunday" (Confirmation).

You probably think a choral group with this ambitious schedule demands that its members be strong sight readers or pass a grueling audition. Not so. Director Mark J. Sullivan encourages and challenges all choir members, no matter what their previous experience is.

Rounding out the agenda, choir members also encourage energetic participation in the many off-campus social outings provided throughout the year.

Join this variety of enthusiastic people from all walks of SMC campus life!!!

## Accounting Association

This year's Accounting Association, headed by President Kathy Norman, is planning several events that will enable Accounting and Business students to seek information regarding various aspects of the Accounting field.

The club has reserved Dryden Hall for three dates during the first semester: Sept. 26, Oct. 24 and Nov. 28. Among the events planned for these dates are Alumni Night, Meet the Firms Night, and an informational meeting on interview and resume preparation. Also, the club is planning some informal events such as a barbeque and softball games in

order to help get to know one another and to establish a sense of unity among the club members.

The club's officers are: Bob Klapperich, Vice President; Jim Pease, Treasurer; Tricia Donati, Secretary; and Jeanette Buchecker, Sergeant at Arms. Along with sponsor Professor Fred Anderson, all would like to welcome Accounting and Business students and would especially like to welcome the freshmen students as these meetings are a good way to meet other Accounting students and also learn about what the field of Accounting has to offer.

## Integral Club

The Integral Club offers the students and faculty of St. Mary's a chance to come together in many different and exciting atmospheres. On the more serious side, there are lectures and seminars given by faculty and visitors. On the lighter side are festivities such as the annual Waltz, the original Mayfest, and celebrations of Greek and Roman

tradition.

The only requirement of the Integral Club is that all involved are willing to enjoy themselves in the range of activities and variety of atmospheres presented. Remember, all are invited and encouraged to participate in the Integral Club and all of its functions.

## Dante Club

The Dante Club is one of St. Mary's oldest and finest clubs. It strives to keep students aware of Italian culture both on and off campus. All are welcome to join whether they are of Italian heritage or not.

Each year the Dante Club sponsors its famous Italian-American Week on campus. This year it will be held October 8-11, and the focus will be on Italians in Northern California. We will conclude the week with an old-fashioned, homemade Italian Dinner.

We have many other events planned for the year, so look for our signs around campus. If you would like to help in any way this year, please feel free to call Professor Paola Sensi-Isolani (ext. 490) or Rosanne Parodi (631-0393).

Grazie!



Since its first broadcast in 1951, KSMC has been serving the St. Mary's community and the surrounding area with a variety of entertainment and information.

Throughout KSMC's broadcast day, our listeners are offered the best in classical, jazz, reggae, popular and modern music. KSMC also broadcasts live Gael's football, basketball, and baseball!

All St. Mary's students who wish to become a member of KSMC are

welcomed and encouraged. Come by at the beginning of the year to our General Meeting on September 18th in Haggerty Lounge to meet the staff and find out how to become an active part of YOUR radio station!

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## the collegian

I would like to take this opportunity to invite each of you to participate in the creation of our campus newspaper, The Collegian.

The Collegian has much to offer:

- a unique opportunity to explore and develop your communications skills that are so vital in today's world
- a medium through which your ideas and viewpoints can reach the entire community of St. Mary's
- the challenge and reward that come with a job well done and the

satisfaction of knowing you made a difference

- the chance to discover more about the life and history of your school and to share these discoveries with others
- overall enhancement of your experience of St. Mary's College

The Collegian gladly welcomes the help of anyone who wishes to become involved, regardless of the size of his or her contribution. Feel free to visit the Collegian office on the second floor of Ferroggiaro Center.

## S. M. C. GOURMET

The Gourmet Club is a club open to all students who enjoy good food, good wine, and good times! The club emphasizes the quality rather than the quantity of good living. We serve

to educate the student body through demonstrations and lectures by professionals in the food and wine industry. To be considered a member of the Gourmet Club simply

enjoy our events.

Interested in signing up to be a member? Write: Gourmet Club, P.O. Box 434, Saint Mary's, Moraga 94575 or call 376-2561.

Look in the next issue of *The Collegian* for the upcoming Gourmet Club article, featuring restaurant reviews and etiquette tips!

We look forward to entertaining you at our first event on the 27th of September. Tickets go on sale for the Champagne Tasting on the 20th.

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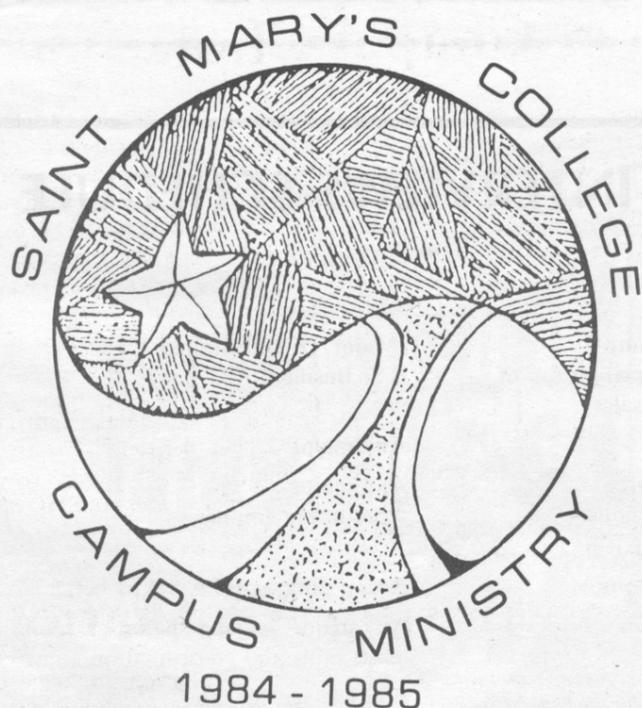
The Oakland Symphony is offering a 50% discount to students. This special subscription series includes six Thursday nights for \$23 or twelve concerts for \$45. Students have a choice of two series, beginning on October 11 or October 25. All concerts begin at 8:00 p.m. and are in Oakland's Paramount Theatre. Student identification may be required for admission to all concerts.

The Oakland Symphony has student representatives offering this special discount series on various campuses throughout the Bay Area.

If you would like a brochure on the student discount series or are interested in being a representative for your campus, call the Oakland Symphony at (415) 444-3531. For tickets call the Paramount Theatre Box Office at (415) 465-6400.

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# GET INVOLVED WHILE YOU'VE GOT TIME



## Campus Ministry Welcomes You

No one can believe it: the summer has flown by and here we are, many of us, doing familiar things in familiar places. As I sat having lunch in Oliver today, carrying on a three-way conversation, munching on well-known fare (groan!), the events of summer seemed very far away and all too soon over with.

But it is good to be back, saying hello to so many people (struggling desperately with names at times) and looking forward to all the year has in store.

Campus Ministry got into gear before school began. This week prior to the opening of Saint Mary's thirteen incoming freshmen joined three returning students and the C.M. staff at Alliance Redwoods camp for two days of fun in the sun, prayer, and overall getting acquainted with their new collegiate home.

It was a really happy time, an opportunity for the "old-timers" to share their insights and their eagerness to help with those who naturally felt some anxiety about the unknown.

The next thing that's happening takes place next Monday night, September 17; it's the first session of RCIA, the program that prepares people for baptism and/or confirmation. The letters stand for "Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults." It takes place almost every Monday night, except for exam weeks and vacations.

If you or anyone you know wants to receive these sacraments, or just wants to take part and find out more about the Church and the place of religious faith in life, come on over to Assumption Hall next Monday and see what's going on. No obliga-

tion, as they say; all welcome. Starting time is 7:30 PM.

We also have a fellowship group that meets on alternate Mondays after RCIA, about 9:00 PM. This is a place to meet people and enjoy their company; the evening is laid back and unstructured: conversation, pizza maybe, anything that strikes the collective fancy.

The turnout and the response to the Mass of the Holy Spirit was really gratifying, and made the start of the school year something really special. We look forward to serving you and having many more chances in the course of the year to rejoice in the gifts we have been given and in all we have to share.

Stop by at our offices, De La Salle, ground floor, and say hello.  
Father Basil.

## SMC Science Club

The Science Club of St. Mary's College is geared toward those interested and/or involved with the sciences (biology, chemistry, and the like). The membership encompasses both students and faculty.

The club's events focus on education and social activities. They include dinners hosting accredited speakers, Career Nights to guide students in various fields of interest, CPR classes, and much more. Social events include faculty vs. student

football and softball games, pizza nights, and occasional parties.

The Science Club's bulletin board is located at the northern end of Galileo Hall. If you are interested in what we are doing, be sure and check here for valuable information.

All are encouraged to join the Science Club. For further information, please contact Jack Henderson (Assumption Hall), Debbie Fisher (Mitty 222), or Steve Becker (De La Salle 412).

## Gael Rugby

## Pints of Interest in Southeast Asia

The 83-84 Gael's Rugby Touring Side, which consisted of 15 first-side players and 2 substitutes, put on a good showing during their annual overseas Easter tour.

The Gaels and their contingency of 27 supporters, called upon the Ports of Singapore, Penang (Malasia), Bangkok, and Hong Kong. Traveling and touring this region of Southeast Asia was the most ambitious trip undertaken by the Club to date. It was masterfully planned and executed by Brother Martin Ash, the Club co-moderator.

The Gaels had competed in the powerful Pacific Coast Conference which is recognized for its quality of contact and ball movement. The Gaels, though enthusiastic and capable, ended the season in the middle of the League. The players looked forward to the tour and the unseen fortune ahead.

After eighteen hours in flight and two days touring Singapore and becoming acclimated to the 95° heat and 90% humidity, the Gaels took to the Pedang (Central field) and soundly defeated the Singapore Crickett Club in a physical match in front of a throng of local supporters. This victory gave the Gaels the incentive it needed to gel as a team and compete at a level previously

unequaled.

After 5 days in Singapore they boarded a flight to Penang whose rural culture and undeveloped cityscapes afforded a broadening perspective of Malasian culture. In Georgetown the Gaels met the University of Science Malasia (USM) who were a scrappy lot composed of local Malysian college athletes. Their lack of size didn't deter them in the set play and their swarming style neutralized the Gaels Back play. The match was close at half-time, but the weight advantage in the Pack proved too much and the Gael forwards controlled and won.

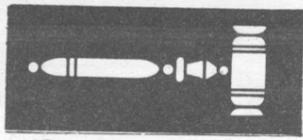
After four most enjoyable days on the coast of the Indian Ocean with the isles lush tropical back drop, the Club packed up and headed for Bangkok, Thailand. Bangkok was the most exotic of the four ports. It was filled with strange sights and sounds with the most popular attractions. The Club was scheduled to play O.V., the National University's club side. After the Gael's previous victories, the O.V. team was ready for the challenge and cordially welcomed the visiting team with umbrellas and soft drinks before losing a well played match.

The Thai Team drew first blood with a quick try and put the Gaels all

on edge. Their unorthodox style of position and quickness made a running game impossible. The Gael forwards in one of their greatest moments of tractable Rugby controlled the ball for the entire game and forced the O.V. side to match them, freeing the back line and allowing the Gaels to score freely. The O.V. side displayed the usual sportsmanship and comradery with beer and great Thai cuisine after the match. In conversation it was discovered that many of their players had studied at schools such as Davis and Cal.

The Gaels left Bangkok satisfied although exhausted and flew to Hong Kong on the last leg of the tour. Hong Kong is notorious for its buying atmosphere and fantastic prices. The four days spent in Hong Kong were memorable and a relief with 85° heat which was a welcome and refreshing change. A Rugby match could not be arranged and the thinning team was relieved and relaxed while reflecting upon all that had occurred in the past two weeks.

Information about the upcoming Rugby season of 84-85 and the Italy Tour 85 can be obtained from Jim Sell or Brother Martin Ash.



### Student Senate Convenes

All members of the College Community are cordially invited to the first Student Senate meeting of the 1984-85 academic year Sunday, September 23 at 7:15 p.m. in G201.

by Scott Page



SMC's Wild Irish Rose

Mayor Dianne Feinstein presented St. Mary's junior, Sheila Lawlor with a proclamation designating August 2, 1984 as Rose of Tralee Day in San Francisco.

Sheila was recently selected as San Francisco's representative to the International Rose of Tralee Festival held in County Kerry, Ireland, at the end of August. The event in San Francisco was sponsored by the United Irish Cultural Center.

Sheila Lawlor is a Business Administration major at SMC.

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## Gael



## Force

The first meeting of this year's Gael Force will be held on Saturday, September 15th, at 11:00 a.m., in Freitas 15. All those interested in becoming active members are expected to attend.

Topics for Saturday's meeting

include: Homecoming festivities, upcoming socials, club shirts, as well as new ideas.

Following the meeting, members will turn out in force to support the Gaels as they face Whittier in this year's first home game.

**CLASSIFIED:**  
Have anything you'd like to sell? or buy? *The Collegian* is offering a student want ad section. Your message will reach the entire school; it's free; and it's a service for everyone — so use it!  
Next deadline—September 20.

# CAREER INFORMATION

## Its Not Too Soon to Start

By Timothy P. Lucey

Having moved into our rooms and apartments, fought the interminable lines around campus, and re-established old friendships, it is time to let the dust settle and plan for the future. The very near future.

Macy's department store in Sun Valley, Concord has been soliciting job opportunities since the day of registration (see the adjacent box). Beginning October 1, no less than twenty-eight organizations will be arriving to interview interested SMC students. Unfortunately though, we have no monopoly on the job market. In northern California alone, at least twenty-four top four-year institutions exist from which the interviewing organizations are able to choose from.

The way to insure their continued return to SMC is not by mere invitation, but by putting forth our best and most sincere students for interviewing. In other words of Career Planning and Placement Director, Bernard Valdez, "We want to provide opportunities for students to interview with organizations that they wish to work for, and ones in which their qualifications are best suited." Valdez believes that SMC should, and will, become more competitive in the circle of colleges and universities with respect to job placement.

To help implement this goal, a new on-campus recruiting program is in effect. Students desiring full time career placement must first complete the following steps to be eligible to interview at SMC:

1. Make an appointment and meet with Career Planning Director (Located in Service Center — near Madigan Gym)
2. Complete self assessment-vocational interest testing, resume writing-interviewing skills workshops, or equivalent (this step may not be required of students with previous interviewing and work experience)
3. File an acceptable resume in the Career Planning and Placement office.

As soon as these three steps are completed, students are eligible to sign up for interviews on campus.

In the past, the visiting interviewing companies were primarily from the field of accounting. Beginning this year, several other companies and organizations have been added. They will be looking for good people with "any majors" or those who are "ambitious, willing to work hard, goal and people oriented." This change reflects the growing need for a larger outlet for the liberal arts, communications, government, and

other non-business majors present on campus.

Some new organizations you are soon to become familiar with include representatives from the FBI, the Navy, Air Force, and various juvenile counseling organization.

The idea is to provide a roster of interviewers that will satisfy the widest possible range of concerns and prerequisites in the SMC student community. This is not to say that the Career Planning and Placement Office is seeking to establish a system for instant employment for everyone. Rather, it strives to open new avenues through which hard-working individuals can pursue their primary academic interests, regardless of what it might entail.

As with everything else, there is always the possibility of overdoing it and letting one's enthusiasm go too far. Valdez advises that, "Career planning and outside work experience should supplement academics, and not replace them." The challenge that each of us face as students, is keeping the scales of grades versus jobs tipped in our favor: more weight on the side of grades.

Internships, available for juniors and seniors, offer a structured means through which students are able to gain valuable work experience while maintaining and improving academic performance. Valdez reports that national statistics indicate at least 50% of the students who take part in an internship program find full time employment with the same organization.

Internships provide not only experience, but they give the student a chance to 'test the water' and learn if their chosen field will continue to be of interest to them in the future.

For the dedicated and the hard-working, the experimental education that comes from an internship is to the student's benefit when interviewing. Organizations' representatives look more than once at your resume, and they have in their hands proof of your interest in them, and your desire to pursue a career in the occupational field which they represent.

The best time to visit the Career Planning and Placement Center (in the Service Center) is right now. For juniors and seniors this is stressed even more, but as early as your freshman year, you should start preparing for your future by using all of your Career Planning and Placement services. Whatever your situation, remember that the year has begun, and so should the blueprint of your tomorrow.

## ON-CAMPUS INTERVIEWS SCHEDULE

(Date)	(Organization)	(Major/Qualifications)
Oct. 1	D/A Financial Group of California (sales)	B.S. Business Ad., Econ.
Oct. 2	F.B.I.	Any major
Oct. 3	U.S. Air Force	Any major
Oct. 4	Price Waterhouse (audit dept.)	Accounting emphasis
Oct. 9	Hood & Strong	Accounting — GPA 3.0 or better
	U.S. Navy (aviation)	Any major — good spatial perception, math skills and co-ordination an asset
	U.S. Navy (staff corp)	Political science, gov't. P.E., foreign language, computer science, English/communications
	U.S. Navy (supply corp)	Econ., math, computer science, bus. ad., accounting
	U.S. Navy (surface officer)	Any major — math, leadership management skills an asset
Oct. 10	Lincoln financial and Insurance Services Inc.	Any majors
Oct. 11	Dalziel Supply Co. (sales/marketing)	Any major
Oct. 12	Duracell USA (sales/marketing)	Marketing, econ., bus. management
Oct. 22	Prudential Insurance — White & Associates (sales)	Ambitious, willing to work long hours, Goal and people oriented
Oct. 23	Deloitte Haskins & Sells	Accounting
Oct. 24	Arthur Andersen & Co. (auditing and tax)	Business/ Acctg.
	Metropolitan Insurance (district office)	People oriented, bus. background preferred, self-motivated person
Oct. 25	Chevron USA, Inc. (finance department, accounting div.)	Accounting — GPA 3.0 or better
Oct. 29	Boise Cascade (customer service)	Any major
Oct. 30	Coopers & Lybrand (audit and tax)	Accounting
Nov. 1	Ernst & Whinney (audit/tax/MCS)	Accounting/finance
	Visionquest	Any major
Nov. 6	Main Hurdman (accounting, auditing, tax, management consulting services)	Accounting — GPA 3.2 or better
Nov. 6 & 7	J.C. Penney Co. (retail management)	Any major
Nov. 12 & 14	Sumitomo Bank	Any major
Nov. 13	Moore Business Forms (centralized sales office)	Any majors (bus. pref.)
Nov. 15	Arthur Young & Co.	Accounting
Nov. 19	Kaiser Aluminum & Chemical Corp. (controllers)	Accounting
Nov. 20	Lanier Business Products (communications)	Marketing, communications
	Bank of America	Any major
Nov. 27	Glen & Thomas	Accounting

### MACY'S — SUN VALLEY MALL

- Permanent and temporary part time positions now available
- Interview sign up deadline is FRIDAY, SEPT. 14
- Pick up application and sign up for interview at Career Planning and Placement Center
- September 19 on SMC campus:  
8:00-9:00 a.m. & 1:30-2:30 p.m. Written test and information  
9:00-12:00 noon & 1:30-4:30 p.m. Interviews

Interested in  
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# REDISCOVERING ST. MARY'S HISTORY



THE OLD BRICKPILE

You know the Brickpile as a place on campus to get French fries and milk shakes but this is how the early generations of St. Mary's students knew the Brickpile. For them, it was campus.

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## Ushering in a new era for Saint Mary's -A 1928 Perspective-

Four years ago when it was announced to the Student Body that definite steps were to be taken towards the construction of a new Saint Mary's, the usual pessimistic opinions concerning the time that would elapse before anything was accomplished were expressed, and as semester succeeded semester and no results were apparent, the pessimism of the few became quite widespread. The day when the Old Brickpile would be abandoned was regarded as a sort of millennium — it would probably come, but it wasn't certain enough to look forward to. Even when a signboard was prominently erected on the first proposed location, announcing that here was to be the site of Saint Mary's College, the rather permanent appearance of a farm right in the middle of the future campus precluded any very sanguine hopes.

And then all at once occurred in such comparatively rapid succession that the confirmed pessimists of former days were somewhat disconcerted, and even now when it is certainty that the Brickpile will soon cease to be the home of Saint Mary's, it seems hard to realize the significance of this, the greatest single event in the history of the College. Times of transition are invariably hard because of the natural reluctance to leave familiar places and form new associations elsewhere. For this reason, next year will be a difficult one, but not as bad as it might be, for the affection of the most loyal student in the College would hardly cause him to overlook the failings of the Brickpile.

But it is of the greatest importance that the traditional time-honored spirit of loyalty experienced by every man who calls Saint Mary's his alma Mater be preserved when the new College enter upon its career. Ordinarily, when a university or college first begins, the tremendous spirit of loyalty and every class acts in a way that only freshmen should act. Something of this spirit may creep into Saint Mary's next year. Undoubtedly everyone, from the greenest Frosh to the most superior Senior, will experience feelings greatly undesirable in the former and most injurious to the dignity of the latter.

It will be but a short time before the last bell sounds for the last class in the old Brickpile, and when its stride echoes fade away in the dim and narrow corridors, they will have marked the end of the old and the beginning of the new much as the shouts of the populace long ago when the King had died: "Le Roi est mort; vive le roi!" And so we look forward to a new era in the history of Saint Mary's with some regrets for the past, but with a firm purpose of preserving all that is best in the old for the new, and of remembering the great things done in the past so that greater may be performed in the future.

—A.H.S.

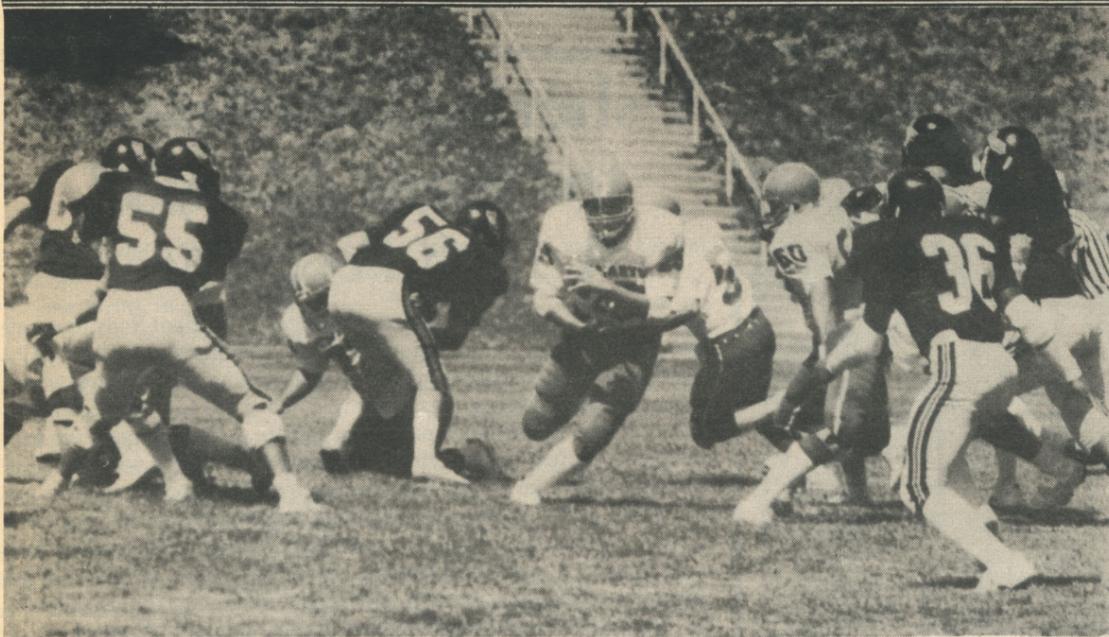
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Play action by Curtis Muglinter, Gael running back. Photo by Robert Oakes.

## SMC Gridders Rebuild

by Eamon Murphy  
St. Mary's football. Rebuilding year.

These two phrases seem indelibly linked in 1984 as the Gaels starting unit was almost entirely devastated on May 26, 1984 when their entire offensive line, the entire backfield (minus Tim Long), the top two defensive linemen, one linebacker and two defensive backs were handed their diplomas and went their separate ways.

The Gael's top returners include linebackers Kevin Will and Jim Wardy and receivers Marty Storti and Tom LaRocque. However, new head coach Joe DeLuca doesn't expect these four to carry the entire

team, "With the situation as it is now, we're not going to be a team of individuals. There is no one individual that we can rely on. It'll have to be a team effort."

The quarterbacking spot is the Gael's most glaring uncertainty. The starting job has been given to untested sophomore Jim Horan from Sacred Heart High School in SF. Even DeLuca is unsure if he will perform well. "We realize that he red-shirted last year and that gave him a tremendous amount of work, quarterbacking the scout teams and such. He has improved. We just hope that he's going to do the job that we expect of him and that he knows he can do."

## DeLuca — A Probing Interview

by Eamon Murphy

While researching the accompanying story, this reporter had his first chance to interview new head coach Joe DeLuca, a good-humored, cigar-wielding crusty football man. After 27 years of coaching (seven at St. Mary's) DeLuca has finally landed the head coaching job for the Gaels when Dick Manini resigned to coordinate the defensive unit at Stanford University. The following is the searing text of that interview.

**Collegian:** Frankly coach, you've been devastated by graduation. What do you plan on doing to make up for what, on paper at least, looks like an insurmountable loss?

**DeLuca:** Ask God for more help.

**Collegian:** Well, who do you look to lead this team? Who are your top returners?

**DeLuca:** With the situation as it

is now, we're not going to be a team of individuals. It'll have to be a team effort. There is no one individual we can rely on.

**Coll:** OK. Do you have any goals this year?

**DeL:** Yes.

**Coll:** Great, what?

**DeL:** Our goal is to play one game at a time. If we win, we want to build on that win. If by some chance we lose, we want to find out why.

**Coll:** Can you be more specific?

**DeL:** We hope to play to the best of our ability.

**Coll:** Will you be doing anything differently with the loss of key personnel such as Andre Hardy and Bryan White?

**DeL:** We will have to make some adjustments. We'll have a more balanced attack because we don't have that great running back.

**Coll:** Has anything changed since

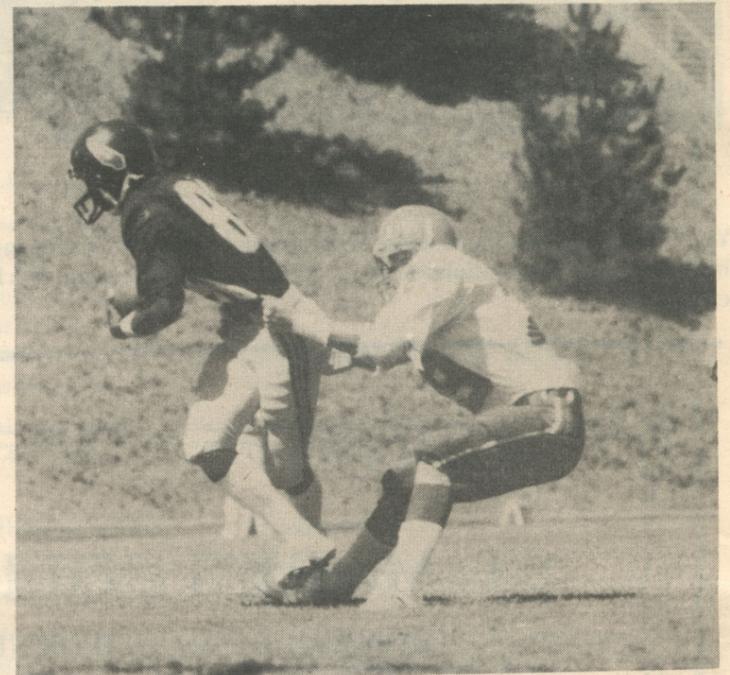
you've taken over? Do you run things differently than Manini?

**DeL:** I'm still the same coach. I don't do anything different now than I did when I coached defense. My players know what I expect of them and they know how I coach.

**Coll:** Well coach, how about one more quick question: what would you like to accomplish in your first year as head coach?

**DeL:** To play to the best of our ability.

Note: Despite rumors to the contrary, DeLuca is not using football as a front to prime himself to be a politician. Also, look for this reporter's forthcoming book, "How to Take Charge of an Interview: don't take rhetoric for an answer" available in paperback (cross-listed as "How to get Answers to Questions You Really Didn't Ask: finding out what you already know").



John Doyle, defensive back for the St. Mary's Gaels brings down a Hayward Pioneer. —Photo by Robert Oakes.

## Competitive Year for Lady Spikers

by Eamon Murphy

Losing half of their entire roster would make most coaches desperate, but to women's soccer mentor Randy Farris it's almost a blessing, "many of the girls we had in the past had never touched a soccer ball until they got to college. But now these girls are coming here with a lot to experience. And that experience is reflected in their competitiveness. It shows out on the field.

Typifying this new breed of women's athlete are sophomore forwards Sue Caporicci and Kathy Jones. Last year Caporicci's eleven goals surpassed the entire team output of the Gaels in '82.

Farris speaks highly of his left wing. "Sue is excellent one on one. She has the best ball skills of anyone in probably the state. However, for leadership Farris will look to Jones, who earned 2nd team all-Far West a year ago. "Kathy is our most aggressive player. She's big (5'10"), strong and the fastest player on the team. She gives 100 percent all the time. She establishes a confidence in the team that is really very valuable. Her inspiration is very important." Jones was also voted Most Valuable Player by her teammates last year.

Complimenting those two are a dozen new hard-driving, competitive recruits. They're led by 5'10" goalkeeper Beth Littell, a transfer from Sacramento Junior College. She fills a big gap left by the graduation of Barbara Harrington and the news that returner Pam Woffard would be sidelined for the year with an ongoing internal injury. Although Littell hasn't touched a

soccer ball for two years, Farris sees "incredible potential" for his 'keep. "She has good range and reads the game well. She has progressed very rapidly. Now it's a case of establishing her confidence. There is no question in my mind that she could easily be the best goalkeeper in our area."

Another new face that will step immediately into the starting lineup is freshman midfielder Stephanie Meda, 1983 Sacramento player of the year. Meda will play on Caporicci's side, giving the Gael's a talent-laden left wing. This, though, has had its advantages and disadvantages. "They (Sue and Stephanie) are very similar players, she compliments Sue very well. There's good chemistry there. But already I'm hearing it from the others: 'You're always going up the left, you never bring the ball up on the right side'. What are you going to do...?"

Caporicci sees a definite advantage to the crop of talented freshmen and transfers, "It takes a lot of pressure off of me and Kathy. Defenses won't be able to key on us as much. Last year there were no halfbacks to feed us the ball, but that isn't a problem this year."

Once again, junior sweeper Mary Jane Laster will anchor the defense. Coming off an impressive 1982 showing where she garnered an honorable mention on the mythical all-Far West squad, Farris sees no reason she shouldn't have an even better year, "MJ came into camp in the best shape of any of her three years here. Sweeper was a new position to her last year. Now she has a year of experience under her belt."

Rounding out the starting lineup will be freshman Kathy D'Avolio, sophomores Marcie Champie, Dawn Ferris and Marta McLeod, junior Wendy Jackson and senior Tessie Wagner.

The insertion of returners such as Jackson and McLeod — who didn't see a lot of game time last year — into the '84 lineup gave special pleasure to Farris. He kept his squad busy with year-round training, including spring soccer and a trip to Santa Barbara for a tournament. "The off-season practice was invaluable. It's good for morale & comradery as well as working well as a team. Girls like Wendy and Marta are starting largely because they work very well with their teammates. It's important.

Which leads to the big question mark for the soccer lady Gaels: Can a team with twelve new players cohesify and work well together?

If their opening match was any indication, they may have a long way to go. They dropped the opener to U.C. Santa Barbara 7-1. The score may not be indicative of how well the Gaels played, though. St. Mary's outshot the number two ranked team in the country 14-10. Unfortunately, UCSB converted on an astronomical seven of those ten. "It may not look like it by the score, but at times that was the best play we've ever had in the history of the program. There's no excuse for letting in that many goals but I saw some things that I really liked," said Farris.

## Volleyball:

## The Dream Continues

by Eamon Murphy

One of the most successful athletic teams in the history of St. Mary's College returns nearly completely intact for another crack at the national championship.

The women's volleyball squad, which marched out of South Carolina with the number two NAIA ranking in the country last year, has lost only two starters in the off-season, and believes to have even more talent than the '83 group. "Talent isn't the problem," says coach Joan Tamblin, "It's a matter of how we jell as a team."

Top returners will be hitters Michelle Neely and Anne Cooper and setters Ana Robles and Lisa Bertacini. Tamblin sees these four as the foundation upon which to build a championship-caliber team. "I'm counting on them to perform each night, and I'm sure they will."

The keys, she feels, are the new girls in the starting rotation, Suzy Chiles, Gina Miller and Chris Vorpahl. Chiles is a 6'1" 16 year old freshman phenom out of Terra Nova High in Pacifica. She'll relieve the six-foot Cooper and sub-in at times to give the Gaels a mammoth front line. "In two years," Tamblin boasts of her top recruit, "Suzy will be unstoppable."

5'2" Hartnell J.C. transfer Gina Miller and 5'3" sophomore returner Chris Vorpahl are the two other crucial determinants of the Gaels success — or failure. "If they (Chiles, Miller and Vorpahl) do well, we'll be

fine," says Coach Tamblin.

Freshman Jackie Banks and junior Jodie Jacques — if she manages to stay healthy — will also see considerable playing time to give the Gaels nine, possible ten, everyday players.

Their unexpected success of last year has had both positive and negative ramifications on the '84 unit, Tamblin explains. "At our first game against Whitworth, more people than ever before, except for the playoff game, came out to watch us. Also, our travel budget has been increased, better teams want to play us and recruiting is much easier." Yet it still took them four games to beat both Whitworth and the University of Portland, both of which they should have won in three games. "In the first two games we weren't playing with quite the intensity we had last year," lamented Tamblin, "I've noticed it in practice also. But it's also very early. We need to be challenged by good teams." Not coincidentally, the crux of the Gael's schedule is in October, just before the Nationals in early November.

Cooper and Neely don't share their coach's motivational concern, though. "There's no lack of intensity," says Cooper, "that'll come. Right now we're just having fun. If we get to intense now, it will drop off in the middle of the season." Neely, the team captain, agrees, "We don't want to burn ourselves out now, the season's too long."