August 14

Joseph F. McCormack appointed as assistant professor of criminal justice

August 24

Reverend James K. Healy, C.S.S.P., Dean of Students for past five years, left the College to study law

September 24

Dr. Lubomir Gleimann appointed chairman of combined departments of philosophy and religious studies

October 6

Sister Lucille attended Papal conference for Catholic College presidents in Washington, where two hundred and fifty presidents met Pope John Paul II

November 30

Students launched a fund-raising campaign for the relief of starving Cambodians from December 1-8 within the time span of 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. each day

1980

January 24

Department of Science divided into the Department of Biology and Health Science and Department of Physics and Chemistry

January 25

John J. Greeley appointed associate professor of religious studies

March 14

John Ford’s classic, *The Rising of the Moon*, offered at O’Hare Academic Center as part of Irish Heritage Week

March 27

Barbara Ann Sylvia appointed Dean of Student Development
April 2

Christopher Kiernan appointed Assistant to the President, concerned with the development of enrollment

April 17-18-19

Broadway Musical *Fiddler on the Roof* presented by Newport College Players under the direction of Joan David

April 26

*Special Olympics for handicapped inaugurated*

May 22

Mrs. Rachel Wheeler Rossaw received Outstanding Alumni Award for the adoption of eleven handicapped children

June 2

Salve Regina’s College Council for Exceptional Children awarded outstanding membership achievement for 1979-80 academic year

June 10

Reverend Raymond McNicholas succeeds Reverend James Healy as chaplain

July 8

Karen Dobson appointed Dean of Campus Ministry and Spiritual Development

July 12

French Ambassador Francois deLaboalaye addressed an audience in the Great Hall at the College during ceremonies commemorating the postal card marking the 200th anniversary of the landing of Rochambeau and his troops in Newport

August 12

Marks the death of Sister Martha Quinn, RSM, home economics professor at the College 1947-1965
August 26

Sister M. Therese Antone, RSM, named Vice-President for Institutional Advancement

October 16

Honorable Jack Lynch, former Prime Minister of Ireland, lectured on the topic “The United States and Ireland, Some Aspects of Inter-Relationship”

November 15

Five new members of the Board of Trustees announced by Chairman Jeremiah C. Lynch: Albert N. D’Amico, Gloria Lincourt, Sister Diane Marie Pederzani, RSM, Sister Elaine Scully, RSM, and Sister Marie Geraldyn McGreevy, RSM

December 4

Local historians, authors, and artists joined professors and students at the College in presenting “Education Via Radio” program on station WADK on alternate Wednesdays 9-10 p.m. through May 13. The series is entitled “Newport Perspectives from 1638 to the Present.”

December 8-9

Salve Regina College players offered the medieval miracle play The York Nativity Play in conjunction with “Christmas in Newport”

January 27

Continuing Education Center for Exceptional Students opened in 1975 under the direction of Sister Charles Francis Dubuque, now has thirty-three tutors enrolled in the tuition-free program

February 16

Sister Lucille McKillop, RSM was selected Woman of the Year by Newport County Chamber of Commerce, Women’s Division

May 1-15

The art department faculty exhibited recent works in clay, drawing, painting, and photography at the Cushing Gallery of the Art Association
June 6

Jane Murphy Farley recipient of 1981 Outstanding Alumni Award

July 8

Pilot project sponsored jointly by Salve Regina College, Martin Luther King Center, and Rhode Island Educational Opportunity Center, merging their resources to upgrade skills for those who wish to further their education

July 22

A rare collection of the life work of the famous bone pathologist Henry L. Jaffe was dedicated during the workshop for Orthopedic Surgeons under the direction of Dr. Howard Brown

August 27

Doctor Sheila Megley named Provost. Janet Ellen Brown appointed assistant director of development; George Briden, accounting; Sister Eugenia Poulin, French and English; Caroline Salvatore, psychology; Dr. Jerome Montilo, biology; Margaret Krieger, social work; Brother Gregory Flynn, FSC, sociology and social work; Dr. Norma Bailey, full-time professor, English and speech; Brother Joseph Bascuas, psychology; Jill Stevens, library assistant; and Jean Zimmerman, College's first assistant director of athletics for women

September 10

Trinity and All Saints Scholarship to Trinity College, Leeds, England named for Sister Mary Audrey O'Donnell, former Dean of Admissions

October 23

"Education via Radio" - famous Newport personalities from 1638 to the present sponsored by Salve Regina in cooperation with WADK, AM radio, every other Wednesday 9-10 a.m. through May 28

November 12

Dance-a-thon for benefit of the American Cancer Society, Friday 7 p.m. until Saturday 3 p.m.

December 17

The College was approved for continuing accreditation for a period of ten years by the Executive Committee of the New England Association of Schools and Colleges
December 21

Brother Francis Nolan, FSC appointed to assist in expanding the tutorial services under the direction of Sister Charles Francis Dubuque.


1982

March 23

Michael Chadwick appointed director of intramural sports

April 12

"The Great Nuclear Debate" - The Newport Institute and Salve Regina College sponsored an all-day conference

May 13

Carol Radcliffe Keough named recipient of the Outstanding Alumni Award for her work among the Hmong and Chinese refugee communities in Rhode Island

June 8

Robert J. McKenna named outstanding legislator of the year by Northeast Rehabilitation Association at the 1982 Awards dinner in Bretton Woods, New Hampshire, in recognition of his sponsorship of legislation for the handicapped

July 13

Thomas P. Flanagan named director of administration and student services

July 26-August 5

Educational workshop designed for parents, administrators, and lawyers relative to legal aspects of special education
August 18

Twelve new faculty announced as follows: Bernard Masterson, visiting professor of fine arts; Sister Madeleine Gregoire, assistant professor of mathematics; James Farrington, assistant professor of criminal justice; Paul R. Pacheco, assistant professor of accounting; Gilbert R. Green, assistant professor of management; Joan Chapdelaine, instructor in nursing; Kathryn Flood, instructor in special education; Sister Elizabeth McAuliffe, instructor in education; Sister Theresa McQueeney, assistant professor of French and English; Sister Leona Misto, instructor in mathematics; Ann Pelletier, instructor in Spanish; Marjorie Robins, instructor in sociology

August 19-22

Three-day workshop concerned with "A Celebration of the Exploration of Human Potential and Consciousness" offered by Jack Childs, associate professor of human development together with specialists in the field

September 13

College awarded $15,000 grant from the John E. Fogarty Foundation for the Mentally Retarded to support the Education Center for Exceptional Adults

October 4-5

The art department faculty exhibition - works in clay, drawing, graphic design, painting, film, and photography at the Art Association of Newport's Cushing Gallery

October 14

The nature and impact of technology in developed nations inaugurated by the Peace and Justice Symposium presented the first lecture entitled "Technology and Freedom." Other lectures include "Technology and Culture" (November 18); "Technology and Medicine" (February 2); "Technology and Justice" (March 24); "Myth in the Age of Technology" (April 26).

November 12-13

Dance Marathon to aid American Heart Association sponsored by the Student Life Senate scheduled from Friday November 12, at 7 p.m. until Saturday, November 13, at 3 p.m.

1983
April 7

Dr. James Hersh of the philosophy department initiated a four-week training seminar in Dream Symbolism at the Newport Training Institute

May 1

Marie Murphy ’59 received the 1983 Outstanding Alumni Award

May 14

In conjunction with Police Appreciation Week, May 9-15, the College hosted an afternoon reunion picnic on the Wakehurst grounds for all graduates of the criminal justice program

August 19

Frederich Williamson and Antoinette Downing of the Rhode Island Preservation Commission announced the award of a $35,000 grant to the College for continued repair of the Indiana limestone terrace at Ochre Court

September 4

Faculty appointments: Dennis Robins, associate professor and director of the graduate program in health services administration; Leo Murphy, assistant professor, management; Cosmir E. Sojka, assistant professor in computer science; Christian L Vanderbrek, instructor in mathematical science; Paulette Pekop, assistant professor in biology; Sister Kathleen Ilealy, RSM, visiting professor of English; Brother J. Daszkiewicz, FSC, assistant professor of English and French; Sister Blanche Ouellette, RSM, visiting instructor in French; Sister Mary Aquin O’Neill, RSM, assistant professor of religious studies; Maria A. Ceprano, visiting assistant instructor in education; Reverend Michael Malone, instructor in psychology; Lois Wims, instructor in criminal justice; Sister Rosamond Ethier, RSM, instructor of history and supervisor of residence, Michael Caruso, Jr., job development coordinator; Dr. Michael DiMaio joined library staff as instructor returning from leave of absence; Reverend Eugene Hillman, professor of liberal studies, returned from Africa, where he held the Walsh-Prince Fellowship for Mission Study and Research; Sister Virginia Walsh, RSM, assistant professor of education returns from completing doctoral residency at Boston University

September 22

Salve Regina graduate Jacqueline Janiski appointed program director of Island Hospice
October 6

George "Andy" Andrade appointed as admissions counselor

Carol Benjamin joined the Development Office with responsibility for all aspects of planning development and research on grant programs

October 15

Dr. Maria Ceprano, visiting assistant professor of education at the College, scheduled four workshops concerned with new and effective methods in teaching and reading: October 15, 22, 29 and November 5

October 19

Robert Cleary, a survivor of the Holocaust, lectured about his experiences as a WWII prisoner

November 4-5

Dance Marathon - sixty couples sponsored by the Student Life Senate and the Office of College Activities to benefit American Heart Association of Rhode Island's "Dance for Heart Campaign"

November 27

Proclaimed President's Week - celebration honoring Sister Lucille McKillop's ten years as president

Sunday   Mass of Thanksgiving

Monday    Dedication of McKillop Gallery in honor of Sister Lucille's support of the visual and performing arts

Tuesday   Student body reception at Ochre Court

Wednesday Staff reception

Thursday  Academic convocation of faculty and educational leaders

December 3

Culmination of festivities with Governor's Ball
1984

January 3

Susan Rusk Michael and Joanne Mullaney appointed as instructors in nursing

March 28

Andrew M. Hunt named chairman of the Board of Trustees. He has been a board member for six years.

April 27

The Theatre Department hosted a drama festival represented by twelve New England schools who came “to act, to work, and to root for their schools”

May 4

Ms. Lois Wims, instructor in criminal justice, was named “Young Career Woman of 1983-1984” by the Rhode Island Business and Professional Woman’s Organization

May 6

Mary McGann, a 1966 graduate, was cited as the 1984 Outstanding Alumna for her role as a promulgator of international education as well as her service to others. Mary embodied the ideals of her Alma Mater.

May 18-19

Salve Regina’s Theatre Company presented an evening of one-act plays, Lawrence Osgood’s “Pigeons” and Edward Albee’s “Zoo Story”

June 2

Jeremiah C. Lynch, Jr. past chairman of the Board of Trustees, was awarded an honorary degree of Doctor of Law at the 34th commencement

June 19

The 12th annual conference of New England Governors and Eastern Canadian Premiers gathered at Ochre Court to discuss the pollution problem threatening seriously the future welfare of both regions
July 28

A concert series dubbed “Denmark - A Classical Celebration” opened with the performance of actor Erik Mork. The festival continues through August 18 featuring famous violinists, pianists, and soloists.

November 27


November 28

Social Work Department received initial accreditation from the Council on Social Work Education. Joy Cortell, MSW, specializing in research and gerontology, joined the department.

1985

February 6

Student Academic Senate sponsored a panel discussion entitled “Justice Issues and the Drinking Age.”

February 28 - March 3

Newport College Theatre Company presented James Goldman’s The Lion In Winter, directed by Gary Diomandes of the Theatre department faculty.

April 12, 13, 14

The Theatre Company players presented An Evening With Chekhov.

April 19-20

The College’s graduate program in holistic counseling sponsored a three-day workshop in Hakomi Therapy developed by nationally acclaimed therapist, Ron Kurtz.

May 15

The Accounting Department initiated a unique two-year program entitled Accounting Program for Professionals, which provides courses required for a student wishing to become a certified accountant or a management accountant.
May 28 - June 2

The College hosted the 31st Annual Convention and Teaching Workshop of the College Theology Society.

July 27

Rabbi Theodore Louis, for thirty-six years spiritual leader of Touro Synagogue, North America's oldest synagogue, retired and will take up residence in Israel.

September 16

Ground-breaking ceremonies for new residence hall attended by administration, faculty, staff, and students.

October 23

Seven new faculty members appointed to teaching staff: Sister Macrina Hawkins, RSM, assistant professor of ethical concepts of nursing; Katherine Leary, assistant professor of French; Sister Johnelle Luciani, RSM, instructor in mathematics; Sharon Rose appointed to nursing faculty; Sister Paulette Sans Souci, RSM, instructor in French; Patricia Tessiers, instructor in nursing; Michael E. Thombs, instructor of information systems.

November 8

Newport College Theatre Company presented two short plays by Paul Shapper, *The White Liars* and *Black Comedy*.

November 10

An Information Systems Science program chaired by Leo C. Murphy combined technical and business courses with the traditional liberal arts classes.

November 15

Dance Marathon for benefit of diabetes research began at Ochre Court at 7 p.m. and concluded at 3 p.m. on November 16.

December 1

Lynn Sheedy appointed assistant dean of student affairs.

December 4

A noon concert series at Cecilia Hall featured a Christmas concert by the Middletown High School Chorus.
December 5

Salve Regina listed among the top ten smaller comprehensive institutions in the Eastern United States

December 12

The Nursing Department commemorated twenty-five years of full accreditation by the National League of Nursing

1986

January 7

Christopher M. Kiernan named Academic Dean

January 23 - February 18

Exhibition of new paintings by Ronald J. Sloan entitled “The Search Goes On,” presented by the Art Department

January 29

Dr. Paul Holman, dressed in Soviet uniform, made a dramatic presentation of how Russians view themselves and the rest of the world in a lecture entitled “Soviet Ideology”

February 5

The Student Academic Senate sponsored a panel discussion and question period on the controversial issue: “Should AIDS Victims Be Denied Civil Rights?” Panelists were Dr. Alan Fisher, member of AIDS Advisory Council and Mr. John McArther, superintendent of Schools in Swansea.

February 13

The third annual Senior Class Auction was held at Carey Mansion. The auction was sponsored by the Alumni Office and the 1986 class agents.

February 19-20

A two-day conference, The Woman Connection, which explored the personal and social transformation of women in the 1980’s
March 6

Barbara A. Sylvia appointed to position of Assistant Vice President of Academic Services

April 4

The Athletic Department held its first annual Winter Sports Ceremony honoring players from men's and women's basketball teams and the indoor track and field team

April 6

Sister Therese Antone, Vice President for Institutional Advancement, was selected as committee member on the executive board of Brown University's Institute for Secondary Education

April 10-12 April 18-19

The Newport College Theatre presented The Time of Your Life

May 4

The Irish Festival committee sponsored a concert featuring Frank Patterson (Ireland's greatest tenor) at Rogers Auditorium

At "Brunch With the President" the 1986 Outstanding Alumni Award was presented to Attorney General Arlene Violet, a member of the class of 1966

August 28

Computer Center developed in former Wakehurst Stable. The facility centralizes the College's computer function.

September 2

The Most Reverend Louis E. Gelineau blessed the new student residence, which opened its doors to residents for the first time on September 4

September 15

Wakehurst opened as a new campus center as well as housing a number of student services offices

October 9

Dr. Sheila Megley, RSM, was elected chair of the Rhode Island Committee for the Humanities
October 24

Lynn Sheedy appointed hoop coach

October 30

The O’Hare Lecture series presented a discussion, “El Salvador, the Forgotten War”

November 14-15

Salve Regina’s sixth marathon raised $2,300 for Shake-A-Leg, the Newport based non-profit organization

1987

January 8

Ann Martin appointed assistant to Dean of Academic Services and coordinator of Academic Advising

January 30 - February 19

Show of Master Art Prints from private and public Rhode Island collections

February 17-19

Actress Robin Lane, as part of a three-day conference, Woman Connection Conference II, presented five former first ladies in a one-woman show she herself compiled

March 12

Salve Regina basketball teams look back on a successful year with women coached by Lynn Sheedy and men by Duke Dukeshire

April 15

Salve students return from Kenya after an intensive eight-week program designed by Fathers John Meade and Michael Malone

April 16

Marks the death of Sister M. Martina Conley, first registrar of the College
May 1

Second Annual Sports Award Ceremony honored members of the men’s and women’s basketball, indoor track, and field teams

May 3

At “Brunch with the President” the 1987 Outstanding Alumni Award was presented to Kathleen S. Connell ’58

May 4

The Newport Institute hosted conference on “The Doctrine of Ethics in American Life: How Can We Reverse it?” Speakers included Arlene Violet and Reverend Francis Winters, S.J. of Georgetown University.

May 7

Justice Assistance Organization honored Richard T. Marquise for outstanding achievement in criminal justice in his relationship and professional conduct and practices

May 21

James C. Colton, treasurer of the College, was awarded an honorary degree of Doctor of Business Administration at the commencement exercises. Also honored with an honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters was Sister Marie Andre, RSM. Sister was a former member of the Board of Trustees.

Sister Eugenia Poulin, RSM, professor of French, was selected by the Rhode Island Heritage Commission to receive the Arthur J. Dandeneau award for dedication and love of French culture and heritage.

May 28

Daniel Ludwig exhibited his recent drawings and paintings at Cadogan Contemporary Gallery in London

June 12-13

Dedication of Munroe Center, computer facility on Wakehurst grounds

June 22 - August 21

For the first time the College hosted the Gordon Research Conference designed to bring together top scientists working in several areas
June 29

Cathedral of St. Peter and Paul marked the 150th anniversary of its founding

August 16

Sister Leona Misto appointed as director of graduate program in directed independent study

September 24

Fortieth anniversary of the College celebrated with special mass at Ochre Court with added festivities in Miley Cafeteria.

Campus has extended to include twenty-two buildings located on sixty-five acres of land; the student body now numbers 2,200 in forty areas of concentration in bachelor's programs and nine in master's programs.

October 22

Eight new faculty members announced as follows: Ms. Barbara Shamblin, assistant professor of art; Dr. Beverly Serabian, professor of human development; Father Patrick Bascio, C.S.S.P., assistant professor of liberal studies; Charlene E. Andrade, lecturer in theatre; Thomas V. Svogun, assistant professor of administration of justice; Frederick E. Lupone, assistant professor of information systems science; Ms. Lori Evangelos Kishner, director of public relations; Mrs. Diane Comerford, director of Campus Ministry.

November 12

Art Department featured an illustrative lecture entitled "Sources of Inspiration" by ceramic artist Val Cushing, professor of pottery at New York State College of Ceramics at Alfred University

December 8

Campaign inauguration for construction of new library to replace McAuley Library

1988

January 29

The seventh annual dance marathon benefited the Newport County Women's Resource Center

February 3 - April 27

Dr. Karen Dobson directed a total parish program in Munroe Center to stimulate dynamic teaching
February 11

Sister Lucille received the Hope Award, the highest tribute given by the Knights of Columbus of Rhode Island in recognition of outstanding service.

February 25-27

The Woman Connection Conference III, entitled “The Emerging Woman,” explored the personal and social transformation of women in the 1980’s.

March 3

John W. Britton was named assistant professor of management; Harold E. Lawber, Jr., lecturer in economics; Roger J. Smith, assistant professor of management.

April 26

The College’s Newport Theatre Company presented the musical comedy Olympus On My Mind.

May 15

At “Brunch with the President” Ellen Scully ’64 received the Outstanding Alumni Award.

June 2

Lynn Sheedy named Athletic Director succeeding Brother Michael Reynolds.

June 6

Barbara A. Sylvia promoted to vice-president of Academic Services.

June 9

Marks death of Dr. Dorothy Troendle, professor in the English Department for twenty-three years, a devoted teacher and a loyal conferee.

June 12 - July 2

Appalachian State University offered an adult learning program in which participants tour Newport and study New England culture and history.
June 20

For the eleventh year the College hosted the Basic Science in Orthopedics under the resident director of the seminar, Dr. Howard Brown

July 11-29

Jay Lacouture, chairman of Art Department since 1981, was elected to a six-year term as president of the National Council on Education for Ceramic Arts. He directed a ceramic workshop featuring a process inspired by a Japanese technique called Ratu.

September 8

The Career Planning and Placement Office introduced a new one-credit course "Career/Life Planning" under the direction of Bernice Whitaker

September 9

Diane Lowe Comerford appointed Dean of Campus Ministry

October 3

Robert Rettew appointed as reference information system librarian of the College

November 10

Sister Sarah Page appointed assistant professor of education; Marguerite M. Sheahan, instructor in nursing; Patricia Lewis, instructor in mathematics

December 20

New library envisioned on Wakehurst grounds in keeping with the Gothic architecture of the surrounding buildings

1989

January 24 - March 14

Workshop on Tuesday evenings from 7:30 p.m. until 10:00 p.m., "The Job for My Life," for anyone in the process of career transition, job re-entry, or career choices, under the direction of Holistic Counseling Department
February 4

Special one-day conference from 9:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. for counselors exploring depression, anxiety, stress, and chronic illness

February 27

Zoning Board of Review unanimously approved the construction of the library

February 27 - March 3

This week set aside as Faculty-Staff Appreciation Week

March 18

Reverend Patrick Bascio named director of graduate program in Liberal Studies

April 2-5

A group of College sophomores organized a group to clean up the Cliff Walk and Morton Park. They also organized a door-to-door campaign to help the poor. They raised $500, half of which will be sent to the National campaign against hunger and the other half to a local soup kitchen.

April 7-9

The College Theatre Department presented *The Miracle Worker* (*Life of Helen Keller*)

April 10

Marks the death of Martin Munroe, a member of the Board of Trustees. He, his wife, and family were instrumental in the development of the technology center now called The Munroe Center.

April 20

The Junior Class dedicated a new dogwood tree on Wakehurst grounds as a memorial to Brian Putney, a classmate who died last year

May 7

At "Brunch with the President" Paul Methot '80 received the Outstanding Alumni Award
May 24

Lynn Sheedy comes to Salve as Athletic Director and Women's Basketball Coach

June 7

The 1989 Brotherhood Awards were presented in the presence of 700 guests at the 37th Brotherhood Award Dinner of the National Conference of Christians and Jews. Honored at the dinner were Sister Lucille McKillop for her leadership during her fifteen years as president and James R. Winaker, president of B.B. Greenberg Co., for his distinguished record of community service in civic and charitable activities.

June 12

Marks the death of Sister Mary Audrey O'Donnell, RSM, Dean of Admissions and member of Administrative Council

July 30

The Gordon Research Conference Series offers the first of a series of scientific meetings to last through the summer

August 8

Maurice E. Halladay appointed director of Graduate Information Systems Science Program

September 1

Mary E. Byrd appointed assistant professor of nursing; Ann E. Moore appointed instructor

September 15

Sister Eleanor Little, RSM appointed Archivist to succeed Sister Mary Smith, RSM

October 11

After celebration of Mass and a musical interlude by the College chorus, Bishop Louis E. Gelineau blessed the site of the new library

October 17

Patrick Farrell '88 received the Gold Medal Award for his outstanding performance in the biannual examination for certified public accountants
November 8

The first shovelfuls of ground were lifted, making way for the new College Library

1990

February 23-24

The eighth annual Dance Marathon raised a total of $8,000 for Lucy’s Hearth, a shelter for homeless women and their children

February 26

The College has added to the curriculum a European Studies program based in Ireland with added opportunity to study in England, Italy, France, and Spain

March 27

Marks the death of James L. Maher, a former member of the Board of Trustees, who established the first group home for mentally retarded in Rhode Island

March 14-28

The College sponsored three programs as part of Irish Heritage Month. March 14 - Joseph Glynn, *Irish Genealogy*; March 16 - The Moonlight Theatre Group, a reading of the works of William Butler Yeats and Padraic Pearse; March 28 the film *Irish Feminism*.

April 9

Sponsored by the Graduate Management Lecture Series, Senator Claiborne Pell focused his remarks on the European Community of 1992

April 12

By the unanimous vote of the Faculty Senate, the College faculty recommended that Salve Regina be designated a University. This request was accepted by the administration and authorized by the Board of Trustees.

April 28

In O’Hare Academic Center holistic counselors from the New England area attended a conference which considered forming a New England Holistic Counselors Association