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EIGHTH ANNUAL SALVE REGINA COLLEGE GOVERNOR'S BALL A SUCCESS!

On December 1, Ochre Court, festively lighted and decorated with garlands, was the site for 400 guests of the College who enjoyed an evening of convivial conversation and celebration at the Eighth Annual Salve Regina College Governor's Ball.

Dancing in the Great Hall continued throughout the evening, interrupted with a cheerful performance by the Madrigal Singers. Centerpieces of balsam, birch bough and fruit surrounding candles, graced the tables while a variety of stuffed game birds and birds of prey lent authenticity to the medieval theme.

Governor J. Joseph Garrahy was given a Salve ring by Sister Lucille. The Governor is an honorary degree recipient of the College and he and Mrs. Garrahy have hosted each one of the eight balls.

The social and financial success of this gala event was testimony to the fact that the members of the College community continue to create masterpieces by working well together. A sincere thank you from Sister Therese Antone and the staff of the Office for Institutional Advancement for your support of this important annual event. It was a tremendous success. Everyone should be proud of a job well done.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

IMPORTANT ALERT FOR GRADUATES OF '85

Did you know that the annual Police Parade will be held on the same day as Commencement '85 (May 19th)? Traffic will be extremely heavy and hotels will be booked early. You will need to make reservations for your Commencement guests as early as possible. It is also important that you provide your guests with alternate routes to the campus.

The following hotels in the area have booked rooms (pending formal reservation) for the weekend of May 17-19, 1985 for Salve Regina College guests:

Easton's Inn On The Beach
30 Wave Avenue
Middletown (401-846-0310)

Sea View Motel
Aquidneck Avenue
Middletown (401-847-0110)

Finnegan's Inn At Shadow Lawn
120 Miantonomi Avenue
Middletown (401-847-0902)

Sea Whale Motel
150 Aquidneck Avenue
Middletown (401-846-7071)

Founders Brook Motel
Boyds Land/P.O. Box 31
Portsmouth (401-683-1244)

The Intowne
6 Mary Street
Newport (401-846-9200)

Harborside Inn
Christie's Landing
Newport (401-846-6600)

The Viking Hotel-Motel Inn
1 Bellevue Avenue
Newport (401-847-3300)

Newport Motor Inn
936 West Main Road
Middletown (800-556-6464)

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MOST SUCCESSFUL UNITED WAY CAMPAIGN



Dr. William Burrell, Chairman for the 1984 College United Way Campaign, announced that the Campaign raised \$8,327.15, an increase of 4.8% over last year. This year is the first time the Campaign total exceeded eight thousand dollars. He attributes this success to the support of each of the 223 contributors on the College staff, faculty and administration, and especially the 33 solicitors and Karen Johnson, Assistant Campaign Chairperson. All donors have received a card of appreciation from Sister Lucille.

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SRC SAILING CLUB

The SRC Sailing Club held its first sailboard race on Sunday, November 18 at Fort Adams in Newport. Five sailors participated in three races. Final standings were: 1st place - Greg Hunter; 2nd place - Steven Thomas; 3rd place - Lisa Brown; 4th place - Megan Prior; 5th place - Paul Bulgar.

Island Windsurfing provided the boards for the event. Another SRC Sailing Club race is scheduled for next May.

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COLLEGE ACTIVITIES INFORMATION DESK

The College Activities Information Desk in O'Hare can be used by any of the College organizations and must be reserved through the Office of College Activities. The group or organization requesting to use the desk must submit their request in writing or by speaking directly to the Director of College Activities. This letter should contain the name of the organization, what the desk is needed for, person responsible, contact person, dates and times.

After the request has been submitted and approved the group will receive a letter from the Director of College Activities. This letter must be kept with the organization's representative at all times while at the desk.

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FACULTY NEWS

Dr. Jack Childs, Professor of Human Development, spoke to the Network on Aging on Wednesday, November 28. His topic was "Holistic Ideas as Applied to the Elderly." Dr. Patricia Murray, Professor of Sociology, is Chairperson of the Network.

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Dr. Patricia Murray addressed a Hospice training group on Monday, December 3. Her topic was "Loss and Grief in the Elderly."

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Sister Arlene Woods of the Art Department has accepted membership on the Diocese of Providence's Council of Religious. She will be representing the Sisters of Mercy.

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FACULTY NEWS

Dr. Ascanio DiPippo recently participated in a seminar at M.I.T. on "The Production of Chemicals: Chemistry vs. Biology."

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The Mathematics Department at Salve Regina is considering the preparation of an outline for a prospective course in discrete mathematics. To enhance the department's research, two department faculty, Sister Leona Misto and Sister Madeleine Gregoire, recently participated in a conference devoted to discrete mathematics and the recommendation to restructure the core curriculum for mathematics majors to include such a course in the first year of the program. The conference was sponsored by the New England region of the Mathematical Association of America.

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Dr. Mary Louise Greeley recently attended a Life Science Seminar Program held at Brown University on "New, Innovative Strategies for the Analysis and Purification of Biologically Active Molecules by High Pressure Liquid Chromatography (HPLC)." The seminar agenda included such Biotechnology areas as (1) sample preparation and chromatographic isolation of monoclonal antibodies, (2) high resolution isolations of peptides and proteins, and (3) analysis of immunosuppressive polypeptides.

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Sister Mauricita Stapleton, Library Director, and Judith A. Gifford, Serials Librarian, recently attended the Fall Conference of the New England Chapter of the Association of College and Research Libraries at Holy Cross. The conference topic: "Politics and the Workplace: Changes in Education, Changes in Our Jobs," was addressed by speakers from the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities, Tulane University, University of New Hampshire and the University of Connecticut.

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Judith A. Gifford recently attended the Fall Lecture Series of the New England Historic and Geneological Society. Held on seven consecutive Saturday mornings at the Society's Boston headquarters, this year's topics included geneological contact between New England and Canada, between New England and the South; migration patterns; descendants of the Pilgrims; and specific areas such as the Connecticut Valley, R.I. and the Islands, and Long Island and the Hudson River Valley. Attendees were also afforded access to the Society's research library and encouraged to seek the staff's assistance with individual geneological research problems.

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Deadline for next Newsbulletin: Friday, January 18th at 11:30 a.m.
We wish all of you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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