G20 Leadership Summit Turns to Chaos

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CONTRIBUTING WRITER

Last week leaders from the most influential countries in the world descended on London for the G20 Leaders Summit, including representatives from Germany, China, Russia, Japan, France, and of course the US and the UK. The Group of 20 Finance Ministers and Central Bank Governors met on March 14 in the UK for preliminary discussions, but that was groundwork for the big guns to hash out on April 2.

The official website of this year’s summit, www.g20.org, characterizes the event as an “informal forum” to develop constructive solutions to key global financial issues, where nothing is put to vote, and everyone’s opinion is taken into consideration for the sake of cooperative problem solving. However the day before the leaders were to assemble, thousands of protesters invaded several areas of London to add their voices to the proceedings.

The most controversial protest gathering happened a mere ten minutes away from the summit. It started in Trafalgar Square, where members of a real world law enforcement organization fighting global poverty to gather a number of points. At the end of the week’s challenges, the event organizer announced that Sigma Tau and Theta Phi Alpha took the lead with 45 points.

The theme of this year’s Greek Week was “Let’s Go to the Movies”! Several of the events showcased this theme, including the Talent Show and T-shirt Contest, by incorporating characters, images and taglines from a variety of films.

First, second and third places were scored respectively as five points, three points, and one point. However, certain events that received the highest scores were listed as “double point events.”

T-shirt Contest on Monday from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the Rebecca Stafford Student Center. The costume and creativity with the most original T-shirts were Sigma Tau Gamma and Theta Phi Alpha.

The Talent Show also took place on Monday at 10:15 p.m. in Pollak Theatre to showcase a mix of performances from the University of Monmouth and sororities on campus. Theta Xi landed first place with 108 points, while Alpha Sigma Tau won for the sororities with 128 points.

Athletic events were also included during Greek Week. On Tuesday night at 10:15 p.m. in the Boylan Gym, there were three basketball challenges: Find Shot, 1-Point Shot, and 3-on-3 Basketball. Theta Xi and Theta Phi Alpha took the lead for Find Shot, while Sigma Pi and Alpha Xi Delta were the winners for the 3-Point Shot. Theta Xi and Alpha Sigma Tau took first place for 3-on-3 Basketball.

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Woodie Guthrie Tribute Held in Pollak

member in WWII, Guthrie rallied troops with songs against Hitler, political protest, and activism trying to strengthen the communist party and opposing fascism. His music was used in a documentary eventually died from thirty years prior. He left his family and went to Coney Island, NY. He developed Huntington’s disease, a rare hereditary degenerative nerve disorder that his mother had previously developed. Guthrie's daughter Nora runs the archives of over 3000 written songs but only 70 or 80 have actually been recorded, including the widely known "This Land is Your Land." Artists such as Kris Kristofferson, Pete Seeger, and Guy Clark have added to this two CD project.

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Folk singer Woody Guthrie, film project in Oregon but as he traveled back to NYC, the traveling took a toll on his family and he lost his marriage with his first wife. Guthrie’s archives say that back in NYC he courted a dancer Majorie Mazia and married her. Her political values closely matched those of Guthrie and after the war in 1946, they moved to Coney Island, NY. He developed Huntington’s disease, a rare hereditary degenerative nerve disorder that his mother had been institutionalized for and photographed in the early days of his career.

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Murmurs among the crowd while leaving the presentation were, “I’m surprised how many Woody songs I know. It’s a part of our fabric though, and we learn something new every day.”

Jordan Ulric, a senior, heard of the performance through e-mail. “I wanted to come because his music inspired Bob Dylan and wanted to hear more. The impression I get of Woody is a genuine love for people on a basic every day level.”

Cassie Yerves, a senior at a Communication high school in Wall. She said, ‘My dad likes country so I wanted to come check it out; and it’s been amazing. The performance truly moved me.’

LaFave said, “Guthrie really brought to his disease which wasn’t widely known at that time. Also, it’s amazing how the work he left behind still interests and affects people today, of the times now if Woody was alive, he would keep preaching the same things he did back then.”

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Woody Guthrie died on October 3, 1967 of the disease at the age of 55. Guthrie has inspired singers Bruce Springsteen and Bob Dylan as well as writer John Steinbeck, some of who visited him in the hospital. Steinbeck said, “Woody is just Woody. Thousands of people do not know he has any other name. He is just a voice and a guitar. He sings the songs of a people and I suspect that, he is, in a way, a peacenik, Harsh voiced and nasal, his guitar hanging like a tire iron on a rusty rim, there is nothing sweet about Woody, and there is nothing sweet about Woody Guthrie, he would keep preaching the same things he did back then.”

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Woody Guthrie is the first multi-million dollar man who truly captured his era. At Woodyguthrie.org, all of his archives and lyrics can be found. Guthrie’s daughter Nora runs the archives of over 3000 written songs but only 70 or 80 have actually been recorded, including the widely known “This Land is Your Land.” Artists such as Kris Kristofferson, Pete Seeger, and Guy Clark have added to this two CD project.

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Pre-Law Honors Fraternity Meets With Law Firm Partner

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Phi Alpha Delta, Monmouth’s Pre-Law Honors Fraternity, met March 30 to learn tips for pursuing a career in law from Patrick McNamara, a partner at Scarinci Hollenbeck.

McNamara spoke to the students about standardized tests, law schools, and what to expect from a legal career. McNamara told the students about his experiences and the way that law has recently been evolving.

“...The amount of competition you have out there is dramatically different,” he said.

The amount of technology used now has opened new doors in the law profession. “Internet law is literally being written as we speak,” McNamara said.

Choosing a law school was a different experience and the way that law has recently been evolving. McNamara said.

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Being self-disciplined will get students far when practicing law.

McNamara, who has been a partner in his law firm since 1999, stated: “Expect 40-50 hour work weeks. In a private practice, I have worked 90 hour work weeks.”

Long work weeks are not the only time management challenge students will face when pursuing a career in law.

A career in law also includes, “...producing quality work in a timely manner. You will learn quickly what deadlines mean,” said McNamara.

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SGA Presidential Candidates

Natalie Rambone

Someone who is energetic, enthusiastic, and experienced is me. My name is Natalie Rambone and I am running for Student Government President for the 2009/2010 school year.

I have been a member of SGA for the past three years, and have held numerous positions on the senate, including Senator at large, Sophomore Senator, and Junior Senator. I am currently the Events Programming Chair and a member of the executive board I helped run homecoming last fall and I am currently planning spring fest and next year’s homecoming. Besides being a member of SGA, I was also a Water Ball Chair for EPA this past year and the Resident Assistant of Spruce Hall.

I think that SGA is a strong organization at Monmouth which can provide more to the students on campus. I have what it takes to drive SGA forward as next year’s President. I know what the job entails and since I live on campus and am very involved, I know what students want. If you vote for me, I will make next year a great year for SGA and for you.

My first goal is to make Monmouth a home away from home. I want to make SGA’s current events, such as the Big Event and Homecoming, bigger and better. I want to work with other clubs and residential life to provide students with more events to attend on the weekends, such as pep rallies, which will promote school spirit and unity on campus. I want you, Monmouth University students, to feel the same excitement about our school that other students from bigger schools feel about theirs.

My second goal is to be a voice for the students. I want to address the concerns you have and to implement change. One issue I would address would be your concern regarding the dining hall. I want to work with Vice President Nagy and ARAMAUK regarding dining hall hours and to work towards offering healthier menu options. I want to work with administrators to get Monmouth to offer more to the students academically, such as adding more diverse courses for electives, increasing course availability (times and sections offered), and providing a wider range of languages available. I also want to work with the health center about hours of operation, especially on the weekends.

Change starts with your voice being heard and me as SGA President to get things done.

Mary MacDonnell

Dear Fellow Students,

After completing three years as a Senator of the Monmouth University Student Government Association I am looking forward to the year ahead in hopes that I will be your next SGA President. As President, I, along with my running mate Beokie Turner, have set goals for the upcoming year.

The first of these goals is to create opportunities that bring all aspects of campus life together. Although, Beokie and I have both been senators on SGA since our freshman year, we are from very diverse areas of campus. An important aspect of this team is the joining of residential and Greek life and it will be an important part of our leadership philosophy. There are opportunities to better incorporate commuter, athletes, fraternity and sorority members, residents and all Monmouth students and we pledge to pursue those opportunities and support each group in all other ways possible.

This leads to our next goal of raising school spirit and pride on campus. Over the past few years SGA has been looking to change the “vibe” of school spirit on campus. Beokie and I plan to take this to a new level and ensure that school spirit is felt throughout the campus, and within the community.

Fostering a stronger Monmouth presence in the community is the third goal of our team. Since a majority of Monmouth students live off-campus and help support local businesses, it is our ambition to gain respect and appreciation in these towns.

My past leadership experience at Monmouth has taught me the importance of strong leadership and the value of strong relationships. As SGA President, I have served on the executive board for two years as Attorney General and currently as Treasurer. I have also been the general members’ chairperson and chairperson of internal affairs. Outside of SGA, I serve as Vice President of EPA where I help organize the battle of the buildings each year. I also served as the Student Representative to the board of Trustees. I am looking forward to the year ahead and hope you are too.

In closing, I am asking for your vote so you can help me Move Monmouth Forward.

Mary MacDonnell

SGA Vice-Presidential Candidate

Beckie Turner

Dear Classmates,

As a member of the Monmouth University Student Government Association for the past three years, it is an honor to be the next Vice President. I have been very active at Monmouth, previously holding the position of Vice President of Phi Sigma Sigma as well as having the privilege to serve as Greek Senate President.

Along with my running mate, Mary MacDonnell, we have outlined three main goals for the 2009-2010 school year. The first of these goals would be to bring all types of students together. I am sure many students feel as though commuters, residents, fraternity and sorority members, and the athletes are all separate entities. We would like to bridge the gap between students to create a truly unified student body. Our second goal is raising school spirit on campus. Monmouth University has very talented athletes and encouraging support for them would help all students feel more greatly tied into campus life. Lastly, we want to create a stronger Monmouth University presence in the local community. The students of Monmouth have so much to offer. We would like to reach out to members of the community in order to make Monmouth County the best that it can be.

I have grown and developed essential leadership skills while at Monmouth and as a result truly feel that I can use all that I have learned to give back to the students, faculty, and administration in order to help move Monmouth Move Forward. For more information, please visit MovingMonmouthForward.com. Thank-you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Beckie Turner

SGA Senate Candidates

Senior Senator
Mia Schwerin

Junior Senator
Allison Briscione
Devin Menker
Mallory O’Neil
Andre Renauldo
Kevin Sanders
Bill Taylor
Robin Craig
Brianne Diorio
Justine Veal

Sophomore Senator
Rebecca Bailer
Joey Contreras
DeManuel Edmondson
Michael Hadawy
Stefania Flecca
Nicole Levy
Tina Onikoyi
Jacqueline Paszinski
Melanie Rowbotham
Samantha Schaffer

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Robert Acerra
Kaitlyn Bernaski
Thomas Fagan
Nicholas Grimaldi
DJ McCarthy

Commuter Senator
Keefe Hetzler
Antonio Romero
As the school winds down, I find myself reflecting upon it. There were a lot of things I had hoped to do at the onset of the fall and a lot more goals that developed along the way. I know there are goals that I had set and things that I had wanted to do that never came to fruition. Are these things out of reach? Some yes. That’s the way life is I suppose. I have accomplished a lot of what I set out to do this year, though. This is always a strange time of year for me. Is five months, some of us won’t be returning, some of us will be for the last time, and yet others will be coming for the first time. It’s all just a cycle. Back in the beginning of this year I wrote an editorial on making the most of college. I reiterated, these should be some of the best years of your life and you need to do everything you can to enjoy them and get as much as you can from them. Looking back on this year, I think there are a lot of people who would say that this year was a success for them and there will be a lot who will say the opposite. I think I am somewhere in the middle.

If you are one of the individuals that don’t find this year a success, look forward. Learn from your mistakes, but don’t look back. It’s a hard lesson to learn but an important one as well. Let your failures go. If someone has done you wrong, or vice versa, let bygones be bygones. It might be your last chance to forgive some people before life moves forward and you can’t go back. It’s a hard lesson to learn but an important one as well. Let your failures go. If someone has done you wrong, or vice versa, let bygones be bygones. It might be your last chance to forgive some people before life moves forward and you can’t go back.

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A Commuter’s Nightmare

MU’s growing problem: Parking space availability

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Nightmare. That is the first word that comes into my head when I think about Monmouth University parking. And I am sure it is the same for other students. You can see it in their eyes as they arrive at Monmouth University parking. And I am sure it is the same for other students. You can see it in their eyes as they arrive at Monmouth University parking.

Monmouth University senior and WMCMQ’s representative Activity Center (MAC) junior Clancy views the parking situation as a huge game of musical cars for 15-20 minutes just to park, especially during the summer going into freshman year and before the lot next to the Medical Center was closed off, I had to drop off my insurance information. There were no spots in the Medical Center so I had to park in the spots in the front.

“I hate it.” Holmes makes a valid point. If we don’t have enough parking to the Larchwood Lot, we never had any trouble finding a parking space, but now it has to get done, so do your part!”

In the interview, Swanick said that the University plans to schedule the parking lots for the entire day, so that during events, there will not be any classes, thus getting rid of the problem of no parking. “The whole thing is bull,” said Danielle Orlando, a junior here. “It’s the same thing with housing. If you don’t have enough parking, you can’t make it to class!”

She points out a major and common misconception between the parking situation and the amount of students that aren’t given housing. “The less housing available to students, the more commuters you have. And the more commuters you have, the more people you are going for limited spots in only two commuter parking lots. And this is not limited to just Lot 10 and the Larchwood Lot. Before library parking for commuter students, would anyone want to park at the Larchwood or parking lot and walk all the way? No wonder students risk getting away with this.

We, as students, should vocalize our opinion on the parking and what the new MAC will do to the already congested and hectic and dire situation. If we have a problem as a student body, it’s our right to let the university know that we are extremely unhappy about the parking and it’s the university’s responsibility to listen to us and try to fix it.

If things don’t work out, you might never pay for a class at Monmouth.

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CORRECTIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS

In the article Interning: Not Just Credits for School it was written that “Black Maria” was written by Tara Fantini, not Leslie Weinberg.
leadership Summit Sparks Riots

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Students staged a march to Regent’s Park, where our school is located. There was an incredible amount of graffiti circulating amongst the hangers-on, as well.

Evidence of earlier mayhem showed images not of the smiles and happiness everyone expected to see that evening, but also on the buildings and the banks. But as he spoke those words there were thousands of costumed picketers still wandering the lobby’s screens. Police in riot gear clashed violently with a mob led by a man dressed as a banker, who had used a stick to bash a police officer who had the same idea we did; not just to middle-class them, but also on the buildings. There were environmentalists adorned with colorful flowers, and anti-capitalist protesters, dressed as suited clowns to mock the bankers.

However the scene in the square was anything but a circus. As The City quickly turned ugly, Finlandia University students Vanoe and I watched the drama in front of the Bank of England, standing on the steps of a building with a video camera in hand, trying to study abroad didn’t do so just to sit in a classroom. On one level we were glad we had decided to witness theevolution of a demonstration, and the right to be heard.

What Krista and I initially walked into was a total sensory overload. The atmosphere was charged with a fervor of curiosity, but peaceful spectators. Basically, a bunch of people who had decided to make a noise, and who had the same idea we did; not just to middle-class them, but also on the buildings. There were environmentalists adorned with colorful flowers, and anti-capitalist protesters, dressed as suited clowns to mock the bankers.

However it was difficult to discern any real grievances through all the theater and commotion. There were environmentalists, only one of which recognized the hypocrisy of the mess the group was making and took it upon herself to pick up trash from the streets. But how did their cause apply to the G20 summit? Were they asking for a shift towards democracy? No, they were striving to fix the system. Protest, they seemed to say, is the only puzzle piece that fits, but certainly eradicating the consumer-based economy that sustains the whole world isn’t possible, or more importantly, practical. And even if they’re right, capitalism is killing, a warning from The City, London, and disrupting the daily routine of the honest, hardworking people who live there...and didn’t, their cause any good.

In the end, those protesters and the answers I thought they might. Or if they did, their aim wasn’t to relay this information, but really cause a scene. It’s clear all of the protesters didn’t have the answers we were looking for. There was no way of knowing for sure what the purpose of the G20 summit? Political leaders representing the world’s largest economies were gearing up to discuss the global economic landscape had convened to fix the system. Protest, they seemed to say, was the right to question our government is the life force of democracy. But the world is crying out. Wednesday night there wasn’t democracy in action, it was mindless and destructive inaction.
For the mid-semester break here at Regent’s College, everyone was busy planning their excursions to a multitude of different countries. Some were heading off on a cruise; others had family flying in to visit, or were planning on shopping through Europe. Since a friend from home was planning on visiting me in London for the week, I decided to plan out our week in Paris, France, and Amsterdam, Holland.

After my friend arrived here in London and we spent one day sightseeing around the city, we set off to Paris. There is a great high-speed train, the Eurostar, which runs from London to Paris underneath the English Channel in about 2 ½ hours! So we booked our seats and as easy as it sounds, we were off to one of the greatest cities in the world! We arrived in Paris before we knew it, not knowing where to go or what to see. We ventured down into the Metro (Paris’ subway system) to find that even in French, it is quite easy to navigate around the city. We found ourselves at the Louvre, which is as big as a city block as one can imagine. While getting lost in the museum’s vast interior, we found Leonardo Da Vinci’s “Mona Lisa” painting, and the Venus de Milo, amongst thousands of other works of art.

The next day, we found Paris drenched in sunlight, perfect for a day of touring! I found a bus company that takes you around to all the major sights (just like the double-decker bus tours here in London), and we found ourselves engrossed in the splendour of Paris. It is indeed as romantic and beautiful as people claim it to be. We started the tour at Notre Dame, and walked around inside and then along the beautiful Seine River, drove down the famous Champs Elysees, around the Arc de Triomphe, and over to the Eiffel Tower. I thought we would be prepared for its size. To my excitement and surprise, the tower was literally unbelievable. It is hard to describe its structural beauty in words; one must really come face-to-face to understand. When you first come across it, everyone gasps and points, “there it is!” The height of the tower alone is enough to take your breath away. It stands so proudly in the middle of a park, casting a dark shadow over everything it touches.

The third day of our Paris trip was spent visiting the famous brewery, which should not be missed on a trip here. The buildings were next, we took one of Amsterdam’s famous trams down to Museumplein, which means “Museum Square” in English, and indeed is a large square that is home to four famous museums in the city. I wanted to see the Van Gogh Museum, which also should not be missed if you are interested in his life and work. Luckily for us, the infamous “Amsterdam” sign was sitting in the square, a tourist’s picture dream! We walked around “Damsquare” which lies in the center of the city. Amsterdam is filled with shops and cafes, and is reasonably priced compared to London or Paris.

A trip to Paris would not be complete without seeing the Eiffel Tower. After a whirlwind week in these two incredible places, we took a 45-minute flight (getting around in Europe is ridiculously easy), and were back in London! The break went by much too fast, but the experience was amazing nonetheless. I have hundreds of pictures to remember my experience by, and even more memories. As I am writing this back in London, I cannot wait until I have another chance to go back to Paris or Amsterdam, but London is a dream all of its own. If you are the type of person who wants to see the world, and is reading this filled with jealousy, I would advise you to immediately contact the Study Abroad office! These cities may seem a long way away from Monmouth, but they are only a hop skip and a jump away when you are living here in London. The semester may be half way over unfortunately, but I love every second of it. Whether it is jetting off to faraway lands or exploring what London has to offer (and it is a lot), being here really is a dream come true.
These Therapy Dogs Are Taking Action

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Dogs can be trained to become a therapy or service dog and may help people reduce their stresses of every day life. Therapy dogs are a person’s pet, and the owners decide to go through the training in order to get their dog certified. Lynn Reynolds, faculty member at Monmouth University, who also owns a therapy dog said, “The first step in the class is basic obedience and making sure that the dog can be social with other dogs.”

The hardest part of the training is when the dogs have to understand the command, “leave it.” “This command is necessary so that if pills fall on the floor at a hospital, the dog will not eat them,” said Swartz.

Some dogs go through a good citizen test before they start training. Reynolds said, “The first step in the class is basic obedience and making sure that the dog can be social with other dogs.”

In Morristown, there are a certain amount of dogs each year that are bred to become Seeing Eye dogs. “Each year over 500 puppies go out to raisers. About 250 successfully make it through their training,” said Krestch.

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Banquet Kicks off Global Understanding Week

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whole families and entire communities escape poverty. CARE also helps to improve basic education, prevent the spread of HIV, increase access to clean water and sanitation, expand economic opportunity and protect natural resources. Jung-Rozenfarb gave a Powerpoint presentation on world poverty including statistics, helping private corporations such as the GAP, Levi’s, and Starbucks find ways to work in developing countries that improve local conditions and alleviate, rather than increase, poverty, and explained how the clothing we wear, the jewelry we buy, the technology we use, and the food we eat are all produced in ways that often increase poverty and hunger around the world.

Dr. Rekha Datta, chair of the Department of Political Science and Director of the Institute for Global Understanding, Dr. Nancy Mezey, Associate Professor of the Department of Political Science, and Graduate Assistant Kathleen Laften worked together to organize the event.

The event also received support from Student Services and VP Maryanne Nagy, Tyler Harn, Heather Kelly, the facilities personnel and Aramark.

Because of his past experience and current position with CARE, USA made him an ideal speaker for this event. He is a person who, by applying his education in business, has dedicated his life to working in countries in Africa, Asia, and Latin America, to help eradicate world hunger and poverty,” explained Mezey. Mezey also said, “Mr. Jung-Rozenfarb’s talk was extremely informative and important. The statistics he presented about global hunger and hunger were staggering.”

The proceeds will benefit the MU Global Service Scholars Fund. Optional food donations for St. Vincent de Paul of Long Branch were also welcomed, such as canned goods and items such as pasta and cereal.

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Anyone was welcome to attend this event, even if they were not affiliated with MU. There were students, faculty, and people from around the community. A small group of local high school students attended and even donated money to the cause.

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One of the demonstrations that were held to represent world hunger was three different areas, portraying the lower, middle, and upper class.

The students who sat in the lower class area sat on the floor, the middle class on beanbag chairs, and the upper class on tables. They were all given different types of food representing their “class,” including food such as a small cup of very krispies, while the upper class was given food such as yogurt.

Senior Mark Schechter was involved in this activity, and started “a riot” with confetti-like material, throwing it on the floor along with his small cup of rice krispies showing his reaction to not getting the food the upper class was given.

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“On a Sunday afternoon, to have well over 100 people at the event, speaks to the importance of understanding hunger, poverty, and global inequalities. The Hunger Banquet is an interactive and exemplary way to learn about such inequalities and I was very proud of the students who made this event possible,” said Mezey.

Political Science major Miles Vidriero was given an award during the banquet for his future service going into the Peace Corps, once he graduates in May.

Datta added, “I thank everyone who attended, contributed, and supported in various ways - without them, the program would not have been possible. Makes me proud of our students; I am so thankful to know them and work with them. Thank you!”

This event is just the beginning of many that will occur on campus throughout the week. To find out about other global understanding events, go to http://www.mum.edu/institute_global_understanding.

All students are invited to attend future events and visit the IGU located in Hey Hall, room 101A.

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The women spend their money on materialistic items, dine out regularly, and get involved in catty “high school” drama which is atypical of 40+ year old women. We’ve said goodbye to The Sopranos and are opening our gates to a select few bands while their husbands make their millions. We’ve seen them parade around the O.C. with their bleach blonde hair, gallivant around NYC as bo-tixed cougars, and show us how to get down in the ATL. Now Bravo TV is coming out with their newest installment of their reality show series The Real Housewives in our very own neck of the woods, New Jersey. For those of you unfamiliar with this series, cameras follow the lives of women all of whom have an exorbitant amount of money. Most can credit their riches to their husbands while a select few use their own labors.

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Housewives fear that the show may portray them in a poor light and continue The Sopranos stereotype that Jersey natives can graciously thank HBO for. It’s only a matter of time before these five cougars make their television debut and put New Jersey back on the map. You can get a head start by visiting jezbel.com to preview two short clips from the upcoming series. And be sure to tune in when The Real Housewives of New York premiere on Bravo TV.

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The now inactive surfboard in the corner of the room was like an extra appendage to him. Rain or shine, even flood or snow, he would be out riding the waves of the Jersey shore. However, the board was reduced to WoW, the sand and surf were soon forgotten; along with the ready on the keyboard as he mouthed the countdown on the screen. Finally, the time comes. It's about to go down." Aric yells, "The gates are opening!" "I'll hear him screaming until I'm in the morning." Allie explained. "He'll just be screaming at the other people through that head-set."

Many players can go to battle in two ways, one is Player Vs. Player. Sometimes he’ll skip an entire day of eating because he’s in battle all day. "I’m about to die...oh man...I just died, now I have to wait to be resurrected," Aric mumbles, clearly unable to hear Allie over the quick, simultaneous clicking of the keyboard and mouse. "He has also called out of work to play," Allie says. "And don’t try to deny it," she warns him.

"It's a real thing. You used to go into battle in a Capture the Flag," Aric says. "It is very involved. It is very financial, mentally, and financially." Aric explained. "If you wanted to sit and walk across the entire thing, it would actually take 2 days sitting in front of the computer." Aric explained, "I’ve used my time, something simple, like eating dinner or going to grab a drink with friends can take up to two hours," Aric says. In fact, characters can basically do almost anything that a real-life person can do, including eat dinner, or have a few drinks at the bar (which does involve a sobering-up stage). They can even blow kisses, yell at, whisper to, or

At first, he does try, but after a brief thought, he replies, "Okay, maybe a few times." He is a technician for Comcast. He has still not taken his intention look off of his knight galloping across the terrain of "Azaroth" on his horse, one of the many settings WoW contains. Aric explained, "If you walk across the entire thing, it would actually take 2 days sitting in front of the computer." Azaroth is not the only country that houses the thousands of WoW gamers. There is actually an entire world that players can explore, continents and all. Players can view this world on a map and choose where they’d like to be located such as the countryside, a city, etc.

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Not all come for free, however. Aside from the software, which starts at around $20, it is $12 per month to stay in the game. After finally passing the game, Aric takes a second to reiterate, "It is very involved. It is financially, mentally, and physically involved." "You know you can go to rehab for game addiction," Allie warns in a half-joking manner. "It's a real thing. You used to grab your surfboard and go to the beach. At least I can join you there." To that, Aric finally glances at his lonely surfboard and says, "You're right, I'm going to start surfing again this summer." As he turns his eyes to the animated World of Warcraft, though, he knows that Zehk must still be anxiously awaiting many other adventures.

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**Compiled by: Sarah Alyse Jamieson**

**April 8, 2009**

**Viewpoint**

**Class of 2012**

**Anthony sophomore**

“It’s not really affecting me personally, but I see people struggling with expenses.”

**Alyson sophomore**

“I’m not really being affected, but I see people struggling with expenses.”

**Alison junior**

“My parents are having trouble paying my tuition.”

**Ryan freshman**

“My best friend’s dad got laid off because of it.”

**Miles senior**

“I don’t think that anyone is being affected; it’s one big massive hoax.”

**Roxy freshman**

“Most of my friends cannot find work.”

**Alex freshman**

“I go tanning less now, so I will need to go to the beach during the summer.”

**Ryan sophomore**

“I’ve had to cut back on my spending.”

**Rebecca freshman**

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**Katie freshman**

“My mom lost her job, and she cannot find a new one.”

**Alyson sophomore**

“Study Abroad in China and 2008 Olympics • 2:15-3:45 pm • Turrell Board Rm, Bey Hall”

**Alison junior**

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**Arts & Crafts Supply Drive to benefit Amanda’s Easel**

**Monday, April 6 - Friday, April 10**

Drop-off collection boxes In Wilson Annex & the Writing Center. Items needed include colored pencils, markers, photo albums, scrapbooks, canvases, and gift cards to Michael’s, A.C. Moore, Target, and Toys ‘R’ Us.

**Campus Events**

**Wednesday, April 8**

- **Labyrinth Walk** • 12-4PM • RSSC Patio • Rain Site: Anacon A
- **Migration Outsourcing, the Making of Modern India** • 1-2:15PM • Club 107-109
- **STE Student Research Conference** • 2PM • Wilson Softball vs. Manhattan • 3PM • Softball Field
- **Lacewise vs. Rutgers** • 4PM • Kessler
- **Transcending Differences: A Historical and Comparative Perspective** • 10-11:15 am • Wilson Aud.
- **Social, Economic, & Environmental Implications of Vessel Scraping in Bangladesh** • 10-11:15 am • Club 107-108
- **Women Today: Different Cultures, Different Roles in Society** • 11:30-12:15 pm • BH222
- **Transnational India: Migration, Outsourcing, and the Making of Modern India** • 1-2:15 pm • Club 107-108
- **Kosovo: Past, Present and Future** • 1-2:15 pm • Wilson Aud.
- **Cultural Encounters and Transformation through Film** • 2-1:55 pm • MH 19
- **Global Education in NJ: Transcending the Campus, Transforming Lives** • 1:15-2:15 pm • Library
- **Book signing 6-6:30 pm**
- **The Call To Appalachia: A Personal Experience of Service** • 4:30-6:30 pm • Anacon

**Thursday, April 9**

- **Transcending Borders, Transforming Futures: Asia in a Globalized World** • 10-11:15 am • BH 222
- **Language as a uniting Moment Between Cultural Differences** • 10-11:15 am • MH13
- **Gender and Sexual Identities Around the World** • 11:30-12:45 pm • BH 227
- **Economic Crisis, Opportunity for Global Understanding or Misunderstanding?** • 1-2:15 pm • MH 125
- **Convention Plenary Speaker: David Sanger** • 1-2:15 pm • Wilson Aud.
- **The Inheritance: Transcending Our Differences, Transforming the World**
- **Journalism and Popular Culture in the Context of Global Understanding** • 2:30-3:45 pm • Plangere 234
- **Beyond Prison: Transcending Our Differences, Building Communities** • 6-7:15 pm • Anacon

**Friday, April 10**

- **Wii Bowling Tournament** • 7PM • Underground
- **Senior Art Exhibition: Design Work** • 4-10-4:17 • Opening Reception: 7PM • Ice House

**Saturday, April 11**

- **Lacrosse vs. Sacred Heart** • 12PM • Kessler

**Monday, April 13**

- **Summer Housing Applications are due to Residential Life**

**Wednesday, April 15**

- **Club & Department Photos** • Wilson
- **Student Employee Appreciation Day** • 11:00 – 4:00 pm • Student Center
- **Spring Career Day** • 12:30-4PM • Anacon
- **Verdict Concert** • 2:30 – 4:30 pm • Plangere 234
- **Baseball vs. St. Peter’s** • 3:30PM • Baseball Field
- **Film: Rain Man** • 7:00PM • Wilson 104
- **Afikoman Hunt** • Sundown • Magill Club Dining Room
- **Spoken Word: Carlos Robson** • 8pm • Underground

**Tickets on sale now at the Information Desk in the Student Center**

**Plain White T’s**

**April 30th, Pollak Theatre**

**Doors open @ 7:30 pm, Concert starts @ 8 pm**

**M.U. Students**

- **$10**

**M.U. Student Guest**

- **$20**

Limit one guest per M.U. Student

To have your campus-wide events included, send an e-mail to hkelley@monmouth.edu.
TUESDAY, MAY 12

BAR A: $15
Spend time with friends, relax and enjoy!
This includes your cover charge and an all you can eat barbeque from 5pm-12 am. Shuttles to Bar A leave from the Student Center parking lot starting at 8 pm. The last shuttle home is at 1:15 am. Shuttles hold 19 passengers each, so plan your return home accordingly.
Bar A will ID at the door.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 13

NYC TRIP: $12
Come and enjoy the sights and sounds of New York City!
This includes your transportation to and from NYC with a top to things to do guide provided by the Senior Class Officers.
The bus for NYC will be leaving at 11 am from the Student Center parking lot and will be departing from NYC back to Monmouth at 8 pm.
Under 21 allowed.

SATURDAY, MAY 16

SENIOR RECEPTION
Come for a FREE Semi-Formal Event hosted by the President and Mrs. Gaffney!
This event is going to be held at the Doherty House from 6 pm - 8 pm. If a rain site is needed you will be notified.
Space is limited, so pre-registration is required for this event at the Office of Student Activities.
No guests are allowed, because space is limited.

TUESDAY, MAY 20

GRADUATION DAY
PNC BANK ART CENTER
Congratulations graduates!
Thank you so much for making Monmouth a part of your memories!
We hope you enjoy your Senior Week!
-Officers of Senior Class 2009-
Amanda Klaus, President
Veronique Blotev, Vice President
Susan Thomas, Secretary
Victoria Lurdo, Treasurer
Any questions, please call the Office of Student Activities (732) 571-3586.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17

A DAY AT THE RACES: $30
Let's go to Monmouth Racetrack!
This includes your admission fee to see the horse race and a barbeque picnic from 12 pm - 2:30pm. Shuttles to Monmouth Racetrack leave from the Student Center parking lot starting at 11 am and will return to Monmouth at 4:30 pm.
This event will take place rain or shine.
Space is limited.

THURSDAY, MAY 14

BOWLING DAY: $10
Let's be kids again!
This includes your transportation to and from Memory Lanes. Also this includes your bowling shoes, unlimited soda and one pizza pie per lane. Each lane can hold 5 bowlers. The bus for an evening of bowling will be leaving the Student Center parking lot at 5 pm and will be departing, come back to Monmouth at 7:30pm.
Under 21 allowed.

FRIDAY, MAY 15

ATLANTIC CITY CASINO TRIP: $15
Spend 6 hours in Atlantic City!
This includes your transportation to and from Atlantic City. The two buses will be leaving at 2 pm from the Student Center parking lot and will be in Atlantic City for 6 hours.
This also includes $20 coin token to The Trump Plaza Casino, near The Walk.
Must be 21 years of age.

SUNDAY, MAY 17

MR. CS SEMI-FORMAL DINNER: $25
Please join in a classy dinner and dancing event at Mr. Cs Beach Bistro!
This includes an elegant buffet dinner and your transportation to and from dinner. Shut-tles will be leaving at 5:30 pm from the Student Center parking lot and will be departing from dinner back to Monmouth at 10 pm.
No guest's allowed, because space is limited.
Bartenders will ID.

MONDAY, MAY 18

TUESDAY, MAY 19

JACK'S
Spend one last night at the popular Jack's, where everybody knows your name!
This includes your FREE transportation to and from Jack's. Shuttles to Jack's leave from the Student Center parking lot starting at 9 pm.
The last shuttle home is at 11:45 pm.
Shuttles hold 15 passengers each, so plan your return home accordingly.
Jack's will ID at the door.

TICKETS FOR SENIOR WEEK 2009 WILL BE SOLD APRIL 7 - APRIL 27
AT THE OFFICE OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES, LOCATED ON THE 2ND FLOOR OF THE STUDENT CENTER.
ONLY GRADUATING SENIORS MAY BUY TICKETS THROUGH APRIL 16 UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
TICKETS FOR SENIOR WEEK ARE NON-REFUNDABLE AND CAN BE PURCHASED WITH CASH/CHECK.
TICKET PURCHASERS MUST SHOW PROPER ID.
ALL TICKET PURCHASERS MUST BE 21 OR OLDER TO ATTEND, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
ONE GUEST PER STUDENT ID, UNLESS NOTED OTHERWISE.
ONLY GRADUATING SENIORS MAY STAY IN THE RESIDENCE HALLS DURING SENIOR WEEK.
Hey Pep Band!

Our next rehearsal is Thursday, April 9 at 7:00 PM on the 3rd floor of the student center. On Wednesday, April 8th we will have our Student Employee Appreciation Day at 2:15 PM and meet at 2:00 PM to set up. We will perform for the campus on the steps of the Student Center as an opener for the band, Verdict! Anyone playing will receive gift certificates to local food outlets as well as a gift card each day. Two $50.00 cards will be awarded! The Relay for Life is coming up on Friday, April 17th. Even if you are not participating in Relay for Life with our team, we will be performing around 6:30 - 7:00 PM. Contact our team captain, Heather Marte for details on joining and donating. Drummers are invited to perform Tuesday, April 14th in the evening in the student dining hall and on the dorm side of campus. Let Aimee know if you’re interested. Also let Aimee know if you intend to participate in our Six Flags trip. As always, we are excited with the opportunity to recruit new members; if you or anyone else is interested in joining, please stop by at any of our rehearsals or performances!

STUDENT ACTIVITIES BOARD

The Student Activities Board Presents: Plain White T’s with special guests in concert on Thursday, April 30th 2009. The concert will take place in Pollak Theatre, with reserved seating only. Tickets go on sale Wednesday April 1st at 1:30pm at the Information Desk in The Student Center for full/part time graduate and undergraduate students only. Tickets are $10 for students, $20 for guests (limit 1 guest per Monmouth ID). Personal checks and cash only please. Want to get involved in bringing events like Jesse Ruben, Plain White T’s and other performers to campus? Come to the SAB meeting Thursday at 4 pm, 3rd floor of the Student Center in the Carol Afflito conference room. If you have a 4:30 class that’s fine, many of our current members have 4:30s and to get to class in time. Also, executive board applications are due Friday March 27th by 4 pm in the Student Activities Office. You can pick up applications and learn more about the various positions there or in the SAB office on the 3rd floor of the Student Center. No experience necessary, everyone is welcome. Questions or concerns? Contact The Student Activities Board by phone at 732-923-4704 or email sab@sab@monmouth.edu.

CLUB PHOTOS

Every year, the Shadows Yearbook takes the opportunity to provide the ability for clubs to have group photos taken for the annual yearbook. The appointments are every 10 minutes throughout the day. There will be no other scheduled photo date. Times are Wednesday, April 1st, 10:00 AM-2PM and 1:10 PM-2:10 PM. On Wednesday, April 15th from 10:00 AM-2PM. If you would like to schedule a group photo, please reply to Heather Kelly (Shadows Yearbook Advisor) to schedule an appointment by calling 732-571-3586, e-mail lkleary@monmouth.edu , or stop by the Office of Student Activities. Appointments are first-come, first-serve. Scheduled photos will be taken at Wilson Hall outside at the Eilgarden Gardens. Should the weather not cooperate, the rainsite is the grand staircase in Wilson Hall on the main floor.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

As the weather is getting warmer, Habitat for Humanity hopes to get involved with at least one build before the semester ends. It has been hard finding projects around the community lately, but we have been in contact with other Habitat branches around Monmouth County. We have volunteered at the Habitat ReStore in the past, and plan to do it again before the semester ends. The Habitat ReStore is a store where they accept used furniture, books, kitchenware, and other home goods and sell them at a cheaper price to raise money for building supplies. Our club also hopes to volunteer with a project called A Brush of Kindness, along with a new house that will be built in the Neptune/Asbury Park area. If anyone is interested in joining, it is never too late. President Marina Wagner and Vice President Paige Sodano will be graduating in May and are looking for two people to take over. If you are interested, please e-mail habitat@monmouth.edu or find us on Facebook at Habitat for Humanity @ Monmouth. We apologize for the lack of activity that has been going on with the club, but please feel free to contact us with any ideas or people you know around the area that need help. It doesn’t matter if it’s not a build – our organization is always willing to help anyone in need, especially with the economic state we are in today. Thank you and hope to hear from you soon!

Mass

Wednesdays and Sundays 7 pm at the C.C.

Daily Mass

Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays at 12 pm in Wilson Hall chapel (downstairs)

Eucharistic Adoration

Mondays from 7:30-8:30 pm and Thursdays from 1-2 pm

Rosary Mondays at 8:30 pm

Women’s Bible Study Wednesdays at 2:30 pm

Bible Study Wednesday at 7:30 pm

Soup Kitchen Volunteering

Third Saturday of every month - Meet at the Catholic Ctr. at 10:30 am to carpool

Craft Night Tuesday, April 7 at 7:30 pm

Tenebrae Service Wednesday, April 8 at 8 pm

Holy Thursday Service

Thursday, April 9 at 7:30 pm

Good Friday Service

Friday, April 10 at 12 noon in Wilson Hall Chapel

Java Talks with Fr. Carl Frisch (Topic: Discernment)

Tuesday, April 21 at 7:30 pm in Java City Cafe (Coffee is on us!)

Catholic Centre at Monmouth University
16 Beechwood Avenue

2:30 pm

Gate to our house is in the rear corner of Lot 4, next to the Health Center.
All are welcome! FOOD ALWAYS SERVED!

www.mucatholic.org

ATTENTION CLUB AND GREEKS!!! GOT ANY NEWS ABOUT YOUR ORGANIZATION THAT YOU WANT TO SHARE WITH THE REST OF CAMPUS? EMAIL OUTLOOK@MONMOUTH.EDU WITH SUBMISSIONS BY MONDAY NIGHTS. THANK YOU!
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

EIGHTH ANNUAL
STUDENT RESEARCH
CONFERENCE

April 8, 2009
2:00 PM — 4:00 PM
Versailles/Pompeii Rooms
Wilson Hall
Poster presentations of student research projects in
Biology
Chemistry, Medical Technology and Physics
Computer Science
Mathematics
Software Engineering
Dean's Award of Excellence in Undergraduate Research
will be awarded at 4:00 p.m.

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Concert is April 30th 8 pm in Pollak Theatre
Tickets: $10 for Students
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Come See the Band Verdict
April 15 Wednesday 2:30pm
Student Center Patio

Spoken Word Artist Carlos Robson
See him live in the Underground
8 PM 4/15

Get Involved in Planning and Running the Events on Campus!
Join SAB and see all the INs and OUTs of making an event happen.
Next Meeting is Thursday 4/9
4 pm 3rd floor Student Center
New Members Are Always Welcome

EXPLORE THE HUMAN BODY
Ever wonder what the workings of the inner body look like???
Find out on April 18, 2009 and join SAB at
BODIES: THE EXHIBITION
Tickets on sale now at the Student Activities Office
Tickets are $25 for students, $30 for guest
(Limit 2 tickets per student)
**SPORTS**

**Men’s and Women’s Tennis Go 1-1 in Matchups This Week**

Both Squads Looking Ahead to Better Their Showing in NEC Tournament

By Kristofferson Robertson

The Hawks hope to use the momentum of this latest victory, to ruin the trip for non-conference foe Maryland-Eastern Shore.

The Monmouth men will then host Quinnipiac and NJIT, before the Northeast Conference Tournament April 17-18. The event will be held in Princeton New Jersey. Last year the Hawks were a number three seed and defeated Mount St. Mary’s before falling to the opponent of today’s match Quinnipiac.

The women’s squad started things with a dominant #1 doubles match over the Blue Hens.

**A Word on Sports**

The Hall Call: Five New Names to Its Shrine

**ANDREW SCHETTER**

**ASSOCIATE SPORTS EDITOR**

The men’s tennis team started off their week on Thursday afternoon, in Ocean, with a non-conference match up with the Concordia Clippers. The Monmouth men had their hopes lowered as the Clippers blanked the Hawks 7-0.

The next day in Fullerton, CA, the Hawks looked to snap a seven game losing streak, and forget about the Concordia defeat against NEC rival Mount St. Mary’s in Emmetsburg, Maryland.

In this beautiful Sunday afternoon matchup, the Blue and White, knocked the Monarchs 6-1, to pick up their fourth win of the season.

In the matchup with the Concordia Clippers, the Hawks did pick up a moral victory at second doubles. The team of senior Vik Gupta, and freshman Laurenne Heads picked up the victory 9-7, giving the Hawks 1 win in the second fall to 7.

For the second time, in singles action this season Monkmon left his twin to a taylor a point. The closest Jordan to coming to tasting vic

You guys don’t know if I can or can’t play anymore, but I know I can still play.” Fans everywhere, and fan's around the idea of seeing the seldom argued best player ever lace up one last time. It wouldn’t be the last time Jordan appeared on the court, earning a point for his own team.

Racking up championships never seemed so easy, and with a shrug a champ, Jordan appeared to be in awe of his own skills at times.

To try to fathom some aspect of Jordan’s greatness, we can remember that Jordan ended his career with the third highest point total (32,292) and the highest point per game total (30.12). Jordan won a National Championship with North Carolina in 1982 and four straight titles with the Chicago Bulls when he entered the NBA. He accumulated six NBA championships in any marketing campaign and its instantly more appealing. Not to take anything away from any of the other inductees, but with out Jordan, this class is far less classey and classic.

**The Outlook**

**April 8, 2009**
CHARLES KRUTZS
STAFF WRITER

Over the weekend the Hawks were on two conference opponents away from home and were forced to take on Wagner. The Seahawks were coming off a win against conference foe Indiana State with a score of 16-1. Led by senior goalkeeper Monica Johnson and junior Megan Brennan, the Blue and White defeated Wagner 12-6 and moved to 2-6 in conference play and 5-6 and their conference record to 3-1. The game was delayed 30 minutes due to lightning; however, this delay didn’t stop MU from coming away with the win.

The Hawks wasted little time showing their offensive firepower. Lead by junior Jordan MacDonald, the Hawks dashed to a 6-0 lead. Junior Ali Pollock registered the first goal of the game coming with less than a minute played. The six goals were registered by Brennan, who had two goals on four shots, MacDonald, who had one, and freshman Olivia Salata. The Blue and White took control of the first stanza, the Seahawks scored three unanswered goals to lessen the Hawks lead to 6-3 at the break.

MU opened up the second half with Brennan scoring her third goal, which was assisted by Evans, to lessen the Hawks lead to 7-3. The Hawks answered with a goal from senior Jessica Richmond to close in on the Hawks’ lead. Shortly after, senior attacker Kaitlin Feeney scored the second goal of the game to increase the lead to 8-4.

Six minutes later the Hawks went on a 5-0 scoring run to increase the lead to 9-4. Evans and Pollock both scored unanswered goals to lessen the Blue and White’s lead. Mallory O’Brien got Monmouth on the board with her 15th goal of the season with the assist coming from junior class again. Bren-

In the fourth quarter, Brach and the TinCaps open the season with the assist coming from Monmouth history to work over 300 strikeouts.

The former Monmouth star recorded impressive numbers as a reliever for Monmouth last year with the Rookie AZL Padres. Brach appeared in 17 games in 2008, earning a 1-1 re-
dium is sold out for 10,000 people, so I’m real excited for the upcoming season. I just want to keep going to get better and compete. I hope to keep my team going, but this is the best move for me. I want to be a part of the organization to get better every day.”

“Brach blew away the competition in the Arizona League last year with a 33-35 strikeout-to-walk ratio.”

FROM THE OFFICIAL SITE OF THE FORT WANE TINCAPS

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“Brach blew away the competition in the Arizona League last year with a 33-35 strikeout-to-walk ratio.”
WHAT'S THAT RACQUET?

The men’s and women’s tennis teams are making noise as the NEC tournament approaches.

Full Story on Page 22.