



"Sweetheart, this is only the beginning" - A.S.C.V.F.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Fri. 2/10	Roadmaster Concert 8-11 p.m., MH Aud.	Fri. 2/17	Sweetheart's Dance - 8 p.m. - 12 a.m. Allison Mansion - featuring: The Late Show"
Sat. 2/11	Men's Basketball -- Marion - There "Stepford Wives" - 8 p.m., Lib. Aud. DSA. \$.50		"The Importance of Being Earnest" - Peine Arena - 8 p.m. - Free with M C ID.
Tues. 2/14	Men's Basketball - 7:30 p.m. Franklin- H.	Sat. 2/18	Woman's Basketball - Anderson - 11 a.m. Th. In Tech. - Men's Basketball - Th.
Wed. 2/15	"David & Lisa" Film - 1960's - 7 p.m. Library Aud. - Free.		"The Importance of Being Earnest" - Peine Arena
Thurs. 2/16	Women's Basketball - 7 p.m. -Earlham - H.	Sun. 2/18	"The Importance of Being Earnest" - 8 p.m.

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IN MOURNING OF THE 1977 YEARBOOK

One afternoon Eileen Herbertz and I were going through what was left of the 1977 yearbook (that never made it into print) and found old advertisements for that "book". We found numerous family patron contracts, a five dollar bill from a patron, the full size Coca Cola add (which was \$150), and an add for Detroit Deisle Allison (cost not determined). All of this was found in a plain manilla envelope.

We made an attempt to find out how much each advertisement did cost, because there wasn't a rate on the contracts. Eileen contacted Rene Grontkowski (1977 yearbook co-editor) in order to establish the prices, and Rene wasn't sure what they were, and told us to contact Mike Brodenick. Mike was Advertising Editor, and he was helpful in giving us what we required in this area.

Later, an expedition was sent out in order to find some pictures from '77. They found many of them unusable, because of some sort of damage. (evidently they were not properly stored) The Senior pictures; however, were still in good condition, and possibly useable.

Now for the clincher. Usually with most companies that print yearbooks, they send out what is known as a Yearbook Cabinet. This contains practice layout mats, copy sheets, layout mats, and other vital things to help a yearbook run smoothly. I know these cabinets are often over stocked with more materials than the "book" would need. Especially if one is received year after year the supplies begin to mount up. But this excuse isn't valid for not opening the cabinet, because the cabinet contains a ladder consisting of dates, and deadlines for that year, when the pages are due at the publishers.

From the amount of evidence that I have so far seen, there seems to be a lack of responsibility, in what was the production of the '77 yearbook. Was the lack of the '76 book not arriving when it should have the cause of the '77 failure, or is the blame to be placed edsewhere? I hope when all the facts and data are in, in their entirety, about the '77 book that the blame is not entirely placed on the editors, but on all who had a chance to help the "book" become reality!

MIKE

TO CONTINUE ALONG WITH MIKE'S TOPIC.....

At a recent meeting, the Publications Committee recommended to Student Board that Yearbook '77 be halted and '77 senior pictures be placed in the upcoming '78 Marian. After seeing the results of a years delay on the '76 yearbook, I can agree that no more effort be put into the '77 issue. Along with the many problems incurred with the '77 yearbook, the committee discussed the lack of initiative among '77 grads with regard to their own yearbook. Why, when the '76 was a whole YEAR late, did last year's students not band together to produce a '77 book?? Perhaps they deserve their fate of no MARIAN '77! ?

While the above point is well taken, let me point out several others. Where does the Advisor come into the picture? Also, exactly what jurisdiction, other than financial, does Student Board yield over it's publication? The MARIAN is not the only publication experiencing difficulties in making regular appearances. Certainly Student Board has some power it can utilize to assure the appearance and QUALITY of the publications it controls financially! If not, the Board is wasting the money it budgets to these groups. Likewise, the role of Advisor may need revamping as a result of this last several years of MARIAN trauma. When one yearbook is a YEAR late, there must be something an Advisor can do to guarantee a better effort the next time around. This is not to insinuate that a publications advisor should personally produce a yearbook, but perhaps a bit of firm persuasion on his part could coerce students into getting the job done!!

There has definitely been a 3-way-tie for 1st place in the APATHY contest between the students, Student Board, and the yearbook advisor; Mr. Paul Fox. This year's co-editors are having a difficult time in finding a new advisor. Seems like nobody has the time! Hm...mm...m OR, is it that no one cares?? Hm...mm...m

PAM

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TO THE MASSES

On Wednesday, Feb. 8, there was a meeting for students who may have been interested in joining our Drum & Bugle Corps. Thirty—some odd students had signed up to attend the meeting, but only about half attended the meeting. I, myself, was one who signed up to attend the meeting — and was present at the meeting. What bothers me most is that many of my peers put down the Drum & Bugle Corps. All the time I hear complaints like: "They couldn't pay me to join the corps" or "listen to that terrible music that they're trying to play," but you know D&B will not improve unless we the students at Marian College want it to be better. For example, there are 15 new flags to be carried, but there are no girls to carry them. This is absurd! There should be at least 50 girls and 50 guys in the D&B corps. This semester D&B hours may be Monday & Wednesday at 4:30. I personally do not think that meeting twice a week is too much to ask for a one credit hour course. Peers, D&B will not get better unless you want it to. Not only D&B but the college as a whole can be only what WE make it. I personally love Marian College and if I didn't I would not still be here. I want to do my part in helping Marian College be THE BEST. I intend to join the corps and to encourage my friends to join. Many of my friends tell me I am unwise for wanting to join D&B but when the D&B corps marches in parades and other events I want my school, Marian College, to be well represented. So the next time ya put down Marian ask yourself "What am I doing to improve Marian College?" If your answer is "nothing", then just REMAIN SILENT!!

A CONCERNED STUDENT

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Goodbye everyone. Chris A.

TO THE FRESHMAN CLASS

A Freshman Class meeting was held at Clare Hall Lounge on February 8, 1978. THE MOST IMPORTANT ASPECT OF THIS MEETING WAS TO REINFORCE THE SUPPORT FOR THE ROADMASTER CONCERT (Let's have the class well represented tonight!) Diane reported that the Freshmen have tentatively \$135 in the treasury. Bob, then reported the Student Board minutes. New business brought up was the possibility of collecting stamps for the missions, future plans for the Freshmen to commentate on the Orientation program, and an open position for student director for Admissions. Remember...Roadmaster TONIGHT!!!!!!

ANNIE HAMMOND, PRESIDENT

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DEAR CUPID

Where the hell have you been! It's not as though the target was so small that you could have missed. On the contrary, I'm surprised that your arrows have escaped my path this long. Keep in mind that Sweetheart's Dance is coming up soon. Not that I'm pressuring you, but if your trigger finger doesn't improve, the rest of your hand will be awful lonely.

I do have a list of criteria which can be useful in your choosing of my "perfect mate."

He must be: 1) At least three inches taller than me. Note: I would prefer that his height be distributed evenly — whereas his legs are in proportion to his body. 2) A prospective future. Note: can either be in college or in a job with a

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