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Message from President David J. Fike

Fall is an exciting time at Marygrove. No matter how long it has been since you were a student, the smells and sounds of fall hearken fond memories of new classes, new books, meeting new instructors, and the promise of a new academic year. We have had a very busy summer preparing for the largest undergraduate intake in over 20 years here at the College! Our new student enrollment is expected to be between 360-400 students, and we couldn't be more pleased.

Our success is due in large part to the wonderful support of our Marygrove Community, of which you are a very important part. I must once again thank our esteemed trustee and alumna Nan McDonough Geschke '64 for rallying her classmates to make our last fiscal year a tremendous fundraising success. Giving has increased considerably, thanks to her generous matching gift donation. We also welcomed many first-time donors, which is a particular point of pride.

We believe this renewed spirit of giving is why we are seeing so much positive change, and at such a rapid pace. You can see it—you can feel it, but don't just take my word for it! I invite you all to attend Alumni Reunion Weekend on September 19-22 to see for yourself.

I'd also like to encourage you to visit our new microsite for the Office of Urban Leadership that we launched recently. It will become a testament to and repository for our Urban Leadership vision, which is being infused on the curricular level and within virtually every aspect of the Marygrove College Community. Go to urbanleadership.marygrove.edu and peruse the many ways our community is making the most of our Building Our Leadership in Detroit program grant from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation.

As many of you already know, Marygrove is an anchor institution for the Livernois Avenue revitalization project. Artplace America, a large national funder of community projects, has recently awarded the Livernois Avenue of Fashion a \$200,000 grant to activate empty storefronts with art and related activities. We are very proud to see this work continue to progress, just beyond our beautiful campus, so that each and every student may partake in the pride of stewardship in rebuilding this great city.

With your gifts, and friendship, we continue to make important strides that shape and transform an exciting future here, and I am beholden to you for your generosity and care.

Have an enjoyable fall season.

NEWS FROM ALUMNI ASSOCIATION PRESIDENT

Sherrie Konkus '06



Your Alumni Association Board has been engaged in a period of discernment on how we might better serve our alumni, students and Marygrove. I'm delighted to announce that we have instituted several structural changes to the Alumni Association Board to help us achieve results in two areas: building and engaging a vibrant alumni community, and helping our newest alums/students prepare for the job market.

Traditionally our organization has helped us stay in touch with each other and support the college; important areas of focus that will continue. After reflection, though, we've begun to see ourselves differently. We see that we can be more, and do more. While Marygrove strives to continue providing an outstanding educational experience for its students, we can use our networks and expertise to help those students better prepare for the job market.

That will require us to engage at a deeper level. We'll need a thriving alumni community that sees many ways to connect, support, and get involved, whether you have a little time or can generously offer more. To support this goal, we've changed the name and scope of the Nominating Committee to the new Membership Committee. Traditionally, the Nominating Committee has been responsible for presenting a slate of candidates for the Board of Directors and a slate of candidates for Officers of the Board of Directors at our May meeting each year, and assisting the President and the Board of Directors in filling any vacancies as they occur. The newly-envisioned Membership Committee expands that scope to include a proactive effort to source talented Marygrove Alumni to serve on the Board, its committees, and engage our membership more deeply. Rather than a year-by-year focus, this committee will now consider the vibrancy of the Board and our membership over the long term.

Matching up our supportive membership with specific opportunities to help our students and newest alums better prepare for the job market required a structural change, too. At our most recent meeting, Marygrove's Alumni Association Board of Directors voted unanimously to establish a Career Committee. The Alumni Association's Career Committee will work closely with the Career Services office and the Alumni Director to provide support services, programs, and events for current Marygrove students and alumni that enhance market readiness, career development, and career networking for alumni of all ages. The committee will reach out to recent graduates to help them pursue options for employment enabled by Marygrove's recent installation of the NACElink application, and to articulate the value of their Urban Leadership-enriched curriculum.

Over time, it is envisioned that this committee will develop online, degree-specific career development recommendations, build a network of alumni career mentors, assist in the transition from students to alumni, and host career-specific networking events featuring alumni speakers.

The new Career and Membership Committees are important steps forward in the Alumni Association's goal of better supporting Marygrove College and its graduates. The success of our efforts will rely on the bench strength and participation of the Marygrove Alumni community. There are so many ways to get involved, including developing degree-specific recommendations for professional preparation to pursue outside of the classroom, mentoring students to help them prepare for the job market, and identifying internship/job opportunities. Please consider how your expertise, professional network, and life experience can benefit our newest and future alumni and get involved!

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REIMAGINING OUR AGING WORKSHOP

Saturday, October 19, 2013

9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.



As the 14 women who had spent a Saturday in February talking, laughing, reflecting and crying a little spoke about what they were taking away, they said, "I'm learning how to accept the gifts of getting older." "I realize I'm not alone in this and am surrounded by community." "The positive energy will stay with me!" "I will focus on maximizing each moment and taking the time to smell the roses." "I can't believe all the new info I'm taking away!"

The "Reimagining Our Aging" Workshop, which will be offered again on Saturday, October 19 from 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., is a workshop designed by its presenter Maureen Sheahan, an Adjunct Faculty member in our Continuing Education Division. She has been so inspired by ideas in a series of books, beginning with *What Are Old People For?* by Dr. Bill Thomas, that she wanted to create opportunities to share the ideas and bring Baby Boomers and others together to explore the challenging and positive realities of getting older.

As one of the participants said, she loved the session because "...Maureen wasn't talking at us all day." Instead, the workshop is a series of pair, individual and small group brainstorms and dialogue, interspersed with interactive presentations of information and large group discussions. The wisdom, the experience, the struggles and the joys of everyone are brought into the room to create an enriching and pleasurable time. We're excited to add this session to our offerings and encourage alumni to register! For more information or to register, please contact Theresa Jordan at (313) 927-1261.

PEER RECOVERY MENTOR CERTIFICATE PROGRAM NOW OFFERED

In collaboration with the Social Work Department, the Division of Continuing Education and Career Enhancement is pleased to announce the Peer Recovery Mentor Certificate Program (PRMCP). This 48 contact-hour training program (48 contact hours, calculated in accordance with MCBAP requirements for workshops and seminars) has been developed to provide the educational component that meets the Michigan Certification Board of Addiction Professionals (MCBAP) requirements and is designed to allow participants who successfully complete the program to share their recovery experiences with others as a means to further their recovery while helping others.

Marygrove College meets all the standards and criteria for an approved provider of training with MCBAP.

Participants must have a high school diploma or GED and one-year of sobriety is suggested.

Course instructor, Michael Long, LLMSW, has an extensive peer recovery coach mentor background and serves as a board member of the Oakland County Substance Abuse Services (OSAS) Advisory Council.

One Fall 2013 session is scheduled:

Fridays and Saturdays from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., from Friday, October 4 – Saturday, October 26, 2013

Location: Marygrove College Campus

Tuition: \$499

Please direct inquiries to Donna Kerry, dkerry@marygrove.edu

Participants may register by calling (313) 927-1692.



ALUMNI INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN MISSION INTEGRATION-SPONSORED EVENTS



The Marygrove College Department of Mission Integration is comprised of the offices of Mission Integration, Campus Ministry and Service Learning. Together we creatively collaborate and promote the active, dynamic expression of the College mission, its strategic vision of Urban Leadership, and IHM values within campus programming, across the College community, and among the community at-large.

We invite alumni to join us as we work and celebrate together!

PRAYER/LITURGY:

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| WED 9/3/13 | Opening of School Prayer, Noon @ Our Lady of Marygrove statue |
| TUES 9/17/13 | Mass of the Holy Spirit, Noon, Sacred Heart Chapel with Lunch on the Lawn |
| TUE 10/15/13 | St. Teresa of Avila Mass, Noon, Student Center Chapel |
| TH 11/1/13 | All Saints Mass, Noon, Student Center Chapel |
| MON 12/9/13 | Immaculate Conception Mass/IHM Vow Renewal, with IHM Reception, Noon, Student Center Chapel |
| WED 1/15/14 | New Year Prayer, Noon, Student Center Chapel |

ACTIVITIES:

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| SUN 9/15/13 | HIV/AIDS WALK Detroit, Royal Oak Farmers Market
aidswalkdetroit.kintera.org |
| SUN 10/13/13 | Focus: HOPE Walk, Focus: HOPE Campus, Oakman Boulevard, Detroit
focushope.edu |
| FRI-SUN 10/25-27 | Great Lakes BIONEERS Detroit Conference, Marygrove
Go to www.gld.org |
| SAT 10/26/13 | Make A Difference Day – Day of Service in Detroit
Contact- bbeesley@marygrove.edu |
| TUE 11/26/13 | Thanksgiving Baskets - Call jcox@marygrove.edu |
| FRI 12/6/13 | Angel Tree – Gift gathering for children of incarcerated parent/guardian
Contact- jcox@marygrove.edu |
| MON 1/20/14 | MLK Day of Service
Service event with "March for Jobs" from Central United Methodist Church, Detroit |
| WED 1/22/14 | MLK Observance at Marygrove, Noon, Marygrove Theatre |

All events can be found on the Marygrove webpage www.marygrove.edu. If you have questions or need additional information, call (313) 927-1301.

FREE TECHNOLOGY TRAINING WORKSHOPS OFFERED FOR ALUMS



The Educational Technology Services Department at Marygrove offers free technology training workshops (registration required) to Alumni on a variety of topics including Microsoft Office 2010 - Word, PowerPoint and Excel. In order to ensure success, **students need to have good keyboarding skills and be familiar with Windows for any of the workshops.**

Training sessions are offered in the Student Technology Instruction & Collaboration Center (STICC) classroom located in L011 of the Library's lower level.

For more information or to register for a workshop, contact the STICC at (313) 927-1582 and/or view the STICC Workshops calendar (available September 16) on www.marygrove.edu/ets and click on **STICC Workshops** on the right side panel.



URBAN LEADERSHIP TEAMS TO PRESENT AT BIONEERS CONFERENCE IN OCTOBER



Thanks to a W.K. Kellogg Foundation grant, since the summer of 2012, faculty, staff, students, alumni and community members have been creating our Urban Leadership Initiative. This past summer, two teams -- the Participatory Action Research team and the Sustainability and Ecology team -- have joined forces to create a series of co-curricular experiences and long-term curricular projects. They have begun working with Marygrove College community block clubs to identify local concerns, strengths, and goals.

This information will form the basis for a Marygrove Area Survey, which will become a long-term project for Social Work and Health Science students. A related tool, Green Mapping, will become a project for Marygrove 100, Humanities, and Geography students. The teams will present a campus-wide project, Low Impact Week, at the October

Bioneers conference on campus. Team members have also visited Detroit area organizations in order to partner on leadership opportunities for students, including: The Spirit of Hope Farm, the Green Garage and Green Alley, and Greening of Detroit.

To assist with these or related projects, or for further information, please contact Dr. Brenda Bryant, bbryant@marygrove.edu at (313) 927-1502, or Jesse Cox, jcox@marygrove.edu or (313) 927-1404.



MARYGROVE CAREER CONNECTOR

EXCITING OPPORTUNITIES FOR JOB SEEKERS AND CAREER CHANGERS

Marygrove Launches Tool to Assist Students and Alumni Seeking Employment

Marygrove is pleased to announce the launch of the *Marygrove Career Connector*, a career services application that is available to the Marygrove community. Students and Alumni can login to a user interface to create or upload a resume, apply for jobs, sign up for interviews and more.

Employers can seamlessly post jobs, develop organization profiles and peruse resumes to place potential candidates.

For more information or to be added to the ***Marygrove Career Connector*** please call **(313) 927-1844**



LAND YOUR DREAM JOB AT RECRUIT DETROIT ALUMNI ONLY CAREER FAIR

Whether you're looking to network or explore a new career in finance, investment banking, marketing, technology, media, nonprofit, consulting and more, you will find all the best opportunities at Recruit Detroit. Over 75 of the top companies in the Detroit area are anticipated to be in attendance with **job openings!**

Recruit Detroit Alumni Only Career Fair:

Thursday, September 26, 2013
11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Cobo Center
1 Washington Boulevard #401
Detroit, MI 48226

To register and see a list of all employers who are participating and their current open positions, please go to:

hiredetroit13.eventbrite.com/.



2013 ALUMNI REUNION SCHEDULE

ALUMNI REUNION WEEKEND 2013 CELEBRATES THE GRADUATING CLASSES OF 1933, 1938, 1943, 1948, 1953, 1958, 1963, 1968, 1973, 1978, 1983, 1988, 1993, 1998, 2003 and 2008, however, everyone, regardless of graduation year is invited and encouraged to attend. For more information contact Diane Puhl, Director of Alumni Relations/Alumni Annual Giving at (313) 927-1443 or dpuhl@marygrove.edu.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19



12th Annual Sr. Jan Soleau Memorial Swing and a Prayer Golf Scramble

11:00 a.m. • Beacon Hill Golf Club, Commerce Twp., MI

This event includes 18 holes with cart, continental breakfast, group golf clinic, lunch at the turn, buffet dinner, two drink tickets on course, open beer and wine bar at dinner and contest prizes. All skill levels are welcome. You may register individually, with a partner or with an entire foursome. The format will be best ball/scramble. Cost is \$125 per golfer or \$50 for dinner only. Registration deadline is September 5. If you have questions or need more information, contact Diane Puhl, Director of Alumni Relations/Annual Giving at (313) 927-1443 or dpuhl@marygrove.edu.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

Distinguished Alumni Awards Ceremony and Reception

7:00 - 10:30 p.m. • Marygrove College Theatre and Denk Chapman Hall

All alumni are invited to attend the award ceremony in the theatre and then enjoy refreshments, conversation and live music at the reception that follows in Denk Chapman Hall.



2013 DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AND DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI OF TOMORROW AWARD RECIPIENTS:



Dorothy Jones
Hogan Sweeney '48



Barbara
Kent Freeman '63



Suzanne
Sattler, IHM '65



Virginia "Ginny"
Burdick Skinner '67



Jane
Hammang-Buhl '68



Karel
Bowlus Oxley '72



Robert
D. Tompkins '14

UNION WEEKEND OF EVENTS

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:30 - 9:30 a.m. • Madame Cadillac Building

Mass

10:00 - 11:00 a.m. • Sacred Heart Chapel

An alumni choir, under the direction of alumnus Tom Zerafa '91, will sing at this mass and you are invited to join them.



Class/Group Pictures

11:00 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. • Liberal Arts Building

Pictures will be taken of classes whose graduation year ends in 3 or 8 and of groups from the 80s through present.

Lunch

12:30 - 2:00 p.m. • Alumnae Hall

Campus Tours

2:15 – 3:30 p.m. • Madame Cadillac Building



Men's Varsity Soccer Game vs. Lawrence Tech and Tailgate

3:00 – 6:00 p.m. • Marygrove Soccer Field



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

Golden Jubilee Celebration Mass honoring the Class of 1963

11:00 a.m. - Noon • Sacred Heart Chapel

Brunch and Induction of the Class of 1963 into the Fifty Year Club

and recognition of those who graduated prior to 1963

Noon - 2:00 p.m. • Main Dining Room

HOTEL RESERVATIONS

A block of rooms is being held at **The Doubletree by Hilton** which is located at **5801 Southfield Expressway, Detroit, MI 48228**. You may reserve a single, double, triple or quad occupancy room for Thursday, Friday, Saturday and/or Sunday night for a discounted rate of \$99 per night. To make reservations, call (313) 336-3340 or (800) 222-8733 and identify yourself as a member of Marygrove College 2013 Alumni Reunion. Reservations must be made by August 29, 2013 to guarantee this special rate.



This is Mustang Territory

WE BRING THE GAME TO YOU! LISTEN LIVE TO ALL HOME MUSTANG EVENTS!



Marygrove Athletics is proud to announce a partnership with Stretch Internet to provide free live audio streaming of home events for men's and women's basketball, men's and women's soccer, and women's volleyball for the 2013-14 athletics season. Beginning Fall 2013, home athletic contests will be streamed via Stretch Internet in a customized, user-friendly Game Central portal designed for Marygrove Athletics. To listen live on the Marygrove Athletics portal, simply visit MarygroveMustangs.com and click on live audio or the Gameday Live tab.

The branded gameday portal, also featuring an integrated live stats feed for the approximately 50 covered events this year, enhances Marygrove's gameday presence by housing free live audio play-by-play and live stats all in one easy-to-use platform. Live audio and live stats via Stretch Internet can also be streamed through a variety of portable devices. Currently, Stretch supports all iOS (iPhone, iPad and iPod Touch) and Android devices so fans can access live gameday content, or archived contests, whenever and wherever they can connect.

"This is a first for many of our sports," said Assistant Athletic Director Tim Johnston regarding the addition of live audio to home contests. "We are excited to bring the game to the many family members and friends of our student-athletes, as well as our far-reaching alumni base that is scattered about the globe. With the ability to connect through cell phones and other portable devices, our broadcasts can also add play-by-play analysis or up-to-date stats to the in-game experience for those able to attend our games," relayed Johnston. "As hosts to other institutions, our goal in sports information and event management is to be as welcoming as possible. Our new partnership with Stretch provides a user-friendly interface to keep visiting sports information staffs and fans in touch while their team is on the road."

Currently, all fall sports home contests are listed in the new gameday portal. Times listed reflect the broadcast airtime -- approximately 10 minutes prior to each event. Winter sports and selected other contests will be added as schedules become finalized.

"Over the past few years, our department has strived to continually improve our gameday experience to both our community and the many that wish to connect with us from a visiting institution," stated Marygrove's Director of Athletics & Wellness, Dave Sichterman. "The partnership with Stretch, and our eventual live broadcasts, are the latest enhancements to the overall student-athlete experience at Marygrove College."

The new branded gameday portal also marks the expansion of the Mustang Sports Network – the audio/video production arm of Marygrove sports information. Beginning this year, the rebranded Mustang Sports Network will soon feature the aforementioned live audio and live stats streams, as well as a comprehensive video library that will comprise of coach and student-athlete interviews, postgame reports, and weekly recaps/updates covering all athletics news.

MARYGROVE COLLEGE 2013 WOMEN'S SOCCER

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
AUG. 26	CALUMET COLLEGE OF ST. JOSEPH	1PM
SEP. 4	SPRING ARBOR UNIVERSITY	5PM
Sep. 6	University of St. Francis	4PM
Sep. 7	Cleary University Invite – Ann Arbor, Mich.	12PM
Sep. 10	Indiana Wesleyan University	4PM
Sep. 20	Cleary University Invite – Ann Arbor, Mich.	10AM
Sep. 26	@ Mount Vernon Nazarene University	3:30PM
SEP. 28	CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY-ANN ARBOR*	12:30PM
OCT. 1	GRACE BIBLE COLLEGE	4PM
Oct. 2	@ Lawrence Technological University*	4PM
OCT. 5	DAVENPORT UNIVERSITY*	12:30PM
Oct. 7	@ University of Detroit	3PM
Oct. 9	@ Indiana Institute of Technology*	5PM
Oct. 12	@ Madonna University*	12PM
OCT. 19	CORNERSTONE UNIVERSITY*	12:30PM
Oct. 23	@ University of Northwestern Ohio*	12PM
Oct. 26	@ Siena Heights University*	1PM
NOV. 2	AQUINAS COLLEGE*	12:30PM



*WHAC Conference Match

Dates and times are subject to change without notice. Home games, in BOLD, played at Marygrove College



MARYGROVE COLLEGE 2013 MEN'S SOCCER

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
AUG. 24	TAYLOR UNIVERSITY	3PM
Aug. 30	@ Spring Arbor University	7PM
Aug. 31	Rochester College	5:30PM
	Crimson Wave Invite – Schererville, Ind.	
Sep. 1	TBA	TBA
	Crimson Wave Invite – Schererville, Ind.	
SEP. 7	GRACE COLLEGE	3PM
Sep. 15	@ Saginaw Valley State University	1PM
SEP. 21	LAWRENCE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY*	4PM
Sep. 25	@ Siena Heights University*	7PM
Sep. 28	@ Lindsey Wilson College	7PM
Oct. 2	@ Indiana Institute of Technology*	7PM
OCT. 5	CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY-ANN ARBOR*	3PM
OCT. 9	UNIVERSITY OF NORTHWESTERN OHIO*	4PM
Oct. 12	@ Cornerstone University*	7PM
OCT. 18	MADONNA UNIVERSITY*	2PM
Oct. 23	@ Aquinas College*	4PM
Oct. 26	@ Davenport University*	7PM
OCT. 30	CLEARY UNIVERSITY	4PM
NOV. 2	UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN-DEARBORN*	3PM

*WHAC Conference Match

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Home games, in BOLD, played at Marygrove College

MARYGROVE COLLEGE 2013 VOLLEYBALL

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
Aug. 23	@ Indiana NW Tri Match – Gary, Ind.	6PM, 8PM
Aug. 24	@ Roosevelt University Quad – Chicago, Ill.	11AM, 1PM
Aug. 30	@ Northwood (FL) Volleyfest – West Palm Beach, Fla.	3PM, 7PM
Aug. 31	@ Northwood (FL) Volleyfest – West Palm Beach, Fla.	1PM, 5PM
Sep. 2	Talladega College – Game played at Northwood (FL)	5PM
Sep. 11	@ Indiana Institute of Technology*	7PM
Sep. 13	@ Rochester College Invitational – Rochester Hills, Mich.	TBA
Sep. 14	@ Rochester College Invitational – Rochester Hills, Mich.	TBA
SEP. 18	MADONNA UNIVERSITY*	7PM
Sep. 19	@ Great Lakes Christian College	7PM
SEP. 25	UNIVERSITY OF NORTHWESTERN OHIO*	7PM
Sep. 27	@ Siena Heights University*	7PM
Sep. 28	@ Rochester College CRAM Quad – Rochester Hills, Mich.	TBA
SEP. 30	GREAT LAKES CHRISTIAN COLLEGE	7PM
OCT. 3	CORNERSTONE UNIVERSITY*	7PM
OCT. 9	LOURDES UNIVERSITY*	7PM
Oct. 10	@ Kuyper College Tri-Match – Grand Rapids, Mich.	TBA
Oct. 16	@ Aquinas College*	7PM
Oct. 19	@ Davenport University*	12PM
Oct. 19	Indiana Univ.-South Bend – Game played at Davenport	2PM
OCT. 23	CONCORDIA UNIVERSITY-ANN ARBOR*	7PM
Oct. 30	@ University of Michigan-Dearborn*	7PM
NOV. 6	LAWRENCE TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY*	7PM

*WHAC Conference Match

Dates and times are subject to change without notice.
Home games, in BOLD, played at University of Detroit Jesuit High School

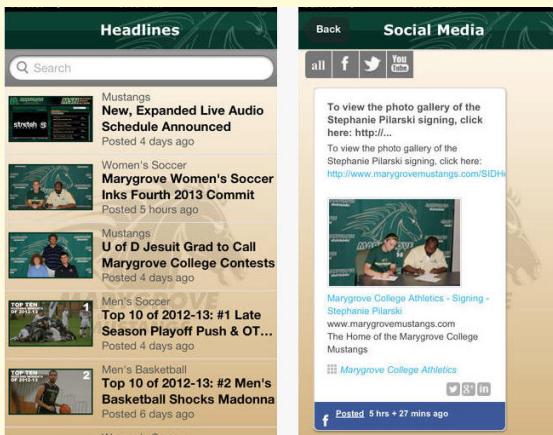
MARYGROVE COLLEGE 2013 CROSS COUNTRY

DATE	OPPONENT	TIME
Aug. 31	Bulldog Invitational Hosted by Adrian College – Lenawee Christian HS - Adrian, Mich.	11:00 AM
Sep. 7	27th Annual Running Fit/Detroit Titan Invitational Hosted by University of Detroit Mercy - Cass Benton Park - Northville, Mich.	11:15 AM
Sep. 14	Knight Invitational Hosted by Calvin College – Grand Rapids, Mich.	10:00 AM
Oct. 4	Lansing Invitational Hosted by Lansing Community College – Grand Woods Park – Lansing, Mich.	2:00 PM
Oct. 26	NAIA Great Lakes Challenge Hosted by Aquinas College - Riverside Park - Grand Rapids, Mich.	11:00 AM
Nov. 3	WHAC Championships Grand Rapids, Mich.	TBA

Dates and times are subject to change without notice.



NEW MARYGROVE ATHLETICS APP NOW AVAILABLE!



undoubtedly make Marygrove Athletics a trendsetter in athletic communications at the NAIA level nationally,” continued Johnston. “We live in a world where up-to-the-minute information-sharing is not only the norm – it is the expectation. The new app will allow Marygrove Athletics to give fans quick and intuitive access to virtually all department information. We couldn’t be happier to launch the app and enter into a new, exciting age of communication for Mustang athletics.”

With the app, fans can read the latest headlines and game recaps, check up on recent news within the department, access student-athlete and staff bios, view team schedules, get connected through the various department social media channels, and even watch or listen to live events.

“Last year, we began to brand our program under the ONE TEAM, ONE GOAL, ONE MARYGROVE moniker in an attempt to bring our community, athletics department, and student-athletes together as one,” stated Dave Sichterman, Director of Athletics & Wellness. “The message of branding our department was delivered at the 2013 Mane Event awards where we charged our student-athletes to become engaged students and support their classmates and fellow community members in becoming one team. As a department, our branding is stronger than it has been in the 13-year history of Mustang athletics due to our online accessibility and the effective communication of our message,” Sichterman added.

In June, the athletics website – MarygroveMustangs.com – placed 10th nationally in the NAIA. The award acted as a launching pad for increased athletics communications as the department unrolled team-specific Twitter pages and a new live audio slate to accompany the release of their new app.

Currently, SIDhelp has the app available for both iPhones and iPads with plans for an Android version in the near future. The app is free of charge and can be accessed by visiting the App Store or MarygroveMustangs.com.



Detroit Repertory Theater Presents
A FACILITY FOR LIVING
By Katie Forgette
Saturday, November 23, 2013 - 3:00 p.m.

Judy, Wally and Mitzie stay in an “assisted living” facility. They want to live meaningful lives but Nurse Claudia is a tough love practitioner who runs the place by the “book” and treats them as if their mission in life is to follow the rules and quietly take the final

step. Resentment runs high when Joe Taylor enters the facility. His loyalty and tenacity take over and life at the facility turns into a hilarious camp of rebellion, disobedience and ingenuity.

The Alumni Association has reserved a block of seats for the matinee performance at 3:00 p.m. Tickets are \$15. Theatre goers may wish to dine in the Midtown area or elsewhere after the show. The Detroit Repertory Theatre is located at 13103 Woodward Wilson Drive (South of Davison Freeway), Detroit MI 48238-3686. The Theatre has safe off-street parking and light nibbles, beverages and spirits.

For more information, please contact Sheila Keefe '56 at 586-268-0481 or sheilakeef@aol.com. To reserve a ticket, send a check in the amount of \$15 (payable to Marygrove College) to Marygrove College, Attention: Diane Puhl, Director of Alumni Relations, 8425 W. McNichols, Detroit, MI 48221, by November 15.

IN MEMORIAM

(Reported May – August 2013)

DECEASED ALUM

Dorothy Sweeney McInerney '39
Margaret Lennon Race '41
Mary Schrot Audette '42
Louise Blackford Sidlosky '47
Barbara Schuler Beaupre '51
Theresa Cyrowski Suchowski '51
Ann Marie Crandall LeBlanc '58
Barbara Cardinal, IHM '59
Ruth Ann Watts Rosati '59
Loretta Treviso Danna '62
Constance Kramer Level '65
Joyce Callahan Petway '82
Lisa Walker '97
Ann Bulger '99
Thomas Skellie '00

DECEASED RELATIVES OF ALUMS

Husband of:

Margaret Moylan White '47
Lois Ouellette Girardot '53
Margaret McInerney Holt '54
Alice McCarrey Weiman '55
Catherine Fochtman DeRose '56
Maureen McDonald Myers '56
Elizabeth Brauer Amstutz '72

Father of:

Lorry Ashe Kempf '67
Yolaina Johnson '11

ALUMNI-SPONSORED COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT



Forgotten Harvest

Saturday, October 5, 2013

1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

Since 1990, Forgotten Harvest has been in business to fight two problems: hunger and waste. Forgotten Harvest relieves hunger in the Detroit metropolitan community by rescuing surplus, prepared and perishable food and donating it to emergency food providers. In the fiscal year 2011 - 2012, Forgotten Harvest rescued a record 42 million pounds of food from a variety of sources such as grocery stores, restaurants, caterers, farmers, and other Health Department-approved sources. This donated food - that would otherwise go to waste - is delivered free of charge to emergency food providers throughout metro Detroit (Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties). Forgotten Harvest covers 2,000-square miles to feed hungry people.

The Alumni Association is pleased to support Forgotten Harvest by sponsoring a community service project for Marygrove alumni and friends at their warehouse. We will spend an afternoon re-packing fresh nutritious food items that will be used to feed the hungry throughout the Detroit metro area.

Forgotten Harvest is located at 21800 Greenfield Rd, Oak Park, MI, 48237. Volunteers must be at least 12 years of age and are required to wear closed-toed shoes (no high heels.) The work area gets chilly so you may want to bring a sweater or light jacket. All other items needed for the work area will be provided so you are asked to leave personal items in your vehicle.

If you are interested in volunteering or need more information, contact Gloria Banks '11 at (313) 802-1217 or Frances Simmons '85 at (248) 546-2876 no later than September 30, 2013.

MARYGROVE COLLEGE DANCE DEPARTMENT PRESENTS: PARTY OF 1



December 6 – 8, 2013

Friday, 7:30 pm • Saturday, 2:00 & 7:30 pm • Sunday, 4:00 pm

Marygrove College Theatre

Admission: \$10 general/ \$5 students and seniors

Annual fall dance department concert performed by the Marygrove College Dance Company & Company2, featuring an eclectic collection of choreography by senior dance major, LaDia Dodd and dance department faculty.

Contact: Jonathon Cash • (313) 927-1838 • jcash5001@marygrove.edu

FALL WINE TASTING DINNER

Sunday, November 3, 2013

3:00 – 5:00 p.m. at Roger Monk's, Ann Arbor



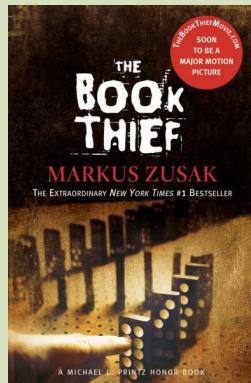
Enjoy dinner and wine tasting at Roger Monk's in Ann Arbor. Family, friends and alumni are welcome. Nominal price of \$48.00 per person includes 12 great wines paired with a five-course dinner, customized wine gift, tax and gratuity: a \$75 dollar value! Please specify your choice of red or white for your wine gift when making your reservation.

Roger Monk's is a unique restaurant located in the eastern corner of Ann Arbor (Dixboro) at 5400 Plymouth Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48105. Space is limited and we anticipate an enthusiastic response. To register, send payment to Marygrove College, Attn: Diane Puhl, 8425 W. McNichols, Detroit, MI 48221 by Oct. 24, 2013. For more information, contact Mark Bartnik '79 at (248) 689-9782.

ALUMNI BOOK DISCUSSION

The Book Thief

By Zusak Markus



Thursday, October 24, 2013

**7:00 – 9:00 p.m.
Home of Kay
Hughes '66 in
Royal Oak**

Set during World War II in Germany, Markus Zusak's groundbreaking novel, *The Book Thief*, is the story of

Liesel Meminger, a foster girl living outside of Munich. Liesel scratches out a meager existence for herself by stealing when she encounters something she can't resist—books. With the help of her accordion-playing foster father, she learns to read and shares her stolen books with her neighbors during bombing raids as well as with the Jewish man hidden in her basement before he is marched to Dachau. The country is holding its breath. Death has never been busier and will become busier still.

The Book Thief has not only received the Printz Award and topped the *New York Times* bestseller list for seven years, it has also been adapted for the big screen and will hit theatres on November 15, 2013.

To register, contact Druel Outley '00 at (313) 342-3208 by October 20, 2013. Directions to Kay's home will be provided when you register. *The Book Thief* is 562 pages and can be found on Amazon.com.

ATTENTION SOCIAL WORK ALUMNI

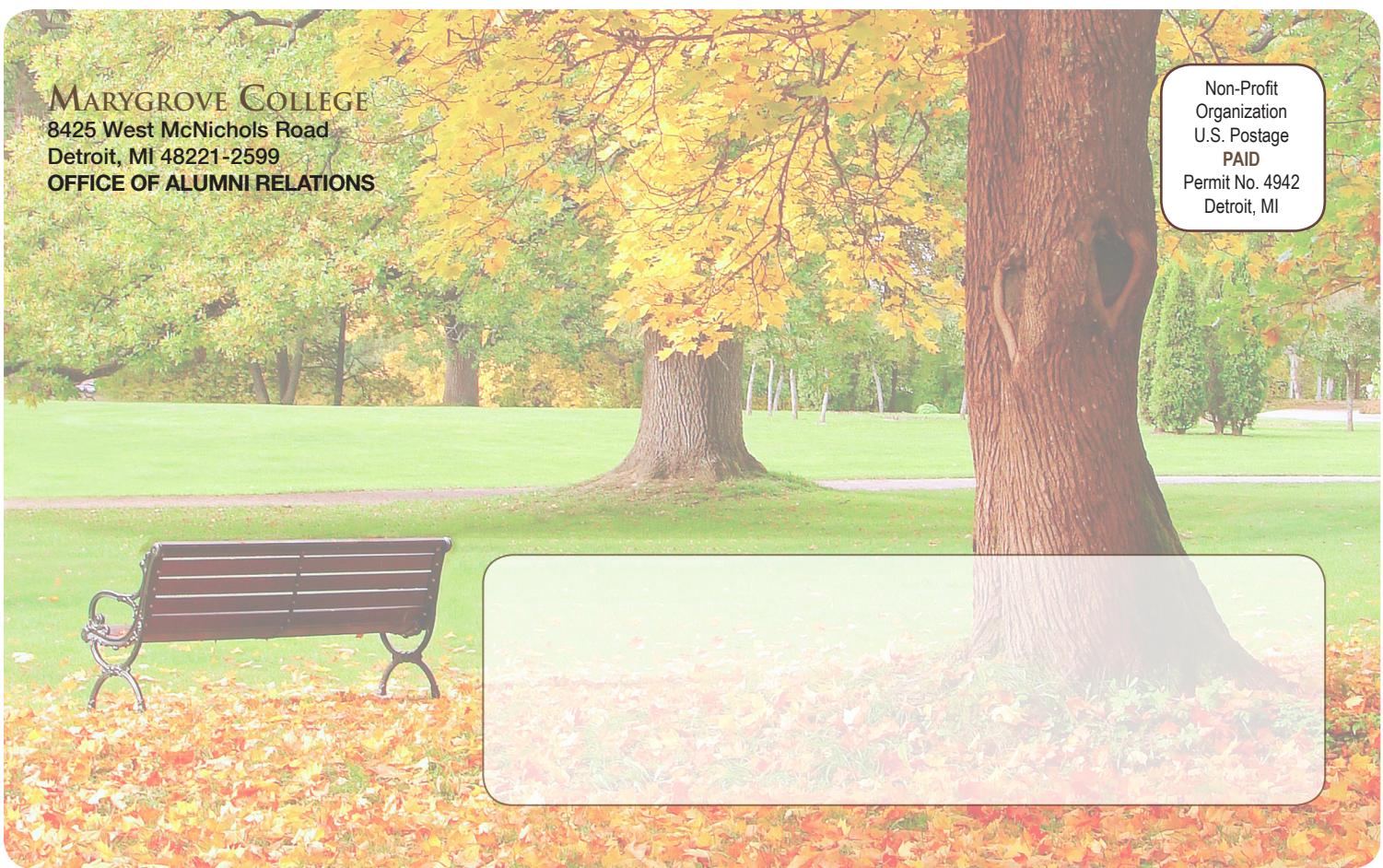
The Department of Social Work is working to strengthen its alumni network. Please take a moment to update your contact and professional information so we can keep you informed about upcoming events, projects, and opportunities.

Contact Briana Parker '12 at bparker5154@marygrove.edu or (313) 927-1393 or Julie Laforet '12 at jlaforet2622@marygrove.edu or (313) 927-1819 to update your information.

BE PREPARED TO GET INVOLVED!!!

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ALUMNI-SPONSORED TRIP CHICAGO STYLE CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

December 7-8, 2013

Join Marygrove Alumni as we experience the festive atmosphere and excitement of Chicago at Christmastime! We will visit Macy's store which has 12-stories and 450 departments! This is an historic landmark and the second largest department store in the world. We'll also have an opportunity to shop at the Navy Pier and the Magnificent Mile - home to Tiffany & Co., Neiman Marcus, Nordstrom, Bloomingdale's, Water Tower Place and more. This trip is a shopper's dream, however, there will be much to do and see for non-shoppers as well.

Trip Cost: \$235* - Payment is due November 7, 2013

Departure: Saturday, December 7 at 7:00 a.m.

Return: Sunday, December 8 at 9:00 p.m.

INCLUDES:

- One night accommodations at the Four Points by Sheraton (just off the Magnificent Mile in downtown Chicago)
- Lunch at Foodlife, an urban dining adventure located at Water Tower Place
- Shopping time on the Magnificent Mile, State Street and Navy Pier
- Round trip transportation via deluxe motorcoach from Marygrove (secure parking)
- Bianco Tours Professional Tour Director

Seating is limited. To register, send check (payable to Marygrove College) to: Marygrove College, Attn: Diane Puhl, Director of Alumni Relations, 8425 W. McNichols Rd., Detroit, MI 48221. If you have questions or need more information, please contact Sandra Collins '82 at (248) 689-9782 or sjcollins@wowway.com or Mark Bartnik '79 at (248) 689-9782 or markbartnik@hotmail.com.

*Per person based on double occupancy. The cost for a single is \$311 and a triple is \$210 per person.