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MVCC Faculty/Staff Newsletter December 13th, 2004

Kidz 'N' Coaches Hold Christmas Party

MVCC student Dan Loucy helps five year old Jose Colon open a gift during the Christmas party.

Those not participating, react to a game of musical chairs

On Wednesday, December 8th, approximately 20 area kids were treated to a Christmas party in the Interlude sponsored by Kidz 'N' Coaches. The children are matched up with an MVCC student "coach" (mentor and companion) and participate in several events throughout the year. Professor Jim Smrtic is the advisor to student organization that is in its 20th year. Both kids and adults enjoyed food, games, and – of course – a visit by Santa.

Caution Web Scheduling!

That was the theme in the Advisement Center from November 8th -13th. Adjunct instructor David Yahnke of the Art department and student Jeremy Kameck designed a special bright-yellow T-shirt encouraging students to register early on the Web.

For a week, students wore the T-shirts, answered questions and encouraged their fellow students to see advisors before the rush.

Mr. Yahnke would like to thank Associate Professor Duane Isenberg for his help and the use of the lab and screen printing equipment; Jeremy Kameck for the extra hours he worked to print the shirts; Dawson McDermott and the staff of the Advisement Center for their information and guidance.

The following students participated in the endeavor:
Kristina Brandal, Amanda Prezeau, Todd Fowlstow, Alan Domazet, James Guarrscio, Nicole Kellar, Tom Long, Abby Humphreys, Rebecca Mills, sarah Becker, Zac Long, Mike Pastore, Ashley Waite, Brittany Ritzel, Erica LaMose.

MVCC Students Participate in SUNY-Wide Student Assembly

Five members of the Student Congress at MVCC recently took part in the State University of New York Student Assembly, which represents students at all 64 SUNY campuses statewide, both State-operated campuses and community colleges. Student Assembly is involved in policy development and a variety of legislative initiatives impacting SUNY students.

MVCC's voting delegates to Student Assembly include Nicole Kotary of Rome, and Paul Malinowski of Whitesboro, both students in Liberal Arts & Sciences: General Studies at MVCC.

Other MVCC attendees included Heidi Graichen of Lee Center, a Liberal Arts & Sciences: General Studies student; Sweta Patel of Rome, enrolled in MVCC's Business Administration program; and Douglas Koba of Munnsville, a student in Air Conditioning Technology: Refrigeration, who also serves as the College's Student Trustee.

Upcoming Events

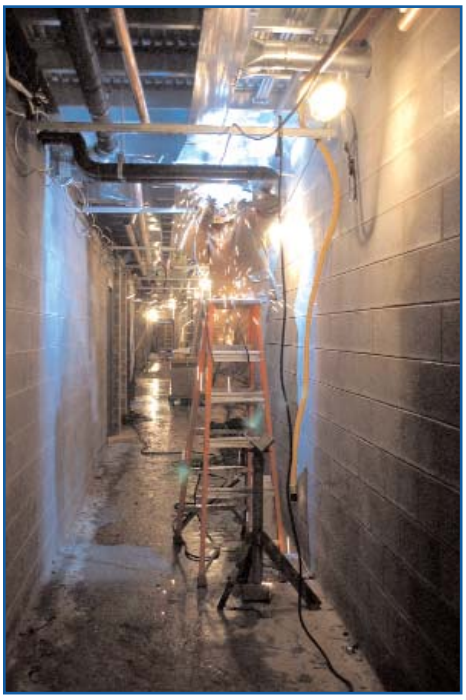
Monday, 12/13
~ Ballroom Dancing, 7:00pm-9:00pm, MV Commons.
Tuesday, 12/14
~ RA Christmas Party, 6:00pm, Interlude.
Wednesday, 12/15
~ Placement Testing, 6:00pm, IT Theater.
Thursday, 12/16
~ Scholarship Ceremony, Noon, ACC 116.
~ Irish Concert, 8:00pm, IT Theater.
Friday, 12/17
~ Commencement Ceremony, 6:00pm, IT Theater.

Win a 46" Samsung Television

A great gift for the holidays
A Project of the Employee Campaign Committee Proceeds to Benefit ECC Equipment Fund

Raffle tickets may be purchased from Fritz Barns, Kate Barefoot, Gary Broadhurst, Chuck Burkhart, Sarah Coleman, Nancy Carollo, Debbie Geer, Paul Halko, Anne Stepanick, Dick Suhr
Drawing will be held on December 17th.

Ticket Prices are 1 for $5.00; 3 for $10.00; 7 for $20.00; 20 for $50.00



Construction continues on the new Residence Hall.
Workers recently poured concrete for the third floor and will soon start third floor masonry. Roof framing should start in early January, and the building should be fully enclosed by February 1st.