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SPARTAN Statistics

CROSS COUNTRY

Saturday at Fern Ridge Reservoir, all cross country teams ran in teams of three on a 9K course in the Richardson Relays. No results were recorded.

FOOTBALL

Varsity beat Springfield 44-6 at home last Friday. Thursday, the freshmen lost 6-39 at South and JV won 61-12 at home. Varsity plays at Eagle Point tonight.

GIRLS SOCCER

Girls varsity lost 0-2 and JV lost 0-6 at Sheldon Saturday. Tuesday varsity won 3-0 and JV won 3-2 at Churchill.

VOLLEYBALL

Saturday, varsity made the quarterfinals in the Sprague Tournament. JV placed 3rd in the Springfield Tournament. Varsity lost 0-3 to Sheldon at home Thursday. JV won 2-0 and JV2 won 2-1.

WATERPOLO

Saturday at Amazon, the girls and boys both lost to Ashland 9-14 and 6-12, respectively. Sunday, the girls lost 4-17 while the boys lost 11-12 at Amazon Pool against Lincoln. Tuesday, the varsity boys beat Sprague 10-6 in Salem, while JV boys tied 6-6 and girls lost 7-9.

PÉTANQUE

Pétanque won 7-3 in their home season opener against Sheldon on Thursday.

Homecoming Days

Monday:
Superhero Day
Late-In

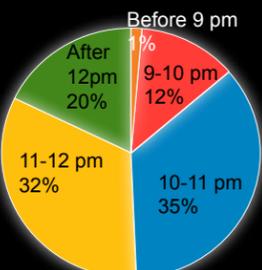
Tuesday:
Animal Day
Trivia Bowl

Wednesday:
Stoplight Day
Tug o' War

Thursday:
Decade Day
Class Dance/Karaoke

FRIDAY FIGURES

What time do you go to sleep at night?



*75 Marist Students Polled

LET THE GAMES BEGIN



Senior Kevin Haskin picks up some balls as he takes part in the All-School Dodgeball Competition. Photo by Colton Hansen.

The school gathers for the year's first assembly after classes discuss the Homecoming Week festivities

By Michael Busse

The Marist student body gathered in the gym for a pep rally on Wednesday to play dodgeball, recognize the fall sports teams, and to kick-off a yearlong competition between the classes.

The dodgeball games pitted various sports teams against each other, as well as the seniors against the staff. Volleyball, football and cross country finished on top of the dodgeball competition. Afterwards all teams were celebrated with a photo slideshow of their season thus far.

The seniors beat the staff pretty badly. Most were out in the first few seconds except new Spanish teacher, Melinda Boettcher. "Mrs. Petticrew made me [play]," said Boettcher who was the last member of the staff team left on the court and the only female. She finally succumbed to the seniors when one of her many tosses was caught.

The assembly also marked the beginning of the new Class Cup Competition. Partially inspired by the House Cup contest from the popular Harry Potter series, the classes will accumulate points based on their school spirit and participation in homecoming events and charity drives.

At the end of each quarter, the class cup trophy will be awarded to the grade with the most points. "I'm so excited, because I love Harry Potter," said senior Madison Hiday. "I think it could really bring the classes together."

Prior to the school-wide gathering, individual classes met to discuss information for the coming year and to vote for the homecoming court. Seniors also voted on their class motto, while freshmen were introduced to their student representatives. Students left the assembly prepared to tackle the coming months as Marist Spartans.

Talkin' About the Lock-In



Wearing the orange Lock-In shirts, junior Amy Miller prepares for Saturday night in photography. Photo by Tyler Beyerlein

By Micah Stratton and Audrey Hart

The past few weeks many upperclassmen in Christian Leadership, Photography, Digital Film, Proclaim, and ASB have been preparing in their classes, to inspire, excite, and motivate the class of 2014 during the Freshman Lock-In.

The overwhelming majority of the freshmen are coming and ready for a memorable night. "I don't really know what's going to happen, but I'm so excited," says freshman Lexi Cross.



Above: Dylan Karr advertises Superhero Day at the junior class meeting. Bottom: Sophomore Patrick Laing listens to his class council announce the rules of the Homecoming Dance. Photos by Toni Cooper

Wait... WHAT?!?

By Brie Grudlesperger



Matthew Robertson is a math teacher at Marist High School and is a HUGE fan of Lady Gaga. Wait... What?!? Yes indeed he is in love with her work! Robertson said, "I think it's refreshing to have someone in pop music who is fresh and original."



Photo By Toni Cooper

Seven Straight

By Ray Ferrari

Wednesday, OSAA representative Tom Welter made his annual trip to Marist, presenting the 4A Oregonian Cup to the Spartan community. The award is a symbol of excellence in academics, activities, athletics, and sportsmanship. Marist has won the cup for seven consecutive years.



Photo By Micah Stratton

New Scoreboard

By Helen Kwak

This Wednesday, a brand-new scoreboard donated by Carl's Jr., courtesy of Marist's Karcher family, replaced the archaic one in the gym. The old scoreboard stopped working last year during basketball season. When asked about the age of the old scoreboard, varsity volleyball coach Shari Pimental replied that she did not know. "It's been here as long as I've been at Marist and even before that," said Pimental.