

SPORTS SPOTLIGHT

Cloe Chase's 100 goals

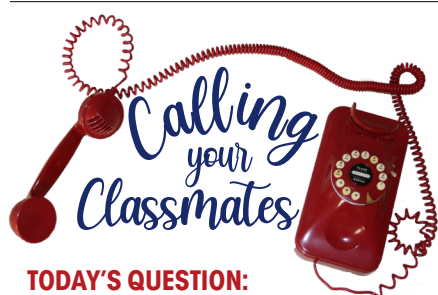


Senior Cloe Chase. Photo by Chris Fudge
By Brady Bidwell

Team captain and only senior on the girls soccer team, Cloe Chase recently scored the 100th goal of her high school career. Her talent and ability to score has made her the player to watch this year for No.1 ranked Marist's girls soccer. The undefeated Spartans are on track for another successful end-of-season run. According to the Springfield Chronicle, she is just the 15th athlete to score over 100 career goals in Oregon history. Chase was honored before Wednesday's senior night game as Marist swept Cottage Grove 12-0.

Can't Miss Match-ups

Regular seasons for fall sports are coming to a close, with many of the programs now moving into playoffs. Continue to support the Spartans as they work to achieve state titles in these coming weeks.



TODAY'S QUESTION:
WHAT FICTIONAL CHARACTER ARE YOU MOST LIKE?

Bryce Gray



"I'm most like Homer (Simpson). He's funny and upset a lot."

Blakely Hauck



"Rapunzel because I have long blonde hair and green eyes."

Jonathan McDonough



"Definitely Peppa Pig because I like bacon."

Haley Ross



"I'm most like the donkey from Shrek because I never stop talking and once played one in a nativity scene"

HOCO ON THE GO-GO

Students show off their dancing skills during the class dance competition.



The seniors dance during their class dance on Tuesday, securing them in first place. Photo by Toni Cooper

By Hailey Trank

In a week of celebration before the Homecoming football game and dance, the Marist community participated in various themed dress up days.

The week started off with Jersey day, with many Marist students showing off their pride for their favorite teams. On Tuesday, classes performed their self-choreographed dances for the rest of the school. Last year, students voted to change the decades from previous years

with seniors representing the 2000s, juniors the 90s, sophomores the 80s and freshmen the 70s. The seniors' impressive dance moves, funny skits and enormous surprise earned them first place. The sophomores came in second, with the freshmen in third and the juniors in fourth.

On Wednesday, students came to school dressed as a variety of dynamic duos. On Thursday, students came into school with baggy shorts and oversized shirts in an effort to

replicate Adam Sandler's most iconic outfits.

On Friday, the Marist football team played Philomath, emerging victorious at the annual Homecoming game, with a final score of 43-6. The fans did not disappoint, without a cheer team, the seniors stepped up and led the fans with cheers. Finally on Saturday, students were transported to another galaxy at the homecoming dance, which featured out of this world decorations and food provided by Student Council.

NEW GLASS ENTRANCE & FENCING



Photo by James Smythe '24

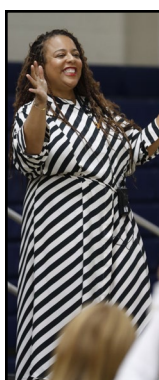
By Asher Pellegrini

The new fence and entryway is now complete after a summer of construction. Prompted by risk assessments in 2017 and 2022, Marist decided to move forward with construction of the new closed campus, which is nearly complete as of today.

Except for the front paneling, which is on its way, the security upgrade was completed in only eight months after construction began June, 2023. Baker shared the recommendation for a new perimeter with Marist president David Welch and principal Bob Fraley, leaving it up to Welch to raise the funds.

PEACE & JUSTICE DAY

By Ava Konrady



Dr. Alice Prince gives her Justice Day presentation. Photo by Toni Cooper

On Wednesday students took a break from classes to attend Peace and Justice Day, which was held in an effort to promote solidarity and unity within our Marist community.

The day started with a presentation by keynote speaker Dr. Alice Prince, who expressed the importance of self-love and the role it plays in the pursuit of social justice.

After her presentation, the

freshmen and sophomores attended two sessions about Food for Lane County and Native American land acknowledgment. The juniors and seniors listened to representatives from the Refugee and Services Program at Catholic Community Services and a yoga instructor who volunteers at the Oregon State Correctional Institution.

The day culminated with a Mass and amazing music by Proclaim!

CLUB FAIR



Calm club members Sadie Shah, Haley Ross, Declan Pellegrini and Jaxen Mazur look for new members at the Club Fair. Photo by Elizabeth Tucker '24

By Ava Konrady

Last Wednesday, a Club Fair was held in the courtyard during lunch for clubs to advertise their purposes to prospective members.

Clubs for many areas of interest were on display including established clubs like Chess Club, STEM Club, Theatre Club, Model United Nations, Speech and Debate, Justice Action at Marist, Marist for Life and the Latino Student Union formerly the Spanish Club.

There are also several new clubs this year such as Sand Volleyball, Ping-Pong Club, The Marist Movement Club, a DECA club for budding entrepreneurs and a Tabletop Gaming Club.