

## Sports **UPDATES**

**Boys Cross Country**  
**10/5** - Varsity finished fourth at the 13th Annual Twilight XC Invitational; senior Evan Villano finished ninth.  
**10/5** - JV competed at the Woahink Lake XC Invitational in Florence.

**Girls Cross Country**  
**10/5** - Varsity finished first at the 13th Annual Twilight XC Invitational; junior Jennifer Tsai finished fourth, senior Lucy Tsai finished fifth and senior Bella Zachern finished seventh.  
**10/5** - JV competed at the Woahink Lake XC Invitational in Florence.

**Football**  
**10/4** - Varsity @ Cottage Grove: W62-6  
**10/7** - JV vs Cottage Grove: W73-20

**Girls Soccer**  
**10/3** - Varsity @ Elmira: W8-0  
**10/8** - Varsity vs Cottage Grove: W4-0; JV vs Cottage Grove: W

**Boys Soccer**  
**10/3** - Varsity vs Elmira: W10-0; JV vs Elmira: W9-0  
**10/7** - Varsity @ Cottage Grove: W4-0; JV @ Cottage Grove: T1-1

**Volleyball**  
**10/3** - Varsity @ Cottage Grove: L2-3; JV @ Cottage Grove: W3-0; JV2 @ Cottage Grove: W2-0  
**10/8** - Varsity @ Elmira: W3-1, JV @ Elmira: W2-0

**Boys Waterpolo**  
**10/4** - Varsity @ South Albany: L6-13



Marist varsity football players lift their helmets after prayer. Photo by JJ Anderson '20

## CRUNCHY LEAVES, CRUNCHY APPLES



Senior Dempsey O'Leary takes a selfie of his economics class while on the apple walk with teacher Mark Chronister. Selfie by Dempsey O'Leary '20

### Seniors in Honors Economics participate in annual apple walk

By Billy Christiansen '20

On a cool and sunny Fall day, Economics teacher Mark Chronister took his honors students out on his annual apple walk on the bike path behind the school, and on the bridge that overlooks the Willamette River.

"I thought it would be an entertaining way

to talk about utility, while also bringing in the issue of aesthetics, which economists have a hard time putting a price on," Chronister explained.

Utility is the usefulness or satisfaction obtained from a good or product. He explained in class that it is easy to put a price on an apple,

but a price can't be put on a beautiful Fall day.

Chronister has had a love for apples since he was a paperboy in his youth, and would always take two or three apples with him. The routine of gathering apples and bringing two or three of them to his job during the Fall has continued into his adult life.

## SPARTANS DON'T PLAY AROUND

Varsity boys plan to defend win streak in upcoming games



Sophomore Ryan Cary kicks the ball between two defenders on the opposing team. Photo by Amanda Jewett '20

By Nick Stice '20

After tying the first game of the season, boys soccer has gone on an eight-game win streak through a tough pre-season and the first half of league play. The pre-season included a couple of 5A teams along with a few 4A teams from other leagues.

Beating Elmira 10-0 last week and a 4-0 win against Cottage Grove Monday, they have been great on both sides of the field, led on the defensive end by senior goalie Sam Bell. "My personal goal would be to keep putting up shutouts for the rest of the year. I have faith that our guys up top will do their jobs and score goals, but I have to do my part and keep zeros up on the scoreboard," Bell said.

The team has been able to come together on and off the field. "Everyone is very supportive and it keeps everyone ready and excited to win," sophomore Ryan Cary said.

Taking every game and every challenge one step at a time has been a focus all year. "Our team goal starts with winning league and if we can get that, we are looking towards state and every play-off game that's in front of us," Bell said.

As they begin the Sky-Em league with some huge wins, the team has stayed on track for the postseason. "We need to stay focused so that we can compete at the highest level against every team," Cary said.

## WELCOME TO THE CLUB

Club seasons launch with breezeway recruitment



Junior Ryan Kockeler poses with the Pro-Life club board during the Annual Club Fair. Photo by Amanda Jewett '20

By Nikola Suscec '20

The Annual Club Fair filled the breezeway between the front office and courtyard Wednesday at lunch with displays for the many clubs at Marist to attract new members.

The freezing fall day failed to scare students away. Students packed the breezeway to peruse posters, sample candy, and nod to pleas from their club-leading friends to join them, every club maintaining that any new members

are sure to have fun.

Prospective members could choose between many clubs, whether veteran groups like Environmental Club, Interact Club, Spanish Club, Pro Life Club as well as new groups like the Catholic Culture Committee, Fishing Club, Hacky Sack Club, the Kazoo Club, and the Gents Club.

Not every club was present, such as French Club, whose leader was attending an Encounter-planning meeting.

## THE GOOD, THE NEW, THE UGLY

Marist Arts springs for new water fountain in the 100 wing to decrease use of disposable plastic bottles



The good: John Calavan fountain



The new: 100 wing fountain



The worst: 200 wing fountain

By Talon Larson '22

Starting this year, students and athletes are pleased to have a new water fountain that will fill water bottles in the 100 wing hallway outside of the main gym thanks to the Marist Arts. The only other fountain that fills water bottles is in the science wing.

The arts department received a grant for some tech equipment, which meant they had money in their budget to buy and install the \$2000 fountain over the summer. Theatre director and co-department head, Tony Rust, wanted to stop selling bottled water at plays and instead sell refillable water bottles to reduce the amount of plastics.

While I was researching this water fountain I decided to see if there was anything special about the other 17 fountains on campus.

I talked to some students to get their opinions on the quality of the many different water fountains. My findings are that the new theatre fountain is the best, then the one in the weight room and the science wing fountain rounds out the top three.

But my personal favorite is the John Calavan water fountain outside of the Activity Center because the water is very good. The worst water fountain I found is in the one in the 200 wing because of the water being "yellow" sometimes.

## ROOF WALKERS

It's NOT Santa up on the roof!

Have you heard people on our roofs? Or been surprised by a shadow coming from above? It's not Santa, Marist is currently patching small roof leaks in preparation for a bigger job in the spring.