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FOOTSTEPS 2005 "Future Tense"



A Tense Sky Looms Over the St. Joseph's Campus in Late November

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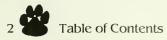
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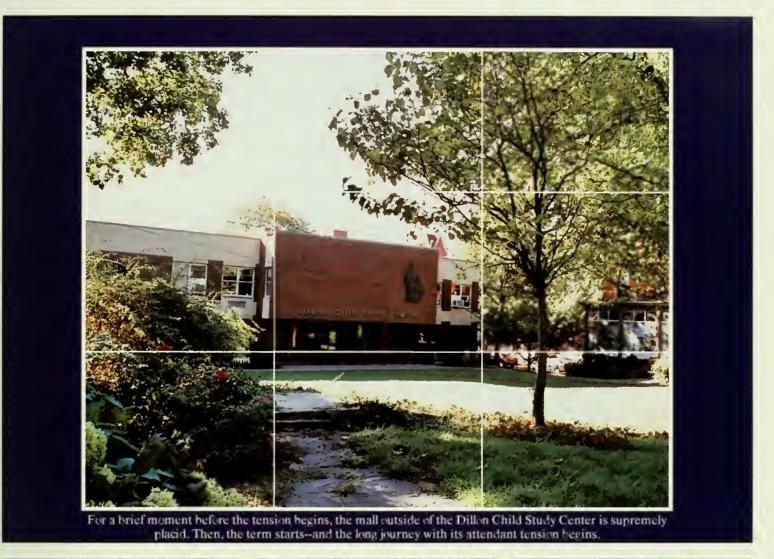
\tens\ n [ME tens time, tense, fr. MF, fr. L tempus]: : 1. distinction of form of a verb to indicate the time of the action or state--as in what will occur in the future.

2. How an undergraduate feels about life, as in: Q: "Hey, what's it lookin' like for you in the future? A: Tense, man.

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t is a time of tension--for America, for New York City--and for virtually every college student in the nation. St. Joseph's is no different. College is a mere stopping off point in life. What happens next is the 'real deal'--the show--life itself. St. Joe's has done its very best to prepare each and every graduate for a career, a profession, a calling in life. It has offered friendship, fun and community. But it does not change the fact that for so many of us, *future tense* describes how we feel.

■ hev don't wait very long to start applying pressure and letting you know what they are all about at St. Joe's. Walk in the front door of the 245 building and there it is: Esse, non videri--To be, not to seem. It's not creating about illusion of an education, or being prepared to tackle life's numerous challenges. Instead, it's about actually getting education that acquiring the tools to be someone or something. Nor does it matter what a student's major or chosen field education, pre-med, prelaw or any other course of study offered by the college. They take it very seriously here--and they want us understand that it's all about our futures. Make no mistakes about it: The future starts Day 1 at St. Joseph's College--and that future can certainly be tense.









Books. lab reports. endless hours of research in the library—all part of the college experience, all part of the pressure cooker atmosphere that undergraduate education can become if time becomes an adversary rather than an ally. For Kimberly Byrne, a few hours of work in the library means less to take home with her at night.

s midterm exams approach, the tension mounts and tempers can run high. For Craig Laquidaria and LaShaun Wright, that means some verbal sparring--even some verbal fireworks, before cooler heads prevail and reason triumphs over emotion (photo lower left).

or student teachers such as Laura DiLello. life can have its trials as well as joys. Talk about tense! Sometimes a student teacher feels like tearing her hair out (photo left).



hen it all becomes too tense, where do you go? What do you do? Adam Platka finds a quiet stairwell and hides (photo above).

ense? Pump some iron like Anthony Leone and work up a sweat, burn off the nervous energy and relax (photo near right).







here are, however, a variety of ways to ease the tension at St. Joe's. Sometimes all it takes is a common hour when friends can meet, laugh, discuss the day, and share their burdens to make things feel much better (photo left).

ew things can be as nerve-wracking and tension-promoting as a visit to the Financial Aid Office. There is always that scintilla of doubt in a student's mind as to whether the package will be as big as it needs to be. From the looks on Daniela Patti's and Victoria Caputo's faces, it's a split decision (photo lower left).



WELCOME TO ME U.A.C.A.B.

nother outlet for students is the Student Services Office--Room 101 of the 245 Building. It's home base for almost everything extracurricular at St. Joe's. Here students find out what is coming up and how to become a part of a host of activities and events (photo above).

tarting a semester can also cause tension when it comes to buying books. It's not unheard of for a student to spend 400-500 dollars on texts. Jamie Maiello checks the bulletin board to see who is selling used texts (photo left).

will it work? Won't it work? For students in Biology Lab, such questions are not only routine, but crucial to the outcome of experiments and therefore grades--just one more form of tension faced every day by the typical undergrad (photo left).



THE ME



In times of tension—such as exam week, it's all about maintaining your sanity (and finding those few extra moments to study). For Melissa Quercia, Kathleen O'Neill and Lisa Hourigan, that means sneaking a few minutes of extra study time on the mall while the weather is still fair and it's still relatively quiet. Then, it's time to march into class and tackle the midterm examination (photo above).



SATs, MCATs, GREs, GMATs, LASTs--it's a veritable alphabet soup for seniors who realize their bachelor's degree is only step one. Now the *real* tension begins with graduate school apps as Chih Wei Chang learns (photo right).



ounge lizardettes? No, just two friends grabbing a moment together to talk (or complain) about life and school and the demands placed upon them. Nasima Amin and Janine Farraj find in the lounge, an eye in the storm--a whirlwind of papers, reports, lesson plans, tests. For Janine, there is the added burden of being the editor-in-chief of *Footsteps 2005*. Now if that job doesn't make you tense, you are highly prepared for a future careeras a member of a bomb disposal unit of the NYPD (photo left).



ates? Concertina wire? Razor strips? Is it a college or a prison compound? Pardon the metaphor, but sometimes, college life with its extreme form of tensions can seem to be just that: an inescapable lock-up with bars blocking every path. But the canny student soon learns to maneuver between the danger zones with the deftness of a rat in a maze. Soon, the bars fade into the background and the light emerges (photo below).







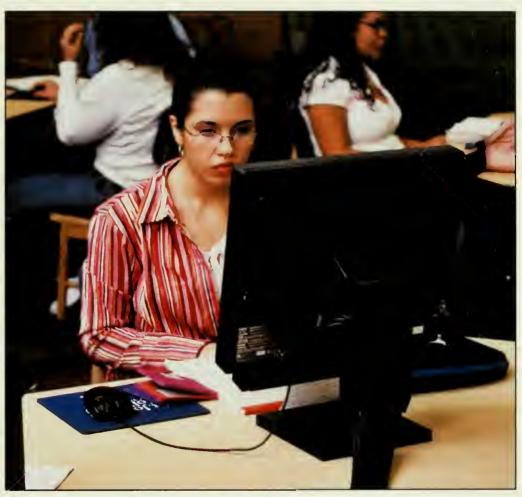
Ima mater: in Latin, 'nourishing mother.' That's what college is supposed to be--but after four years it's time to cut the cord and head out into the world like a fledgling leaving the nest. That means finding a job! A career! Something to do with your life! Lauren Zykoski and Mamie Summers got a jump on it early in first semester by checking out the prospects in the job market and getting their resumes tightened up so they would be impressive (photo above).



ell, when all else fails, it really can't hurt to ask for some Divine Intervention. But St. Joseph's has even seen to that need by providing an on-campus chapel just for that purpose—a chapel very much in use during exam week (photo below).

I t's a matter of intensity with a capital *I*. Anytime you boot up a computer, state-of-the-art or not, you always have to wonder if it will do what it's supposed to do. Raquel Rodriguez finds herself immersed in the computer task at hand (photo below).





ven a professor's witty comment can't always break the tension as seen on the faces of the majority of this lecture class. Intense concentration, constant focus on the subject matter, endless preparation of material, developing a study regimen not only for examinations but on a daily basis—is it any wonder that they invented the phrase 'tension headache?' It could have been created to describe a side effect of college life (photo left).



o, it's not the Boardwalk at Coney Island or some game areade in Times Square. It's a lounge at St. Joseph's. But *something* has to break the tension of thinking about the future--even if that future is only the next day's midterm. For many students today, that means an exhilarating ride through a video game, or a game of pool or ping pong. The lounges have a wide variety of entertainment features which all seem to scream one vital word to students of all years: *RELAX!* (photo left).



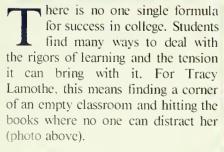




hive of activity during the semesteer. Work stations at many desks help in the prep process (photo top).

ne way to lick the tension is to form a study group. It doesn't have to be in a formal setting--as long as the work gets done (photo above).

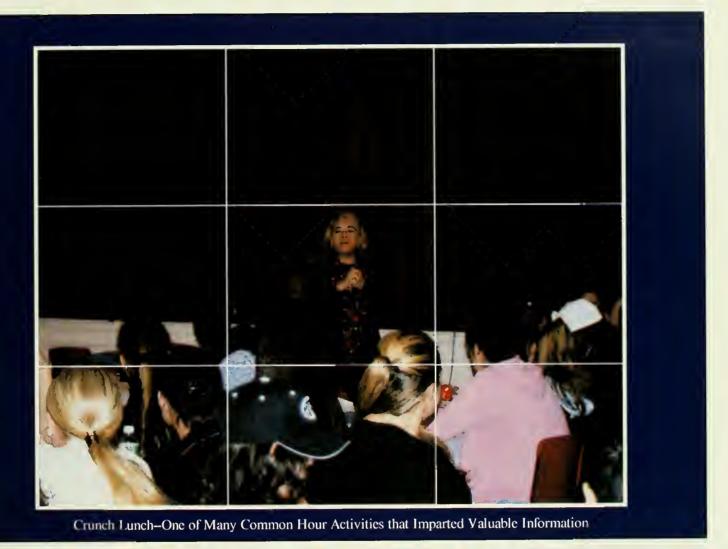
othing like starting the day all tense from riding around for 40 minutes looking for parking! *C'est impossible!* (photo left).







A GITY/ITES









ow here's something to think about: though a small school, a typical year at St. Joseph's College is simply crammed with activities. Whether it's a Blood Drive, or Up 'Til Dawn or Investiture or Open House or any number of heatre trips--plus clubs, student government and publications, there always seemed to be something doing on campus. In the four years we were at St. Joe's, it was the are student who did not find something to arouse his or her interest or curiosity.

ot look? It's a piece of cake for junior Nick Buttaro, who had no problem eyeballing his blood as it traveled up the tube (photo right).

I t wasn't just a 'student' Blood Drive. Members of the faculty and staff like Math Professor Dr. David Seppala-Holtzman rolled up their sleeves as well (photo below).





H ow do you smile while you are giving blood? You would have to ask Financial Aid Counselor Linda Pasquale-because somehow she managed to do it (photo above).

hat are friends for? Perhaps to hold your hand and mop your brow while you give blood. Willow Figueroa stayed with Christine Tobin for the entire time (photo right).





Danny Daghestani



Sarah Avin



difference so I Jessica Shamah

k's all in the Blood

n general, 17-22 year olds don't wake up in the morning and give much thought to saving a life. But for the 80+ students who donated blood during the two annual Blood Drives, that's just what they could have done-five times over.

Yes. each pint of invaluable blood can be broken down into its five component parts and given to five different people.

Run by the Science Club in conjunction with the New York Blood Center. the volunteers rolled up their sleeves and blithely gave so that others could live.

Ms. Lana Kagan, a Blood Donor Specialist with the NYBS said. "What makes giving blood so easy is not thinking about yourself, but rather thinking of someone who really needs it."

The Science Club's president, senior Mamie

Summers, said when asked why the club the sponsors blood "More drives. people should be less selfinvolved and more involved with the lives of others."

As for the pain, none of the donors found it nearly as bad as the hype lead them to believe.

One donor. Allison Hammond, expressed amazement that she felt no pain when the line was inserted: "It's in? Oh, it doesn't hurt at all!"

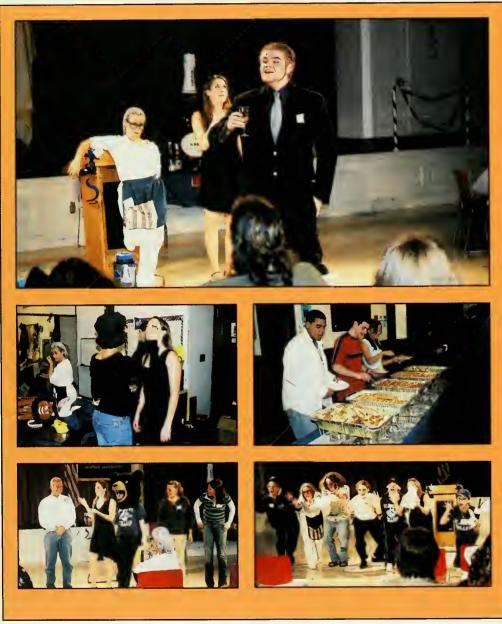


s. Beth Burke of the Child Study M Department looks on during the dreaded 'finger stick' that precedes the actual blood donation. To some donors, the finger stick is really more uncomfortable than the insertion of the catheter because of the more numerous nerve endings in the fingertips as opposed to the crook of the arm (photo above).



efore blood can actually be donated, there is some general paperwork that must be completed, and that includes an initial application to be a blood donor. For freshmen like Nicole Kirschner and Christina Napoli, it might require some thought--and possibly a bit of courage to sign on and become part of the drive. Fear can be a deterrent to donating, but most donors experienced little or no discomfort at all (photo above).

hough he was destined to spend most of the night face down as a murder victim, at least Stephen Klein got to kick off "Murder at the Class Reunion" as the nominal host of the evening, issuing a toast to all the alumni who had returned to the 'campus' of St. Joseph's High School celebrating the Class of 1984.



B ackstage before the performance begins, Willow Figueroa helps Christine Tobin apply her stage makeup (photo middle above).

A udience involvement was in evidence throughout the night. Here randomly selected guests are taught the "Bear Cheer" (photo above).

I t's just not a St. Joseph's College event unless there's food being served! A buffet dinner from Nino's did the trick (photo middle above).

T he company takes its final bow at the conclusion of the show-showing claws and fangs in one last Bear Cheer (photo above).





At the 20th Year Class Reunion, it was bloody...

time of reunion and a time of murder--all night! The time: October 15, 2004. The event: The 20 Year Class Reunion of St. Joseph's High School. The reality: It was the annual Murder Mystery Dinner at St. Joseph's College.

Interactive, loaded with audience participation, "Murder at the Class Reunion" gave the spectators a chance to determine who the guilty party was by following the trail of evidence presented by the actors.

Directed by Christopher Burke and featuring members of the Student Government, over 100 people came to join in the fun.

combined into one fun "We had great fun working together and I was amazed at the level of performance considering the short rehearsal time," said Burke.

> With dinner catered by Nino's Restaurant, the audience was satiated both dramatically and gustatorially.

> "The food was delicious and what I loved about the night was how the cast kept the crowd involved," said Erin Dorso.

> The audience's appetite is now suitably whetted for the next show.



erhaps it wasn't the most rewarding role of all time. After all, "murder victim" Stephen Klein had to spend the entire night (at one time wrapped in crime scene tape) lying prone without moving. However, it certainly took a great deal of physical discipline to assay the role of a corpse!

all it 'directorial preogative' or maybe even a liberal slice of 'ham.' Whatever you label it, director Christopher Burke chose to make a cameo appearance as an old woman in "Murder at the Class Reunion." However, he (she?) never got to utter a word in the show! (photo left).

H ome away from home for Viktoriya Syrovatkina is the Science Department as a lab assistant (photo right).

S enior Nasima Amin performs her work study as an office aide in the Psychology Department (photo below).





What's One Way to Help Pay for School?

Work Study

ne truism of modern college education is that it costs plenty--and it's not getting any cheaper.

Yes, there are scholarships available, Pell Grants, TAP, as well as guaranteed student loans. But for many students, even with these forms of financial assistance, private and even state universities are out of reach.

But there is another way to make

ends meet at St. Joe's and elsewhere, and that is through the Work Study Program.

In Work Study, students are employed in on-campus jobs in offices such as Student Services, Admissions, and Financial Aid itself.

The hours that a student works is largely governed by class schedules and a student's participation in extracurricular activities. In some cases a student can work as many as twenty hours a week to earn supplemental money for books, meals and transportation to and from school.

"The Work Study program gave me a professional experience and helped cover many of my college expenses over my four years," says senior Janine Farraj.

And it will continue helping other students for years to come.







E ach week, senior Jessica Shamah keeps the faculty aware of campus events by editing and typing "Weekly Happenings," an informative publication which also features contests and brain teasers (photo top).

S enior Michelle Graziano stocks the racks in Counseling with publications about graduate entry exams such as the LSAT, MCAT and GRE. She has spent her career at St. Joseph's as a work study student (photo middle above).

D ovetailing nicely with her career plans of being a chemistry teacher in the New York City school system, Maribel Gonzalez got to practice her lab skills in the Science Department as a technician (photo bottom above).

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Cassandra Seide

It is easier for me to work here at St. Joe's than at a school somewhere else because it is right here.



Tara Deahn

Being a part of work study here at St. Joe's sports gave me a chance to see what happens behind the scenes.



Ashley Kump

Being a work study student keeps me involved with the school activities and is a fun part of my day.



Laura Pagan

Work study helps me involve myself in a job where my skills and experience grow while helping others.



Li Tyson

Work study is an opportunity for me; one more person to help keep the books in the library in order could not hurt.



Adam Mace

My mom works in Lorenzo Hall. This was a chance for me to work while still remaining on campus, so I like it.



here's time for one last costume check the before curtain goes up (photo left).

utting on makeup is just one acting skill, as Katy Parker finds out (photo right).



Chapel Players

he evenings of November 4-6 marked somewhat of a departure for the Chapel Players.

Rather than the more traditional full-length play that the theatrical group usually presents, Director Tom Hoefner opted for a suite of one act plays by David Ives entitled All in the Timing.

The acts were loosely bound together by the omnipresent theme of time and its effects upon different people.

The comedy, produced by Jaime Vacca of the of Office Student Services, attracted large audiences.

"The show was very welldone," said freshman John Coastaldo. "It was funny and the sing-along to "La Bamba" at the end of the play was a great addition."

For their spring production, the group was considering doing a musical.



AB president Laurie Hartwig gets the food ready for the dinner performance on Saturday evening (photo above).

irector Tom Hoefner does double duty at the lighting sound and boards on the nights of the shows (photo right).







Rension?
No. It's just that Chris Traverson needs some help with costuming (photo left).

J ust time enough for a few laughs before the show starts for Steven Klein (photo right).





ALL III THE TIMING

NOVEMBER 4-6, 2004

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he company assembles in costumes and makeup and awaits the opening curtain. Time for one last publicity still as *All in the Timing* hits the boards as the Chapel Players fall production for 2004. A cast of 15 acted in the 6 one act plays that made up the show (photo left).

F reshmen were a very big part of the Chapel Players for the fall season. Emily McManus and Adam Mace, both first-year students, perform a scene from "The Universal Language" in which he tries to teach her the complexities of the new form of speech (photo below).





w ant em' to come? Better get some advertising! T-shirts, flyers--whatever it takes to build an audience, the Chapel Players use (photo left).

T om Brown. Steven Klein and Kristina Stumpf rehearse their scene from "Variations on the Death of Trotsky" before going onstage (photo above).

Nights!

There's light at the end of the tunnel for Seniors when they celebrate at 101 Nights!

ust like spring, Nights 101 was a little late this year.

which marks a mere 101 more days of school for the senior class, was snowed out of its original date of February 24th. But one week later, the seniors gathered in Tuohy Hall for the big bash.

The party was thrown for seniors the by Sophomore Rep Steve from student government from Graziela's

and CAB.

Red table cloths, red balloons and clock faces served as centerpieces. The annual celebration, reinforcing the theme for was the evening which was "Let the Countdown Begin."

> Each senior received as a keepsake of the evening. a small picture frame and a magnet/calendar which was inscribed with "St. Joseph's College, Class of 2005."

It would not be a St. Joe's event without dinner. Klein along with help The lavish buffet came

featured entrees such as baked clams, calamari and baked ziti.

A feature of the evening stand-up а performance by area club veteran Joel Chasnoff who incorporated many gags about college life into his routine.

Representative Steven Klein said before 101 Nights that he expected a large turnout and a successful event. The 130 seniors and guests who attended indicated that estimates for Klein's success were right on.



Was it good for you?

enjoyed 101 Nights very much. It gave me the opportunity to relax with my friends and celebrate being a senior.

-Meghan McDermott

or me, it was a very good night to reflect on the memories that I have of my years at St. Joseph's College.

-Mirella Ferrucio







o help keep the memories of 101 Nights alive, each senior received a combination picture frame/calendar inscribed with the theme, "Let the Countdown Begin" (photo above).





cash prize was awarded to the senior who knew the most about SJC Trivia in a spirited game hosted by CAB members (photo left).

inner is served! A huge buffet dinner and dessert from Graziela's was part of the eelebration (photo below).





omedian Joel Chasnoft Satirie brought some moments to the night as he joked about the collegiate experience (photo above).

ome of the seniors gather together for one final shot at 101 Nights. Nearly 2/3 of the senior class showed up for the evening (photo middle left).

ssisting in coordinating 101 Nights as well as all other senior events were Senior Reps Maribel Gonzalez. Miehelle Graziano and Janine Farraj (photo left).







D uring the Candle-Lighting ceremony, members of the Junior committee who planned and organized the evening's events assembled and made a 'group wish' after receiving their rings (photo above).



our proud members of the Junior Class, Kimberly Byrne, Mary Anne Sheridan, Lisa Geraci and Gina Cavitolo show off their new rings (photo above).



Janine unior Representatives Farraj (lest) and Michelle Graziano (right) welcome the Junior Class to the Ring Ceremony (photo above).



s part of the ceremony, junior Jonathan Bobin read a short story selection (photo above).



osemarie Danisi takes a break during the evening's festivities to thank her mother for her support and to pose for a photo with a close friend (photo above).

You knew the end was approaching when the juniors gathered to celebrate. . .

Rang

he journey towards a college diploma marked by many milestones. One of those markers was Junior Ring Night when class rings were distributed assembled before classmates.

The evening of March 5, 2004 saw the coming together of the junior class for the purpose of receiving their class rings and being together as a group as they prepared to enter their senior year of college.

friends and family members.

The activity was organized by Junior Representatives Janine

Farraj and Michele Graziano, who used the theme, "Near Yet Far" as iumping-off point the decorations and gifts and favors.

"I heard from many of my fellow students that Ring Night helped to bring us together as a class and forge our identity together as St. Joseph's students." said Farraj.

The rings were blessed and then distributed, the class made a "group wish" during a moving candlelight ceremony, and dinner was served. Graduation seemed right around the corner for all.



beaming Lori Ann Cappiello receives her long-awaited ring. Lori, a double major in Child Study and Speech Pathoogy is also a member of three honor societies on campus: Lamda Pi Eta. Delta Epsilon Sigma, and Sigma Iota Chi. She was joined by her family at Ring Night (photo above).



he evening's guest speaker was the chairperson of the Child Study Department. Dr. Susan Straut Collard. Dr. Collard spoke to the group about the relevance of the work of Jean Piagent, a name quite familiar to Education Majors, and how it would have a positive effect upon their careers and lives (photo above).

A Medley of Musings

ll in all, I had a very good time at the Halloween Bash, I was excited to play a balloon popping game where I won a straw! -- Carmine Cammarata



thought the whole aftenoon was fun. What I liked best were the clips from the horror movies. They were interesting.



--Jennifer Ciago

his was marvelous! It was great to be with my friends for a while. And I just loved the game with the baloons!



-- Janet Perigian

really liked the movie idea. I enjoyed it a lot, and I thought it was nice that we could share Halloween spirit together.



-- Ida-Stiliani Gjinali



alloween bash ample opportunity for craftsmanship. Jodine Ray paints a pumpkin (photo above).



kay. Erin Dorso and Christine Tobin might be just too into it as Batman and the Wieked Witch.





enior Kaitlin Parker blows up balloons that were part of the decorations for the Halloween Bash. She said of the event, "it was a great time for everyone who attended. A lot of people got to come together to share the Halloween spirit. What could be better than friends, food, candy, movies, and prizes all together in one room?" Later on in the day, one of the games that the partygoers got to play was a balloon bursting game which awarded prizes to some of the lucky and skillful players (photo above).





LALLOWEEN BASH

hat's more fun than a barrel of monkeys? Well, how about the auditorium of Tuohy

Hall full of costumed revelers all there to celebrate Halloween?

October 27, 2004 was the day that CAB selected for their Halloween Bash--and quite a bash it was.

Games, refreshments, hands-on crafts activities, costumes--and of course food, were the rule of the day at the Halloween Bash.

All CAB members were required to come in costume--and some of the costumes were colorful and creative.

"We wanted to give students a chance to come, dress up, hang out with their friends for a while and just have fun," said Laurie Hartwig, President of the CAB. Freshman Erin Dorso got to dress as the Wicked Witch of the West, a character from her favorite musical, Wicked. "I loved coming to the Bash in costume!" she said. The Halloween Bash was held in conjunction with other holiday activities such a Fright Fest at Six Flags Great Adventure, and an

appearance by Marcoux Corner.



L et's face it: Halloween bashes are fine--but sometimes it's also about money! For that reason, a raffle was conducted by the CAB for some great prizes awarded during the afternoon event (photo left).

S ome of the more talented attendees got to display their painted pumpkins for the rest of the crowd to ogle and admire. Some fifty different painted pumpkins were on display (photo above).



A ssistant Admissions
Director Keith Outlaw
leads a panel discussion
of Student Ambassadors at the
October Open House. Students
talked about various aspects of
college life with high school
seniors who were considering
St. Joseph's (photo below).

R ight before Open House begins, the members of the Student Ambassador Club gather on the steps of Tuohy Hall to show off their new gear and receive last minute instructions for meeting prospective incoming students (photo right).



lub members held fundraising projects to cover the costs of events that they organized as well as for the Florida Outreach Project to aid hurricane victims through the American Red Cross (photo right).

H igh school counselors from Puerto Rico were invited to St. Joseph's for dinner and information sessions held at The Water's Edge Restaurant. The Ambassadors were part of this event (photo below).









rivia Challenge is a major event of the club. High School seniors from the metropolitan area compete for



large cash prizes in an academic competition (photo above).

Helping and working for others...

S.A.C. STUDENT Ambassadors

nce not too long ago. they went by the name of "The missions Club," but when their the fall term. Student Ambassador Club," so did their range of campus-wide responsibilities.

of the Student Orientation process, their presence felt particularly at Open Houses for high school students and at orientation at the start of

name changed to "The" "We are here to ease the transition for incoming students and make them comfortable with the many things that are They still are a large available to them on the

St. Joe's campus," says co-president of the group, senior Janine Farraj.

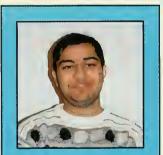
In February, they also hosted their 2nd Annual Trivia Challenge for high school students, an event that attracted best the and brightest seniors in New York City.

Why did you join the Ambassadors?



Michelle Graziano

enjoy sharing my input about my years here. This can help students pick the right school for them.



Gurgit Singh

wanted to meet people because it's fun to meet new people, talk to them and get to know them.



Mamie Summers

his was my chance to share my many great experiences here at St. Joe's with prospective students.

H andling virtually every detail that is involved with the yearbook, its

A Yearbook is Reborn

or the first time in two years, a graduating class at St. Joseph's would be able to hold a 'print' yearbook in their hands as opposed to the CD-ROM format yearbook of 2003.

Footprints 2005 returned from the dead in time for senior year, thanks largely to the efforts of Senior Representative Janine Farraj, who wanted her classmates to experience the joy of having an enduring volume of memories of their undergraduate years at St. Joe's.

Dr. Howard Weiner was brought on board as adviser and moderator for the yearbook and by mid-September, he had assembled a staff and the book was off and running.

Janine Farraj was chosen as Editorin-Chief, with Melissa Quercia as Assistant Editor and Josephine Di Salvo as Managing Editor.

Also filling crucial editorial slots were Jonathan Bobin as Photography Editor, Kathleen O'Neill as Sports Editor, and Maribel Gonzalez and Vanessa Valente as Senior Editors.

The theme chosen for the *Footprints 2005* was "Future Tense" and it was a reflection of the pressures and tensions St. Joe's students face as they earn their degrees and prepare for the world of jobs and professions.

"Editing the yearbook was one of the great experiences I had in college. I wouldn't have missed it for the world," said Janine.





hoosing the right layout for advertisements and checking the copy is the job of Managing Editor Josephine DiSalvo who checks some specs with *Footprints 2005* adviser Dr. Howard Weiner. Josephine also sold the bulk of the ads that appear in the yearbook (photo above).



I mpromptu brainstorming sessions help to generate ideas for the theme section, color selection, design elements and a myriad of other details associated with *Footprints*. Janine, Melissa and Josephine make a to-do list for the rest of the staff to complete (photo above).

Editor-in-Chief, senior Janine Farraj, measures photos against a layout sheet on the lightbox (photo below).





S enior Section Editor Maribel Gonzalez posts a notification for seniors to check their proofs outside of the new publications office in St. Angela Hall. Maribel was responsible for making sure that every senior had formal and informal photos and biographies for the section.

Fundamental Fotos



Parity 2000 photos are considered for inclusion in *Footprints*. Editor-in-Chief Janine Farraj and Photo Editor Lana Medvedeva select pictures for a spread.



Sometimes you take meetings where and when you can. Sports Editor Katy O'Neill resolves a problem 'on the fly' as she catches up with Dr. Weiner (photo above).



ssistant Editor Melissa Quercia uses the rotary cutter to size and crop photographs for a spread. Melissa filled numerous roles on the yearbook (photo above).



Gotta Dance!

embers of the dance club got to strut their stuff during the club's presentation in the fall

production of "Angles."

The show was a celebration of a variety of dance styles including hip-hop, ballet, jazz and African rhythms.

The Moderator of the Dance Club is Stacy Temple and the club president is senior Michelle Graziano.

The show took nearly three months to rehearse including lengthy technical and lighting uring rehearsals, the girls worked hard to achieve precisely the right

'angles,' right down to the arc of their arms and hands in numbers. Individual choreographers worked on their numbers over the summer so the show could hit rehearsals running as soon as school began in September. November, it was ready (photo right).

rehearsals.

"I love moderating the dance club because it gives me a chance to work with students in a whole different way than in classes," said Ms. Temple.

The dancers were accompanied by such varied music as J.S. Bach. Lindsay Lohan and the Eurythmics.

"I am proudly a member of the Dance Club." said Willow Figueroa, "because of the way we all pull together to show off our accomplishments as well as our energy and love of dance."







he finale of the show was colorful and Africanesque dance featuring senior Mamie Summers and the rest of the club (photo right).







club enior and Michelle president Graziano, clad all in white, uses the formal vocabulary of the ballet in her Act I solo number (photo left).



C lub vice-president and senior Marria 6 takes a solo turn during Thursday afternoon the common hour performance in which she combined ballet and jazz styles (photo left).

s Temple gives some last minute instructions encouragement and before the Thursday evening performance of "Angles" (photo below).







rue to her name, lithesome Willow Figueroa off her shows ballet elegant moves (photo left).



I t was so important for the success of "Up Til Dawn" for us to get everyone to work together.

-Melissa Byrne



O ur main goal in choosing "Up Til Dawn" was to help as many St. Jude's children as possible.

-Kimberly Guerron



D inner is served! As students and staff learned about St. Jude's Hospital, they were treated to a sumptuous luncheon (photo above).





M embers of Beta Epsilon Delta sorority and the Child Study Club were the co-sponsors of Up Til Dawn (photo above).

The children and families are the recipients of the generosity of St. Jude's Hospital and projects like Up Til Dawn (photo top).

MOMENTS



president Laurie AB Hartwig signs up with her team to do her part for St. Jude's Children's Hospital (photo above).



hough they could not become team members, faculty and staff members came to the luncheon and made pledges to teams (photo above).



festive atmosphere was in evidence in Tuohy Hall as ten-person teams joined up to participate in Up Til Dawn (photo above).

orority sisters man the tables to take pledges from students and faculty and to sign up teams for the marathon Up Til Dawn (photo below).



Beta Upsilon Delta and CSC stay up to help kids

P TIL DAWN



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erv few students now at St. Joseph's were even born in time to remember the great entertainer, Danny

Thomas. Perhaps his greatest legacy was not the many people that he delighted--but the many children whose lives he has saved by founding and funding St. Jude's Children's Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee.

No family pays a penny for care at St. Jude's. Only through fundraising activities such as Up Til Dawn, cosponsored by Beta Upsilon Delta sorority and the Child Study Club, do they gather the funds to treat children suffering from juvenile cancer and other ailments.

Up Til Dawn is a letter-writing campaign/competition in which teams literally stay up all night mailing solicitation letters asking for contributions.

As Danny Thomas said, "No child should die in the dawn of life." Up Til Dawn upholds that creed.



fter hearing some of the experiences of families of children suffering from catastrophic diseases. there was a rush to make pledges to St. Jude's Hospital to fight these illnesses (photo right).

Got problems? Who you gonna call?

Peer

"I think the Peer Counselors do a great job at Orientation and throughout the vear helping students who need advice on a whole bunch of topics." --Christine Ament

Peer Counselors

t the beginning of the school vear, it seems if as

Counselors are everywhere on campus.

But the truth of the matter is that long before school begins, they have undergone extensive training in order to be of most service to incoming freshmen.

The Peer Counseling under the Program, Directorship of Irene Nebel. takes highly motivated students and gives them the know-how and skill to help others.

They attend a two-day training retreat at St. Ignatius where they learn ease the how to transition process for freshmen.

They work on making orientation an enjoyable experience and all year long, they are available to counsel fellow students in need of advice.

Peer Counselors attend Crunch Lunch which is designed to alleviate some of the tension of the first round of college midterms.

They also assist freshman registration and write letters potential students. encouranging them attend St. Joseph's.

All in all, it's a busy, fulfilling and extremely useful program for everyone involved.





can remember 3 years ago, my first day of school as SJC. I knew only one person. I was nervous and didn't know my way around school. Thanks to my Peer Counselors, they made my first day a lot easier. I wanted to give that back to the new incoming freshmen. It was very fulfilling for me and I hope the new freshmen will now give to others.

-- Melissa Quercia

hen I was a freshman, it was great the way I was made to feel so welcome at St. Joe's. One reason for that was the Peer Counselors who I met. They helped me enormously and I got to bond with my classmates as well as the upper classmen in the Peer Program. I wanted to be a part of that and help the incoming students as I was helped.

-Tamara Bacchus

came to St. from a college in Maine. That's a big change for a student--but because of the Peer Counselors, the welcomed here and I made up my mind at that point that I wanted students in the new classes to feel just the same way, so I became a

-Michael LeComte

understand can how frightening it can be to be a college freshman--even at a small school like St. Joseph's--because that's exactly how I felt four years ago. Feeling afraid of college is a very normal thing--but no one should have to feel totally lost. For this reason, I became a Peer Counselor and remained one for three years at St. Joseph's.

-Janine Farraj





uring the summer training sessions, Irene Nebel teaches future Peer Counselors how to phrase their introductory letters to freshmen encouraging them to come to St. Joe's (photo left).

eer Counselors begin distributing gift bags and welcome packages to incoming freshmen at orientation in September (photo below).





Counselor Maribel Peer enior Gonzalez works on an art project with newly arrived freshmen. Projects such as these develop a spirit of teamwork and unity between members of the different classes in school (photo above).

t the St. Ignatius training retreat. future counselors get to practice their presentation skills by speaking and demonstrating in front of groups of other students (photo above left).





Nocks and Grannies

Finding the Best Places to Hang on Campus

hen the future feels tense, when the pressure mounts, everyone needs a place to 'hang'--some

hidey-hole, some nook or cranny that they can lose themselves in and have a moment alone.

Even on a campus that is as relatively small as St. Joseph's, there are plenty of cracks that we can vanish into for a bit of down time.

A garden, a mall, a deserted plaza behind St. Angela Hall, a lounge

S oda machines, Snapple machines, snack machines--everything a well-appointed lounge needs--can be found in Tuohy Hall. There's even enough privacy for the obligatory phone call (photo above right).

V irtually every building on campus has either an indoor or outdoor sitting area (sometimes both) for students to sit, grab some Zs, or even make some new friends and have a friendly chat (photo right).

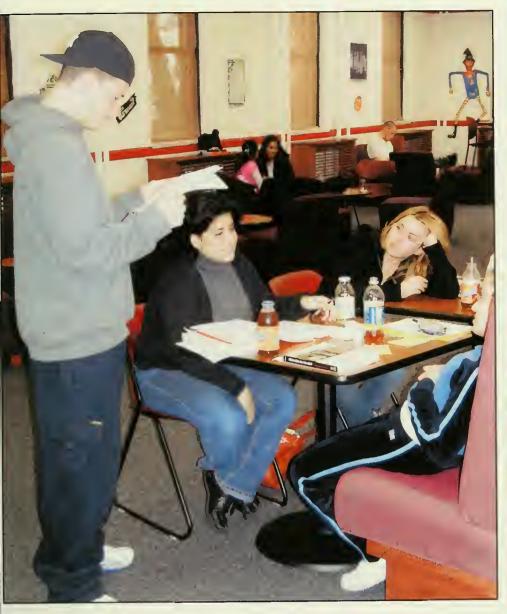
here and there, a cafeteria--even a deserted classroom can bring some tranquility to the most troubled of souls.

And yet, when it comes to 'hanging,' there are those who wouldn't dream of being alone. 'Hanging' time is for friends, for companionship, some time to raise a rumpus.

Here too, there are venues on campus for that type of down-time: A crowded cafeteria or a gym could be just the thing.

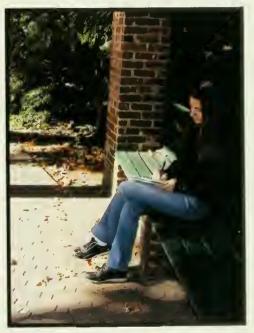






he Red Room in Tuohy Hall is a popular nook for study. relaxation, or just talking with friends in between classes (photo left).

W eather permitting, the sylvan atmosphere of the mall with its shaded nooks can be ideal for preexam studying (photo below).







or scholarly types like Jonathan Bobin, his nook is a nice quiet table in the library where he can do his work in peace (photo above).

ull up a slice of couch and take a seat with some friends. Sofas, tables and chairs seem to be everywhere on campus as in 245 (photo left).

What a New Year Party

"We all had fun, ate well, and hopefully made a difference to the victims of a terrible disaster. -- Gurgit Singh

ure, it was a few weeks after the actual New Year's on the calendar--but St. Joe's New Year's Party had a number of things going for it that the December 31st shindig didn't.

For one thing, at St. Joe's, the New Year Party was a dual celebration. It welcomed back students to campus for the spring semester and it was also a celebration of the Chinese New Year.

Co-sponsored by CAB, the Asian Awareness Club and Campus Ministry and Outreach, the party featured music and prizes provided by Z-100. games--and course a banquet of Chinese food with many specialty dishes prepared just for the New Year.

Yet another aspect of the big party: students were donate asked to for the generously Tsunami Relief Effort. which naturally, they did.





ever far from the minds of party-goers were the tsunami victims whose only thought was to survive. Hundreds of dollars were raised for the Sisters of St. Joseph in India and Tanzania to help in the relief efforts (photo right).



fter the long holiday break, students were glad to get back together for a New Year Party (photo top).

he DJ and hosts from Z-100 led the crowd in games and gave prizes like T-shirts (middle above).

arty-goers snapped up General Tso's chieken as soon as it was hot! (photo above).









usic, comic routines, M audience participation and prizes were all provided by radio station Z-100 which sent a DJ to emece the party (photo left).

ood was in abundance as revelers paid tribute to the coming of the Chinese New Year with a menu of Chinese favorites (photo above).

colorful plants and decorations indoors almost made the partygoers forget the blizzard that struck the city only two days before the party (photo left).

he evening of February 12 was Senior Night for the Men's and Women's Basketball teams as well as the Dance Team. All three squads bade farewell to their Senior members with gifts and appreciation for their dedication and work (photo right).

tudent Ambassadors Club held its first common hour activity--a Karaoke-which gave even the shvest performers a chance to stand up and sing. Over 130 people attended the eelebration (photo below).





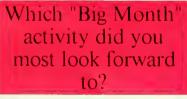
nother big part of One Big Month was a celebration of Black History Month including a fashion show of African- American styles (above).

apper/poet J. Ivy came to St. Joe's on February 16th and entertained a large audience with his verse and rap stylings (photo right).











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Gurgit Singh



rtist Janet Smith's work was highlighted in February during Black History Month in her exhibition, "Mystical Dimensions" (photo left).

OVER EVOYTV!

old, bleak, unpromising. Choose an adjective for the month of February, and it probably would not apply to St. Joe's.

On campus, February is a BIG month! From the first day of the month with it's art exhibit entitled Mystical Dimensions, to 101 Nights, Karaoke, Mardi Gras, Trivia Challenge, Senior Night for the Basketball Teams, Alumni Hoops Night, J. Ivey--there was something happening every day on campus.

CAB, the Student Ambassadors Club, and the various other clubs and organizations pooled their talents to turn February into an activities 'happening.'

The weather outside may have been frightful, but indoors, it was reassuring to know that for the students on the Brooklyn campus, activity and level involvement were BIG!



igh school contestanats get to show their stuff in the annual Trivia Challenge run by the Student Ambassadors Club (photo above).



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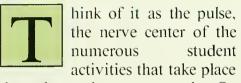
Gina Cavitolo





A throof Activity

Room 101: Incubator of Campus Activity



throughout the year on the St. Joseph's campus.

Home to the student government, Campus Activities Board, and overseer of such other groups as the yearbook, newspaper, Chapel Players and others, Room 101, the Office of Student Services, is the fiefdom of Sherrie VanArnam; as its director, she handles multiple budgets, advises the student government, and is involved in virtually every event and activity that occurs on campus.

Of course, it is also a place to get help, advice, offer suggestions, or just meet people and make some new friends.



What's the Attraction?



B cing a part of student government is something I always wanted--Io have a say in what happens in my school.

-Natalie Fascianella, CAB



I was eager to improve my p u b l i c speaking skills and have the ability to meet and work with different people.

-- Christina Traverson, VP/SG

athered around the table for lunch, officers of the student government 'brainstorm' ideas for new activities and how to make the ones already on the schedule a success. The Campus Activities Board and the student government both call Room 101 home (photo top center).

D irector of Student Services Sherrie VanArnam juggles multiple roles as director, moderator, and member of several campus committees. Her days are long-and her commitment to providing services for St. Joseph's students is complete (photo right).







umerous fund-raising activities have their origin in the Student Services Center. Brandon Graham brings in a donation can full of money collected at the Fashion Club's December Fashion Show (photo middle below).

s the president of the C.A.B., junior Laurie Hartwig presides over selecting which activities and events will be scheduled for the entire school year (photo below).







ssistant Director of Student Services Jaime Vacca shares a laugh with freshman Adam Mace as office adjunct Willow Figueroa takes in the fun of the moment (photo above).

he Publicity Coordinator for the Campus Activities Board is Diana Harvey. Responsible for publicizing all school events, she places flyers in club presidents' mailboxes (photo left).

D illon Child Study Center is where life begins for future teachers. Here, children are observed in both classroom and play settings for education courses (photo right).

A s the sign says, "Learning is fun!" and student teacher Lori Cappiello tries to inject that philosophy into her lessons with her 5th grade class (photo bottom right).

QUOTABLE QUOTES



I have learned that you can learn as much from your students as they can learn from you.

-Lisa Hourigan



This has been a very good chance for me to get my foot in the door as well as learning a lot.

-Sarah Avin



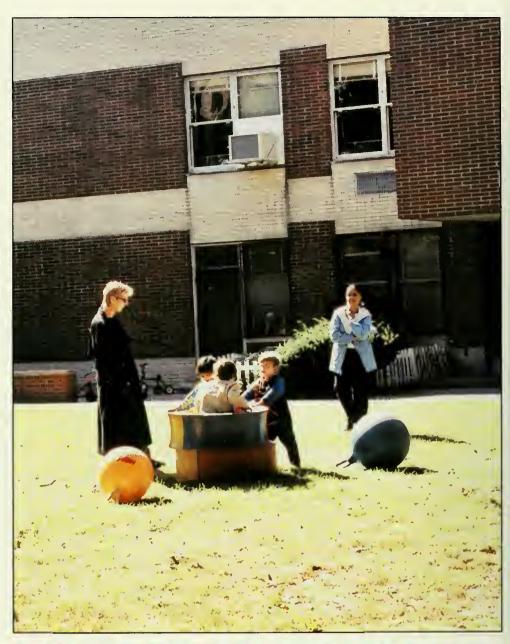
S tudent teaching has given me hands-on experience that has solidified my decision to teach.

-- Gina Cavitolo



I was so h a p p y with the support that I received from my cooperating teachers. I really enjoyed it!

-Kim Byrne









hough most future teachers at St. Joe's are headed for the younger grades, some, such as Maribel Gonzalez--a Chemistry major--are headed for secondary school (photo far left).

A t P.S. 176, student teacher Jessica Regevik teaches her fifth grade class to distinguish one animal from another utilizing visual aids. Her goal is to teach inclusion classes in elementary school (photo left).

Student Teaching

It takes four years for the process of transfromation to be completed--from inquisitive newcomers to members of that most vital of professions: teaching.

o one will ever confuse teaching with an easy way to earn a living-summers off notwithstanding. It has many rewards--but it can be frustrating, demanding and frequently exhausting.

But the training that students receive at St. Joseph's College on the early childhood, secondary, and special education levels more than prepares them for the rigors

of the profession that they have chosen.

Beginning in sophomore year, students are introduced to numerous theories and practical applications of those theories in both coursework and fieldwork.

The many credits required for either a major in Child Study or a minor in Secondary Education enable students to sit with great success for the difficult battery of tests required by New York State for certification.

A dedicated cadre of educators with long experience in the classroom help to mold the young future teachers into dedicated professionals in their own right.

In the class of 2005, there are 40 Early Childhoold majors alone--a great testimony to the widespread reputation that St. Joe's has as breeding ground of future teachers.





I ndividualized instruction is a major ingredient in the success of young learners. Student teacher Melissa Quercia checks a writing assignment with her 4th grade students (photo left).

F ollowing a student teaching seminar class, students gather around S. Rosemary Lesser to ask for some personalized guidance concerning their student teaching experiences during the term (photo left).

embers of the Brooklyn Philharmonia Chorus were on hand to sing for the guests (middle below).

(photo below).

For sheer fun, there's no beating the excitement of the annual...

Iso featured was the newly reformed St. Joseph's Choral Society Iso featured was the newly reformed St. Joseph's Choral Society





ctivities and events by the handful! Everything from a tree lighting ceremony to a vocal recital by the chorus. From a fashion show to a huge raffle. From a children's fair at the Dillon Center to a day-long celebration of good cheer--all this was part of the annual Holiday Festival.

Slated for the week before final examinations (December December 9), Holiday Festival represents the happiest, most giving and warmest time of year on the St. Joseph's campus. The

spirit of the season lives in every hall and room of the school and the week commemorates not only the spiritual nature of the season, but the joy of term's end and the prospects of a new year.

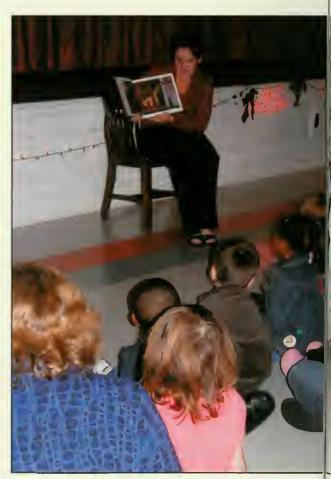
"This is the happiest time of the year on campus," said Adam Mace. "Everyone just seems to be so friendly and giving--even with finals right around the corner," he added.

Organized by the Office of Student Services and other groups, the Holiday Festival was a time to think about others first.

ach club and activity was responsible for creating a holiday basket reflective of what the activity does during the school These haskets were raffled off at Holiday Fest after the many attendees had the opportunity to look at the contents of various packages. The raffles and baskets were just one more way the spirit of the helidays was raised during the last full week of classes before exam week began.



he pre-schoolers from the Dillon Center were a large part of the festival. They were treated to storytelling in Tuohy Hall (photo right).





art of the holiday festive season was the "Giving Tree" located in the lobby of Tuohy Hall. Ornaments made by the Ministry Campus and Outreach Club the Child and Study Club listed names of children eurrently residing at Providence House, a shelter that houses 15 families. Also on the ornaments were what the children needed. Joseph's is the primary sponsor of these families and over 200 gifts were collected during the drive (photo left).



all who attended. -Adam Platka

hat

impressed the most

about the week of Holiday Fest was

how well-planned all

the different activities were. My hat is off to

am really glad that the school was able to bring the Christmas spirit to the children the Dillon from Center. I think that is so important.

-Crystal Jacobowitz



Dillon he Children loved the excusrion and since 1 missed the Chorus at their Thanksgiving recital, I am glad I got to hear them for Christmas.

-Carol Sullivan



laying for the kids at Holiday is the Fest greatest of feelings. Christmas is about ehildren--and this is an awesome chorus!

-Lynn Portas Chorus Director

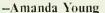


inging has been a large part of my life. It is pleasing to see the looks on children's faces and know the effect that music can have upon them.

-Andrea Rosado



y favorite part of the week was when the Philharmonia Chorus took the time to come and entertain us. They were professional and great in all they sang.





bration culminated with the Annual Luncheon on the last day of the semester before finals began (photo above).

hild Study majors got to interact with the children from Dillon Center by dancing with them, playing games and singing Christmas songs as well as reading them traditional holiday stories (photo left).



A t the monthly staff meeting, Dr. Weiner goes over the beats for the next edition (photo right).

A ssistant Editor Janine Farraj bundles the papers before they are distributed (photo below).







Face to Face



Christina Ament

or a freshman to be chosen as the editor-inchief of a college newspaper is a very special thing for me. To be given so much responsibility as a new student shows me the respect and confidence that Dr. Weiner had in my ability to get the job done and that's what I've tried for all year.



Adam Mace

really like to hold the paper in my hands once it's finished and know that this is my publication--that I am one of the people that made it happen. Yes, there are the pressures of deadlines, but I am used to working that way. It's been a great first year with *The Spirit*.







t has been nearly eight years since students and faculty at St. Joe's have seen a school newspaper. The Spirit seemed to grow in popularity with each issue as it was snapped up by upper and lower classmen alike and read avidly (photo middle left).

ero defects is the aim--no typos, no grammatical errors in the paper. Achieving that goal is demanding and time-consuming. Editor-in-Chief Adam Mace edits articles submitted by reporters before inputting them onto the computer and pasting them into the issue's layout (photo left).

Start the Presses!



first vear.

That is why Editors-in-Chief Christina Ament and both Adam Mace. freshmen, ran a staff of over 20 and ushered each edition into print under the guidance of new Student **Pubications** Adviser, Dr. Howard Weiner.

The Spirit provided news, features, columns,

op-ed pieces, all centered around life at St. Joseph's Brooklyn campus.

"I really looked forward to reading each issue of newspaper," the said Josephine DiSalvo, "and I only wish it would have been here for my entire stay at St. Joe's."

The Spirit is now back-and it's not going anywhere anytime soon.

ditor-in-Chief Christine Ament pins a note onto the bulletin board reminding herself to collect finished articles from reporters. Only a freshman, Chrissy managed a staff of 23 reporters (photo left center).

dazed looking editor-inchief. Adam Mace, stares at a pile of layout sheets and wonders where to begin piecing together the latest edition of the paper (photo left).



Snapshot Judgements

As my time with the team progresses, so does my dedication and commitment to tand to all my new friends.

-Willow Figueroa

As a freshman, I have come to see membership on the Dance Feam as a very positive experience in my daily life at St. Joseph's College.

-Nicola O'Connor

I think the Dance Team serves a real purpose by instilling school spirit at basketball games. At one game, I truly believed our cheering helped the team score points!

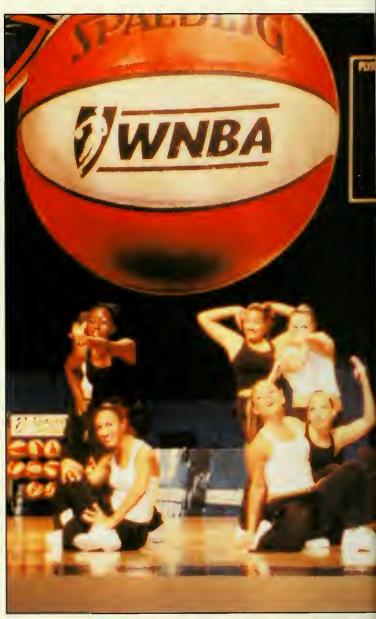
-Christina Ament

T he Dance Team is a big part of Midday madness (photo below).















Get up and Pancel

he year started big with a capital *B* for St. Joseph's Dance Team as once again they were invited to perform before a WNBA Liberty basketball game.

This time, however, instead of doing their pre-game routine at Madison Square Garden, home of the Liberty, because of the Republican National Convention, the venue was moved to the Great Stage at Radio City Music Hall.

The Dance Team also performed at Midday Madness as part of the celebration of the beginning of the varsity basketball season for both the men's and women's teams.

They would perform at every

Bears home game as well, entertaining the crowd with their precision routines.

The Dance team is co-captained by Jeanette Morscher and Christine Tobin. The moderator and coach of the team is Jaime Vacca, Assistant Director of Student Services.

The team's routines are a widely eclectic blend of hip-hop, jazz, and even Broadway show tunes, all designed to elevate the spirits of home basketball crowds.

Junior Willow Figueroa says of her participation on the team, "We have redefined teamwork and my sense of personal accomplishment has been heightened by being a part of the team."





he senior members of the Dance Team:
Sitting: Mamie Summers, Michelle
Graziano (Co-Captain). Standing: Kimberly
Byrne, Vanessa Valente, Jeanette Morscher (Co-Captain). The Co-Captains helped design the
routines and run the practice sessions that were
held before games (photo middle left).

The team finishes its routine at Radio City Music Hall before a WNBA Liberty game in September of 2004. It was their second appearance at a Liberty game (photo top center).

R outines for the team can take many hours and days to fully choreograph and rehearse (photo left).

W illow Figueroa leads the line in their half-time routine at the home opener of the Men's Basketball team (photo middle left).

little madness-and a lot of fun! That's what Midday

Madness is all about, and at St. Joe's it's the way to kick off both the Men's and Women's Basketball seasons.

November 10th during common hour saw over 150 students gather in the gym of Tuohv Hall to meet and greet the varsity squads for this year's St. Joseph's College's basketball program.

The event was put by Frank together Carbone, Sports Director coach.

The idea for the event comes from NCAA Division I schools which usually have 'Midnite Madness' to start their basketball seasons.

The purpose of the event was to engender a sense of pride and school spirit and also a way to illustrate that iust because a school is small like St. Joe's, doesn't mean that it can't generate excitement for its athletic programs.

"It was a good way to promote people coming

and Women's Basketball to games," said junior Kristin Healv. "They get to see who is on the team and support them," she added.

> The Dance Team was also on hand to entertain, along with a disc jockey who provided music throughout the various activities held during the afternoon.

> On the court, the basketball teams showed off skills during their warmup drills and practice games.

Fun, excitement, energy-and just a touch of madness stirred in!



ant to raise spirits and bring the crowd to its feet? What better way than by having Ursa Major, the St. Joseph's mascot. make an appearance? As part of the fun and excitement of Midday Madness, one lucky roundballer got to don the costume and show off some dribbling skills for the assembled crowd of boosters (photo above).



he three senior members of the Men's BasketballTeam were (left to right) Ayoandra Deas. T. J. Byrnes and Anthony Leone. At the beginning of the season, it was anticipated that all three would be major factors in the success of the team in its quest for a division championship. T.J. averaged over 13 points as a junior and was expected to improve upon that total in his final year of varsity competition (photo above).









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thought that all of Midday Madness was very entertaining and a lot of fun. I particularly enjoyed watching the Dance Team. It was evident that they put in a great deal time rehearsing for their performance and it really showed!

-Navan Cheung



ne of the great things about St. Joe's, I think, is that so many students come out to support our teams. Because of that, the afternoon was very exciting and I know that everybody that showed up had a really good time. It's one thing I'm going to miss about school.

-Michael Lecomte



joined the Basketball team after Midday Madness, but I was there and I really had a great time. I can't wait until next year so that I can be introduced with the rest of my teammates and feel all that excitement like they did!

-Svetlana Medvedeva



he whole activity was really pretty cool. I especially liked introduction of the Basketball teams. It made us feel like St. Joe's was on a par with the really big colleges and universities throughout the country.

-Mary Anne Sheridan

ust like the 'big boys' do it before each game, where the Pep Squad forms a 'vell line' to introduce the team's players, the Dance Team cheered and greeted the introduction of each uniformed varsity player as they ran onto the court (photo left).

he three teams that participated in Midday Madness, the Men's Basketball Team, the Women's Basketball Team, and the Dance Team, gather at center court at the conclusion of the celebration. Heralding the beginning of the basketball season. the teams showed their skills during warmups and in exhibitions of shotmaking (photo left).

F reshman Kai Lin Chen addresses guests, faculty and students during International Week. She spoke on the subject of diversity and multiculturalism. Other students representing their nations spoke during the week (photo right).



M onica Wojciechowski, Coordinator of International Student Services, welcomes the audience to the First Annual International Education Week and introduces the Dance Club's performance of "Movement Perspectives: Fall Angles" (photo above).



A distinguished panel of professors participated in the "Tolerance Across Religions Forum" in which they discussed "What Does it Mean to be a Good Person?" (photo right).



T he hallways of Tuohy Hall were festooned with the colorful flags of many nations as part of the weeklong celebration (photo right).





International Week

keeping with the growing population foreign-born students at St. Joseph's, the college hosted its First Annual International Education Week during the week of November 15-19, 2004.

The organizer of the week was Ms Monika

Wojciechowski, St. Joseph's Coordinator of International Student Services.

"We did this internationalize the campus and promote international education." said Ms. "We Wojciechowski. wanted to give our students the chance to celebrate their countries and cultures and share them with the SJC community," she added.

The reaction to the week's

activities was highly favorable.

"I found all the events quite interesting and I was impressed by how much went into the work planning of the week's activities," said freshman Svetlana Medvedeva.

Plans are already underway for next year's International Week. Ms. Wojciechowski would like to see a joint celebration with Patchogue campus.



particularly enjoyed the many performances. I learned about different facets of many cultures.

-Lusi Sin

enjoyed the food of many nations. but some of it I would not choose to eat if I had the choice.

-Anis Papaudo





olish, Chinese, Russian, Mexican-name the euisine and it was on the menu at the International Dinner held in the Student Lounge on November 18, 2004. Many of the dishes were prepared by students and staff members and served to the guests (photo above).



elub members anee GraeeMarie Varone and elub president Michelle Graziano perform using the international language of dance (photo above).



Fignas III the End

ure it's all about getting an education and being prepared for life--but it's also about creating friendships that will endure the test of time.

At a small school like St. Joseph's, you find yourself again and again in the same classes with the same people. It is all but inevitable that some of these will become your friends

Some members of the Class of 2005 came to college with readymade friendships that lasted through high school.

Others came from out of state or from other colleges, not knowing a soul on campus. But very quickly, they forged friendships out of necessity, loneliness, or a desire to have companionship during the time spent at school.

Ah, but will such friendships last? "My friends are amongst the most important things in my life," says Josephine DiSalvo, "and it's surely



F riends Lisa Hourigan and Melissa Quercia have been best friends for over fourteen years (photo above).

my intention to maintain my friendships for many years to come."

Strong and noble sentiments--but

will it happen?

We think back upon the promises we made to one another when we graduated from high school. There, too, we felt a bond that we thought would never be broken. By the end of the first summer after graduation, we had lost contact with many of our high school friends.

Fortunately, St. Joseph's College has a strong Alumni Association through which graduates will be able to find out about one another and keep in touch.

But friendships can be fragile. Lives take divergent paths, though we swear it can never happen to us.

Friends till the end? Perhaps. It's just another thing time will tell.

Head to Head to Head



A friend is someone you can confide in and tell your deepest secrets to. It is someone who will be there for you no matter where they are. I'm lucky enough to have two best friends, Lisa and Stefanie.

-Kathleen O'Neill



I think the only way to get through college is by having a best friend. It certainly makes life easier having a friend who knows you and who you can open up to and share everything with.

-Clifford Yun



T o me, a best friend is someone who you can confide in and someone who will accept you for whatever you are, no questions asked. That's the best kind of a friend you can possiblyhave.

-Lauren Zyehowski



have a pretty basic view of what a best friend is. To me, a best friend is the person who will piek you up when you fall. It's the kind of person everyone of us needs at some time in our life.

-Meghan MeDermott





riends and future bridesmaids at each others' weddings, Rosalia Triolo, Daniela Patti, Victoria Caputo, Mirella Ferruccio and Jeanette Morscher.

cience Club members and best friends Nayan. Viktoriya, Michelle, Mamie and Maribel (photo below center).

est friends for three years, and ear poolers to boot. Natasha Caban and Rosemarie Danisi vow that they will always be friends (photo below).











essica Regevik and Ginger Wright have been friends for 17 years! They met in kindergarten and have every intention of remaining so long after college (photo above).

warm embrace between Andrea A Pomaro and Jamie Maiello testifies to the great friendship that they forged while students at St. Joseph's College for four years (photo far left).

ne for the guys. Best friends and teammates on St. Joseph's basketball team, AyoAndra Deas and T.J. Byrnes have been friends for four years (photo left).

F reshman Schaeffer Charles models an ivory pin-striped shirt and cream colored slacks--ideal casual wear for the typical college campus. He is a charter member of the Dress for Success Club (photo right).

M ale models Charly Gaboton, Mike Bartholemy, Gracia Gustave, Shaeffer Charles and Dwell Bueso show off some classic formal wear and suits that feature the latest cuts and fabrics (photo below).





A fashion show in the fall and the spring, philanthropic projects to help fight AIDS, a column in the school paper--not bad for year one of a brand new club:

Dress for Success Club

t's a club that is devoted not so much to s a r t o r i a l splendor as let us say, to sartorial success.

The fall term saw the inception of the "Dress for Success Club," which attempts to instruct its members in the proper way to look for things like job and graduate school interviews.

It also keeps its members posted on the latest trends in the world of fashion and how these new styles can be incorporated into outfits that are both formal and casual.

The club was the brainchild of junior Euphemia Misori and is moderated by Michael Learmond.

"The first impression you make comes from your dress, and people treat you in a certain way based upon your appearance," Euphemia said about the rationale behind the club.

On December 9, the club held its first fashion show featuring the creations of local designers Chris Watts and Triple 5 Soul. All proceeds from the event went to benefit the Hope World Wide AIDS Foundation.

The show featured ten student models who displayed everything from African fashions to the hottest styles seen on runways in the world of fashion today.

"Fashion makes a statement. It has an impact on your life and it's part of your identity," said Mr. Learmond.

That's why dressing for success is so important.







Statuesque model Cassandra Seide shows off a zebra print pair of pants with a print tube top and matching scarf. Accessories like the scarf and the red rose add stylistic refinements to the outfit and make it more visually exciting. The shoes Cassandra chose for the outfit compliment the whole look (photo left).

W ith a casual look like this, it's no wonder that freshman Dwell Bueso is easy pickings for pretty girls on campus. Hands thrust deep in the pockets. cuffs bunched at the shoes--the look says "here I am!" (photo bottom).

On the Spot



ashion makes a statement and it has an impact on your life as part of your identity.

-Michael Learmond



A lot of people came and gave us support.
They were impressed by what we modeled.
--Gracia Gustave



was happy with the turnout and with the money we raised for Hope Worldwide.

-Euphemia Misori



A frican fashions are becoming a regular part of the American fashion scene. Here, Keisha Harrison and Euphemia Misori show the fabric and color possibilities of ethnic dress (photo left).

Potpourri

hough a great number of activities take place at St. Joseph's during the course of the academic year, in a yearbook such as *Footprints 2005*, which operates under severe space constraints, it is not possible to give every single event a two-page spread.

But to remember activities such as Elaine Pasqua's lecture, "Surviving the Party," or the Calpuli Mexican Dance Company recital plus others, we decided to create a page entitled "Potpourri"--a miscellany of on-campus doings which we attended or helped to present.

Even in one page, it is possible to come away with the impression that during almost every common hour throughout the school year, there was something notable occurring on campus that made St. Joe's a happening place.



A whirl of color--like two tropical birds in flight--was the dominant impression during one of the Calpuli Dance Company's common hour recital numbers (photo above).

F or freshmen, the first round of exams was a highly stressful time of the term. "Crunch Lunch" was a combination luncheon/lecture on how to survive the pressure (photo right).





E laine Pasqua, works the crowd in her motivational, interactive and amusing presentation on safe sex and the use of alcohol (photo above).

A cappella singing group Marcoux Corner provided much-needed comic relief as well as wonderful harmonies at mid-term (photo right).





D uring the celebration of World AIDS Day, part of the AIDS quilt was on display on stage in Tuohy Hall (photo left).



D uring Investiture, freshmen and Honors Convocation participants form the line of march (photo left).





S o metimes the common hour talks tended towards the serious. One of them, on academic ethics and avoiding plagiarism, was a great help at paper time (photo left).

FIGURATIVELY SPEAKING

110

Number of full-time faculty and staff members at St. Joseph's College Brooklyn Campus

25

Number of class available to students.

89

Number of years that St. Joseph's College has been in existence (founded in 1916).

14

Number of different majors offered 8

Number of buildings on the St. Joseph's Brooklyn Campus

82

Number of graduates in St. Joseph's College Class of 2005 135

Number of freshmen in the Class of '08

109,000 +

400+

Number of books and periodicals respectively in the St. Joseph's College (Brooklyn Campus) Library.

9

Number of school-wide and departmental Honor Societies at St. Joe's

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mall school, small athletic program--but just like the big boys, St. Joseph's athletes, male and female, are dedicated competitors who train hard and play hard. With only five varsity teams, there were limited opportunities for students to show off their athletic prowess--but what they showed was impressive. The Volleyball team won a conference championship, and the basketball teams were both in the thick of their conference title races.



Coach Joe Cocozello

"The reason for the tough non-league schedule is to make us stronger."
--Joe Cocozello Head Coach

B illy Haufmann boxes out the defender. Lukas Cygan drives in for the rebound against New York City Technical College (photo below).



Men's Baskethall

SCOREBOARD	
OPPONENT	RESULT
Sarah Lawrence	W 73-55
Webb Institute	W 72-52
Hesser College	L 95-64
New Hampshire	L 76-60
Vermont Tech.	W 74-63
CCNY	L 87-67
NYC Tech	L 79-67
Briarchiffe	W 72-48
Brooklyn	L 74-69
Band	W 61-54
Williamson	W 57-48
Medgar Evers	L 85-84
SUNY Utica-Rome	L 95-65
Hamilton	L 88-56
Michel!	W 73-62
Albany Pharmacy	W 85-54
Mass Hay CC	W 91-74
Pratt Institute	W 78-51
Purchase	W 86-79
Mount St. Vincent	L 96-94
Berkeley	W 96-62
Bowklyn	W 84-67
Washington Bible	W 71-60
Christendom	W 74-50
Purchase	W 75-73
Bard	1,61-56
Prett	W 82-76
CSL	1.98-62

erseverance is a good thing. After a so-so start to the season which saw the Bears trade victories and losses and barely keep over the .500 mark, the team came alive in the second half and soared to a season record of 17-10 for a .607 percentage.

In conference play, the Bears went 5-1 heading for the Hudson Valley Conference championship playoffs as the top seed with an .833 percentage.

Strong play throughout the season by seniors T.J. Bynes. AyoAndra Deas and Anthony Leone kept the Bears in the thick of the race until midseason when twice, they spun off five game winning streaks.

The 2005 season marked the first time in St. Joseph's College history that the Men's Basketball Team won the

regular season Hudson Valley crown.

Players such as underclassmen Chris Distefano and Wayne Warmbier were regularly in double figures and during their two winning streaks, the team was able to score as many as 96 points in a game against Berkeley College.

Facing Pratt Institute in the first round of the playoffs, the Bears were confident that in 2005, they could win it all.



B ack: D. Daghestani, C. Burke, A. Leone, L. Cygan, A. Deas, C. Olaskiewicz, C. Laquidara, C. Distefano. N. Warywada. Sitting: B. Haufmann. T.J. Byrnes, S. Wright, J. Cocozello, Coach, M. Donnelly, W. Warmbier, S. Slengakis. Missing: J. Basile.



eam workhorse and mainstay Chris DiStefano drives against Berkeley College defender who earns a foul on the play (photo left).

W ith the ability of a contortionist, Chris Di Stefano leaps high above the reach of a City Tech player to bucket two points in a slick layup. For the season, Di Stefano led the team in scoring and was up there in all other offensive categories (photo below).



his is no game for weaklings! Billy Haufmann hurls his body against a defender in a scramble for the ball against City Tech. Selfless plays like this kept the Bears in conference contention for the entire season (photo left).





Coach Frank Carbone

"Victory formula? Limit turnovers, be aggressive—and score more than 70 points." —Frank Carbone ital to the success of the 2004-05 season was the core of freshmen who stepped up to fill slots left by injuries. L-R: D. Maniatis, A. Ciorciari, J. Whyms, T. Deahn, S. Medvedeva.



Momen's Baskethall

SCOREBOARD

OPPONENT	RESULI
Marymount	W 60-15
Curry College	L 84 55
Lasell Calelge	L 84-57
John Jay	W 65-35
Lehman	L 79-73
Old Westbury	W : 1-59
CSI	L 90-50
New Jersey City	W 59-46
NYC Tech	L 74-59
Oberlin College	L 77-67
Immaculata Colleg	e L 54-52
Robert Morris	L 78-63
S. Virginia	L 63-30
CCNY	W 50-54
New Paliz	L 59-43
Briarcliffe	W 72-53
Humer	W 75-71
Brooklyn	W 70-54
New Rochelle	W 57-31
Apprentice	L73-60
Purchase	W 72-47
Mount St. Vincent	W 66-44
Band	W 73-27
Yeshiva	W ×5-67

he Lady Bears showed in 2005 that when the chips were down, they had the 'right

stuff to get the job done. Though their overall record was a respectable 16-11 for a

.592 mark, their record in the Hudson Valley Women's Athletic Conference was a perfect 8-0, giving them the regular season title, just edging out Mt. Saint Vincent's.

Much of this was accomplished after losing star player and co-captain Michelle Softy after only 8 games.

Other players stepped up to fill the void such as Annamarie Ciorciari, who had the first triple double in St. Joe's history. Lynctte Reyes averaged 15.7 points per game and Ciorciari had an impressive 111 assists to go with her 72 steals.

Freshman center Svetlana

Medvedeva was a rock in the middle grabbing an astounding 176 rebounds and blocking 14 shots.

Junior Debra Lupenowicz averaged 73.3% from the free throw line and Lauren Zecca led the team in total field goal pecentage at 46.6

With a team made up exclusively of underclassmen, the prospects are bright for Coach Frank Carbone's Lady Bears for the 2005-06 season.

B ack: K. McCorkell, L. Reyes, L. Zecca, S. Medvedeva, D. Lupenowicz, J. Whyms, D. Maniatis, K. Healy, J. Spinoza. Sitting: M. Softy, A. Circiari, C. Kavanagh, F. Carbone, Coach, K. O'Neill, T. Deahn, I. Whyte. Missing: D. DeJesus.





W ave bye-bye! The Lehman College defender's face says it all as speedy Lynette Reyes dribbles around her in a slick move towards a two-pointer. In an earlier came against Old Westbury, she bucketed 20 points (photo left).

hen Michelle Softy was lost for the season in December, the entire complexion of the conference race changed. She had been averaging over 17 points per game at the time of her knee injury that required surgery to repair (photo below).



team leader in assists, steals and field goal percentage, Lauren Zecca brings the ball downcourt and looks for an open teammate. Against Curry College, Lauren had her first double/double with 12 points and 10 rebounds. (photo left).





Coach Frank Carbone

"We work hard, we trust each other, and we believe we can do it." Coach F. Carbone t will take strong pitching and tight defense, according to Coach Frank Carbone, if the Lady Bears hope to repeat as HVWAC champs in 2005 (photo below).



Softball softball

SCHEDULE

The Hudson Valley
Women's Athletic
Conference
Schedule for
Softball was not yet
finalized at
Presstime

t took only 3 years for the St. Joseph's College Lady Bears Softball Team to go from the new kid on the block to their title as Hudson Valley Women's Athletic Conference champions.

An amazing 27-5 season

record saw the Lady
Bears whip Purchase
College 9-1 in the final
game of the tournament.
Returning pitcher/left
fielder and Academic AllAmerican Katie O'Neill,
MVP of last year's
tourney, will anchor the
offense while returning
players Lynette Reyes,

Carol Jeanne Kavanagh and Kristen Izzo all hint that "we could be even stronger if we can add a top pitcher."

Coach Frank Carbone had high hopes for the 2005 campaign, noting that "we set the bar high at the very beginning and overcame all obstacles."

School James James

M embers of the 2004
Hudson Valley
Women's Athletic
Conference Championship
Softball team (photo left).





eavy hitting has been a hallmark of H eavy litting has been a harman of the Lady Bears since the team's inception in 2001. They swept through the last two games of the 2004 playoffs with scores of 10-2 and 9-1. The big hitters return for 2005 (photo left).

elected for the U.S. Collegiate Athletie Association's All-American team, power pitcher Katie O'Neill, unselfishly praises her teammates for all their support in her compelte game tournament victory in 2004. The senior is seen as the team mainstay for '05 (photo below).



pring training afforded time not only for conditioning, but for a few moments of levity as well. The Lady Bears huddle up and flex their muscles as they prepared for the new HVWAC conference race (photo left).



Coach Michael Schober

"We accomplished what we wanted to do all season." --Michael Stroeber Head Coach P ractice hard--play hard. That was the secret to the Lady Bear's Hudson Valley title in 2004-05. Magdalena Wiecek practices her serve as Chrissy Ament looks on (photo below).



Volleyball

SCOREBOARD RESULT OPPONENT Lehman NYC Tech CSI York John Jay W 3-0 W 3-2 L 0-3 L 0-3 Ursinus Elizabethtown W 3-0 Mitchell St. John Fisher W 3-1 SUNY Purchase St. Elizabeth New Rochelle Navy Prep Springfield R. Island CC Navy Prep W 2-1 W 2-(1 W 3-0 Sarah Lawwrence W 3-0 Brocklyn Bard Marymouni CCNY Medgar Evers Mount St. Vincent Old Westbury

hink of it as "that champions hip season."

The year 2004 saw the Lady Bear Volleyball team win its very first title in the Hudson Valley Conference.

The team defeated Pratt Institute in the title game at SUNY Purchase capping a season that saw them go 24-5 which included an astonishing string of 14 victories in a row.

Seniors and co-captains Kathleen O'Neill and Lisa Hourigan played their last collegiate game and both contributed to the victory along with talented freshmen Marzena Stadicka and Magdalena Wiecek.

Coach Michael Stroeber said of his team, "All our players are stars and we accompished what we wanted to do all season." The proof is in the HVC trophy now at St. Joe's.



B ack row: M. Schober, Coach, S. Medvedeva, M. Wiecek, M. Stadicka, S. Parzych, M. Tang. Sitting: K. Healy, C. Kavanagh, K. O'Neill, L. Hourigan, C. Ament.



eam captain Kathleen O'Neill is the picture of intensity as she sets up a shot in the championship game. An academic All-American and a 3-Letter varsity Player, Kathleen was one of only two seniors on the Lady Bears team (photo left).

o-captains Lisa Hourigan and Kathleen O'Neill proudly hold their trophies after copping the Hudson Valley Conference championshipthe volleyball team's first title (photo below).



Lady Bears show their he appreciation to the team's graduating seniors, Lisa and Kathleen, on Senior Night (photo left).





H ead Women's Basketball coach and Athletic Director Frank Carbone flanked by his Assistants, Kim McCorkell Grafi and Mary Barry (photo above).

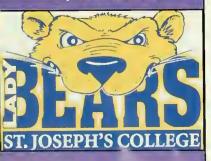
A fter only four seasons of varsity play, the Lady Bear Tennis Team won its first Hudson Valley Conference Championship in 2004. They looked to repeat in 2005 (photo below).



Sports Shorts and Shots



ne last huddle and the Hudson Valley title belongs to the Lady Bear Volleyballers (above).



ssuming that a picture is worth a thousand words, there is still no guarantee that a yearbook can hope to capture *all* that happens in a sports season at St. Joseph's.

For this reason, Footprints 2005 devotes

two pages to the variety of things that have helped contribute to both this year and the four years that we spent in college supporting our friends and teammates.

The coaches, the players, the faces in the crowd--all integral to St. Joseph's varsity athletics.





S trong on fundamentals like serving and strategic play, the Tennis Team powered itself to a title in 2004 (photo above).

here was time for one last group shot before this year's edition of the Dance Team took to the court to entertain during halftime on Senior Night (photo left).









enior Night for the Basketball Teams and Dance Team on February 12th was replete with gifts, balloons, and not a few tears for some seniors who had spent four years as team members entertaining at various events and at games (photo left).

he bench stays in the game as well as the starters. The entire Men's team tensely awaits tip-off on Senior Night for their game against Bard College. The Bears stayed in the conference race throughout the entire season (photo left).

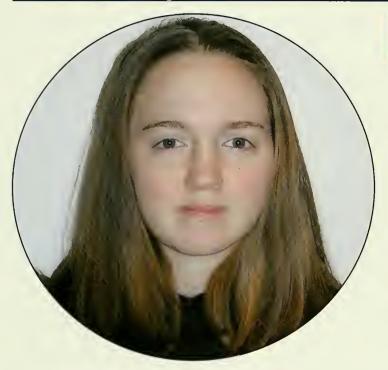


he Lady Bears picked up their first ever Hudson Valley Volleyball title thanks in a large part to the erucial and skillful play of a trio of freshmen, Magdalena Wieeek, Marzena Stadicka, and Svetlana Medvedeva, all of whom will return in 2005 (photo above).

pectator sports need spectators--and St. Joseph's teams have a loyal fan base that follows them at every home game. At Senior Night, the fans showed their appreciation to the seniors for all their hard work during their college athletic careers (photo left).

Plenty of Brains, Plenty of Abililty!

Two Lady Bears Named Academic All Americans



Kathleen O'Neill

hen you read this gal's resume, it makes vou wonder, what else can she do? Consider what she has achieved thus far: USCAA Academic All-American Softball 2004. USCAA Academic All American 2004. USCAA American Softball 2002 2004, Hudson and Valley Conference All

Conference Softball 2004. Conference MVP in 2004, and on and on... Add to this, Player of the Week Awards, multiple St. Joseph's academic sports awards. membership on Dean's List and in Sigma Iota Chi, and it is easy to Volleyball see why for Kathleen O'Neill, academics and athletics have proven to the perfect combination.



Lisa Hourigan

super

combination of ability and brains, Lisa has made her mark on the school, conference and national levels.

A USCAA Academic All American in Softball for 2004, she was also named to three

nother

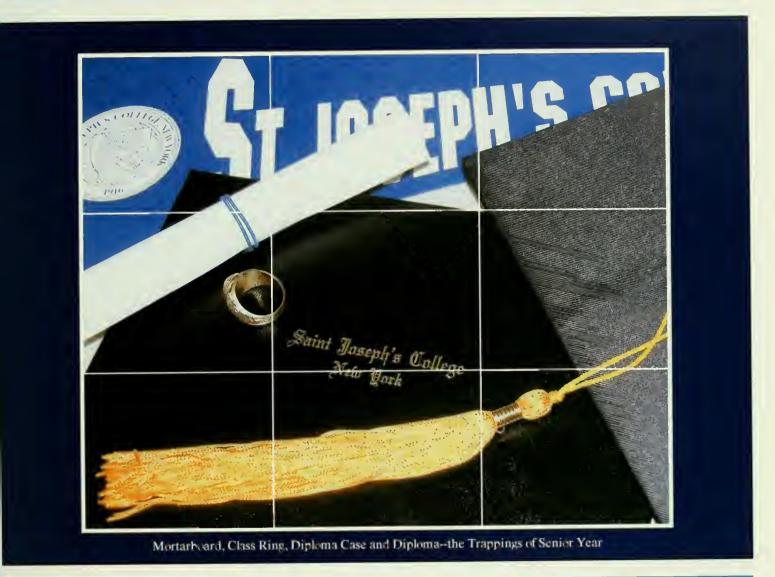
A USCAA Academic All American in Softball for 2004, she was also named to three consecutive Hudson Valley All Conference Volleyball teams from 2001-2004.

Whe was also the Hudson Valley Player of the Week in volleyball and named to the Russell Sage All-Tournament team in 2001.

In 2004, she received a USCAA All American Honorable Mention award for volleyball.

A member of the Dean's List at St. Joseph's, she will study for her Master's degree while teaching.

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epending upon when one checks with the Registrar, the number of graduating seniors in the Class of 2005 is anywhere between 81-86. Sound small? By big university standards it is--but small has advantages. As you look through this section, consider how many of your fellow seniors you have come to know and been friends with. Our small size was one advantage we had by attending St. Joseph's.

Presenting

The Class of 2005





FACT!

hat's up with the letter J and the Class of 2005.

Most common name?

Jessica (5 grads). But 16 other students' names begin with J! Next closest letter? L with a mere 7.

FACT!

erc's a fact some of you might have wanted to know earlier in your stay at St.

Joe's: there are 65 women in the Class of 2005 and only 10 menjust below the school's 7:1 M/F ratio!

FACT!

aybe someone knows something that the rest of us weren't aware of-but in the entire Class of 2005, there is only *one* student graduating with a major in English with a Secondary Ed. minor.

FACT!

n the other hand (and this probably will come as a shock to no one), there are (wait for it)--40 Child Study majors--nearly half of the Class of 2005! Now that's a lot of future teachers!

Dea Alushi

or Dea, life at St. Joseph's College has been about the sciences.

She is a Chemistry major who will earn her Bachelor of Science Degree in 2005.

After she completes her undergraduate program of study, Dea would like to go to Dental School. She is prepared for the rigorous program of study that will occupy the next four years of her academic life--and then her professional career.





Dea enjoys reading, dancing, singing, and traveling. She would like to thank her parents, especially her dad, and her sister, for their support during her college years.

"Thinking is the hardest work there is, which is probably the reason why so few engage in it."--Henry Ford

Hamida Amin



And with these two majors, she still found time to be a member of the Science Club, Heritage Gallery, Speech Club, Senate and to be a Peer

She plans to get a Master's Degree in

Speech Pathology. She enjoys writing, reading, and playing the steel drums.

"I would like to thank my family and friends who supported me, especially my mother, who has been a guiding light and beautiful inspiration. I love you!"

ajoring in *one* subject can be difficult enough--but not for Hamida Amin, who was a double major at St. Joseph's, Bachelor's degree earning Sociology and Speech. Counselor.



"After all that I have achieved, I think of life itself now as a wonderful play that I've written for myself, and so my purpose is to have the most fun playing my part."--Shirley MacLaine

lasima Amir

asima is a Psychology major who will earn her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005.

Following her undergraduate education, she plans on attending graduate school to earn her Master's degree in psychology.

At this time, she is considering attending either Hunter College of City University of New York or Fordham University to continue her education.

While attending St. Joseph's, Nasima





was a member of Heritage Gallery and she was also a Peer Counselor, which ties in with her abiding interests that include Psychology and doing community service for the good and welfare of others. Special thanks to Ma, Nana, Hamida, Ismail, Aunty Suzie for their love and inspiration.

"All the knowledge I possess everyone can acquire, but my heart is all my own." -- Johann von Goethe

ara Avi



paraphrase Geoffrey Chaucer, "And gladly would she teach." This, for Sara Avin, has been her goal since

she arrived at St. Joseph's four years ago.

She will earn her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005 in Child Study with a concentration in Human Relations.

She plans on earning her Master's degree and teaching in the New York City Public School system.





Her academic prowess is reflected in her selection for Dean's List from 2002-2005.

She has such widely divergent interests as crocheting and learning to play different musical instruments (which she also collects).

Many thanks to her family and the faculty and staff of SJC who loved, supported and educated her.

"You give but little when you give of your possessions. It is when you give of yourself that vou trulv give"--Kahlil Gibran

Michael Bennett

or Michael, the future is all about a life of crime-fighting crime, that is.

Having completed his Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology, ne would like to continue his studies by earning a Master's degree in Forensic Psychology at John Jay College of CUNY or Adelphi University.

His ultimate goal is to work for the FBI or New York City Police Department

as a Crime Scene Investigator.





He owes a special expression of thanks to his parents and sister for their love and support. He also especially hanks the many friends he has made at St. Joe's over the last four years who have made his college experience nemorable as well as his professors, particularly in the Psychology Department.

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are small matters compared to what lies within us."--Ralph Waldo Emerson

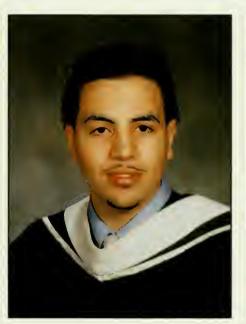
Joseph Bertran

alk about your academic stars! Joseph will graduate from St. Joseph's with a 3.98 index, having earned his

Bachelor's degree in Social Sciences with a concentration in Economics.

He is a member of Sigma Chi Iota Honor Society and on the Dean's list. He plans to attend Columbia University for graduate school.

At St. Joe's he was a tutor in economics, biology and math. He also





participated in the phone-a-thon for two years, was a Chess Club member, and a blood donor.

His outside interests include basketball, reading and art.

Γhanks to Mom who taught him through example to work hard, and to his sister and his love, Ninived, who tuck with him through both good and bad times.

"There are only two ways to live: one as if everything in life is a miracle, the other, as if nothing is a miracle."--Albert Einstein

Jonathan Bobin



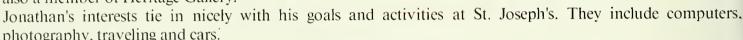
ath majors might seem to be as rare as hens' teeth--but Jonathan is a real live one!

He will earn his Bachelor of

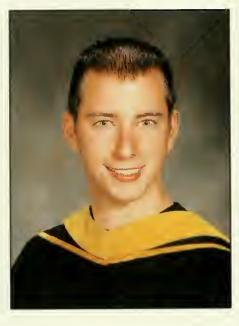
Science degree in Math in 2005 and is a member of Kappa Mu Epsilon Math Honor Society as well as Delta Epsilon Sigma Honor Society.

His goal in life is to become a Computer Crime Investigator with a law-enforcement agency.

He is the Photography Editor for both Footsteps 2005 and The Spirit. He is also a member of Heritage Gallery.



His thanks go to his folks, his classmates--and to St. Joseph's College.





photography, traveling and cars.

"Speak softly and carry a big stick; you will go far." -- Theodore Roosevelt

Kindberly Byrn



ollowing the path of many other St. Joseph's students, Kimberly plans to make a career in the field of

education.

She will earn her Bachelor's degree in Child Study in 2005. Following St. Joseph's, she would like to obtain her Master's degree in Secondary Education with her specialty being mathematics. She would like to teach math on the junior high or high school level.

She is a member of Sigma Iota Chi

Honor Society and has been selected for Dean's List.

While at St. Joseph's, she spent three years as a member of the Dance Team. Dance is also one of her particular interests.

Her thanks go to her parents, her professors, her friends--and to herself.





"Live well...laugh often...love much." --Linda Gravson

Natasha Gaban



ometimes, other kinds of commitments keep a student from becoming overly involved on campus. But

this does not diminish the success of heir college studies.

Natasha has met that success--earning a Bachelor's degree in Child Study which will be awarded in 2005.

She hopes for a career in teaching and she also wants to attend graduate school.

She enjoys both reading and shopping as hobbies.





Her thanks go to her parents, brothers and sisters as well as to her extended family and close friends both at St. Joseph's and elsewhere. She is deeply appreciative for their steadfast support of her college success as well as her career goals.

"There is no need to reach high for the stars. They are already within you--just reach deep into yourself!"--The Quote Garden

Joanna Calibar



oanna will earn her Bachelor's degree in Speech in 2005.

Her plans include working as Speech teacher and attending graduate school.

At St. Jospeh's, she was selected for Dean's List in recognition of her academic achievements.

She also has had a busy career in extracurricular activities. She was a Peer Counselor for four years, a member of the Softball Team for four years, and a member of the Tennis Feam for one year.





After all that activity, it is no wonder that one of her favorite pastimes is catching up on much-needed sleep! Her thanks go out to her parents, her family, her brother, and her boyfriend Harry for all of their support during her time at St. Joseph's.

"Whatever you are, be a good one."
--Abraham Lincoln

Lori Cappiello

t's been a busy and honorladen career at SJC for Lori. On the Dean's List for all four years, a member of

Lambda Pi Eta Speech Honor Society, Delta Epsilon Sigma and Sigma Iota Chi, Lori has had great academic success in her double majors of Child Study and Speech Pathology.

She intends to teach and attend graduate school to earn her Master's degree in Speech Pathology.





At St. Joseph's, she was the Senate Representative for the Speech Club (2003-04) and the vice-president of the Speech Club (2004-2005).

She thanks her mom and dad for their support--and Jan for her support and expert proofreading skills!

"I think I can, I think I can!"
--The Little Engine that Could

Victoria Caputo



n academic success story, Victoria has successfully completed her studies and will be awarded a Bachelor

of Arts degree in Child Study in 2005.

With her degree, she would like to be an elementary school teacher and attend graduate school to obtain her Master's degree.

During her undergraduate years, Victoria was the recepient of a St.





Joseph's College Incentive Grant. For her academic achievements, she was selected as a member of the Dean's List

She would like to thank her parents, family, friends, and professors and everyone else that has supported her through her college career. Without their support and assistance, achieving what she has would have been an infinitely more difficult task.

"Life brings tears, smiles, and memories; the tears dry, the smiles fade--but the memories last forever."

Gina Cavitolo

targeted her has ina energies towards a career in psychology.

She will earn her Bachelor's degree in 2005 in Child Study, but that is only the beginning

She plans on teaching elementary school while attending graduate school to earn both her Master's degree and her doctorate Psychology.

for her.



She is a member of Psi Chi Psychology Honor Society and has been a member of the Child Study Club. Her special thanks go to Sister Betty for advising her for the past four years and leading her in the right direction. Also, thanks go out to Kimberly, Lisa and Mary Anne for making the last four years memorable.

> "Whatever your mind can conceive and believe, you can achieve" --Anonymous

Chih Wei Chana

long adventure almost at an end for Chih Wei. A native of Taiwan, graduation will find him

returning to his country, hopefully to begin a career in business.

Chih Wei has earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration which will be awarded in 2005.

While a student at St. Joseph's, he

vas a member of the Asian Awareness Club and took part in their various schoolwide activities.

His hobbies are diverse and include window shopping and singing songs.

His life has been touched by the many friends and faculty members that he met at St. Joseph's during the last our years and he would like to extend his heartfelt thanks to all of them for making life interesting, rewarding. ind of course, educational.





"Before you do anything--give it a second thought." --Anonymous

Liliet Chang

A n undergraduate career that has been notable for its academic achievements draws to a close for Liliet as

she earns her Bachelor's degree in Psychology in 2005. She also minored in Spanish for her degree.

She would like to attend graduate school to earn her Master's degree and possibly her doctorate so that she can practice psychology as a career.

She is a member of Psi Chi National

Psychology Honor Society and well as Sigma Iota Chi.

Liliet was also involved on campus in the Hispanic Awareness Club. She enjoys photography and travel. She would like to thank her family and friends who have made such a difference in her life.



"Never bend your head. Hold it high. Look the world straight in the eye."
--Helen Keller

Nayan Cheung



ere's a girl who once stated that she wished St. Joseph's College offered *more* courses in chemistry so she could

take and learn more! That's what chemistry majors do--and that's why she is graduading with her Bachelor of Science degree in Chemistry in 2005.

She would like to parlay that major into a career in the sciences, but to do this, she knows that she will need

advanced degrees in chemistry from graduate school.

For that reason, graduate school is a large part of Nayan's future.

She would like to thank her family for their continuous support of her education, and a special thanks to Sister Mary and Dr. Jill Rehmann for serving as inspirations to her and nurturing the scientific part of her mind to its success.





"No matter how hard the loss, defeat might serve as well as victory to shape the soul and let the glory out."--Presidential Candidate Albert C. Gore

Karma Corrado



alk about knowing your own mind! Karma knows that she wants to be a mathematics teacher on

the Middle School level.

To this end, she will earn her Bachelor of Arts degree in Mathematics in 2005 with a minor in Secondary Education.

Of course, to continue teaching, she knows that she will need her Master's degree and intends on pursuing her studies in graduate school.'

She enjoys music and bartending as hobbies.

Her thanks go to her parents, her sister-in-law, and her best friend Nicole for pushing her to do her best.





"I know I can be what I want to be. If I work hard at it, I'll be where I want to be."
--Nas

Alexis D'Auria



lexis is one of the numerous graduates of St. Joseph's College who will be entering the teaching

profession upon completing her degree in 2005.

She has earned her Bachelor's of Arts degree in Child Study.

She would like to teach at the same time that she attends graduate school in pursuit of her Master's degree.





Her sincerest thanks go to the many influential people in her family including her mother and father. Reuven, Cindy, her grandfather, grandmother, Chris, Lauren, Jonathan and Dave.

"Don't cry because it's over. Smile because it happened."
--Anonymous

Rosemarie Danisi

future teaching

member profession, Rosemarie will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree in

2005 having been a Child Study maior.

She would like to teach on the elementary school level and attend graduate school to earn a Master's degree.

Her interests outside of school include shopping, exercising, and reading.





Rosemarie has many people to thank, including her parents for all their support, her close friends, and the many teachers at St. Joseph's who helped make her graduation possible. As Rosemarie says, "I love you all!" She would also like to thank the graduating Class of 2005 and wish them all luck in everything they do.

> "The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams." --Eleanor Roosevelt

Andra Deas

n AvoAndra, there exists the textbook definition of the student athlete.

He has earned his Bachelor of Science degree with a major in mathematics and a minor in Spanish. His concentration is Secondary Education.

His studies at St. Joe's have groomed him for his chosen career: a high school a graduate student teacher and pursuing a Master's degree.





At St. Joe's, he was a member of the Basketball Team from 2002-2005. He also went to the finals of the USCAA Tournament in 2003. His interests in sports include basketball, football, baseball and weight lifting. He would like to thank his mother, father, sister, brother, and his little nephews Sekou and Mekhi for their support and inspiration, as well as his teammates and his professors and advisers for guiding him.

"There is nothing like returning to a place that remains unchanged to find the ways in which you vourself have altered."--Nelson Mandela

Matthew Delig

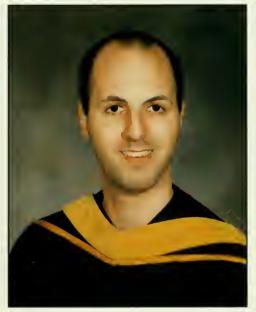


t's Business as usual for Matthew--literally! He has earned a Bachelor Science Degree in

Accounting and would like to go on to graduate school to earn his M.B.A. in Taxation.

As a student at St. Joseph's, Matthew was a member of Knight Moves Chess Club and was selected for the Dean's List.

His non-academic interests include Culinary Arts, Track and Handball.





There are many professors that Matthew would like to thank including Professor Enos, Professor Fasano, Professor Jennings, Professor Torz, Professor Nevins, Professor Fuchs, and Professor Duncan.

"Empty your mind. Be formless, shapeless like water. If you put water into a cup, it becomes the cup. You put water into a bottle and it becomes the bottle. You put it in a teapot and it becomes the teapot. Now, water can flow or it can crash. Be water, my friend."--Bruce Lee



aura is the winner of the Scholastic Achievement Scholarship as well as the St. Joseph's College

Brooklyn Campus Service Award. She is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Child Study with a concentration in Human Relations. She would like to be a Special

Education teacher and earn her Master's degree in Special Education as well.





There have been various individuals who have served as inspiration and support for Laura and she would like to take a moment to thank them. They include her parents, her brother, her friends, and of course, Joey, all of whom have always been there for her.

"No man or woman of the humblest sort can really be strong, gentle and good without somebody being helped and comforted by the very existence of that goodness."--Alan Alda

Josephine DiSalvo

t's been a busy four years at St. Joseph's for Josephine. She has earned her Bachelor of Arts degree in Child Study

and hopes to embark upon her teaching career shortly after graduation.

She will also attend graduate school to earn her Master's degree.

At St. Joe's, Josephine has been the Managing Editor of *Footprints 2005*, a member of Campus Ministry Outreach, a Peer Counselor and a member of the Softball Team.





Josephine would like to thank her parents, her fiance, her many friends who have given her love and support for the four years of her college education.

"A loving heart is the beginning of all knowledge."
--Thomas Carlyle

Janine Farra

ere's a senior who has done a little bit of everything during her four years at St. Joe's.

In addition to earning her Bachelor's degree in Child Study with a Human Relations concentration, she has been the co-president of the Student Ambassador Club for two years. She has also been the Senior Rep and Junior Rep. She is currently the editor-in-chief of *Footprints 2005* and the assistant editor of *The Spirit*.





But wait--there's more! She is the co-creator of the highly successful Trivia Challenge, a member of the Chorus, and a Peer Counselor for three years. She would like to be an Admissions Counselor, pursue her teaching career and attend graduate school at Hunter or SJC part time. Janine would like to thank her family--all 17 of them--for their love and support, especially her wonderful parents.

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are small matters compared to what lies within us."--Ralph Waldo Emerson

Jessica Marie Feld



or Jessica, a career change might just happen before her career gets started! Though she will receive

her Bachelor's degree in Child Study, she is interested in a career in Occupational Therapy.

To that end, she will be applying to Touro College for their Physical and Occupational Therapy program.

Jessica is particularly thankful to her mother for her help. She says,"If you





weren't who vou are, then I wouldn't be who I am. You are my role model and the reason I believe. You inspire me to achieve. Thanks for all the talks."

"One looks back with appreciation to the brilliant teachers, but with gratitude to those who touched our human feelings. The curriculum is so much necessary raw material, but warmth is the vital element for the growing plant and for the soul of the child."--Carl Jung

lirella Ferrucio



irella has kept busy at St. Joseph's by being a double major--Child Study and Speech.

She will receive her Bachelor's degree in 2005 and plans to start graduate September.

Her interests are dancing and gymnastics.

school for her Master's degree in She has been a member of the Dean's List since her sophomore year and is also a member of the Speech Club.





She would like to extend her warmest regards and thanks to her family--her parents, sister, aunt, uncle, cousins, grandmother and friends who have proven to be such beacons for her as she navigated her way through her undergraduate education.

"Life is like an artichoke. You peel away a few layers and a couple of years and what remains is essential...the heart."--Anonymous

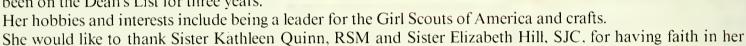
Emily Figueroa

mily has had a well-rounded and full career at St. Joseph's.

She is an Early Childhood major who will be receiving her Bachelor's degree in 2005.

In fact, she was a former president of the Child Study Club as well as a member of the Hispanic Awareness Club.

A highly successful student, Emily has been on the Dean's List for three years.



and always encouraging her to continue her education at St. Joseph's College.





"Where there's a will, there's a way--even with very little sleep!"
--Anonymous

Ria Fraser



ia is a Child Study major who will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005.

She plans on attending graduate school where she will take a Master's degree in Guidance Counseling.

At St. Joseph's she was the President of the Art Club and was in part responsible for that group's numerous activities.





Her hobbies include studying and learning about history and traveling.

She would like to thank her mother, Rhonda Fraser, Erika Campos and Ryan Vaughn for their support during her college career. She also would like to thank Professors Dehne and Glancy who provided her with motivation, compassion and determination for strengthening her love of history.

"Nothing shines as bright as a well-polished mind shimmering in resilience as it glows with courage."

Jomary Garcia



psychology major, Jomary will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005.

Following her undergraduate career at St. Joseph's College, she plans to attend graduate school to obtain her Master of Social Work (MSW) degree.

At St. Joe's, she was a member of the Science Club.

Her hobbies include pilates, reading and music.

Jomary says, "I would like to give a special thanks to my parents, brother, friends, and family for always being supportive and always managing to put a smile on my face when I needed it."





Keep it simple!"
--Joseph George Beauvais

Lisa Geraci



aving earned her Bachelor of Arts degree in Child Study in 2005, Lisa has reached a point of

decision. She is unsure at this time if she wants to go directly to graduate school full time or begin her teaching career.

If she opts for graduate school, she may choose to earn a Master of Social Work (MSW) degree.

Social Work (MSW) degree.

She was a member of the Child Study Club at St. Joseph's and enjoys as her major form of relaxation, spending time with her many friends.

In addition to thanking her parents, family and friends, she would like to thank all the professors and instructors at St. Joseph's who made her academic success possible.





"We all take different paths in life, but no matter where we go, we take a little of each other everywhere."--T. McGraw

Maribel Gonzalez

aribel is the poster girl for total involvement in school.
At St. Joe's she has been Freshman, Sophomore and

Senior class rep, a member and vicepresident of the Science Club, a Student Ambassador (treasurer '03-04), a member and president of Chapel Players, a Peer Counselor, CAB program director, and more!

Maribel is a Chemistry Major who will receive her Bachelor of Science degree





in 2005. She is also a Secondary Education minor and wants to teach chemistry on the high school level. She also was awarded St. Joe's New Student of the Year Award and is a member of Sigma Iota Chi as well as Dean's List. She would like to thank her parents and family and her fiance Joaquin for their support.

"We have to understand that the world can only be grasped by action, not by contemplation. The hand is more important than the eye...the hand is the cutting edge of the mind."--Jacob Bronowski

Michelle Graziano

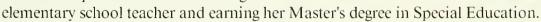


winner of the St. Joseph's College Grant, Michelle will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree with a Child Study

major in 2005.

At St. Joseph's, she was a member of both the Dance Team and Dance Club. She was also a member of the Student Ambassador Club, a Peer Counselor, and the Junior and Senior Class rep.

Her career plans include becoming an



Her hobbies include dancing and working with children.

Michelle would like to thank her mother, father, sisters Lisa and Jen, her teachers at St. Joe's, Ms. Nebel, and her cooperating teachers.





"The people who influence you are people who believe in you."
--Henry Drummond

Heather Hagestad



eather has climbed to the academic pinacle at St. Joseph's, earning membership in three

honor societies: Lambda Pi Eta, Sigma Iota Chi, and Delta Epsilon Sigma.

She will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree in Speech Communication in 2005.

Her future plans include going to graduate school to get her Master's

degree in Speech Pathology--a career she would like to enter.

She was a member of the Speech Club, Child Study Club, and was selected for Dean's List.

She thanks her parents, her brother Jason, her boyfriend Matt, and all her friends and family for their support.





"The roots of true achievement lie in the will to become the best that you can."--Harold Taylor

Jennifer Harrison



ennifer is a Child Study major who will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005.

At St. Joseph's she has been a member of the Dean's List since the Fall of 2003 through the present, a testimony to her academic achievement.

Upon graduation, she plans on entering the teaching profession and





in September of 2005, she will enter graduate school in pursuit of her Master's degree.

Jennifer would like to thank the entire Child Study Department and faculty for providing her with inspiration in choosing her career. She would also like to thank Raymond D'Angelo and Sister Margaret Buckley for the influence that they had upon her.

"He who chooses the beginning of a road chooses the place it leads to. It is the means that determines the end."--Harry Emerson Fosdick

Lisa Hourigan



ombining scholarship with athletic prowess, Lisa made her mark at St. Joseph's in two ways: she was a member

of the Volleyball team and the Softball team--and, in 2004, the USCAA selected her as a member of its Academic All-American Team.

Lisa has earned a Bachelor of Arts degree with a Child Study major which will lead to a career in education.

She was also selected as a member of the Dean's List for the years 2002-2004.





She would like to send special thanks to those individuals who have influenced, supported, and befriended her during her years at St. Joseph's: her mother, father, brother, grandmother, Lee, Melissa--and Troll.

"I hope your dreams take you...to the corners of your smiles, to the highest of your hopes, to the window of vour opportunities, and to the most special places your heart has ever known." -- Anonymous

Kristen Johnson



risten has set her sights on a career teaching history on the junior high school level.

She has earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in History with a minor in

Secondary Education.

At St. Joseph's, she was a member of the Gaelic Club and during her free time, she enjoys dancing and watching television.

Her special thanks go out to her





parents, her brother, her dance teacher, her fiance, and the many other people who supported her through her years as a student at St. Joe's. She is also grateful for the numerous friendships that she developed in school and wishes her classmates much luck. As Kristen says, "Hopefully, we can keep in touch."

"Life is full of many things. Friends, family, and love all help in shaping who you are but only you can be the final verdict in what truly molds your future."

Elizabeth Kaas



lizabeth will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology in 2005.

Following her undergraduate studies, she would like to enter graduate school to earn a Master's degree in Clinical Psychology.

Amongst the many people she wishes to thank are her brother and best friend, Christian, her family and friends who mean so much to her,





and Ned, who is, in Elizabeth's words, "My heart. Thank you for your encouragement, your strength, and most importantly, your love. I love you!"

Additionally, she would like to specially thank her parents for their love, support and guidance.

"Make the most of yourself, for that is all there is to you."--Ralph Waldo Emerson

Robert Kolakowski



student of varied interests, Robert has earned his Bachelor of Science degree with a double major in

both Accounting and Business Administration. He plans to continue his studies in graduate school pursuing an MBA degree.

Amongst his diverse interests are photography, African art and sculpture, and hockey.





He would particularly like to thank Professor George Fasano, in Robert's words, "the one man who allowed it all to happen," for the influence he had over him for the years he spent at St. Joseph's.

Additionally, he would like to thank his family and friends and the many instructors and professors at St. Joseph's who also were a part of his academic success.

"He who has a thousand friends has not a friend to spare, while he who has one enemy shall meet him everywhere."--Ralph Waldo Emerson

Anaela LaGreca



Child Study major, Angela be receiving Bachelor of Arts degree at graduation in 2005.

She plans on entering the teaching profession and pursuing graduate studies in order to earn her Master's degree.

She would like to thank her parents for their help and support during the years she was a student at St. Joseph's College.





"We've got the gift of love, but love is like a precious plant. You ean't just accept it and leave it in the cupboard or just think it's going to get on by itself. You've got to keep watering it. You've got to really look after it and nurture it."--John Lennon

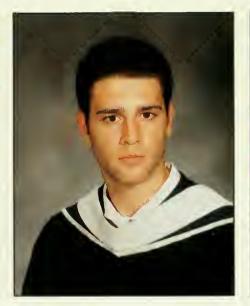
Michael LeComite



ichael will be receiving his Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Child Study at graduation in 2005.

He has three goals in life thus far: to earn his Master's degree, to teach--and to laugh.

At St. Joseph's, he was a member of the Child Study Club, the Student Ambassadors Club, he was a Peer Counselor, and a member of the Student Senate.





His other interests include Kappa Delta Phi, MTSND, and Soccer.

He would like to thank Professor Susan Straut-Collard, Sister Mary, Sister Betty, Sister Pat, Sister Rosemary, Dr. Laura Shea Doulan, Sister Margaret Buckley, Professor Glancey, and B. Friedman for their continuous support of his educational endeavors.

"Don't walk in front of me, I may not follow. Don't walk behind me, I may not lead. Just walk beside be and be my friend."--Albert Camus

Andrew Lee



person whose interests tend towards the international, Andrew will earn his Bachelor of Arts

degree in History in 2005.

At St. Joseph's, he was a member of the Asian Awareness Club and the Hispanic Awareness Club.

Outside of school, his interests are widely varied, ranging from billiards to travel to equestrian sports.





"Strength does not come from physical capacity. It comes from an indomitable will."
--Mahatma Gandhi

Ming Chen Liu



ing will be the recipient of a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Business Administration

in 2005.

Following his stay at St. Joseph's College, he plans on attending graduate school in order to earn his Master's degree in Business Administration (MBA).

As St. Joe's, he was a member of the



Asian Awareness Club. His hobbies include watching television, going to movies, and shopping. There so many individuals at St. Joseph's that he wishes to thank that he can do it best by sending a general "thank you" to the faculty, staff, and students of the school.

"Yesterday is history. Tomorrow is a mystery. That's why today is called the present."--Anonymous

Andrea Lombardo



ndrea is a Child Study major who will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005.

She plans to embark upon her teaching career after graduation. She also plans on attending graduate school to earn her Master's degree.

Andrea has a special message of thanks for her mother: "Thank you for believing in me when I didn't believe in myself, for encouraging me to always

follow my dreams, and for loving me unconditionally. I love you mommy!"





"Our greatest natural resource is the minds of our children."
--Walt Disney

Jamie Maiello

Child Study major, Jaime will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005.

Following her undergraduate education, she would like to study Anthropology on the graduate level while embarking upon her teaching career in elementary school.

Her favorite pastime at St. Joe's was spending her free time in the fishbowl with friends.





As for hobbies, she notes that "There aren't any hobbies when you are recieving a Child Study degree!" She extends her thanks to Professor Glancey "for a good laugh," to Sister Rosemary Lesser for her compassion, and to her father--for paying her tuition!

She also says that she will miss the wonderful staff in the school cafeteria--whose food was second to none!

"The world is yours."--Al Pacino "Don't smile till Thanksgiving."--S. Rosemary Lesser "Enlighten me."--Dr. D'Angelo

Esterina Mammola



sterina is completing her degree in Child Study and will be awarded her Bachelor of Arts in 2005.

Her preference is to teach elementary school in the public school system, and her choice of grade level would be kindergarten.

At St. Joseph's Esterina was a member of the Spanish Honor Society.

Her interests outside of school include traveling and reading.

Particular thanks are extended to her family for their support while she was at St. Joseph's. She also wants to thank her extremely supportive fiance, Vito Altesi, and all her teachers at St. Joseph's.

"The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt with the heart."--Helen Keller





Meghan McDermott



eghan's college career draws to a close with her having earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Child

Study.

Her future plans include becoming a teacher and attending graduate school.

While she was a student at St. Joseph's, she was a member of the Chapel Players and a member of the Gaelic Society.





Her outside interests include plays, traveling and music.

Special thanks go to her mom for her neverending support, to Larry for keeping her sane, and Ms. B for being the best mentor anyone could ask for.

"The mediocre teacher tells. The good teacher explains. The superior teacher demonstrates.

The great teacher inspires."--Willliam Arthur Ward

Elizabeth McShea



lizabeth is one of the numerous Child Study majors who will be receiving a Bachelor of Arts degree in

2005.

She plans on teaching following graduation and attending graduate school. At this time she is undecided about taking her Master's degree in Special Education or General Education.

She received honors recognition in 2004 for her superior grade point average.





She would like to thank Sister Rosemary Lesser, Sister Mary, Sister Betty, Dr. Shea Doolan and Dr. Susan Straut-Collard of the Child Study Department for their patience and wisdom--and Dr. Raymond D'angelo.

"In the end, we will remember not the words of our enemies, but the words of our friends."
--Dr. Martin Luther King

Erica Melfi



rica will earn her Bachelor of Arts degree in Child Study with a concentration in Human Relations in 2005.

Before transferring to St. Joseph's, Erica earned her A.A. degree from Kingsborough Community College of City University of New York.

She plans on continuing her education in graduate school where she will earn a Master's degree in Social Work (MSW).





At St. Joseph's she was selected for Dean's List because of her academic achievements. She was also a member of the Child Study Club.

She would like to thank her parents for all their love and encouragement along the way. She would also like to thank her boyfriend Peter who has been caring and supportive and who has stood by her side through her entire education.

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."--Ralph Waldo Emerson

Jeanette Morscher



Child Study major, Jeanette will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree in 2005.

She plans on teaching on the elementary school level and taking her Master's degree in graduate school.

She is the holder of a Board of Trustees Scholarship, a member of Sigma Iota Chi and Delta Epsilon Sigma Honor Societies.





She was a member of the Dance Team from 2001-2004 and was the co-captain of the team for the 2004-05 season. She wishes to thank her parents, Daniela, Rosalia, Mirella, Vicki, Jaime Vacca, her co-captain Christine, and the whole Dance Team as well as the faculty of the Child Study Department.

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us."--Ralph Waldo Emerson

Nicole Neve



icole will graduate in 2005 having earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Child Study.

She has set lofty goals for herself and for her career. She would like to be a successful teacher and earn her Master's degree. But more importantly, she wants to further her knowledge and love for children.

Her many interests include spending





quality time with her family, her boyfriend and her friends. She also enjoys traveling, excercising reading, ceramics--and enjoying life!

Her thanks go to her family for support, Jason for encouragement, and her friends for acceptance. She also thanks Dr. Susan Collard, S. Rosemary, S. Susan Wilcox, and S. Betty for knowledge, and Professors Gabel and Rose for opening her mind. Above all, she thanks God for strength and guidance.

"We are stronger than we feel. We are smarter than we think. We have come so far now, do not stop to water your reasons with excuses. Never give up! Embrace the precious life God has given us and let time not defeat us."

Kathleen O'Neill



hile earning her Bachelor of Arts degree in History with a minor in Secondary Education, Kathleen found

time to earn numerous honors for her athletic skills.

She was a member of the Volleyball team, Softball team, Women's Basketball team, Women's Tennis team as well as the Sports Editor of *Footprints 2005* and a Peer Counselor. She is a member of Sigma Iota Chi, an





All-American softball player, an Academic All-American for Softball, and a member of the Dean's List. She also has received player recognition from the Hudson Valley Athletic Conference.

Thanks to her parents, Kerri, Kaitlin, Shane, Kristen, Kiera, Matthew, Kellie, and the love of her life, Edward.

"You owe it to yourself to be the best you can possibly be--in baseball and in life."
--Pete Rose

Kaitlin Parker



t has been a busy and full four years for Kaitlin.

She has earned her Bachelor's degree in Speech

Communication and plans on going on for a Master's degree in Language Pathology.

At St. Joseph's, she was very involved in Student Government. serving as the UA secretary. She was also a member of Chapel Players, the Dance Club, and the secretary of the SJC Choral Society.





Her interests include playing the clarinet, dance, photography and theatre.

Her thanks go to Danny, Adam, Stan, Eric, and Issac for all the long nights doing the things they did together.

"I come equipped with all the tools I need in life. I just have to figure out when and how to utilize them."--Danny Daghestani

Daniela Patti



holder of the SJC Presidential Scholarship, Daniela will earn her Bachelor of Arts degree in

Child Study in 2005.

She was a member of the Dean's List, selected for academic excellence.

Following her undergraduate education, she plans on continuing on in graduate school in order to obtain her Master's degree.

Her plans include beginning her

teaching career on the elementary school level following graduation.

She would like to extend thanks to her parents, her teachers, her friends, and Joey for getting her through these four tough years.





"Truly great friends are hard to find, difficult to leave, and impossible to forget."
--G. Randolf

Andrea Pomaro



ndrea has earned a Bachelor of Arts degree with a dual major--Child Study and Speech.

She holds an SJC scholarship and is a member of the Dean's List.

While at St. Joseph's, she was an active member of the Child Study Club.

She hopes to teach an inclusion class with her friend and colleague, Jessica Regevik.





She plans on entering graduate school to earn a Master's degree in Speech Pathology.

Her thanks go to all her professors in the Child Study Department and Speech Department. Also, she would like to thank her family for all of their support.

"Good-byes make me crazy, so, take care of you!"
--Pretty Woman

Melissa Quercia

elissa has been active in a variety of ways during her four years at St. Joseph's.

She has earned her Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Child Study which she will receive in 2005.

She is the winner of a Scholastic Achievement Award and has been on the Dean's List since her freshman year. She is the Assistant Editor of *Footprints* 2005 and was the manager of the Volleyball team in 2002.



She plans on attending Hunter College for graduate school to earn her Master's degree while she begins her career as an elementary school teacher.

Her thanks go to her parents, Jenn, Sean, Lisa, and Kathleen for their support over the last four years.

"This is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. It is, instead, the start of a new beginning."--Anonymous

Jessica Regevik

description of Arts degree in 2005 with a major in Child Study.

Following her career at St. Joseph's, she would like to be either an elementary school teacher or a special education teacher. She would also like to become fluent in sign language. She would also like to teach an inclusion class with her friend and colleague, Andrea Pomaro.





She is a member of the Dean's List, a holder of a St. Joseph's College Academic Grant and the holder of two private scholarships.

She would like to thank her family for everything that they have done for her as well as her friends, her boyfriend, and her professors who provided her with an education.

"Everyone is trying to accomplish something big, not realizing that life is made up of little things."--Anonymous

Raquel Rodriquez



dual major, Raquel will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree in Child Study and Speech Pathology.

She will continue with her studies in graduate school pursuing a Master's degree in Speech Pathology.

She has a full extracurricular career at St. Joseph's as a member of the Art Club, the Hispanic Awareness Club, the Speech Club, and as a Peer Counselor.





Her hobbies include singing and painting.

Raquel gives her heartfelt thanks to God, her family, and her friends for supporting and guiding her throughout her life.

"Hold on to your hopes and dreams."
--Anonymous

Jennifer Rodriquez Garaballo



or Jennifer, graduation will mark the end of a career at St. Joseph's notable for many

academic achievements.

She will receive her Bachelor's degree with a major in Child Study in 2005.

She holds the SJC Presidential Scholarship and SJC Service Award. She has also been a member of the Softball team.





She would like to be a teacher and earn her Master's degree in European History.

She would like to thank her family, especially her grandparents, who always pushed her to do her best, and to her husband, Anthony, for standing by her when she needed him the most--and of course, to all her friends at St. Joe's who kept her sane for four years!

"There are always two choices in life, two paths to take. One is easy--and its only reward is that it is easy."--Anonymous

Giselle Sanchez

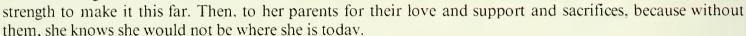


iselle will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Human Relations in 2005.

At St. Joseph's, she was a member of the Dean's List as well as a member of the Softball team.

Upon graduating, she plans to attend Hunter College of the City University of New York to earn her Master's in Social Work (MSW) degree.

Her thanks go first to God for the







"Life is short--make it sweet."
--Anonymous

Jennifer Santamaria



ennifer will graduate in 2005 with a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Business Administration.

She plans on attending graduate school in the fall to continue her studies in the field of business.





"Success is not the key to happiness. Happiness is the key to success. If you love what you are doing, you will be successful."--Albert Schweitzer

Jessica Santanella



essica will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree with maior Psychology in 2005.

She would like to thank her mother and father and Jaclyn for always inspiring her to reach her goals.





"Somewhere, something incredible is waiting to be known." -- Carl Sagan

Jessica Shamah



the recipient of a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Child Study in 2005, Jessica

plans to put her education to good use immediately.

Her wish is to be a teacher in the New York City school system.

She kept occupied at St. Joseph's by being a Peer Counselor and a member of the Dance Team. She was





also a member of the Campus Ministry Outreach and Happenings. She was also a photographer for the school magazine.

She would like to thank her family, her mother, Dawn, Lisa, John and Renee, her dear friends.

"Success is becoming what God created you to be." --Anonymous

Mary Anne Sheridan

ary Anne has earned her Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Child Study.

She hopes to embark upon her teaching career after graduation and begin graduate school in order to

earn her Master's degree.

She was a member of the Child Study Club while at St. Joseph's.

Her thanks go to her parents, Gran, her family, and her SJC girls who were her support system.





"The best and most beautiful things in the world cannot be seen or even touched. They must be felt with the heart."--Helen Keller

Blerta Shtino



native of Albania, Blerta has been in America for 8 years. At St. Joseph's she has

degree in Psychology with a minor in Business.

She would like to continue in graduate school earning a Master's degree in business.

She was a member of Psi Chi. the Psychology Honor Society, and she was

one of the original ACES students. She is also a member of the Dean's List.

earned her Bachelor of Art's



Blerta would like to attend Columbia University to enter a Clinical Psychology program, but before that, she would also like to travel and take the 'Grand Tour,' visiting many of the great cities of Europe and the world. Her thanks go to her family and friends for supporting her in her efforts every step of the way.

> "Know thyself and know thy lord." --Socrates



ill has the distinction of being the only English Major in the Class of 2005. She will earn her

Bachelor of Arts degree and has a minor in Secondary Education.

She would like to be a high school English teacher and attend graduate school to earn her Master's degree.

While at St. Joseph's, Jill was a member of the Women's Tennis team.





She would like to thank all her family, her friends, and her teachers who have contributed to her success.

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined." --Henry David Thoreau

Erica Steinberg



rica will be the recipient of a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Child Study in 2005.

Her goal is to obtain a job as an elementary school teacher and to attend graduate school to begin work on her Master's degree in September of 2005.

Her thanks go to her parents, her friends at St. Joseph's, and her professors.





"Success is my only option; failure's not." --Eminem

Mamie Summers



uper active, super involved! Mamie's resume reads like a listing of extracurricular activities at St. Joe's.

She has earned a Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Biology.

At St. Joe's she has been the president of the Science Club, vice-president of the Dance Club as well as choreographer, treasurer of Heritage Gallery, Sophomore Rep, Dance Team, Peer Counselor, Dance Team,





Choral Society and a tutor (and this is not the complete list)!

She is also a member of Beta Beta, on the Dean's List, winner of the American Chemical Society Award and the St. Joe's College Service Award. She plans on attending medical school or being a physical therapist.

"To accomplish great things, we must not only act, but also dream; not only plan, but also believe."--Anatole France

Viktoriya Syrovatkina



iktoriya will be receiving her Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Biology in 2005.

Her dream in life is to go to medical school and become a doctor.

At St. Joseph's, she has been a member and vice-president of the Science Club. She also has been a Peer Counselor and she is an original member of ACES. She also was an ACES tutor in biology.





She is also a member of several honor societies at St. Joseph's.

Her hobbies include playing various sports and reading books.

She especially wants to thank her chemistry teachers, Sister Mary and Dr. Jill Rehmann as well as her adviser and thesis mentor, Dr. Hanophy, for all their help and guidance. Many thanks as well to Dr. Brooks and Professor Larson and their ACES program for all the help they gave me in learning to improve my English.

"Live every day as if it were your last day."
--Anonymous

Rosalia Triolo



osalia will receive her Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Child Study in 2005.

She would like to be an elementary school teacher and start graduate school to earn her Master's degree.

At St. Joseph's, she is a winner of the Scholastic Achievement Award and the St. Joseph's College Service Award. She was also selected to be a member of the Dean's List.





Her thanks go to her parents, her family, her friends, her professors, and her boyfriend Brian for helping her get through her college years.

"I'll miss the tears, I'll miss the laughter, I'll miss the day we met and all that followed after."
--Anonymous

Vanessa Valente



uite the busy young woman, is Vanessa! In addition to earning her Bachelor of Science degree

in Business Administration, she has kept very active during her four years at St. Joseph's.

She has been a member of the Dance Team for three years, the Sophomore Rep, a Peer Counselor, and currently, she is the Senior Section





Editor of Footprints 2005. She was also selected as a member of the Dean's List.

She hopes for a career in Fashion Merchandising.

She would like to thank her parents for all of their support and guidance and her family and friends for helping her through the past four years.

"Success is not the key to happiness. Happiness is the key to success. If you love what you are doing, you will be successful."--Albert Schweitzer

Jessica Velez



essica will be receiving her Bachelor of Science degree with a major in Chemistry in 2005.

Her future plans include going to Pharmaev School.

At St. Joseph's, she was a member of the Science Club and spent one year on the Softball team. She also was selected for Dean's List in multiple semesters.

Her hobbies and interests include dancing, reading, and going to movies.

She would like to thank two people who were very influential in helping to shape her academic career: Sister Mary L. Maier, and Dr. Jill Rehmann.





"We all speak the same language...therefore we can talk to one another about what we are doing...we have to insure that the next generations keep doing that."--Dr. Barbara Imperali

Ginger Wright



inger will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree in Human Relations in 2005.

She would like to thank her mother and her sister for all their love and support through everything.





"Remember not only to say the right thing in the right place, but far more difficult still, to leave unsaid the wrong thing at the tempting moment."--Benjamin Franklin

Li Hua Wu



Chemistry major, Li Hua will be receiving a Bachelor of Science degree in 2005.

She would like to go to graduate school following her undergraduate career.

At St. Joseph's, she was a member of the Asian Awareness Club and the Science Club.

She was also a member of the Dean's List during her freshman and sophomore years at school.

Her hobbies include watching television and traveling.

Many thanks to her family, her professors, especially Sister Mary and Dr. Rehmann, Mik and Dr. Brooks.





"Tell me and I'll forget. Show me and I may not remember. Involve me and I'll understand."--Native American Proverb

Lauren Zychowski



auren will be graduating with a Bachelor of Arts degree with a major in Speech Communications.

She plans on beginning her graduate studies in the fall of 2005 in Speech and Language Pathology.

At St. Joseph's, she was a member of the Speech and Language Club and during her freshman year, the Admissions Club.





She is a member of Sigma Iota Chi and Lambda Pi Eta Honor Societies, and a member of the Dean's List as well as the holder of a Scholastic Scholarship.

Her hobbies include skiing, camping and boating.

Her thanks go out to her parents, her boyfriend Josh, and all of her family and friends for their unwavering support during her stay at St. Joseph's.

"We never really grow up. We just learn how to act in public."
--Anonymous

Geleste Waddy

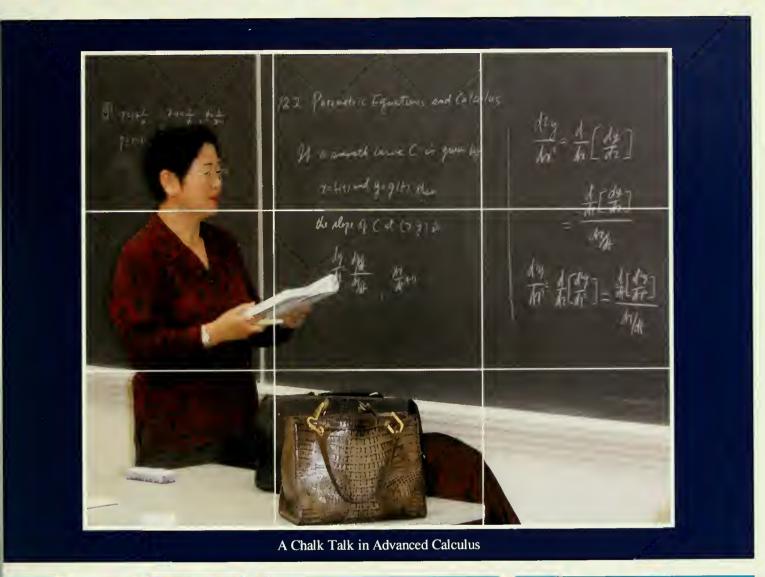




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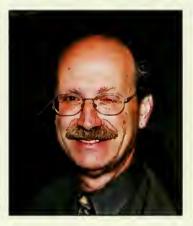
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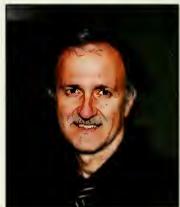
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ON TEACHERS:

If there is anything we wish to change in the child, we should first examine it and see whether it is not something that could better be changed in ourselves--Carl Jung



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ON TEACHERS:

There is no failure except in no longer trying. There is no defeat except from within, no really insurmountable barrier save our own inherent weakness of purpose.--Frank McKinney



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ON TEACHERS:

It is important that students bring a certain ragamuffin, barefoot, irreverence to their studies; they are not here to worship what is known, but to question it.--Jacob Chanowski



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ON TEACHERS:

It is much simpler to buy books than to read them and easier to read them than to absorb their contents. Too many men slip early out of the habit of studious reading, and yet that is essential.--Sir William Osler

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How and where to find it—and how to use it! The library staff at St. Joseph's has the information and gladly dispenses it.



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Admisions Office

Who gets in-and how they get in. A huge responsibility falls upon the Admissions Staff to fill the seats each fall.



Theresa LaRocca Meyer, Director of Admissions; Grace Yang, Assistant Director of Admissions; Michael Learmond, Admissions Counselor; Michael Blackwood, Administrative Assistant; Ellen Thorne, Administrative Assistant. Not Photographed: Keith Outlaw, Assistant Director of Admissions.

Financial Aid

Once they're in, how are they going to pay for it? That is the task of the Office of Financial Aid-making it possible.



Carol Sullivan, Director of Financial Aid; Linda Pasquale, Senior Financial Aid Counselor: Yana Alvarez, Financial Aid Counselor: Vanessa Barrios, Financial Aid Counselor; Glendalee Gomez, Administrative Assistant

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Reaching out to alumni, raising funds and 'selling' the school--all in a day's work for Institutinal Advancement.



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Someone has to pay the bills, balance the books and deal with personnel. These are the folks who get it done!



Liz Baiardi, Lisa Santiago, D'aolra Crump, Sue Nagi, Daniel Tewelde. Not Photographed: Maureen Francis, Mary Anne Doyle, Carol Reese, Georgeann Kelly, Dorothy Abear, John Roth, Tasha Grant.

Cafeteria

Feed me! It's good, it's healthy—and there's plenty of it, courtesy of the cafeteria staff of St. Joseph's.



Santos Torres, Evodio Salazar, Tomas Salazar, Antonio Mendez. Not Photographed: Patricia Morales

SUPPORT PERSONNEL

Dillon Center Office Staff

A school within a school. Where youngsters come to learn their ABCs and student teachers learn their craft.



Sister Mary Sivillo, Sharon Waverly. Not Photographed: Professor Susan Straut-Collard, Director of Dillon Child Study Center.

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Keep it safe, keep it clean, and keep it running smoothly in working order. These fellas make it look easy.



Carlos Salgado, Jesus Ayala, Neftali Dorta, Henry Dorta, Peter DeFeo.

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Need a transcript for graduate school? This is the place to come-and to register for classes as well.



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Some Closing Thoughts



One Final Walk Down the Mall Path--and it's All Over

It's never really over--not completely.

We can no more walk away from St. Joe's than we can from the many influences that have made us what we are.

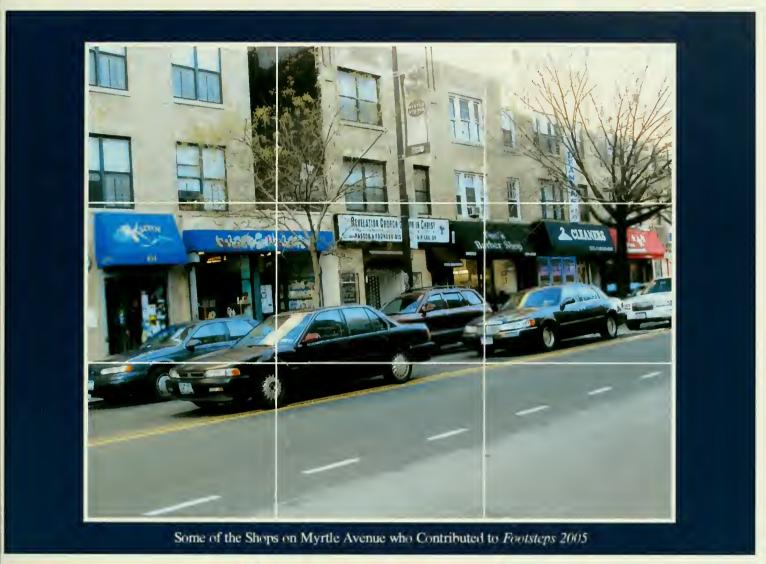
What we learned here, what we owe to those who taught us, what we will take with us for the rest of our lives--who can put a price tag on it? Who can place a value upon the invaluable?

And more. Let us not forget friends. Whether they were friends for but a moment or for a lifetime, they too have earned a cherished place in our hearts. Their mark is indelible. We will carry them with us down our separate pathways for as long as we live.

These pathways, these roads--who knows where they will lead us? In time, and at other crossroads, we will think back to St. Joe's, for there are pathways here as well.

Look carefully! You will see our footprints here--footprints that not even time could erase. And they read: "The Class of 2005."

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ometimes it all comes down to the bottom line--and over the last few years, the bottom line for publishing yearbooks has become huge. Fortunately, many of the neighborhood merchants have stepped up and generously purchased advertisements to help defray printing costs. We thank the many parents as well who used this section of Footprints 2005 to offer their warmest sentiments to their graduate in the Class of 2005. Thanks to all of you! We couldn't do it without you!

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We are very proud of your accomplishments and inner strength. You have spent four years of your life learning life's lessons and have succeeded with high honors. Remember: nothing is impossible if you follow your heart and never lose sight of your dreams. We will always support you in whatever you do and continue to be proud of your achievements. In the words of Ralph Waldo Emerson, "Do not follow where the path may lead. Go, instead, where there is no path and leave a trail."

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Mom, Dad, and Aimee

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Congratulation on your graduation. We wish you the best of luck. You made it! We are so proud of you. Best wishes for Your futurel

'If I could give you anything as you graduate from college, would give you a candle that burns as brightly as the light within you, the light you are ...

I would tell you to keep it burning, no matter what.

> The World needs your light. Hold your candle high. .Unknown

Love Mom & Dad



Congratulations Josephine! · Each chapter that is ending leads you to a new beginning The post that you are leaving Means a future you are winning Each change that fills the present Sets the stage for your tomorrow And how you meet each challenge Helps determine joy er sorrow In every new beginning Spirit plays a vital part You must approach tomorrow With a strong and steady heart So as you turn the corner Let all apprehension shed nd fill your heart with confidence As you proceed akead . - Bruce & Wilmer

I am so proud of you and all your accomplishments Your potential to succeed in life is unlimited I wish you the best of luck in everything you do

osephir

Wow, I can not believe it has been 4 years already. Words can not explain how proud I am of you You took your dream of being a teacher and made it a reality I am very proud of your continuos success, and at times it may feel hard and trying, but hard work and devotion towards making your dreams come true I just want to say congratulations on completing such a big mllestone in your life. I love you



Alapana Nagarian perdanaga Nagari

Love Donielo May God bless you and guide you down the road to never give up, and just know there are so many people who will believe in you no matter what path you may choose.

Always be true to yourself and enjoy life for everything that may come your way. Never take anything for granted, hold onto and enjoy every moment and memory because they go by so fast. Take every situation no matter how negative. Always find the positive. Use it as a life lesson, this will make you a stronger person.

There are no second chances, make your first count. Congratulational

> We are so proud of all of your accomplishments.

With love,

Lauren and Jake



May you always be successful in all you do. We are very proud of your accomplishment and wish you continued success in your journey through life. All of our love.

Gina, Angelo, Gabriella, and Gianluca



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All our love, Mom, Dad, and Jennifer

Mary Anne Sheridan

DEAR MARY ANNE:

We are very proud of all that you have achieved. Our wish for you is for a life full of joy and happiness. Always keep a place in your heart for dreams to grow.

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My pride and joy you have always been And as this new chapter in your life begins

Some words of wisdom I would love to impart So the search begins within my heart

Be true to yourself and to those you love Give thanks every day to "Our Father" above

Who has blessed you with compassion, knowledge, and joy Which you will now bestow on each girl and boy

Those fortunate enough to be placed in your care
And in time will become much more aware

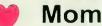
Of how lucky they were to have you as their teacher Their mentor, their friend, and at times, yes, their preacher

My love and admiration knows no bounds
And on one more point I would like to expound

This world has been blessed with the beauty of you Your goodness, your spirit, your "Yankee Blue"

The colors of your life make those around you feel alive Congratulations my graduate of 2005!

With All Of My Love And Pride Always,





Dear Jessica,

Congratulations for a job well done!

You have always made me proud, and I know you will continue to do so.

Clove you very much....

Love, Dad







Dear Mamie:
Always follow your dreams and obtain your goals. You are truly a sparkling diamond.
Congratulations and continued success!
Love ya! Proud of ya!
Mommy, Lucille, Greg,
Daryl and Rick



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Best Wishes to the Class of 2005
Carol Sullivan '81
Linda Pasquale '04
Yana Alvarez '01
Vanessa Barrios '00
Glendalee Gomez

Sharon Gatson

Dear Mary Anne:
Congratulations!
I am so very proud of you.
God Bless you Always.
Love,
Granny

Dear Jennifer:

Congratulations on a job well done! Follow your dreams and always believe in yourself. Good luck in all your future endeavors.

Love,

Grandma & Grandpa, Aunt Patty and Aunt Cathy

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[n 2004 you made me the happiest man in the world. In 2005 you'll make the me proudest!! Congratulations on your graduation.

Love.

Anthony



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Best wishes from the Speech Department.

We will miss you here at SJC! Rosemary S. Mc Getrick, JD, MA, CCC-SP Rev. John A. Gilvey, Ph.D. Rosemarie Hamlin, M.S. Virginia Knight, M.A. Eileen Whelan, M.S. S. Susan Wilcox, CSJ

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Lisa:

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in the manner you've chosen,
refusing to settle for less...
So shape your own destiny,
build your own world-You're certain to be a success.
We are so proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad and Jack

Dear Kathleen:

Congratulations on your graduation from college. You have worked so hard to get to this point in your life. We all could tell that, just from hearing about your grades every semester. Especially this semester since you did get an A in every single one of your history classes which was a big goal of yours--and you accomplished it. You are going to be a great teacher in the future. You love life and you love to learn and we know that you will teach your students that same philosophy too. Good luck in everything you do and we wish you the best. We love you!

Kerri, Kaitlin, Shane, Kristen, Kiera, Matthew, and Kellie

Dear Kathleen:

Congratulations on your college graduation. Be proud of all your accomplishments.....you have worked extremely hard to achieve them. Your determination and commitment have always been your greatest assets. We know that you are going to make an outstanding teacher because you will enrich the lives of those whom you teach. So it is with an enormous sense of pride on your graduation that we wish you all the best life has to offer. Good luck, much happiness, and lots of love. You have touched our lives in many ways and for that, we thank you. Remember, now and forever, we will always love you!

Mom and Dad

To the most beautiful girl in the world:

Kat: All of your hard work has paid off. I'm glad I was able to be there to quiz you. I now know more about the causes of the Civil War than I ever wanted to know. I considered it a privilege to help you. Watching your games was also a lot of fun. I enjoyed every moment, even when I complained. You are an awesome athlete.

Thank you for being my girl. I love you with all my heart. Ed

Dear Jessica:

We believe the children are our future...YOU will teach them well and show them to lead the way...YOU show them their beauty that they possess inside and give them a sense of pride.

We love you and are proud of you! Mom, Dawn, Lisa, John and Renee xoxoxoxoxoxoxoxoxoxxo

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Lisa:

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Love, Mom, Dad, Ro, Anthony, Antonia, Angela, Joey, Grandma and Grandpa

Heather:

You have done a fantastie job at St. Joseph's, completing your studies six months earlier. We are so very proud of you and all you have achieved.

We know you will do well in all your future endeavors. You deserve all the best that life has to offer.

God bless you always.

Love.

Mom, Dad, Jason, Matt and Aunt Lorraine

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Meghan,

From the day you were born you have amazed me with your loving, caring, sensitive ways. Since you were seven, you have known that you wanted to teach. In the beginning you weren't sure about special education, but then as we both know, you met the person who showed you how rewarding it is. And I thank her every day for opening your eyes.

I don't say it every day, but I am so proud of you. You are one of the nicest people I know. I sometimes look at you and wonder whose daughter you are. Then I realize that I am the luckiest person in the world because you are mine. And as if that is not enough, you are my good friend. No mother could ask for anything more.

Good luck, honey, in the next chapter of your life. I know you are going to be an outstanding teacher who will benefit so many of the students who need someone like you the most. Just don't take them to Jahn's!

I love you--Mom

Dear Meg,

I love you, sweetie. I'd ask you to marry me, but I already did that. GARBAGE PENMANSHIP

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Caterpillar

Spicy Tuna Topped with Avocado and Spice Caviar

Sunrise

Crab Meat and Avocado Topped with Salmon

Sunset

Crab Meati and Avocado Topped with Tuna

Spicy Hamachi

Yellowtail+ Cilantro+ Jalapeno and Scallion

House

Shrimp Tempura Topped with Eel

Spicy Tuna Topped with Eel and Jalapeno

Spider

Soft Shell Crab+Avocado+Caviar



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Love Always,

Evuri and Molti

To my Niece:

Congratulations and good luck.

Welcome to a whole new world of wonderful opportunities.

JUST REMEMBER:

Whenever you need me, I'll be just around the corner.

Love you,

Chicha

Dearest Lily:

Congratulations does not sum up how happy I am for you in completing your first step to accomplish your dreams. I am here for you every step of the way. "A journey of a thousand miles must begin with a single step." You did it! Love always and forever, Sharon

Howie

Dear Janine:

I could not possibly have hand-fashioned a better, more dedicated, more outstanding Editor-in-Chief than you. This book is truly yours. You made it happen, you did it, and you have made me prouder of you than I can possibly express. Thank you for everything.

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