

# MARYMOUNT NEWS

## IN THE SPOTLIGHT... Summer Hours Posted

Now that the 2006-07 academic year has come to an end, certain campus services will revert to summer hours of operation. Please take note of the following changes:

### *Parking*

Beginning Monday, May 14, staff who normally park at an off-campus location may park on campus, using either the 26<sup>th</sup> Street lot or the garage. Parking permits for staff are good through Friday, August 24.

### *Bookstore*

Summer Bookstore hours will be observed from Monday, May 21, through Friday, August 17. These hours are Mondays, 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m.; Tuesdays-Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Fridays, 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.; closed on weekends.

### *Masses*

From now through July 1, Mass will be held in the campus Chapel on weekdays at 7:30 a.m. and noon, and on Sundays at 10 a.m. Mass will not be held on campus during the month of July and part of August. Daily Mass will resume on August 5.

### *Dining Services*

Beginning May 14, the Gerard Dining Hall will be open daily from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sandella's will close for the summer, but Jazzman's will be open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., and closed on weekends.

### *Library/LRC*

Find intersession and summer session hours at [www.marymount.edu/lls/about/hours.html](http://www.marymount.edu/lls/about/hours.html).

### *Shuttle Bus Service*

Beginning May 14, weekday shuttles will depart campus and the Ballston Metro station every 20 minutes between 7 a.m. and 10:30 p.m., on the hour and at 20 and 40 minutes past the hour. On weekends, beginning at 8 a.m., one bus will depart campus and the Metro every

30 minutes. During the week and on weekends, the shuttle will stop at Woodley Arms and the Ballston Center on request.

## FYI

### **Texas-Style Barbeque**

Attention faculty and staff: mark your calendar! To thank you for your past and continuing patronage of campus dining services, Auxiliary Services and Sodexo are sponsoring a "Welcome to Summer" luncheon in the Gerard Dining Hall on Monday, June 4. Enjoy Texas barbeque and other culinary treats for the regular meal price of \$3. For more information, contact **Upen Malani**, assistant dean of Auxiliary Services, ext. 1491.

## **Student Campus Employment Reminders**

### *Summer 2007*

Need help in your office this summer? There's still time to hire a student worker. Students can apply for summer jobs through June 15 and may work through August 20. Contact **Tremayne Jackson**, coordinator, Student Campus Employment, ext. 5796, for more information.

### *Hiring Students for 2007-08*

Get an early start on your academic-year hiring by posting your 2007-08 jobs now. Incoming students who attend Summer Orientation Sessions will be invited to apply for campus jobs during their Orientation. Please submit your requisition by Friday, June 15. (Jobs submitted after June 15 will not be posted until mid-July.)

### *Performance Evaluation/Rehire Forms*

Your 2006-07 Performance Evaluation and Rehire Forms for student workers should have been submitted by now. They must be completed before your 2007-08 job postings can be activated. As in years past, only Federal Work-Study recipients will be eligible to apply for jobs through July 31. The job pool will be open to all students, regardless of

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financial need, on August 6. Students who are hired for the 2007-08 academic year may start work on August 20.

### ***InsideMU* Summer Schedule**

This is the last biweekly edition of *InsideMU* for this academic year. This newsletter will be published monthly throughout the summer; issues are scheduled for Monday, June 4; Monday, July 3, and Monday, August 6.

To submit items for consideration, please e-mail [insidemu@marymount.edu](mailto:insidemu@marymount.edu). The publication schedule and submission deadlines can be found at [www.marymount.edu/facultystaff/insidemu.html](http://www.marymount.edu/facultystaff/insidemu.html).

### ***PIM* 2007 Captures the Media's Attention**

If you were unable to attend the 2007 Portfolio in Motion fashion show, you can still read all about it. Articles about the show have appeared in *The Washington Post*, *Women's Wear Daily*, *Blogging Project Runway*, and the *Sun Gazette*. Representatives from *Washington Life*, *Northern Virginia Magazine*, *DC Modern Luxury Magazine*, *Latina Style Magazine*, and other publications also attended the show.

This year's Designer of the Year Award went to sportswear designer **Michael Kors**, who said, "Hats off to the faculty and students. Their imagination, hard work, and energy all came together for an amazing job!"

Check out [www.marymount.edu/photos/2007/pim](http://www.marymount.edu/photos/2007/pim) to view images captured both backstage and on the runway.

### **And the Prizes Go to...**

The Office of Development extends many thanks to every Marymount employee who made a contribution to this year's Campus Fund, which benefits student scholarships. At the Campus Fund's

Ice Cream Social in April, the following faculty and staff members won door prizes in appreciation for their support:

**Peggy Axelrod**, Business Office; **Debbie Jacobs**, Graduate Admissions; and **Rhett Leverett**, School of Arts and Sciences: reserved on-campus parking for one month

**Dr. Charles Brand**, School of Education and Human Services: Home Depot gift card

**Diane White**, Student Health Center: Starbucks gift card

**Kelly Zams**, Graduate Admissions: Pottery Barn gift card

It's not too late to support this year's Campus Fund and be eligible for future prizes! Simply go to [www.marymount.edu/support](http://www.marymount.edu/support) to make your secure gift online, or send your gift via campus mail to the Marymount Fund, c/o Office of Development, Rowley Hall.

### **Faculty 2007 Summer Abroad Adventures**

This summer, several Marymount faculty members are headed off to different parts of the world, where they will lead study abroad programs or broaden their own knowledge base.

**Dr. Christopher Snyder**, associate professor of History, is spending six weeks at Oxford University with a group of Honors students whom he will lead in a three-week study of Tolkien.

**Dr. Jacquelyn Black**, professor of Science, and **Dr. Todd Rimkus**, associate professor of Biology, are going to Belize to lead a Marine and Tropical Biology environmental project. They may even run into **Dr. Susan Bidwell**, professor of Nursing, and **Carol Lang**, assistant professor of Nursing, who will also be in Belize, working with MU students on a Community Nursing Program to promote health and wellness activities.

Each year MU's Office of Study Abroad awards two grants for tenured and tenure-track faculty to participate in an international faculty development seminar sponsored by the Council of International Educational Exchange. Grant winner **Thea Scott-Fundling**, associate professor of Interior Design, will explore the coexistence and challenges of neighboring cultures this summer in Morocco. **Jaya Halepete**, assistant professor of Fashion Merchandising, will travel to Chile and Argentina, where she will examine economic reform, regional integration, and democratization.

If you would like to teach a summer course abroad in the future, it's not too soon to start planning. The process can take one or two years of preparation. For further information, contact the **Victor Betancourt**, director, Study Abroad, ext. 1677, or visit [www.marymount.edu/academic/studyabroad](http://www.marymount.edu/academic/studyabroad) and click on the Faculty and Staff link.

### **PLAUDITS**

**Dr. Nancy James**, lecturer in Religious Studies, will have her book *The Pure Love of Madame Guyon: The Great Conflict in Louis XIV's Court* published in June by University Press of America.

### **PEOPLE Transition**

**Zwe Paing** has been promoted from computer support specialist to systems administrator I, ext. 5954.

### **EVENTS**

**May 15**—"Keeping Up with the Joneses - The Welsh in America" exhibition, Gerard Phelan Hall lobby, through September 3