(Front row) Alex Orellano, prospective engineering science major, listens to presentations about Morrisville State College’s academic programs during Sidekick Days.
Students, faculty + staff

Jostens Class Rings Days
Here’s your chance to order a Morrisville Class Ring at special savings! These are the final order dates of the year, so don’t delay.

Monday, April 14 – Morrisville Campus Store – 10 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Tuesday, April 15 – Norwich Campus Store – 1 p.m. – 6 p.m.

ISP Student Scheduling
Fall 2008 scheduling has started. Students should see their advisor (Mr. Efimenko, Ms. Yannarelli, or Ms. Evans) to make a schedule for fall.

Darfur Refugees Bring Stories of Survival to Campus
Stories about the atrocities in Sudan’s western region of Darfur will come to the Morrisville State College campus April 17 when refugees share their experiences with an audience of students, faculty, staff and community members through Voices From Darfur, a national speaking tour sponsored by the Save Darfur Coalition.

Among the speakers during the presentation will be John Dau, one of the “Lost Boys” of Sudan upon which the movie “God Grew Tired of Us” is based. The movie depicts the journey of the “Lost Boys” to America.

A dramatic display of sidewalk chalk art will grace the entrance of the John W. Stewart Center for Student Activities (STUAC) the week of April 17. The art will be poignant expressions drawn by Morrisville State College students reacting to the plight.

The sidewalk art is one of the campus activities that will be held to heighten awareness of the growing refugee crisis in Darfur, which has claimed at least 400,000 lives, displaced 2.5 million people and has left 3.5 million Sudanese people to survive starvation and violence.

Other on-campus activities include viewings of the film, “God Grew Tired of Us” on April 15 and 16 at 1 and 7 p.m. in the STUAC theatre.

Healthy Choices Fair
The Norwich Campus will host an information fair to promote healthy living on Wednesday, April 16, 2008, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

During the event, which is free and open to the public, local professionals will be providing free information to help people make healthy choices.

Among the information that will be available is:
- Adult immunizations
- Nutrition
- Massage therapy
- HPV
- Family Planning
- Tobacco Cessation
- Breast Health
- HIV, AIDS and Sexually Transmitted Diseases
- & much more!

The fair will be held at the Morrisville State College-Norwich Campus, 20 Conkey Avenue, Norwich (next to the Eaton Center)

HIV testing, with incentives for those taking a rapid HIV test provided by Project Wave N.Y., will also be offered. The free, anonymous HIV testing is being provided by New York State Department of Health.

The Fair is a project of the HIV Care Network, whose members include: Chenango County Health Dept., Chenango Health Network, Morrisville State College-Norwich Campus, Planned Parenthood of South Central NY, Southern Tier AIDS Program.
Dr. Paul Griffin, dean of the School of Liberal Arts and associate provost, talks with prospective students during Sidekick Days.

Parents of prospective students walk to shuttle vans to be treated to a meal at the Copper Turret.

Diane Crawford, mother of Kenny Crawford, prospective student and New Hampshire resident, asks a question during a presentation about the academic enrichment program.

(From left) Dipti Patel, nursing major, talks with Lindsey Graham, admissions assistant, and Heather Jones, senior career placement and development associate.
Be sure to visit the Career Planning Web site (http://www.morrisville.edu/careerplanning/joblisting.aspx) to see information and details on the following newly posted job openings, along with many other exciting opportunities.

Assistant Manager-Payroll, News America Marketing/News Corp. (Wilton, CT)
Layouts Coordinator, News America Marketing/News Corp. (Wilton, CT)
Business Analyst, News America Marketing/News Corp. (Wilton, CT)
Senior Java Developer, News America Marketing/News Corp. (Wilton, CT)
Sales Coordinator, News America Marketing/News Corp. (Wilton, CT)
Field Financial Analyst, News America Marketing/News Corp. (Wilton, CT)
Staff Accountant, News America Marketing/News Corp. (Wilton, CT)
P/T Administrative Assistant II, Student Services, Cornell University (Ithaca, NY)
Medical Technologist in Virology, Animal Health Diagnostic Center, Cornell University (Ithaca, NY)
Equine Farm Animal Surgery, Cornell University (Ithaca, NY)
Wrangler, Mountain View Ranch (Danby, VT)
Quality Control Technician, Norwich Pharmaceuticals (Norwich, NY)
Quality Control Microbiologist I/Lab Assistant, Norwich Pharmaceuticals (Norwich, NY)
Assistant to Horseback Director, Camp Oswegatchie
Program Technician-Permanent, USDA Farm Service Agency (LaFayette, NY)
Program Technician-Temporary, USDA Farm Service Agency (LaFayette, NY)
Equine Business Manager, Garnet Hill Lodge (North River, NY)
Student Intern, Madison County (Wampsville, NY)
Certified Welder, Atlas Automation (Rochester, NY)
Plasma Production Technician, Lake Immunogenics, Inc. (Ontario, NY)
Information Technology Assistant, Valley Ridge CIT (Norwich, NY)
Equine Science Employment (Marcellus, NY)
Engineering Aide, Chenango County
Entry Level and Advanced Engineering Positions, Armstrong (East Syracuse, NY)
Cook, Hutchings Psychiatric Center (Syracuse, NY)
Interns, National Pork Producers Council (Washington, DC)
Laboratory Engineer, Dept. of Biomedical Engineering, Univ. of Rochester (Rochester, NY)
Coordinator, Yale Sustainable Food Project, Yale University (New Haven, CT)
Milker, Rogers Farms, LLC (Bloomfield, NY)
Computer Technician, DCMO BOCES (Norwich, NY)
Specialist, Classroom Technology, Monroe Community College (Rochester, NY)
Multiple Positions, Yellowstone National Park Lodges

Contemporary Personnel Staffing, a temporary staffing company out of Syracuse, has the following temporary positions available. If you are interested in learning more on any one of these, stop by the Career Planning Office, or contact CPS at 457-2500. CPS sends in updates on a routine basis, so be sure to stop by our office check out their latest openings.

Volunteer Recruitment Coordinators, East Syracuse, NY
Service Sales Administrator, Syracuse, NY
Receptionist/Administrative Assistant, Syracuse, NY
Purchasing Clerk, Liverpool, NY
7 Copywriters, downtown Syracuse, NY
Product Service Representatives, East Syracuse, NY
Accounting Assistant, Syracuse, NY
Billing Clerks, Syracuse, NY
6 Customer Service Representatives, East Syracuse, NY
Administrative Assistant, Liverpool, NY
Receptionist, downtown Syracuse, NY
Student Activities This Week  (Paid for by your Student Activity fees)

**Ongoing Activities**

CAB sponsored discount movie tickets to Hamilton Theater; stop by the Student Activities Office for more information

CAB sponsored discount Movie tickets to Oneida Movieplex; stop by the Student Activities Office for more information

Listen 24/7 to your favorite alternative rock, hip hop, country, and old school music on WCVM Media, 1580-AM, WCVM-TV Channel 4, and at wcvm.morrisville.edu

Ag. Eng. Club t-shirt fundraiser

SME sponsored can and bottle drive

Collegiate FFA sponsored country meats smoked snacks fundraiser

**Monday, April 14:**

7 a.m.-11 p.m. Fitness Center Open

11 a.m.-1 p.m. Open Recreation Running/Walking in the Recreation Center

12-2 p.m. Public Skating at the Ice Plex

2:15-3:30 p.m. Skate and Shoot at the Ice Plex

5:30 p.m. SGO Assembly Meeting in STUAC Theater

6:30-9:30 p.m. Gamer’s Guild Meeting in Charlton 038

7 – 9 p.m. WCVM Media Production Lab Hours in 020/021 Charlton Hall

7-8:30 p.m. Paragons Jazz Band Rehearsal: STUAC Music Room 130

7-9 p.m. SGO Sponsored Open Swim in the STUAC Pool

7-9 p.m. Open Recreation in the Recreation Center

9-11 p.m. Open Recreation in the STUAC Gym

7-9 p.m. Intramural Basketball League in Hamilton Hall

**Tuesday, April 15:**

7 a.m.-11 p.m. Fitness Center Open

11 a.m.-1 p.m. Open Recreation Running/Walking in the Recreation Center

11:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. ADM Sponsored Blood Drive in Hamilton Hall

12-2 p.m. Public Skating: Ice Skating

1 p.m. Massage Therapy Sponsored Guest Speaker, Kathy Urschel in the STUAC Gym

1 p.m. The Darfur Project Sponsored “God Grew Tired of Us” in the STUAC Theater

1 p.m. Collegiate FFA Meeting in Marshall Hall 101

2:15-3:30 p.m. Skate and Shoot: Ice Plex

3 p.m. Softball vs. SUNY Plattsburg

5 p.m. School of Science and Technology Honors Dinner in Madison Hall

5:30-7:30 p.m. Center State Figure Skating Club

6-8:50 p.m. Choir Practice in the STUAC Music Room
7 p.m. The Darfur Project Sponsored “God Grew Tired of Us”: STUAC Theater
7-9 p.m. WCVM Media Production Lab Hours in Charlton 020/021
7-9 p.m. SGO Sponsored Open Swim in the STUAC Pool
8-10 p.m. Open Recreation in Hamilton Hall
9-11 p.m. Open Recreation in the STUAC Gym

Wednesday, April 16:
7 a.m.-11 p.m. Fitness Center Open
11 a.m.-1 p.m. Open Recreation Walking/Running in the Recreation Center
12 -1:30 p.m. Public Skating @ the Ice Plex
1 p.m. The Darfur Project Sponsored “God Grew Tired of Us”: STUAC Theater
2:15-3:30 p.m. Skate and Shoot at the Ice Plex
4 p.m. Men's Lacrosse vs. SUNY Oneonta
7 p.m. BASIC Sponsored Bible Study in Bailey 201
7-9 p.m. SGO Sponsored Open Swim in the STUAC Pool
7 p.m. The Darfur Project Sponsored “God Grew Tired of Us” in the STUAC Theater
7-9 p.m. Open Recreation in the Recreation Center
7-8:30 p.m. Paragons Jazz Band Rehearsal in the STUAC Music Room 130
7 p.m. CAB Meeting in 116 Crawford Hall

Thursday, April 17:
7 a.m.-11 p.m. Fitness Center Open
11 a.m.-1 p.m. Open Recreation Walking/Running in the Recreation Center
1 p.m. Outdoor Recreation Club Sponsored Talons!! A Bird of Prey Experience in Hamilton Hall
1 p.m. WCVM Media General Staff Meeting in Charlton 125
1 p.m. Mo’Pride Meeting in Crawford 112
1 p.m. IFSEA Meeting in Brooks Hall 320
1 p.m. The Darfur Project Sponsored “God Grew Tired of Us” in the STUAC Theater
5:30 p.m-7:30 p.m. Center State Figure Skating Club
7 p.m. The Darfur Project Sponsored John Dau and speaker from Darfur in the STUAC Gym

Friday, April 18:
7 a.m.-11 p.m. Fitness Center Open
11 a.m.-1 p.m. Open Recreation Running/Walking in the Recreation Center
12-1:30 p.m. Public Skating at the Ice Plex
2:15-3:30 p.m. Skate and Shoot at the Ice Plex
3 p.m. Softball vs. SUNY New Paltz
5 p.m. ASUBA Meeting in Crawford 104
7-9 p.m. SGO Sponsored Open Swim in the STUAC Pool
7-11 p.m. Open Recreation in the STUAC Gym
8 p.m. CAB Sponsored Talent Show in the STUAC Theater
11 p.m. CAB presents “The Great Debaters” in the STUAC Theater

Saturday, April 19:
10-11:15 a.m. Skate and Shoot at the Ice Plex
11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Public Skating at the Ice Plex
12-5 p.m. Fitness Center Open
1 p.m. Softball vs. SUNY Oneonta
1 p.m. Women’s Lacrosse vs. Fredonia State
2-4 p.m. SGO Sponsored Open Swim in the STUAC Gym
3-11 p.m. Open Recreation in the STUAC Gym
9 p.m. CAB presents “The Great Debaters” in the STUAC Theater
10-2 p.m. SGO Sponsored Semi-Formal; The Centennial Masquerade in Madison Hall

Sunday, April 20:
12-5 p.m. Fitness Center Open
1:15-2:4 p.m. Public Skating at the Ice Plex
2-4 p.m. SGO Sponsored Open Swim in the STUAC Pool
2-5 p.m. Open Recreation in the Recreation Center
3-11 p.m. Open Recreation in the STUAC Gym
4 p.m. CAB presents “The Great Debaters” in the STUAC Theater
7:30 p.m. Catholic Newman Sponsored Church in the Library

Paid for by Your Student Activity Fees.
Visit: http://events.morrisville.edu for a complete listing of events

Come Join Morrisville State College and Catholic Charities of Chenango County For Their First

Take Back The Night

Rally and March to End Sexual Violence and Abuse

Date: Friday, April 25th, 2008
Time: Pre-Rally begins at 6:00 p.m.
      Rally begins at 6:30 p.m.
      March starts at 7:15 p.m.
Location: The Roger W. Follett Hall Atrium
          20 Conkey Ave.
          Norwich Campus,
          Morrisville State College

For more information please contact Beth Neuland at Catholic Charities of Chenango County at (607)-334-8244.
Faculty/Staff Art Show

Kaitlin Henderson, equine science major, browses photographs by Kurt Reymers, assistant professor of social science.

Laurie Nataluk’s “Untitled” bronze sculpture.

“Yellowthroat Suite” by Tim Gerken, assistant professor of English.

Kanatani Takafumi, individual studies major, views photographs by Alan Levinsohn, associate professor of social science.
Dave Hamilton, site manager, moves dirt as work for the Morrisville Commons II begins.

Photo by Ryle Watson

Jon Van Deusen measures the ground for digging at the site of Morrisville Commons II.

Paintings by Aida Khalil, assistant professor of horticulture.

(Right) Dave Hamilton, site manager, moves dirt as work for the Morrisville Commons II begins.

Photo by Ryle Watson
Composting Project at Mustang Alley

Mustang Alley is going to become a “Green Zone” as we begin a major composting project!

On Earth Day, April 22nd, the waste bins at Mustang Alley will be separated by compostable and non-compostable items.

Not only is food waste compostable, but most dishes are as well! There will be a list in order to help you separate your trash.

So help us save the environment beginning on Earth Day at Mustang Alley, and keep looking for “Green Zone” signs as we continue to go green!
Field Trip
The following Promotion Management students listed below have been approved to travel with their instructor Phyllis Tucker, to go to the Greater Cazenovia Area Chamber of Commerce to design the Shepherd Link’s window display. They will be leaving campus at 12 p.m. on Friday April 25 and will return by 4 p.m. that same day. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Andrew Alarie  Jazvie Nunez
Michael Broadwell  Tenecia Paul
Graeme Gemmel  Jill Pedulla
Jeff Hall  Theron Stubs
Kadiesha Johnson  Brandon Szlamczynski
Amanda Kanas  Anthony Tolbert
Raylene Kenyon  Eric Watson
Gerrett Leigh  Lakeva Wilson

The following SME (Society of Manufacturing Engineers) students listed below have been approved to travel with their instructor, John Giess, to Niagara Falls Ontario on May 1-3. They will depart at 7 a.m. on Thursday and will be back around 6 p.m. on Saturday. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Casey Doty  Matthew Menhennett
Seth Kane  Joshua Strait
Jeffrey Lalone  Joseph Taranto
Baxter Lansing  Joval Shamsoum
Matthew Mckown

The following EDU 201 students listed below have been approved to travel with their instructor, Annamaria Deidesheimer, to attend a workshop at SUNY Oneonta on the April 18. The bus will leave at 9 a.m. and will return to Morrisville at 5 p.m. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Erica Notarangelo  Joshua Ocasio
Christine McWilliams  Timothy Barth
Danielle Bergeron  Ryan Carbonara
Christopher Johnson