First-year horticulture student Nate Burns shovels a tree from a planter with MSC assistant professor Aida Khalil, weeks before the first snowfall. The plants are moved inside during the winter months.
Great American Smokeout Events Planned

Students in Morrisville State College’s sports, nutrition and fitness management program are trying to raise awareness about the dangers of smoking and help faculty, staff and students kick the habit.

They are starting a permanent campus smoking cessation program Monday, November 14, in conjunction with the Great American Smokeout on Thursday, November 17. Several other events are also planned throughout the day on Monday.

The college will host a presentation, “Make Smoking History,” by Rick Stoddard, a national spokesperson who lost his wife to cancer caused by cigarette smoking when she was only 46 years old. He will speak from noon to 1 p.m. and again from 1 to 2 p.m. in the Iceplex II, Room 304. The lecture is free and open to the public.

Stoddard, who has been featured on national television commercials, will share his compelling story and offer ideas on how people can make a difference in helping others quit.

Students will be handing out literature and quick kits at informational tables in Seneca Dining Hall from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. There will also be a smoking “Jeopardy” game (prizes will be awarded) and a display that shows the effects smoking has on the lungs.

Morrisville State College Alumni/Development - Fostering Relationships and Finding Resources

Submissions for the next issue of the Alumni News are due to the Alumni/Development Office by Thursday, December 15.

The Alumni News welcomes and encourages letters, photos and other contributions from alumni, students, parents, employees and friends of the college. Rights are reserved for editing all materials due to space limitations.

A new Shop24 vending machine was installed this week behind Seneca Dining Hall. The first of its kind in the United States, the machine will carry a wide variety of items available for purchase 24 hours a day.
Transfer Workshop for Students Transferring to Four-Year Teacher Education Programs
Tuesday, November 15, 1 - 1:50 p.m., Crawford Hall, Room 203. Information and hand-outs for both first- and second-year students planning a career in teaching.

Transfer Representative Visit
A representative from SUNY Oswego will be on campus Thursday, November 17, 2005, from 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. in Seneca Dining Hall to talk with graduating students regarding transfer.

Mandatory Exit Interview
Federal regulations state that students who will be graduating (in December) and who took out any student loan(s) need to attend a Mandatory Exit Interview. The purpose of this meeting is to review the loan processes, repayment options, consolidation and transferring to another college.

There will be two sessions. Students must attend one of these sessions:

Dates: November 15 and November 29
Time: 1 p.m.
Location: Crawford Hall, Room 107

The following students are indicated as being December graduates who need to attend this meeting:

- Rachael Ackley
- Crystal
- Brian Baulsir
- Laura Bruckman
- David Cannizzo
- Randi Case
- Madison Cassidy
- Robert Clifton
- Jenna Cole-Hatchard
- Tara Deubler
- John Ellsworth
- Stacy Farrands
- Kyle Forshee
- Shereen Green
- Marianne Halpin
- Wendy Hayner
- Raymond Hazard
- Kimberly Hultman
- Denise LaFever
- Jason Larrabee
- Andrea MacLaury
- Meghan Malone
- Charyl Manwarren
- Megan Martinez
- Kathy Mumbulo
- Heather Palmer
- Heather Rich
- Jesse-James Shock
- Corrinne Spaulding
- Nicholas Stage
- Loy Turns
- Marlene Utter
- Donald VanSlyke
- Gerald Wendler
- Diane Wilcox
- Brandon Williams
- Derik Williams
- Patricia Yaddow
- Joshua Young

(Top) MSC students (left to right) Chad Noble, James Lacell, Kenneth Douglas, and Mellinda Tyler perform a scene in this year’s Friars’ Club production, Me & My Google.

(Bottom) Kelly-Rose Gibbons, Kenneth Douglas, and Josh Springett perform another scene from Me & My Google.
Field Trips

The following students have approval to travel to the Turning Stone Casino and Resort with their instructor, Dr. Joan Johnson, on November 14, 2005. The students will leave campus at 11 a.m. and will return to campus at 5 p.m. that afternoon. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Barrow, Shane
Chesebro, Barb
Faudree, Liam
Francey, Ryan
Halberg, Hope
Morishita, Hitomi

Rodriguez, Mary
Rodriguez, Miguelina
Schirripa, Nick
Swank, Louis
Toyoshima, Ai

The following students have approval to travel to Burnham's Citroen Repair in Esperance, NY, on November 14, 2005, with their instructor, Mr. Graham Jones. The students will leave campus at 11 a.m. on November 14 and will return to campus at 4 p.m. that afternoon. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Anderson, Kurt
Bashaw, Scott
Becker, Adrian
Bovain, Kenneth
Cerretani, Benjamin
DePuy, Max
Foster, Daniel
Gardner, Laura
Geier, Jeff
Kriewall, Trevor
Merick, John
Moon, Evan
Morrison, Kris
Morrock, Frank
Peck, Seth
Reed, Alexander
Naoto, Kan

Alt, Andrew J.
Anderson, Harry F.
Andrews, Daniel B.
Gile, Mike
Balmer, Mark P.
Bates, Micah J.
Bennett, Melissa M.
Borchert, Sarah L.
Coons, II, Brian E.
Copenhaver, Austin D.
Cummings, Mark D.
Davidson, Matthew J.
Davi, Ashley J.
Dove, Randall
Durant, Amanda L.
Jahnke, Matt
Gauger, Benjamin J.
Hebbard, Anthony J.
Hobczuk, Adam P.
Hodge, Annie D.
Hosmer, Danielle E.
Hudyncia, Julia A.
Huff, Amanda L.
Janney, Ryan M.
McCracken, Jeremy A.
Molesky, Paul R.
Ploetz, Ryan C.
Robinson, Judson B.
Slocum, Amy
Swagler, Kris
Tolentino, Lexine
Walker, Daniel J.
Winton, Felicia E.
Worden, Wayne E.
Sweeney, Jessica
Miner, Adam
Westcott, Sharon
Arotsky, Sam

The following students have approval to travel to B & B Lumber Company in Jamesville, NY, and Barden Homes in Homer, NY, on November 17, 2005, with their instructor, Mr. Wayne Hausknecht. The students will leave campus at 8 a.m. on November 17 and will return to campus at 5 p.m. that afternoon. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Bowers, Joshua
Cady, Phillip
Costello, James
Dolan, Patrick
Johnston, Dale
McGrew, Kevin
Schloss, Weston
Vargo, Michael
Wood, Adam

The following students have approval to travel to Stickley Furniture Company in Manlius, NY, and Harden Furniture Company in McConnellville, NY, on December 1, 2005, with their instructor, Mr. Wayne Hausknecht. The students will leave campus at 8 a.m. on December 1 and will return to campus at 5 p.m. that afternoon. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Alt, Andrew J.
Anderson, Harry F.
Andrews, Daniel B.
Gile, Mike
Balmer, Mark P.
Bates, Micah J.
Bennett, Melissa M.
Borchert, Sarah L.
Coons, II, Brian E.
Copenhaver, Austin D.
Cummings, Mark D.
Davidson, Matthew J.
Davi, Ashley J.
Dove, Randall
Durant, Amanda L.
Jahnke, Matt
Gauger, Benjamin J.
Hebbard, Anthony J.
Hobczuk, Adam P.
Hodge, Annie D.
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Molesky, Paul R.
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Robinson, Judson B.
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Bowers, Joshua  McGrew, Kevin
Cady, Phillip  Schloss, Weston
Costello, James  Vargo, Michael
Dolan, Patrick  Wood, Adam
Johnston, Dale

The following students have approval to travel to Magna Powertrain in Syracuse, NY, on December 1, 2005, with their instructor, Mr. Graham Jones. The students will leave campus at 8 a.m. on December 1 and will return to campus at 1 p.m. that afternoon. The students have been instructed to contact their instructors in advance of any missed classes to arrange for appropriate makeup.

Anderson, Kurt  Ledesma, Rafael
Bashaw, Scott  Marafino, Daniel
Becker, Adrian  O’Boye, Patrick
Bennett, Justin  Putnam, Ryan
Canseco, David  Ricci, Christopher
Cha, Gary  Rogers, John
Dame, Joshua  Rothaupt, Brad
Doyle, Devon  Seitles, Zachary
Emborski, John  Semple, Kevin
Fil, Mariusz  Southwick, Richard
Hernandez, Jimmy  Sterritt, Matthew
Howe, Ryan  Sullivan, Tyler
Jacopino, Daniel  Villeneuve, Joseph
Kinnear, Kevin  Waters, Robert
Laudin, Benjamin  Warfield, Ed

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Renovation of the STUAC Theater progresses as cement is poured.