Anti-Police Brutality Speakers Teach Baruchians to Stay Alive

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Copy Editor

In response to recent police killings of primarily Black and Latinx students in New York City, the Committee Against Police Brutality hosted a Teach-In Against Police Misconduct yesterday. Its goal at Baruch was to educate students about how to act when stopped by police.

The Committee invited members from various organizations to speak on the subject.

"Under Giuliani, civil rights and civil liberties have been suspended," said Kevin Shubazz, a member of Community Access, Inc. To survive encounters with police, Shubazz advised individuals to stop when asked and cooperate with orders to show identification.

As a former officer, Shubazz gave several tips of conduct. He tells individuals to explain to officers that they are expected at a location so the officer will know that others will wonder and try to find out what has caused the delay. Shubazz also suggests that one should refer to the officer by name and get the badge and car plate numbers.

Marta Goodson, a professor in the Black and Hispanic studies department, organized the event primarily in fear for her 23-year-old son's safety. Goodson said it is customary for "parents" who are afraid that their innocent child will be harassed, beaten or killed by police.

"The day I brought him from the hospital, I was thinking of police brutality and Goodson, who lives close to the Brown neighborhood where Amadou Diallo was killed in February 1999. "Nothing has really improved."

Goodson shared the dilemma she and others live in trying to bring her son how to act towards such authority figures. On one hand, they want their children to be proud and walk tall, but they also do not want them to be killed for insubordination. One audience member shouted out that selling youngsters to adhere to police rules turns them into punks and makes them lose self-esteem.

Richie Perez, an activist for the Committee Against Police Brutality, related his own experience.

"I had studied for about 30 hours last week," whined Lola Shuey. "It's not fair that we have to retake them!"

The glitch, which took place the six-hour event, students, professors and visitors expressed their rage and frustration with police misconduct in the city.

"We're at that point right now where we have no options," said Joe Lando, a Psychology professor. "They're taking away the Malcolm X Grassroots Movement. It's about survival!"

Baruch encourages students to get involved in their communities and join organizations to combat racism in the United States, which he deems the greatest violent of harm in the world.

Most encouraged students to get involved in such activities as the anti-police brutality rally on April 5 at 4th Street Union Square.

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Regan Appointed Baruch President

First Full-Time President Since Matthew Goldstein

By Adam Ostaszewski
Contributing Writer

On March 27, former New York State Comptroller Edward V. Regan was appointed as Baruch’s next president. Regan is the school’s first permanent president since the resignation of now CUNY Chancellor Matthew Goldstein in May 1998. Since then, Baruch has been led by Interim Presidents Lois Crenholm and Sidney Litman.

Regan, selected by the CUNY Board of Trustees, will begin his tenure on July 15.

Litzman supports Regan’s appointment. “Mr. Regan is a fine choice to be President of Baruch College,” said Litzman. "He is very well connected to the political and business establishment in New York and is positioned to maintain the strong fundraising activities needed by the college to maintain the level of quality and excellence which has been built here.” Litzman continued, “I’m

Newly elected Baruch President Edward (Ned) Regan. Regan was chosen by the CUNY board of trustees last Monday, he was one of three candidates that were being considered for the school’s Presidential position.

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The Supreme Court building in Washington D.C. The Court ruled that student activity fees be used by all clubs and organizations.

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Students Approve of Improving Bathroom Conditions on Campus

By Nicole Leveli, Senior Staff Writer

In the March issue of the Ticker, it was reported that the bathrooms of Baruch College were deemed below standard and unclean by the students. In an effort to make the students feel better about the facilities, the Board of Trustees decided to make the bathrooms more comfortable and pleasant for the students to use.

The execution and coordination of this project was supervised by a Student Affairs official, Ronald Austin. Austin notes that although Baruch College is already a somewhat busy place, there are still others like 18th street, where there are no facilities available for students.

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Creating Characters Can Be Fun
And No One Knows Into What That Can Turn

By Germana Vagianet
Features Editor

Writing can be a lot of fun. Did you ever try to develop characters? Did you ever create a kids
world successfully? Well, I sure am up with a lot of things today, namely building worlds, thinking
about shopping day, I am telling about something particular in the feature that I would like to share
one of these things to do, the habit of developing characters.

Writing can be a very lucrative hobby. In fact,
many writers employed in film and television
simply took a course and off they went. Many are now astonishingly rich. I could give you an
example, but I will not get into the hairy
of setting.

As we all know, setting out not the creative.
Creativity is a habit, but could also be enhanced.
One good start is writing a journal every day.
This habit can save you some trouble by
keeping you in house instead of out.

According to the book, 21st Century To
Beginning your writing character, “people
in a work of fiction, are vitally important to
development. Creating characters is a habit,
then, makes you an interesting character
yourself. I have not found of any one doing it. I
don’t intend to claim that I am the only one with
this trait in my artistic day, and the bad
alleged goes, “you never knew.”

While having fun creating characters, you
get to study them. Do they interact with
you? Do they like you? Do they love you?

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Raghu’s Philosophy Corner

By Raghu Beenaavudar
Senior Writer

In the months of pondering whether or not to
bring the corner back into existence and coming
to its conclusion, one of our Features Editors, Raghu, decided to take one of his own
debates out of his book. He rolled it into this edi-
torial style to write the column. According to
him, I congregate writing about philosophy is
crucial to a variety of a religion, and, thus,]
discussed in the hope of being a field of study.

In addition, I was a little off when it came to
philosophy, but insisted. I did not know that
there is a need to develop understanding in
philosophy.

I should be starting at the column with
a discussion on the early modern philosophy.
On the one hand, it was clear that he didn’t
see the case. I am not sure what the case was.
One may wonder why there is so much
appreciation for philosophy in the 21st
millennium which is the case. It is not surprising
by countless modern universities throughout
the world have been considered a "dead
pair" by the religious for its contributions to
humanity. The reason is often referred to as
a "dead pair" because he did not hold the same
belief as others. He was the most curious thing to
write wrongs, logic (pertaining to true and false
statements). As such, his work was often critical,
logical, and metaphysical.

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from modernity. It is the foundation for what
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The purpose of our lives, according to
Aristotle, is to be happy. In order to live in a
state, we must perform our main function
in order to be happy. As such, the question of
whether or not to bring the corner back into
existence and coming to its conclusion, is the
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The Inheritance of a New President

After years of committee,17 years of waiting, Baruch finally has its new president. Chosen by Herman I. Hinnant and the CUNY Board of Higher Education, President Sidney Lirlzman is expected to make a significant impact on the institution. His office will be located in the Financial Center, and he will be the first person in the role to have served more than one year.

Lirlzman takes the helm at a time when the economy is struggling. The recession is expected to continue for several more months, and many students are facing difficult times. Despite this, Lirlzman is optimistic about the future of the college and the city.

"It is an exciting time to be in New York," he said. "The city is on the cusp of a new era, and Baruch is poised to play a role in that.

Lirlzman comes to Baruch from the University of Rochester, where he served as provost for 10 years. He is known for his expertise in higher education and his ability to work with a variety of stakeholders.

"I am honored to have been chosen as Baruch's next president," he said. "I look forward to working with the faculty, staff, and students to ensure that Baruch remains a leader in higher education.

Lirlzman's predecessor, President Sidney Lirlzman, was known for his dedication to the college and his commitment to making it a leading institution. He leaves behind a legacy that will be hard to match, but Lirlzman is determined to continue that tradition.

"President Lirlzman was a visionary leader," said Hinnant. "We are grateful for his service and wish him all the best in his new role.

Lirlzman's inauguration is scheduled for October 31. He will be joined by a large crowd of students, faculty, and staff, as well as members of the CUNY Board of Higher Education.

Lirlzman is an accomplished scholar and a prolific writer. He has written numerous books on higher education and has been a vocal advocate for the importance of higher education in society.

"I believe that higher education is one of the most important things we can do as a society," he said. "It is the foundation upon which our future is built.

Lirlzman's appointment is a sign of the university's commitment to the future of higher education. He is a leader who is dedicated to making a difference, and he is poised to do just that at Baruch.

"President Lirlzman is a true leader," said Hinnant. "We are confident that he will continue to make Baruch a leader in higher education.

Lirlzman is already hard at work, preparing for his first day on the job. He has been meeting with faculty and staff, and he is already making plans for the future of the college.

"I am excited about the opportunities that lie ahead," he said. "I look forward to working with everyone at Baruch to ensure that it continues to be a leader in higher education.

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Surrounding Immigrant Businesses Reflect Baruch's Student Population

By Sara A. Alcorn

While leaving the Newhouse Library you can catch a glimpse of the TIAA-CREF logo on wall art. This is one of the approximately 100 TIAA-CREF signs displayed on campus. According to a TIAA-CREF representative, the company invests approximately $10 billion in the University's endowment. TIAA-CREF is the nation's largest corporate based pension fund. The company's investment in the University is just one example of the company's commitment to higher education. TIAA-CREF is also one of the largest financial services companies in the United States.


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Trading Floor Opens Its Doors to the 21st Century

After much suspense and anticipation, the Trading Floor officially opened for business on March 28. The Subotnick Financial Services Center located on the first floor of the 25th Street building was inaugurated. The Center, an assimilated trading floor created for Baruch students to experience the financial markets first hand, has received a lot of attention since its dedication ceremony in October 1999.

The event was attended by representatives from companies of the Center's major contributors, including Compaq, Nortel Networks, Reuters, Sky Tech, Daktronics, Merrill Lynch, NYSE, Gruntal & Company and Nasdaq. Baruch faculty and students were also present. Although the Center has been inaugurated, it is not yet ready for use. It is scheduled to be completed for use in the Summer 2000.

Among the speakers at the dedication were Interim President Sidney I. Lurie, Speaker of the City Council Peter Vallone, Chancellor of CUNY and former President of Baruch Mathew Goldstein and the Director of the Center Professor Bruce Weber.

The three main contributors to the Center, Stuart Subotnick and Bert Wasserman, who are also alumni of the school, gave the opening ceremonies as well. Weber, executive vice president and national sales manager of Reuters, mentioned in an interview with NYI that it is better if students get a chance to learn about the markets and make the mistakes in school rather than making those mistakes on the job.

Days after the Center was inaugurated students were walking in and out, inquiring about its facilities, equipment and availability. Weber is pleased about all of the attention and curiosity the Center has sparked.

Weber explained that the Center is representing the "New Baruch" because it is allowing Baruch students the opportunity to compete with other Ivy League schools. He also mentions that since Baruch is a state-funded school and state grants can not support the Center, they had to go to Baruch alumni to get donations.

The contributions for the Center totaled about $2 million dollars and will sustain an average of a quarter of a million dollars annually to maintain.

2000 University Student Senate-Collegiate Merit Awards

CUNY's University Student Senate is providing the opportunity for up to three Baruch undergraduate or graduate students to be selected as recipients of a $1000 competitive academic scholarship for the fall 2000 semester. Applicants must currently be enrolled in a minimum of six undergraduate or three credits of graduate course work and possess a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.5. One must also have completed between 24 and 96 credits as an undergraduate, or between nine and 24 credits as a graduate student. Applicants must plan to be enrolled for the fall of 2000 semester to be eligible for consideration. An application packet can be secured from the Office of the Dean of Students, Room 1702, 360 PAS through April 18th. Completed applications must be submitted to the Office of the Dean of Students by 5pm, Tuesday, May 2, 2000.

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Baseball Team On Fire

By Kenyatta Pious
Sports Editor

The men's baseball team is on a roll. The team is now 2-0 overall. Last Saturday, the Hawks defeated St. John's 5-4 in the Knick Conference. More impressively is that the team has not lost three games during this streak. Ramapo unfurled Baruch last year, defeating the Bearcats in a 15-2 defeat. Ramapo was a nationally ranked team last year.

The win against Ramapo was extra special because the team did not lose three of its starters. Tom Belingles, Adam Bollington and Frank Smeralda were all relegated to the sidelines. The Baruch mailbag is heating up, and the Baruch basketball team is heating up, too.

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We have no decision to make about the next game. The Baruch basketball team in the Atlantic 10 conference.

CUNY Athletic Press Release

Pitcher of the Week: George Tamayo
The Statesmen senior has endured some tough times and is being rewarded for his troubles. After an outstanding season, he has earned an excellent beginning to his final campaign. A much improved Baruch team is off to a stellar start with Tamayo leading the way. The right-hander pitched a complete game shutout, scattering five hits and striking out eight in a 9-2 win.

Tamayo also helped his cause at the plate by getting on base with a sacrifice fly and scoring a run. For the season, Tamayo is batting .425 with seven RBIs.

Rookie of the Week: Kevin Clark
The 5'8 freshman catcher has stepped in and provided an immediate impact for the Statesmen. Clark, from Xavier High School in Brooklyn, batted .227 in the season opener and went 2-for-3 for Baruch in a 4-1 win with three runs batted in.

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This is our second time in the Atlantic 10 conference. After a good season, we have earned a chance to make the playoffs. We have to make sure we don't let this opportunity slip away.

We have our hands on until they are broke. Wishing they could get a second chance. We have to keep pushing.

What is sick is that the NBA promotes this. What is unfair is to make some people's livelihoods and also more detrimental to the hard work and team spirit. Tickets were distributed to area youth groups, providing an opportunity for our communities to learn the value of a good sport and team play. No matter what our kids do in life, we want them all to be allers.

And in the future.

By Jon Minners
Sporting News Editor

Baruch's Basketball Team Is Honored in Con Edison Ad

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