



A New www.canisius.edu

The award-winning Canisius College Web site is receiving a makeover this fall. In addition to an updated look and feel, the navigation options will be improved for such target users as alumni, prospective students and parents. Fresh content and flash pieces will also be among the site's new and improved components.

The initial phase of the redesign includes the admissions, academics, student life and alumni Web pages, and will launch in November 2005. The remainder of the site, which consists of more than 8000 pages, will be redesigned over the next year.

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President's Medal Conferred on Cardinal Dulles, S.J.

Avery Cardinal Dulles, S.J., made Canisius history on November 8 when he became the 38th person to receive the college's esteemed President's Medal. Conferred by Canisius President Rev. Vincent M. Cooke, S.J., the President's Medal bears the Latin phrase *pro Deo et patria* (for God and country), and is bestowed only periodically to those who have distinguished themselves in public life through service to God and community.



Avery Cardinal Dulles, S.J.

Cardinal Dulles is the Laurence J. McGinley Professor of Religion and Society at Fordham University. He entered the Jesuit order in 1946 and was ordained to the priesthood in 1956. In February 2001, Pope John Paul II appointed Dulles a Cardinal of the Catholic Church in Rome. The appointment made him the first American-born theologian, who was not a bishop, to receive this honor.

Cardinal Dulles has published more than 750 articles and 22 books on theological topics including *Newman* (2002), *The Splendor of Faith: The Theological Vision of Pope John Paul II* (1999), *The Catholicity of the Church* (1985) and *Models of Revelation* (1983). He currently serves as a consultant to the Committee on Doctrine of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops, and is past president of the Catholic Theological Society of America and the American Theological Society. He also served on the International Theological Commission and as a member of the United States Lutheran/Roman Catholic Dialogue.

Cardinal Dulles was presented with the President's Medal prior to his lecture at Canisius, entitled "Should the Church be Counter Cultural?" His visit and lecture were made possible through the college's Conversations in Christ and Culture Lecture Series.

Womens' Athletic Teams Compete in Foreign Tour

The Canisius College women's softball and basketball teams traveled to Italy in August to compete in two separate foreign tours.

The two-time defending MAAC champion softball team spent 10 days in Rome playing games against two of the top club teams in Italy. The Golden Griffins dropped the first game to Forli (6-2) but rebounded for a 2-1 win over the host squad in a doubleheader.

During their stay in Rome, the softball team visited Canisius alumnus

Chuck V. Borzilleri '55 who generously welcomed the team, coaches, trainers and parents to his Italian villa for an old-fashioned barbecue.

This was the second Italian tour for the women's softball team but the first for the women's basketball team, which competed in three games against Italian and German teams. The Blue and Gold swept all three games on their tour for a 3-0 record.

For complete game details from the Italian tours, visit www.gogriffs.com.



Women's Softball

The Canisius College champion softball team poses for a picture during a barbecue at the home of Chuck Borzilleri '55. Pictured on the steps (top to bottom): Courtney Piar '07, Sandi Gerace '07, Jenny Maheu '08, Andrea Bunten '05, Jess Martin '07, Beth Enk '05, Amanda Luukinen '05, Natalie Osika '06 (seated), Becky Owen '05, Jamie Gerace '07, Assistant Coach Rina Brannen, Lindsay Garbacz '08, Jill Foit '08, Katie Miranto '08. Seated (to the right) Chuck Borzilleri, Borzilleri friend Barbara, Head Coach Mike Rapp.



Women's Basketball

The Canisius College women's basketball team takes a break from their playing schedule to tour Rome's Colosseum. Pictured (front row, l-r): Jessie Lamparsk '07, Karly Chesko '06, Cheri Wittlieb '06, Megan Lyte '07, Jackie Richards '06, Becky Zak '06, JJ Williams '08, Jessica Steeves '06 and Katie Thorner '08. (Back row, l-r): Head Coach Terry Zeh, Nia Capuano '08, Assistant Coach Kendra Harris, Abby Radunske '07, Mere Mullins '08, Laura Granzow '08, Assistant Coach Jénel Stevens '04, Assistant Coach Chris Vozab and Athletic Trainer Amy Miller.

Board of Regents Appoints Nine New Members

The Canisius College Board of Regents appointed nine new members this fall. The Board serves as an advisory group to Canisius President Rev. Vincent M. Cooke, S.J. and the Canisius College Board of Trustees. The new members will each serve a three-year term. They are:



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