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Plainly Malaspina

Malaspina University College - A View from the Depths

Please Note:

Plainly Malaspina will not appear during the summer months, as the Editor and Staff are taking a holiday at students' expense pursuing rewarding professional development options... working intensely at a regional campus overseas (in Italy) in accordance with the Mission Statement of the institution.

The next issue should appear in August.

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Where such an intention does exist, however, it was probably the result of a misunderstanding on the part of the reader and is explicitly disavowed by the Editor and Staff.

* This edition based on an original idea by Rick Monaghan.

SAIS Update: What You Can Do To Help

PERSONAL TOILET SEATS NOW COMPULSORY

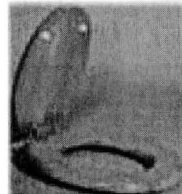
Once again Malaspina is leading the way forward, this time in response to the recent outbreak of Sudden Acute Intestinal Syndrome.

From May 1 all installed seats will be removed from campus toilets in an effort to block transmission of the deadly disease. Employees will be required to furnish their own seats until such time as health authorities declare the crisis over.

Since many employees work in a number of buildings, and given the nature of the overt symptomatic presentation of the illness, it will be necessary to carry one's personal accoutrement with one at all times.

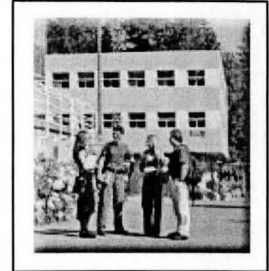
"Staff should not see this as an imposition," said an MUC official, "but rather as an opportunity for creative expression. All accessories express the personality, character and aspirations of their users, and these are no exception."

To facilitate the transition, the Bookstore will carry the following models, while supplies last:



The Brennan

A simple oak seat for those who prefer the natural approach.



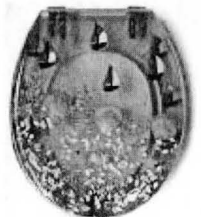
The Monaghan

For those who desire a little extra comfort, this padded and elevated seat gives one the impression of sitting on a real throne!



The Armstrong

Fully-loaded! With air-circulation, built-in AM/FM radio and patented Eezi-Lok™ attachment system, this model comes with its own handy carrying-case for maximum discretion. Ideally suited for those with political ambitions.



The Reimer

Cool dudes who like to keep up with the trends will enjoy this compact, arty, sophisticated alternative.