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Molloy College Film Festival: Jerry Maguire

The Fall 2007 Molloy College Film Festival, based on the theme *Heroes and Heroines of Yesteryear*, continues with a screening of the film, *Jerry Maguire* on Friday, October 19, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. The film will be shown in the Lucille S. Hays Theatre located in the Wilbur Arts Center on the Molloy campus.

The film looks at the high-pressure business of professional sports. Tom Cruise stars as a top athletic agent who is fired for speaking out against greed in sports. With only a flamboyant NFL player (Best Supporting Actor Oscar-winner Cuba Gooding, Jr.) remaining as a client, Maguire wages a relentless battle to rebuild his career.

As guest panelist for the post-film discussion, Jeff Massey, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of English Language and Literature at Molloy College, will share with the audience his enthusiasm and rich insight into film.

Following his presentation, Dr. Massey will join festival coordinator S. Mary Verity McNicholas, O.P., Ph.D., for an audience-involved discussion of further ramifications of the film. S. Mary Verity McNicholas, professor emerita of film and drama criticism at Molloy, served as film critic and consultant for the U.S. Catholic Conference until the relocation of its headquarters to Washington, D.C.

For information regarding the price of admission or future events—or for placement on the mailing list—please call 516.678.5000, extension 6272, Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Or visit our web site: <http://www.molloy.edu>. You can also contact the Office of Public Relations at 516.678.5000. ext. 6020.

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