

# *Maine Maritime Academy*



**TRICK'S END**  

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**2008**

*President's Office*



*Trick's*



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## A Trick's End Tradition

Back at the turn of the 20th century, there were sailing ships that serviced the world over. These ships were manned by a crew who were obtained by the Captain. Some signed on as cabin boys, some were duped on board to serve the Captain until the end of the voyage, earning their keep if they lived that long. The end of their voyage was known to these men as "Trick's End".

Later, during the World Wars to follow, men who served their country for the navy picked up the terminology and applied it to their deployment. Upon returning to their home base, they would call it "Trick's End".

Today the Merchant Mariner calls his daily watch a "Trick" and at the end of watch he is at his "Trick's End". This has carried over to the men and women who serve in the state and federal Maritime Academy systems.

The "Trick's End" is our yearbook and it traditionally comes to us at the end of our tour of duty as students. When we leave our station here at MMH, we will have reached our "Trick's End".

Congratulations to the Class of 2008 on reaching your "Trick's End"! Best of luck on all your endeavors. May you sail safely through the rest of your lives.



# Dedication

*The following piece of writing had special meaning to Professor Dobbin. Located outside Professor Loomis' office, it drew his attention every time he passed by. He would stop, and read:*

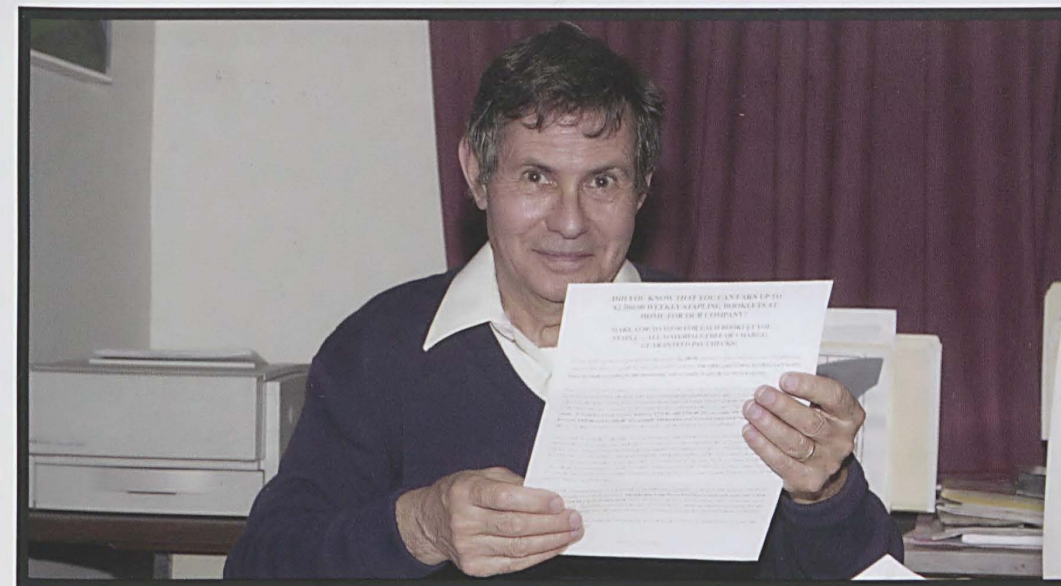
## ATTITUDE

The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me, is more important than facts. It is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think, say, or do. It is more important than appearance, giftedness or skill. It will make or break a company...a church...a home. The remarkable thing is we have a choice every day regarding the attitude we will embrace for the day. We cannot change our past....we cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the one string we have, and that is our attitude....I am convinced that life is 10 percent what happens to me and 90 percent how I react to it. And so it is with you...we are in charge of our attitudes.

--C. Swindol



# Donald Dobbin



Donald Dobbin, a wonderful Scot who began his career as an engineer after graduating from Stow College of Engineering (Scotland) with a BSEE and then an MSEE, eventually found himself at Maine Maritime Academy where he distinguished himself as a superior mathematics professor. He was appointed to the faculty in 1990 and rose to the rank of Associate Professor of Mathematics. After serving the maximum allowable time of six years as Associate Dean of Academics, Dobbin stepped back into the world of mathematics professor on July 1, 2007. While Associate Dean, he developed a system to assist and encourage students with learning disabilities. Both students and professors recall Dobbin's accessibility, concern for all students, and powerful desire to maintain high standards while simultaneously aiding students to master difficult material. One student reported that Dobbin was a good professor from Scotland with a good heart who would work with you to get you through calculus. An Electric Boat Program student wrote that Professor Dobbin was a great teacher who worked hard to make sure his students understood the math he was teaching. He was very light-hearted, loved life and telling little funny stories. While in control at all times, he was able to project his good nature throughout the class making the students in Groton, CT very comfortable and learning easier. Sadly, Associate Professor Dobbin passed away July 15, 2007. At the time of his death, he was enthusiastically preparing his materials for his fall mathematics courses. The sound of his Scottish accent in the halls of MMA will be greatly missed.

--Laurie Stone, Editor, MARINER Alumni Magazine, Fall 2007.



# President's Letter

Maine Maritime Academy  
Castine, Maine 04420

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OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

Congratulations to the Class of 2008!

When you entered as freshmen, I am sure that graduation seemed just a distant light at the end of a very long tunnel. But, as you look back, I am sure you feel that the time has gone by amazingly fast and so it will be with the rest of your lives. You have the tools you need to learn and grow, to thrive and prosper. Cherish each day for its own worth, not for the paycheck at the end of the week, or the vacation at the end of the year. Try to see the glass as at least half full; try to give, as well as to take; try to treat others as you would wish to be treated and always act with honesty and integrity.

You have worked hard to earn your degree and you should be very proud of your achievement. We expect great things from you. Generations of Maine Maritime Academy graduates still return every year to meet with their classmates, or with faculty and staff members who have influenced their lives. They talk about their families, their adventures and successes and affirm that their education here was the strong foundation for their future careers, no matter what path they chose. I hope that you will return to visit to tell us of your achievements and that you will stay in touch with your classmates. The Maine Maritime Academy family grows larger every year and you will doubtless encounter other graduates in far flung corners of the world. I hope that you will always extend a helping hand to each other and to those who come after you.

On behalf of all of those who have worked with you at the Academy, I wish you a future filled with achievement, prosperity and service to others.

*Leonard Tyler*  
PRESIDENT

# Commandant's Letter

Maine Maritime Academy  
Castine, Maine 04420

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OFFICE OF THE COMMANDANT

Congratulations to the Class of 2008:

Your four years here have been long, yet we hope rewarding as you have developed into young professional men and women. It started with your arrival on campus with the orientation greeting of Where Everyone Knows Your Name. It culminates with your commencement as you gather together as a class for the last time before you launch your careers with high hopes and dreams for bright futures.

Like many classes before you, you are graduating at a time in the Academy's history where our graduates have been thrust into either a global or regional conflict at the start of their careers. Many of you will be directly affected by these conflicts. All will feel the impact on family and friends, if not personally. Just as past classes have successfully navigated the waters of a world in conflict, you as a class and as individuals will no doubt do the same. It will be the struggles you experienced here to succeed as a student, the long hours complying with license requirements, and your constant attention to completing your responsibilities that will be your strengths.

With that challenge however, comes perhaps the greatest opportunity for any group of our graduates that has been seen in the history of the Academy. Exciting careers await you whatever your field of interest. Countless avenues exist in which you can excel and achieve your dreams. Most importantly, you have the opportunity to positively affect all those with whom you come into contact. In doing so, the Class of 2008 will certainly make their mark, and the world will be better for it.

On behalf of Commander Frost (the AC), Lieutenant Victor Pinkham, Lieutenant Dave Hassett, and Lieutenant Michelle Eaton, we wish you all Godspeed, Fair Winds, and Following Seas! It has been an honor sharing your years at Maine Maritime Academy.

Best regards,

*Jeff Loustau*

Jeff Loustau  
Vice President for Enrollment Management/  
Commandant of Midshipmen



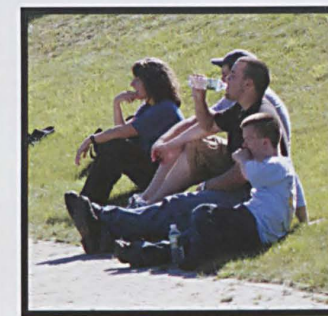
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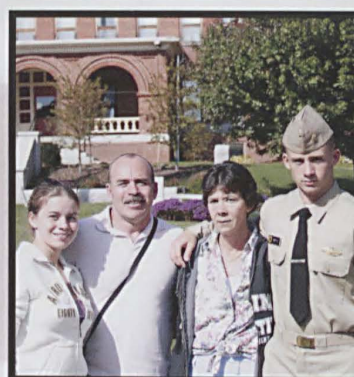
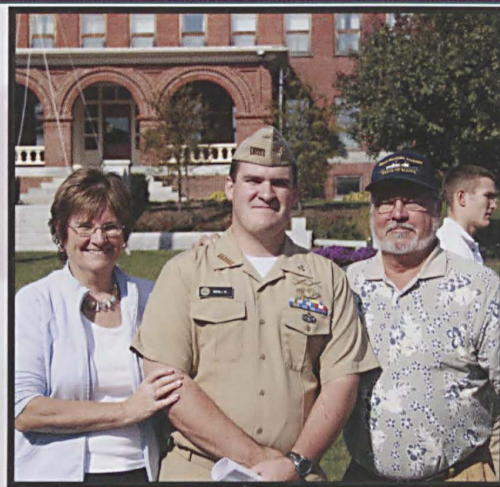
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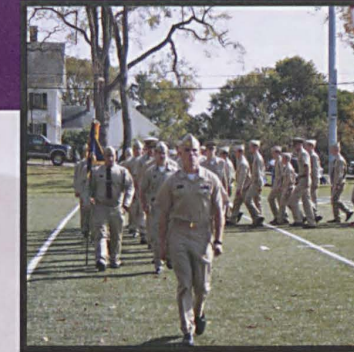
# Family



This year over 300 family members and friends came to visit students on campus during Family Weekend- October 5th - 7th, 2007.



# Weekend



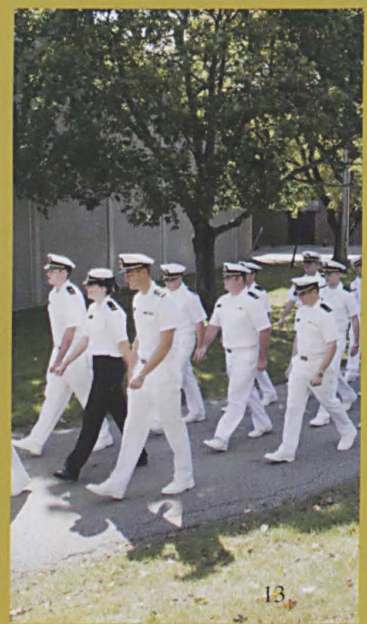
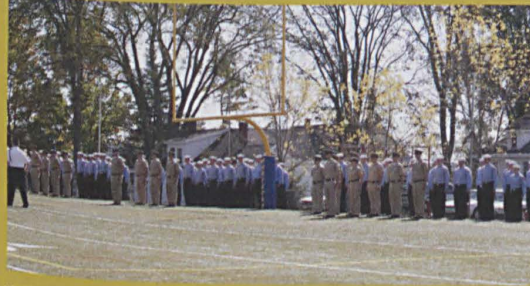
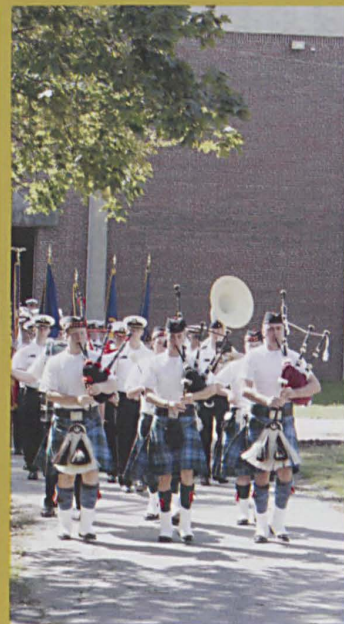
The Midshipmen Under Guidance march on to the field so that many families can see what there sons and daughters have grown to be at Maine Maritime Academy in the past month.





# Homecoming

On September 28-30, 2007 MMA celebrated Homecoming and the returning honor classes of 1997, 1992, 1987, 1982, 1977, 1972, 1967, 1962, 1957, and 1947. This year eight outstanding MMA students received scholarships given by the Castine, Casco Bay and Connecticut branches of the Alumni Association.

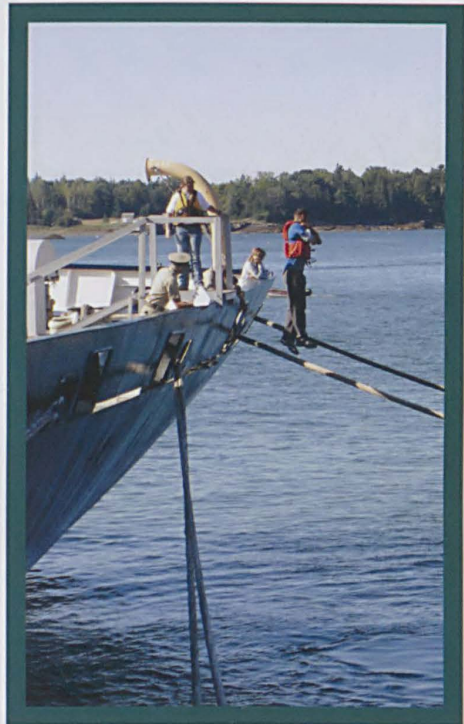
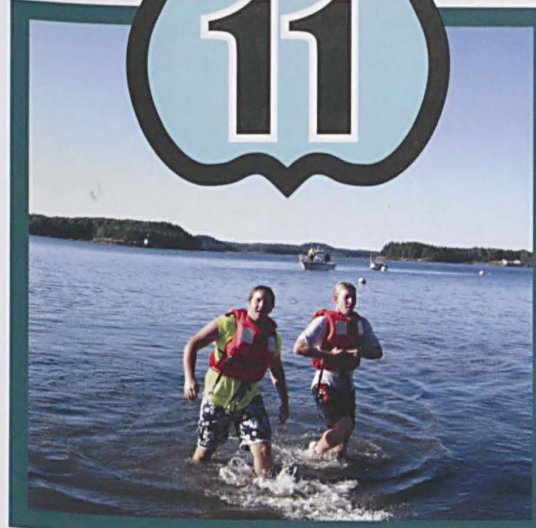




# Regimental Preparatory Training



# Ship Jump!





# Regiment of Midshipmen

## Mission

*The mission of the Regiment is to help prepare men and women for successful careers as officers in the maritime service, as well as careers in science, business and industry by providing them with leadership and management opportunities in a structured training environment.*



## Midshipmen Daily Routine

- 0600 Reveille/Breakfast
- 0630 4/C Muster  
Turn to Cleaning Stations
- 0700 Relieve 0400-0800 Watch  
MCDO Musters Watch
- 0720 Morning Formation
- 0800 Turn to Academic Schedule
- 1045 Mid-Day Meal
- 1145 Relieve 0800-1200 Watch
- 1300 Clear the Mess Deck
- 1545 Relieve 1200-1600 Watch
- 1600 Secure from Classes
- 1700 Evening Meal
- 1830 4/C Muster
- 1945 Relieve 1600-2000 Watch
- 2345 Relieve 2000-2400 Watch
- 0345 Relieve 0000-0400 Watch

"Honor, Loyalty, Devotion to Duty"





# Commandant's Staff



Commandant CAPT Jeff Loustaunau, Assistant Commandant CDR Gary Frost, Bravo & Charlie Company Officer LT Victor Pinkham, Alpha & Delta Company Officer LT David Hassett and Administrative Coordinator LT Michelle Eaton

# Wedge



Regimental Commander  
 Regimental Executive Officer  
 Regimental Operations Officer  
 Regimental Master at Arms  
 Regimental Auditor  
 Regimental Public Relations Officer  
 Regimental Morale Officer  
 Cadet Master  
 Cadet Chief Engineer  
 Cadet Chief Mate  
 Cadet Relief Engineer  
 Alpha Company Commander  
 Bravo Company Commander  
 Charlie Company Commander  
 Delta Company Commander  
 Drill Team Company Commander  
 Band Master

Max Brogli  
 Luke Velho  
 Matthew Munroe  
 Christopher Bellows  
 Patrick Jones  
 Ned A. O'Connor  
 Nicholas Killinger  
 Lucas Anderson  
 John Higgins  
 Samuel Garfield  
 Bruce Johnson  
 Nicholas Starbird  
 Eric Beckman  
 Bryan Dore  
 Cory Fogg  
 Jacob Welch  
 Benjamin Carginan



# Alpha CO.



- 1/C: Bailey, M. Berry, A. Coffey, J. Dean, Jr., J. Emmanuelli, J. Farrin, J. Hynes, B. Jackson, C. McGhee, N. Moulton, M. Payne, J. Sirois, R. Soderberg, E. Tilton, B.
- 2/C: Andrews, C. Bates, T. Bickford, D. Byrne, T. Cerrato, A. Christian, J. Dupuis, K. Fernandez, A. Full, R. Gauthier, M. Gushee, G. Hoter, M. Humphrey, B. Irish, B. Jewett, C. Johnson, D. Kites, J. Nettleton, M. Niland, W. Oldham, J. Sprague, D. Wentworth, D.
- 3/C: Ackley D., Caldwell Jr. T., Cappabianca N., Carter I., Chenevert T., Coakley R., Ellis B., Felton M., Graves A., Green S., Hagerty M., Hopkins B., Hopkins R., Horrocks W., Johnson T., Keroack S., Lindsey Z., Maffioli J., Morse K., Oakes A., Page C., Parker W., Pelletier R., Pullman K., Reynolds E., Rice J., Richardson T., Slowik J., Stark A., Stopyra J., Vidal P.
- 4/C: Aldrich Z., Atkinson S., Banbault G., Beaulieu P., Bowden K., Campbell, J., Chase I., Clarke P., Dunleavy J., Emery J., Eugley T., Evanofski L., Francis M., Friend A., Gagne E., Gould B., Hargrove W., Humphrey R., Hutchins B., Johnson G., Joiner D., King T., Kullik M., Kvorjak V., MacDonald D., McAvoy B., Miller L., Montoya T., Mosley N., Ngo A., Parsons A., Pleau R., Rancourt L., Ravasz E., Riley S., Rovinski K., Sarnecki C., Schleicher M., Smith S., Somma P., St. Peter-Blair R., Weeks B., Williams B., Woods D.



- ACC Nicholas Starbird
- AXO Nicholas Holmes
- AAUD Clifford Jackson
- AADJ Mark Bailey
- AMAA Barrett Tilton
- APL Dane Johnson Jonathan Farrin Alex Pellerin

# Bravo CO.



- 1/C: Benedict M., Bradstreet IV S., Chabot C., Cullen C., Cullen N., Hanson S., Kelly T., McIntyre J., McLeod, James, Morey C., Morrow, P.
- 2/C: Bears N., Berube C., Blackman A., Cummings J., Ellis, Aaron P., Engel S., Finn H., Greene J., Kennedy A., McNeerney P., Moon R., Nelson K., Nordberg Jr. J., O'Keefe J., Patryn M., Prevost A., Stamm A., Swan H., Vogler K., Werner T., Wright E., Wustman II. J.
- 3/C: Austin S., Baer A., Binns C., Chartier A., Connolly R., Harding C., Holbrook S., Horion J., Joy A., Kalloch J., Kelley S., Kilian S., MacGinnis J., Mitchell D., Murphy III D., Nason B., O'Malley G., Pellerin A., Reyes M., Smith C., Smith, J., Stetson S., Tarkleson P., Thomassen K., Ward C., York B.
- 4/C: Aguiar A., Alexander E., Al-Kandari M., Banfi M., Carleton N., Carver, C., Cook C., Dussault J., Dyer T., Endsley J., Frost D., Harrington B., Hilligoss R., Irish N., Johnson N., Jones T., Kane B., Lane A., Lapointe C., Larkin W., Lepley T., Lewis B., McAllister, McCausland S., McDermott A., McInteer R., Michaud D., Pelletier D., Piszcz G., Richard D., Richards R., Ross H., Russell S., Seale, J., Short G., Smith K., Spiller S., St. Michel A., Walker M., Walton C., Ward M., Wentworth S., Yarnell C.

- BCC Eric D. Beckman Jr.
- BXO Roderick Hathaway
- BAUD Miles Benedict
- BADJ Samantha Hanson
- BMAA Alain Prevost
- BPL Anthony Lorenz  
Richard Winkler  
Aaron Sheer





# CHARLIE CO.

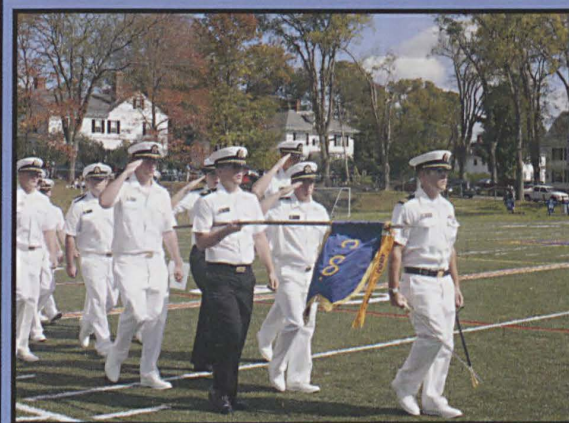


1/C: Boucher A., Farnam A., Grant III, R., Knights V., Presby J., Savage J., Sheer A., Stephens M., Stewart M., Thoms A., Trepp M., Winkler R.

2/C: Cook K., Coulombe A., Crichton M., Evans S., Fitch G., Goodfellow J., Homer B., Johnson R., Kennedy R., Lajoie M., Love C., Martinez N., Moulton R., Poulin S., Richardson III, L., Sunkler L., Wallace J., Weippert D., Womble R.

3/C: Bishop N., Blanchard C., Busque M., Byrnes C., Closson II, L., Davidson A., Gervais T., Googins C., Haiss C., Hickey D., Leathe M., Lilly B., Malo M., Marson A., McGillicuddy D., Michalos S., Morrison N., Newton R., O'Malley T., Picard, Pickett M., Pomeroy D., Powell C., Seavey M., St. Jarre A., Steensma G., Surrlette G., Thibault C., Van Camp L., Vaughan M., Ward M.

4/C: Al-Turaiki S., Arseneau J., Benoit C., Bobowicz J., Brown B., Butland J., Condon C., Conlon J., Connick Jr. J., Dion C., Elwell J., Erwin Jr. A., Faustine G., Gagnon B., Garand M., Gonya, Z., Grotorex T., Griggs J., Guerrette W., Hall A., Heikkila I., Hinkle K., Karlin J., Keiley C., Kolenik D., Leonard N., Libby C., Love E., Mackenzie D., Martin K., Mitchell R., Powers, K., Rigdon W., Rouse C., Salas M., Sampson C., Scott N., Smith G., Snyder J., Stambach M., Steitzer J., Stickney J., Wedge A., Wheeler M., Wright B., Young I., Zapata I.,



CCC Brian Dore

CXO Michael Huffman

CAUD Matthew Lajoie

CADJ Vanessa Knights

CMAA Christopher Casey

CPL Andrew Farnham  
Richard Winkler  
Robert Womble

# DELTA CO.



1/C: Connolly K., Daly T., Erickson C., Gopsill T., Jellison I., McPhail, V., Menchaca, III, E., Miller, A., Turner R.

2/C: Barnes G., Betti P., Bickford M., Brown K., Butters R., Clawson C., Cooper D., Harding A., Hart B., Johnston T., McDonnell B., McLeod B., Myers B., O'Connell T., Poulin B., Powers J., Spiller B., Steffes T., Stein M., Sudaley R., Thompson A., Thompson J., Tolman C., Vatsianis D., Wenzlaff D., Wiles S., Berggren L.

3/C: Bouchard T., Boulrisse III, C., Burke J., Clancy III, J., Cordle J., Cunningham C., DeVos J., Dore J., Fairweather D., Farrell A., Gannon R., Glover M., Gray A., Hamilton A., Hanafin J., Harding C., Hodgkins C., Holt C., Kalloch D., Leiba N., Leighton R., McManus S., Mitchell A., Morey A., Monn A., Pagels S., Priebe A., Richards G., Stoots T., Vander Meer C., Zeller L.

4/C: Andrews A., Bell-Coller B., Bland J., Burke J., Caron C., Chamberlain B., Conte N., Danilichav I., Dudley J., Farren M., Fiske K., Fleming E., Geaumont J., Haas T., Hale J., Hardwick T., Hattabaugh J., Hawkins C., Hersom I., Holland C., Hurd S., Johnson C., Kluna D., Lyon J., MacKenzie M., Martel A., Martin N., McDonnell J., McGovern T., Post H., Proctor J., Quint D., Rickett K., Robbins J., Rowe W., Smith II G., Spaulding W., Spear J., Stairs R., Starr J., Stewart C., Taber R., Truslow A., Vanidestine J., Walker J., Watts K., Weamer D., Wheaton D., Wing C.

DCC Cory Fogg

DXO Alexander Miller

DAUD Anthony Rossomando

DADJ Edward Menchaca

DMAA Thomas Daly

DPL Kyle Connolly  
Dan Fairweather  
Chad Erickson





# DRILL TEAM



- 1/C: Brogli, M., Fogg, C., Graham, J., Holmes, N., Jones, P., Kane, B., McIntyre, J., Morrow, P., Munroe, M., Nettleton, M., Salaoutis, A., Savage, J., Shay, R., Welch,
- 2/C: Barnes, G., Brown, K., Byrne, T., Calise, M., Johnston, T., Lane, S., Love, C., Martinez, N., Parker, W., Powers, J.
- 3/C: Bouchard, T., Eaton, E., Gannon, R., Gervais, T., Graves, A., Green, S., Gulbrandsen, E., Hamilton, A., Hodgkins, C., Lindsey, Z., Lyon, J., Oakes, A., Ridge, J., Rice, J., Smith, C., Stopyra, J.

# BAND



Benjamin Carignan Band Master  
Travis Wallace Executive Officer

- 1/C: James Mcleod
- 2/C: Christopher Clawson, Paul Arnold  
Lester Closson, Scott Wiles, Kincaid Cook,  
Matthew Hofer
- 3/C: Cory Byrnes, Omar Chaar  
Steven Austin, Travis Johnson  
Corey Binns, Christopher Wallace,  
Saphrona Stetson
- 4/C: Ben Williams, Matthew Francis  
Samuel Smith, Lucas Miller  
Robert St. Peter-Blair, Ben Wright

# MTOs

ROO:  
ALPHA CO.:

Munroe  
Hofer  
Chenevert, Green  
Gregory, Pullman  
Rice, Stopyra

BRAVO CO.:

Cook Carey  
Austin, Kilian  
Stetson, Ward  
Graves, Lindsey

CHARLIE CO.:

Love Nettleton  
Michalos, Morrison  
Sternberg, Seavey  
Brown

DELTA CO.:

Magnussen Lane  
Dubois, Gannon  
Lyon, Mitchell  
Stein, Glover  
Hamilton



# YEOMEN

ADJUTANT:  
1/C YEOMEN:

Alan Alexander

Samantha Hanson  
Vannesa Knights  
Alan Alexander

2/C YEOMEN:

Ken Brown  
Kincaid Cook  
Kyle Dupuis  
Aaron Ellis  
Shawn Evans

Amanda Kennedy  
Christopher Love  
Dylan Vatsinaris  
Tristan Werner

3/C YEOMEN:

Andrew Baer  
Charlie Boulrisse  
Travis Chenevert  
Thomas Collier  
Joshua Cordle  
Alex Farrell

Cory Googins  
Seth Green  
Ben Griggs  
Erica Gulbrandsen  
Jonathan Kalloch  
Scott Kilian

Todd Pelkey  
Shawn Picard  
Adam St. Jarre  
Joseph Weaver  
Valerie White





# Engine Rates



Cadet Chief Engineer  
Cadet Relieving Chief Engineer  
Cadet First Engineer  
Cadet Second Engineer  
Cadet Third Engineer

John Higgins  
Bruce Johnson  
Matthew Stewart  
Julian Priebe  
Neil McGhee

Cadet Electrician Mate

Miles Benedict  
John Kalagher  
Ned O'Connor  
Ryan Sirois

Cadet Plumber

Caleb Clark  
Thomas Kelly  
Patrick Jones  
Matthew Trepp

Cadet Engine Maintenance  
Alpha Company  
Bravo Company  
Charlie Company  
Delta Company

Kyle Connolly  
Nicholas Cullen  
Thomas Gopsill  
Jonathan Presby

# Deck Rates



Cadet Master

Lucus Anderson

Cadet Chief Mate

Sam Garfield

Cadet Second Mate

Matt Stephens

Cadet Third Mate

Andrew Farnham

Cadet Cox'n

Tyler Eads

Cadet Communications Officer

Anthony Rossomando

Cadet Security Officer

Luke McPartlin

# E-Squad

CADET CHIEF MATE:  
CADET 3rd MATE:

Sam Garfield  
Andrew Farnham

2/C MEMBERS:

O'Connor, Clark, Daly, Brown  
Killinger, Miller, Bellows

4/C MEMBERS:

Zeller, Cappabianca, Curry, Mitchell,  
Stark, Ward, Reyes, Hamilton,  
Bouchard, Stetson, Devos, Mitchell,  
Smith, O'Malley, Stopyra,  
Priebe, Paggels, Morey, Lindsey, Gregory,  
Green, Gervais, Davidson, York,  
Rice, Page, Kilian, Kalloch, Glover,  
Baer, Googins, Berggren



# Life Boat Squad

Knights Vanessa, McPhail Vanessa  
Bishop Nicholas, Blanchard Chase  
Staples Byron, Hanson Samantha  
Jackson Clifford, Busque Michael  
Connolly Robert, Pickett Matthew  
MacRae Ryan, Hickey David  
Joy Andrew, Roberts Isaiah  
Stoots Thomas, Cullen Nicholas  
Clancy, III Joseph, Pomeroy Derek  
Somers Drew, St. Jarre Adam  
Farrin Jonathan, Gauthier Marc  
Eaton Eric, Leiba Nikita  
Morse Kenneth, Nason Brian  
Richards Galen, Steensma Graydon  
Eads Tyler





# Cruise 2007



## Cruise '07 Schedule

**Castine, Maine** (May 4th-8th)

**Gibraltar** (May 21st-24th)

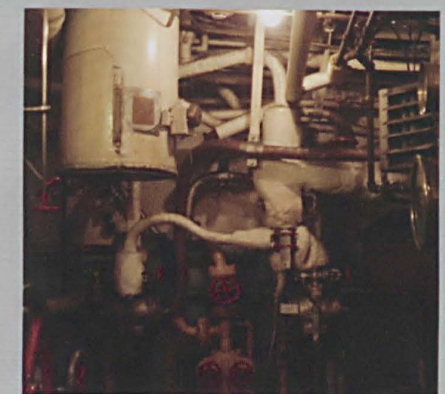
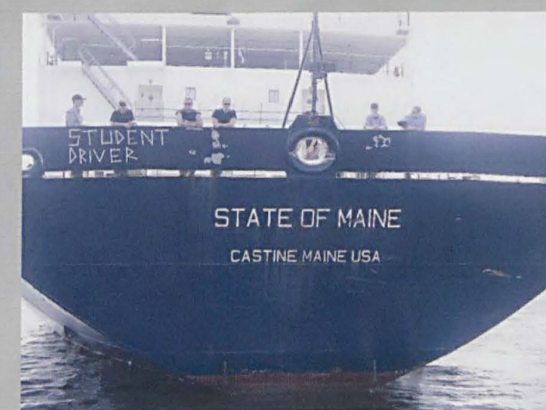
**Palermo, Sicily** (May 31st-June 3rd)

**Split, Croatia** (June 8th-11th)

**Halifax, Canada** (June 24th-27th)

**Rockland, Maine** (June 30th)

**Castine, Maine** (June 30th-July 2nd)





# Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps

To develop midshipmen mentally, morally, and physically, and to imbue them with the highest ideals of duty and loyalty, and with the core values of honor, courage and commitment in order to commission college graduates as naval officers who possess a basic professional background, are motivated toward careers in the naval service, and have a potential for future development in mind and character in order to assume the highest responsibilities of command, citizenship, and government.



## Navy Ball







## Engineering

Alexander Harold, John Bridge, Brian Bubar, Stephen Collins, Mark Cote, Barbara Fleck, Laurie Flood, Philip Garfield, Robert Griffin, Kaveh Haghkarder, David Howard, Richard Kimball, Mark Libby, Roger Lowell, Jerald Markley, Leo Mazarell, Paul Mercer, Ray Moody, Gokdeniz Naser, Doug Read, Richard Read, Pete Sarnacki, Jill Schoof, David Skaves, Alan Trundy, Brent Vadas, Paul Wlodkowski, Michael Young

## Arts and Sciences

Dana Anderson, Priscilla Audette, Thomas Batt, Joe-Anne Corwin, David Gilbert, Caroline Herrick, Groves Herrick, Sarah Hudson, Amy Kardos, Susan Loomis, Patrick Lorenz, Anna Markhotok, Alden Monberg, Brian Olivari, Christopher Pilot, Kim Raikes, Leon Raikes, Red Sarna, Michael Schaab, Jill Scott, Laurie Stone, Jeffrey Taub, Jeffrey Willmann, and Rosemary Wyman



## Marine Transportation

Peg Brandon, Les Eadie, Donald Eley, Bill Erlanson, Robert Gross, Eric Jergenson, Tim Leach, Brendan McAvoy, Rick Miller, Daniel Parrott, Lindsey Pinkham, Ralph Pundt, Jim Sanders, Adam Salazas, Harry Stevens, Samuel Teel, Laurence Wade, Charles Weeks, John Worth



## International Business and Logistics

William DeWitt, Navneet Jain, Patricia Quirk, George Schatz, Okan Tuna, Chris Walley, Kathy Wineberg



## Conning School Of Ocean Studies

Ann Cleveland, Pam Grindle, George Harakas, James McKenna, Jessica Muhlin, Alan Verde

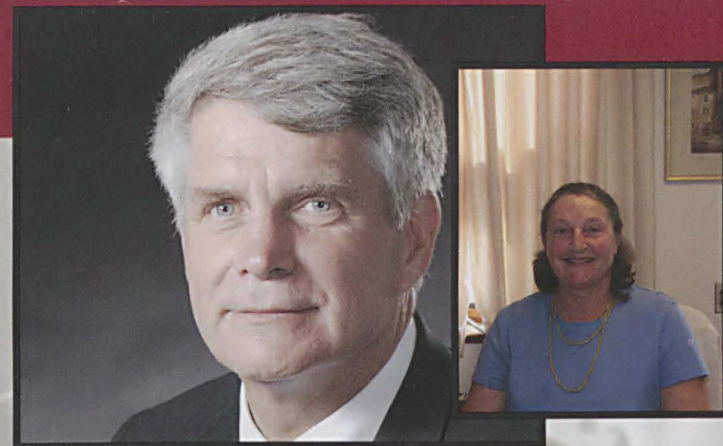


## Reserve Officer Training Corps

MAJ Randy Grimm, Susan Harris, LT David Lewis, LT Gary Raymond, CDR John Reese, CAPT Jim Settele







## President's Office

President Leonard Tyler  
&  
Annette Dixon

## Dean's Office

John Barlow, Joceline Boucher and  
Cindra Leeman



## Development Office

Eleanor Courtemanche, Donne Sinderson,  
Leah Bishop and Susan Mitchell



## Finance Office

Geof Bellows, Diane Harmon, Diana  
Snapp, Sue Martin, and Sherri Sanders



## Continuing Education

Victoria Stearns, Susie Loustaunau and  
Kathy Thomas



## Library

Brent Hall, Caroline Hudson, Charlene Kent,  
Rebecca Whitney and Sarah Danser







## Admissions & Financial Aid

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## Student Services

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## Public Relations

Janice Zenter



## Career Services

Richard Youcis, Christine Shorey, Charles Easley



## Alumni Affairs

Paul Mercer  
&  
Alyssa Lacriox

## Health Services

Richard Read, Susan McDonald and Paul Ferreira







## IT

Norm Yates, Myron Curtis, Dallas Towle, Lisa Roy, Chet Michaud, Susan Hutchins, Tom Woehr, Dynnise Littlefield, Will Martell and Jon Cyrus

## Human Resources

James Soucie  
(Not pictured Deborah Grindle and Deborah Hamblen-Wood)



## Registrar and STCW

Tom Sawyer, Janet Allen and  
Tina St. Pierre

## Bookstore

Audrey Bradford, Tina Stinson, Cindy Rankin,  
Nikki Pert



## Waterfront

John Worth, Harry Stevens, Chris Grindle,  
Eric Jergenson, Craig Desmond, Mike Allison

Not Pictured: Tina Pitchford, Dana Willis,  
Tim Leach

## Faculty Secretaries

Linda LaChance  
&  
Laura Nason-Moulton





## Public Works



## Dining Services



## ATHLETICS

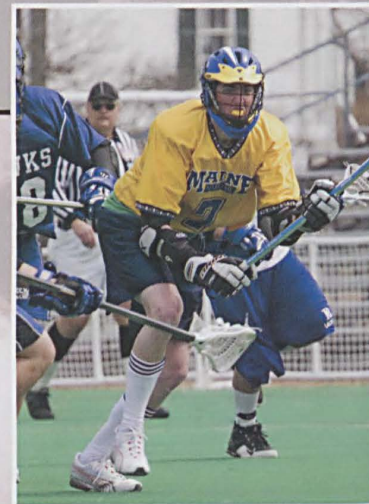




# Lacrosse

## RECORD

3/21 v UNE 8-12  
3/23 v Thomas 13-5  
3/24 v Green Mtn 13-4  
3/31 v Castleton 3-10  
4/4 v Daniel Webster 7-8 OT  
4/7 @ Mt. Ida 3-16  
4/14 @ USM 5-14  
4/14 @ Emerson 4-5 2ot  
4/21 v Johnson St. 14-5



Peter Betti, Nate Bolduc, John Coffey, Devin Cooper, Adam Erickson, Ryan Gannon, Brandon Hamilton, Garrett Hutchins, Patrick Jones, Garrett Lake, Joel Lyon, Sean McManus, Phillip McNerney, Luke McPartlin, Kirk Nelson, John Nordberg, Nate Olehowski, Brian Poulin, Ricky Schrempf, Graydon Steensma, Barrett Tilton, Clay Tolman, Richard Winkler

# Golf

## Record

9/11 Terrier Classic 8th (Total = 362)  
9/16 UMaine Farmington Invitational 8th (Total = 394)  
9/20 v Thomas College 2-8  
9/23 Colby Classic 5th (Total = 258)  
9/27 v UMaine Presque Isle 1st (Total = 349)  
9/30 Mariner Classic 1st (Total = 340)  
10/7 Husson College Invitational 12th (Total = 697)  
10/13 North Atlantic Conference Championship 7th (Total = 724)



Mark Bailey, Nathan Bears, Clayton Boulrisse III, Tim Caldwell, Jacob Emery, Chris Johnson, Gary Johnson, Jason Johnson, Michael MacKenzie, Michael Smith, and Christopher Wallace.



# Men's Soccer

## RECORD

9/1 v University of New England 0-1	9/4 @ UMaine Machias 3-2
9/8 v UM Fort Kent 0-4	9/9 v UM Presque Isle 2-2
9/12 v St. Joseph's College 3-1	9/16 @ Husson College 0-0
9/22 @ Castleton State College 0-2	9/23 @ Johnson State 0-2
9/26 v Thomas College 1-2	9/29 v Lesley University 1-3
9/30 v Becker College 3-4	10/7 v UM Presque Isle 1-0
10/9 @ University of Southern Maine 0-1	10/14 @ UM Farmington 0-2
10/16 v Colby College 0-3	10/21 v Elms College 0-1



Jeff Butland, Randy Bartlett, Phil McNerney, Anthony Marson, Jason Endsley, Travis Jones, Sean Wentworth, Alan Alexander, Jeff Normand, Pat Somma, Greg Smith, Isaiah Roberts, Daniel Hassett, Derrek Belanger, Dylan Wentworth, Ben Williams, Brandon Bell-Colfer, Omar Chaar, Josh McFarlin, Chris Haiss, Tyler Eads, Josh Cordle

# Women's Soccer

## RECORD

9/1 v University of New England 3-2	9/4 @ UMaine Machias 6-0
9/8 @ UMaine Fort Kent 1-0	9/9 v UMPI 1-0
9/12 v St. Joseph's College 1-2	9/22 @ Castleton State College 1-3
9/23 @ Johnson State College 3-1	9/26 v Thomas College 2-1
9/29 v Lesley University 1-2	9/30 v Becker College 5-0
10/3 v UMaine Farmington 1-2	10/6 @ Bay Path College 1-2
10/7 @ Wheelock College 2-0	10/13 @ Husson College 0-2
10/18 @ UMaine Presque Isle 1-0	10/21 v Elms College 0-1
10/27 @ Husson College 0-4	



Jessica Stahl, Lacey Jackson, Megan Russell, Sarah Radmore, Kim Watts, Diana Manatt-Rogers, Lindsey Comeau, Amy Preble, Christina Best, Meghan McKay, Katie Hutchinson, Kelsi Eiane, Brooke Winchester, Amanda Andrews, Samantha Rheume, Sarah Paquette



# Cross Country

**RECORD**  
 9/8 @ UNE Invitational 5th Place  
 9/22 @ UMPI 1st Place  
 9/29 @ UM Farmington 3rd Place  
 10/13 Maine State Championships 8th Place  
 10/20 @ UMaine Machias 1st Place  
 10/27 NAC Championships 3rd Place  
 11/10 NCAA Regional Qualifier

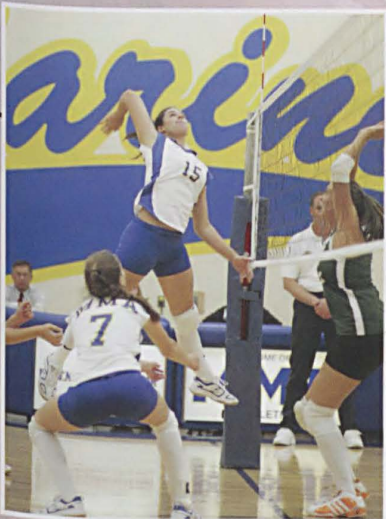


Sheila Alley, Laurel Evanofski, Kaitlyn Harmon, Cassandra Reid, Rachel Sincebaugh, Steven Austin, Greg Baribualt, Kenneth Brown, Kincaid Cook, Matthew Francis, Cory Googins, Kyle Mathieu, Lucas Miller, Matt Munroe

# VOLLEYBALL

**RECORD**  
 9/12 @ Unity College 3-0  
 9/15 v UMF 3-0  
 9/22 v Bay Path 3-0  
 9/29 v Lesley 2-3  
 10/2 @ St. Joseph's College 3-1  
 10/10 Unity College 3-0  
 10/13 v St. Joe's 3-0  
 10/20 v Husson 3-0  
 10/27 v Husson 3-1  
 11/3 NAC Tournament 3-2  
 NCAA Championships

9/15 v Thomas 3-0  
 9/19 @ UMaine Machias 2-3  
 9/22 v Elms 3-2  
 9/29 v Becker 3-1  
 10/4 Husson College 3-0  
 10/13 v Machias 3-2  
 10/20 v Castleton State 3-0  
 10/27 v UMPI 3-0  
 10/31 NAC Tournament 3-0  
 11/3 Final MMA v Husson 3-0  
 11/8 Massachusetts Institute of Technology 0-3



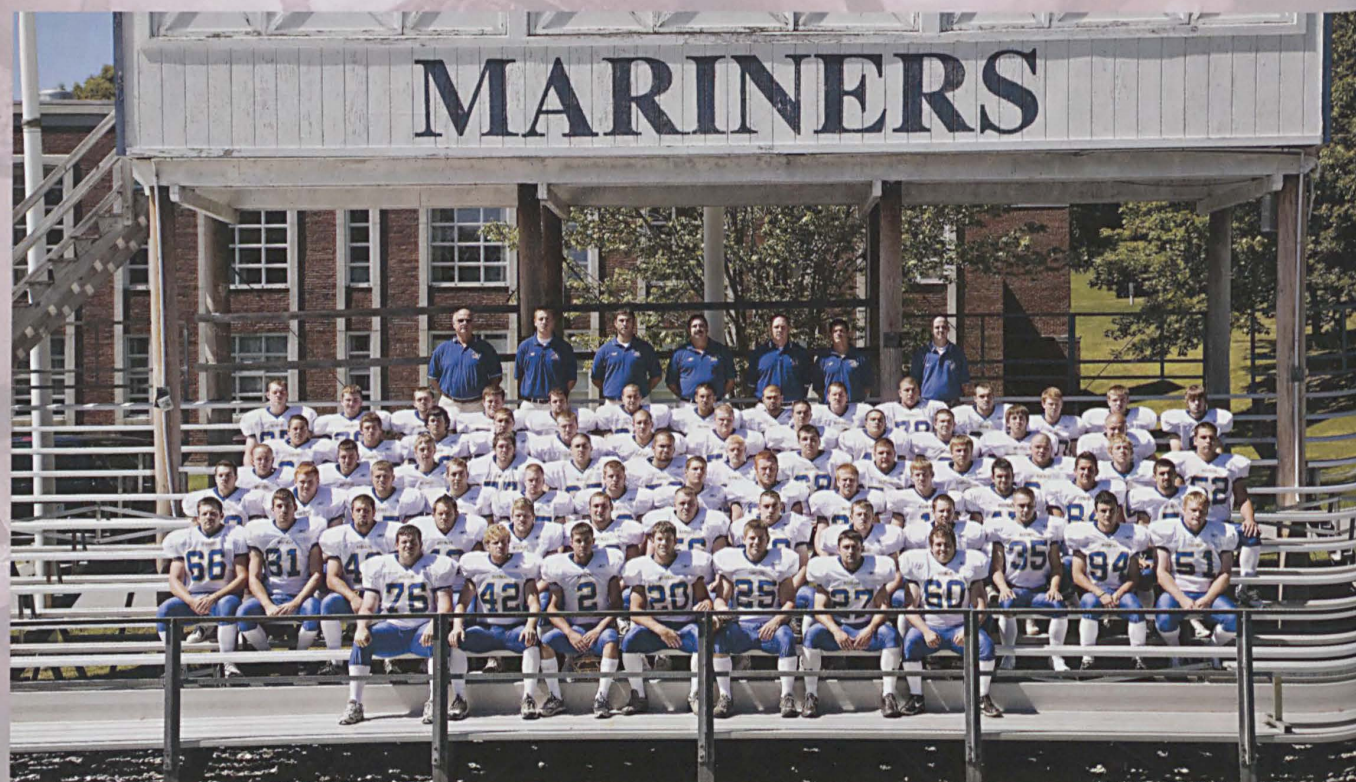
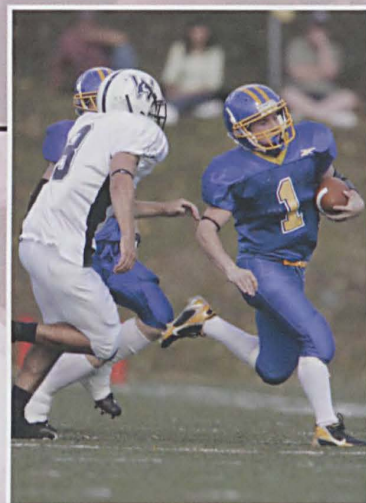
Becca Allen, Stephanie DeHaven, Michelle Ferry, Jaymie Frederick, Kristi Gordon, Katherine McMillan, Casey Morey, Janelle Roope, Nicole St. Pierre, Ashley Tilton, Amy Young



# Football

## RECORD

9/8 @ Becker College 48-21  
 9/15 v Western New England College 13-21  
 9/22 @ Bridgewater State College 6-32  
 9/29 v Westfield State College 21-14  
 10/6 v Worcester State College 13-7  
 10/13 @ Massachusetts Maritime Academy 20-18  
 10/20 v Framingham State College 35-24  
 10/27 @ Coast Guard Academy 34-38  
 11/3 @ Fitchburg State College 22-30



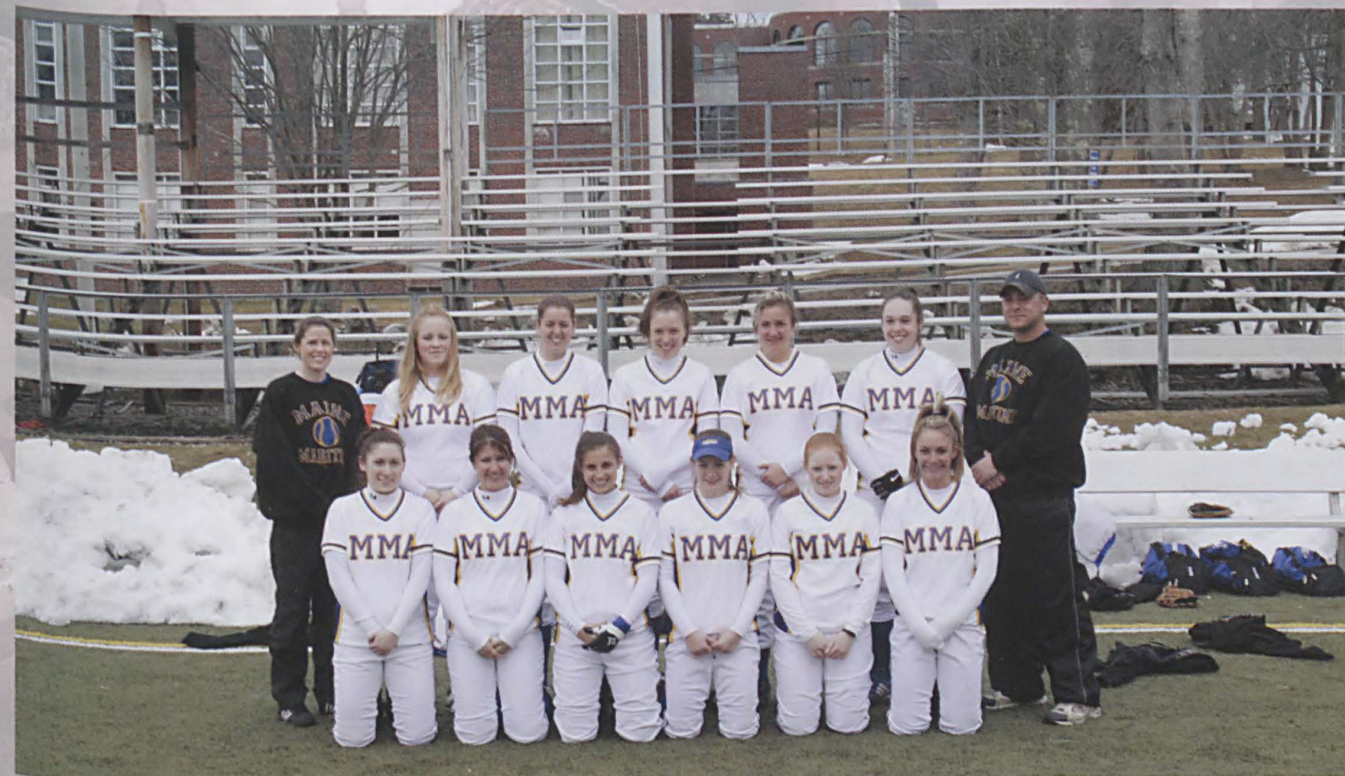
Tyler Angell, Nate Bolduc, Nick Leonard, Mark Clements, Dustin Bouchard, Christopher Cunningham, Mike Riley, Corey Kaul, Franklin Sawyer, Vern Kvorjak, Kevin McCabe, Rob Leighton, Chris Kates, Tyler Joseph, John Dunleavy, Brandon Goodrich, Christian Beauregard, Corey Allen, Nick Morin, Chris Tracy, Joe Blier, Todd Murphy, Tom Lockhart, Conor Callahan, Rob McInteer, Jim Bower, Keith Rickett, James McPhee, Kyle Bowden, Matthew Wheeler, Trevor McCourt, Vinnie Moulton, Anthony Ngo, Travis Fergola, Steve Keroack, Mark Stambach, Travis Berube, Brett Mougalian, Shawn Atkinson, Chris Mitchell, Bryan Condon, Wade Mondoux, Andrew St. Michel, John Nordberg, Brandon Dubois, Brent Hutchins, Cody Andrews, Dan Weamer, Erik Shortell, Mitchell Boulette, Joel Walker, John Logus, Mike Secord, Dylan Kluna, Mike Vangelist, Roger Allen, James McLeod, Patrick Murray, Joseph Bobowicz, Collin Walton, Alex Coulombe, Josh Elwell, Travis Shaw, Josh McAllister, Adam Woodbury, Matt Boobar, Aaron Allaire, Cory Byrnes, Michael Durrell, Isaac Young, Bob Wohltjen

# Softball

## RECORD

3/28 v UM Presque Isle 4-7, 6-11  
 4/12 v Husson 10-11, 6-7  
 4/15 v Wheelock 0-3, 6-0  
 4/20 @ Colby 0-2, 0-4  
 4/27 v Lesley 0-9, ccd  
 5/1 v Lasell (NAC Quarterfinals) 1-3

4/7 @ Mt. Ida 14-1, 14-9  
 4/14 v St. Joseph's 0-8, 3-4  
 4/19 v UM Farmington 2-4, 4-15  
 4/20 v Thomas 1-15, 1-4  
 4/28 v Bay Path 3-6, 2-9



Jessica Whittaker, Katie Quimby, Darcy Herrick, Kristen Gaylord, Meghan McKay, Caroline Burns, Katie Allen, Sam Rheame, Nicole Poland, Amanda Stover, Maegan Cloutier, Hannah Seamans



# Men's Basketball

## RECORD

11/16 @ New York Maritime 52-68  
 11/27 @ Unity College 82-44  
 12/4 v Bowdoin College 42-78  
 12/5 v UMaine Fort Kent  
 1/5 @ Trinity  
 1/8 v Colby College  
 1/18 v Lesley University  
 1/22 @ Thomas College  
 1/28 v Husson College  
 2/2 @ Becker  
 2/8 v Castleton  
 2/16 @ Lesley University

11/17 v Cal Maritime 45-56  
 12/1 @ UMaine Machias 73-82  
 12/8 v Thomas College 76-64  
 12/6 v UMPI or UMA  
 1/6 v ECONN or RPI  
 1/12 @ UMaine Farmington  
 1/19 v Wheelock College  
 1/26 v UMaine Presque Isle  
 2/1 @ Elms College  
 2/9 v Johnson State  
 2/19 v UMaine Farmington  
 2/22 @ Husson College



Tyler Deabay, Derek DiFrederico, Jonathan Connick, Bryant Ciomei, Nate Frisbie, Neil Stewart, Kyle Staples, Michael Wharff, Joe MulCahy, Jake Manner, Josh McFarlin, Adam Haskell, Jarred Sternbergh, Chad Paddock, Jarod Oldham

# Women's Basketball

## RECORD

11/16 v Johnson & Wales 78-66  
 11/28 v Colby 76-66  
 12/2 v Fort Kent 71-53  
 12/8 v Thomas 61-38  
 1/4 v Clark University  
 1/8 @ UM Presque Isle  
 1/15 v Bowdoin  
 1/19 v Wheelock  
 1/28 v Husson  
 2/2 @ Becker  
 2/9 v Johnson State

11/17 v St. Mary's-MD 56-76  
 12/1 v Machias 67-48  
 12/5 @ UNE 58-61  
 12/9 @ St. Joseph's Maine 52-65  
 1/5 v USM or UMPI  
 1/12 @ UMaine Farmington  
 1/18 v Lesley  
 1/22 @ Thomas  
 2/1 @ Elms  
 2/8 v Castleton  
 2/15 @ Bay Path

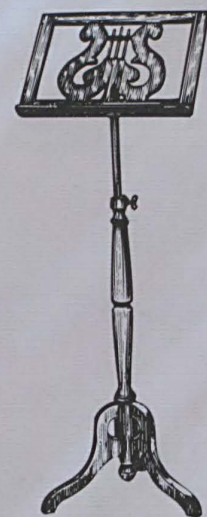


Jo-Ann Provencher, Katie Hutchinson, Katie Pushard, Amanda Barker, Amethyst Cousins, Kaitlyn Leeman, Ashley Tilton, Kelsi Eiane, Elizabeth Cote, Megan Franklin, Brittany Hunt, Tatum Welch, Amy Fredrickson, Jessica Stahl, Morgan Miller



Do not follow where the path may lead.  
Go instead where there is no path and leave a trail.  
-Harold R. McElindon

# Clubs



# And



# Orgs



## Clubs and Organizations

**Orientation Leaders**

**APO**

**SGA**

**Student Senate**

**SIFE**

**SNAME & ASME**

**Drama**

**Maritones**

**Yearbook**

**Weightlifting**

**Fire Department**

**Student EMT's**

**Schooner Crew**

**ABC**

**Dive Club**



# Drama



Valerie Lohan  
Mark Merlino  
Sarah Paquette  
Philip Powers  
Jeanie Cushman  
Carrie Emerson  
Amanda Brinkman  
Michael Iannone  
Cory Byrnes

# Fire Department

Owen Reed  
Alex Miller  
Henry Knott  
Matthew Glover  
Zach Lindsey  
Jordan Stopyra  
Bryan York  
Jacob Rice  
Christopher Page  
Marie Cherry  
Shane Riley  
Andrew St. Michel  
Garrett Short  
Michael Walker  
Noah Johnson



# Maritones

Morgan Miller  
Matt Stephens  
Tom Daly  
Dylan Clark  
Amanda Andrews  
Houston Ross  
Brandon Dubois  
Saphrona Stetson



# Weight Lifting

Jim Geaumont  
Ryun Cote  
Brendon McDonnell  
Matthew Wheeler  
Nick Starbird  
James McPhee  
Drew Sprague  
Jake Welch  
Toby Winkler  
Will Parker  
Dylan Kelly  
Alex Pellerin





# Yearbook



Amanda Jankowski  
Megan White  
Jenna Algee  
Jon McIntyre  
Nhuy Tran

## ABC

Stephanie Clements  
Katrina Dunham  
Matt Burk  
Will Rigdon  
Nate Morrison  
Abby Hall  
Melissa Kott  
Trent Quinby  
Clint Marcus  
Stephen Godfroy  
Ashley Fuller  
Caroline Burns  
Curtis Libby  
Alicia McLean  
Travis Johnson



## SNAME & ASME

Richard Smith	Kenneth Brown
Scott Ring	Charles Thibault
Paul Arnold	David Weippert
Jesse Ashmore	Christopher North
Christopher Billet	Jo-Ann Provencher
Matt Burke	Matthew Glover
Josh Coffin	Clyde Smith
Richard Collenburg	Thomas Bouchard
Kincaid Cook	Christopher Love
Katrina Dunham	David Lawrence
Ryan Gannan	Randall Desmarais
Adam Graves	Peter Betti
Justin Henderson	John Logus
Andrew Joy	Christopher Phillips
Jonathan Kalloch	Cody Andrews
Aaron McCarley	Alexander Yates
Christopher Miller	Lucas Miller
Jordan Mize	Isaac Chase
Sean Murray	Colt Stewart
Curtis Pelletier	Christopher Keiley
Derek Pelletier	



Charles Powell, Nicholas Starbird, Nicholas Stanhope, Ryan Turner,  
Matthew Vanasse, Benjamin Griggs, Chance Phelps, Nicholas Scott,  
Brandon Bell-Colfer, Armand Boero, John Burke, Jordan Dudley

## Dive Club



Cliff Jackson  
Scott Ring  
Anthony Rossomondo  
Alex Miller  
Michael Syler



## SIFE



Nhuy Tran  
Nicole St. Pierre  
Nicholas Holmes  
Seth Spill  
Sam Cunningham  
Valerie White  
Bryan York  
Tammie Fisher  
Carrie Emerson  
Jarred Sternberg  
Samantha Lane  
Jackson Mohr  
Zach Growe  
Coleman LaPointe  
Becca Allen  
Thomas Carey

## SGA



Bill Magdesen  
Nicole St. Pierre  
Travis Wallace  
Stephanie Clements  
Chris Clawson  
Shawn Evans  
Jeff Greene (Not pictured)

## RA's

Jake Welch  
Alicia McLean  
Caroline Burns  
Joshua Cummings  
Matthew Stein  
Dan Fairweather  
Chris Love  
Joshua Cordle  
Aaron Ellis  
Ryan Gannon  
Adam Priebe  
Trent Quinby  
Blake Spiller  
Dylan Vatsinaris



## Student Senate



Bill Magnussen  
Robert Butters  
Samantha Lane  
Nhuy Tran  
Steven Austin  
Chase Harding  
Henry Knott  
Chris Wallace  
Cullen Ward  
Will Rigdon  
Brooke Winchester  
Benjamin Wright



# Ring Dance 2007





# Student

"Sooner or later we all discover that the important moments in life are not the advertised ones, not the birthdays, the graduations, the weddings, not the great goals achieved. The real milestones are less prepossessing. They come to the door of memory."

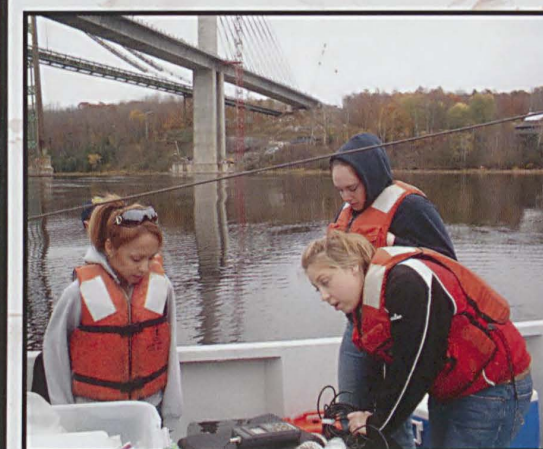
~ Susan B. Anthony



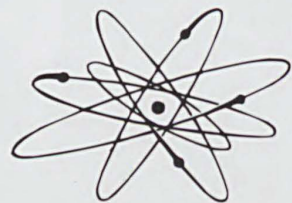
# Life

"Just when you think that a person is just a backdrop for the rest of the universe, watch them and see that they laugh, they cry, they tell jokes ... they're just friends waiting to be made."

~Dr. Jeffrey Borenstein







"The future belongs to those who believe in the beauty of their dreams."  
~Eleanor Roosevelt



inspiration



innovation



independence



# SENIORS 2007



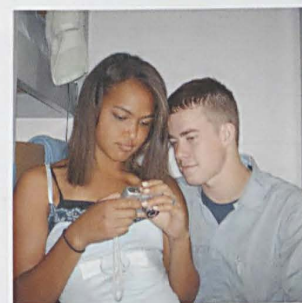
Name: Alan Alexander, III

Hometown: Cumberland, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Squad leader, Regimental Adjutant

Activities: Soccer, LAX, SAAC, Yeoman



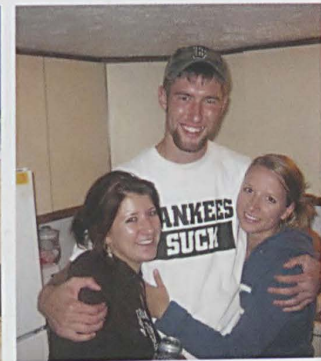
Name: Rebecca Allen

Hometown: Bucksport, ME

Major: International Business and Logistics

Rates: N/A

Activities: Volleyball, Big Brothers Big Sisters







Name: Jacob Bartol

Hometown: Mapleton, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology

Rates: N/A

Activities: N/A



"Scientists investigate that which already is; Engineers create that which has never been."  
~Albert Einstein



Name: Eric Donald Beckman, Jr.

Hometown: Vinalhaven, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Bravo Company Commander

Activities: Intramural Basketball, Second Hand Satire



Name: Miles Benedict

Hometown: Oriental, NC

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: Bravo Electrician, Bravo Auditor, MMR Company

Activities: N/A



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Name: Noah Blakney

Hometown: Dover, NH

Major: International Business and Logistics

Rates: N/A

Activities: N/A



"An Appeaser is one who feeds a crocodile, Hoping it will eat him last."

~Winston Churchill





Name: Max Brogli

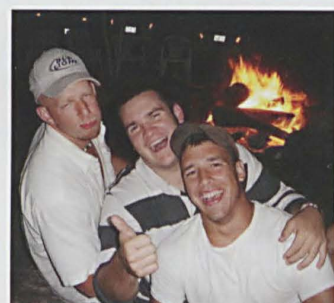
Hometown: Kennebunk, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Regimental Commander, MTO

Activities: MMR, Drill Team

To All those who made the last four years a blast, I want to thank you.



"And the sea will grant each man new hope...his sleep brings dreams of home."  
~Christopher



Name: Alyssa S. Burns

Hometown: Dixfield, ME

Major: International Business and Logistics

Rates: N/A

Activities: Basketball

A big thank you to Mom, Dad, Dana, Uncle Greg, Nick, Ashley and Lucie for your endless support. I love you guys so much. To my friends, goodluck with whichever path life takes you. I love you guys.



"You know as well as I do it's not about what you look like, or your job or how successful you are. It's about having people in your life that you love and who love you...that's all that matters."  
~Grey's Anatomy



Name: Robert A. Butters

Hometown: Triangle Lake, Oregon

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Squad Leader, Cadet 2/M

Activities: Student Senate, Residential Life



Name: Christopher Chabot

Hometown: Waterboro, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: N/A

Activities: Football, Snowboarding, Intramural Softball Champions Team County





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Name: Caleb Clark

Hometown: Spring Valley, WI

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Cadet Plumber

Activities: Rugby Club President, VP, Treasurer and Captain, National Debutante Ball '06 & '07.



Name: Hilary Croston

Hometown: Brunswick, ME

Major: Marine Biology

Rates: N/A

Activities: N/A



Name: Thomas Daly

Hometown: Freeport, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Delta Company Master at Arms, Squad Leader

Activities: The Maritones, Castine Fire Department, APO, E-Squad

First of all I want to thank Mom, Dad and my family for being there and supporting me along the way. To my friends, these past four years have really been something else. We have had some great times and some not so great times but we pushed through. These four years have gone by fast, it seems like only yesterday that we were all MUG's and now we are on the verge of graduation and heading into the real world. I wish everyone fair winds and following seas as you continue on in the industry and in life.



We live like soldiers, talk like sailors, and slap the hell out of both of them. Sailor by day, lover by night, Merchant Marine by choice, a God by right....MMA Class of 2008



Name: Patrick Coffey

Hometown: Beverly, MA

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: Alpha Company Platoon Leader

Activities: Varsity Lacrosse



Cruise '05 in Aruba on the Jolly Pirate Booze Cruise



Cruise '05 in Aruba at the bars with some buddies



Cruise Whites



New Years in Canada



Halloween '06 Tennis Hoes and Tennis Pro





Name: Jon W. Dean Jr.

Hometown: Rockland, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: Squad Leader

Activities: E-Squad

Thank you MA and POPS for all your support through this journey.  
Now, show me that horizon.

"You gotta learn to sink before you can swim." ~Unknown



"May there always be water under your boat,  
May she always be seaworthy, ever afloat,  
May the bilge pump be certain to work night and day,  
May the compass and charts always show the safe way,  
May you find gentle harbor as every day ends,  
May you lower your anchor amidst peace and good friends"  
~Unknown



Name: Chad Erickson

Hometown: Portland, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: Delta Company Platoon Leader, Boat Squad

Activities: Intramural Softball



Name: Andrew Farnham

Hometown: Cincinnati, OH

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Cadet 3rd Mate

Activities: Castine Fire Department, E-Squad



Name: Jonathan Farrin

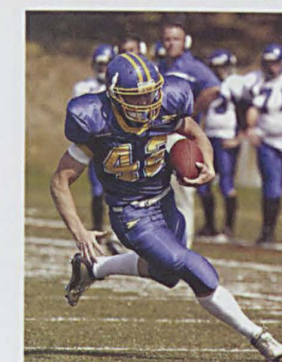
Hometown: Boothbay Harbor, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Platoon Leader

Activities: Varsity Football, Varsity Sailing, Intramural Basketball

"We are not here to idle, dream, nor drift...Shun not the struggle, 'tis God's gift."  
~Unknown







Name: Cory Fogg

Hometown: Winslow, ME

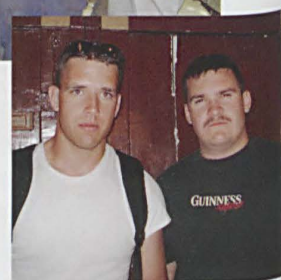
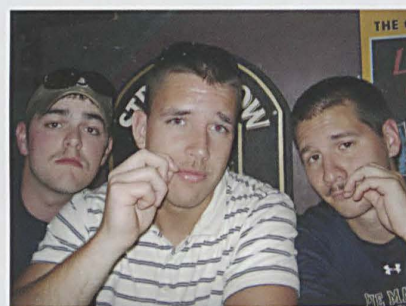
Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Delta Company Commander

Activities: Drill Team, 2/C MTOIC, 3/C MTO, Yeoman, Resident Assistant



Thanks Mom, Dad and the rest of my family and friends for making my time at MMA a great experience. I hope the good times only continue and wish the best of luck for everyone.



Name: Samuel B. Garfield

Hometown: Cuttyhunk Island, MA

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Cadet Chief Mate

Activities: The Dirty Dozen

"We are the people our parents warned us about." ~Jimmy Buffet



Name: Thomas Gopsill

Hometown: Farmington, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Alpha Maintenance Officer

Activities: N/A



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Name: Eric James Graul

Hometown: Falmouth, ME

Major: Interdisciplinary Studies

Rates: N/A

Activities: NROTC, Cross Country, Hockey







"Luck is when opportunity meets preparation." ~Unknown



Name: Samantha Snow Hanson

Hometown: Spruce Head, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Bravo Company Adjutant

Activities: N/A



Name: Roderick Hathaway

Hometown: Veazie, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Bravo Company Executive Officer

Activities: Soccer, 3/C MTO, Class of 2008 VP, TSSOM Boat Squad



"Through adversity there is redemption." ~Howard Jones



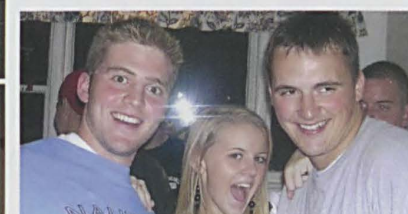
Name: Justin Henderson

Hometown: Houlton, ME

Major: Marine Systems Engineering

Rates: N/A

Activities: Baseball Club Officer, Chess Club President, SNAME, ASNE, ASME, Varsity Soccer, Snowboarding, Intramural Softball Champions Team County.



Name: John Alexander Higgins

Hometown: Hampden, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

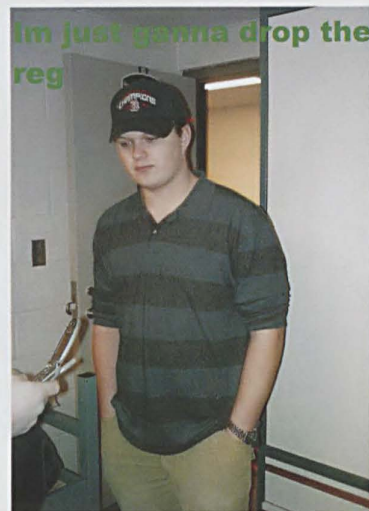
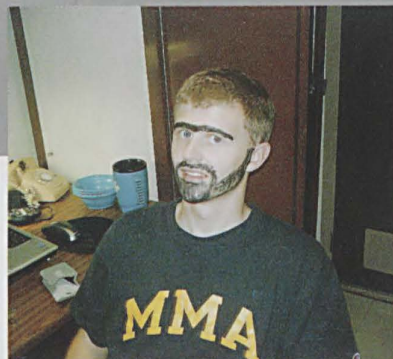
Rates: Cadet Chief Mate

Activities: E-Squad





Name: Blake Spencer Hynes  
 Hometown: Owls Head, ME  
 Major: Marine Transportation Operations  
 Rates: Squad Leader  
 Activities: N/A



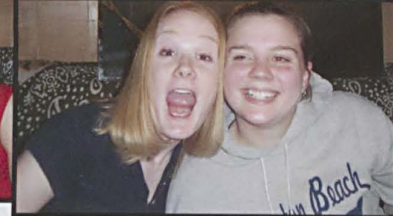
Name: Clifford T. Jackson  
 Hometown: Westerly, RI  
 Major: Marine Transportation Operations  
 Rates: Asst. Squad Leader, Squad Leader, Alpha Company Auditor, Coxswain- T/S State of Maine Life Boat No. 1.  
 Activities: MMR, 3/C MTO, 2/C MTO, Lifeboat Squad, MMA Dive Club President



Name: Amanda L. Jankowski  
 Hometown: Augusta, ME  
 Major: Marine Biology  
 Rates: N/A  
 Activities: Volleyball, Yearbook



*To thyne own self be true*



Name: Patrick Jones  
 Hometown: Kennebunkport, ME  
 Major: Marine Engineering Technology  
 Rates: Drill Team Personnel Officer, Regimental Auditor  
 Activities: Lacrosse

Thank you to my family for supporting me through Maine Maritime. I do not know if I could have made it on my own. You have always been there for me and I'll never forget that. Special thanks to Mom, Sarah, Mike, Nanny and Pappy.







"As we sail through life, don't avoid rough waters, sail on because calm waters won't make a skillful sailor."  
~Unknown

Name: Nicholas Killinger

Hometown: Portland, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Regimental Morale Officer

Activities: Football



Name: Vannesa Knights

Hometown: Lincoln, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Charlie Company Adjutant

Activities: N/A



Name: Shawn Labonte

Hometown: Sabattus, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology

Rates: N/A

Activities: N/A

"I'm not lazy, I'm efficient." - P.P.

Things I will always remember:

The JMS Tavern, extreme sledding, evening drives around 166A, ship jump, Phil's camp, dumping the moped, 40 hours at Wal-Mart, ice fishing, the fort, hurricane Castine, parties at 86 Ichabod, Quebec, dodgeball, the Backshore after class, crashing the camry, study parties for turbines, never waking up for breakfast, freshmen orientation, the horseshoe, Ming's.

Thank you to my family, my teachers and all my friends for supplying the strength I needed throughout the years.



Good times at Phil's Camp



Long Weekend in Quebec



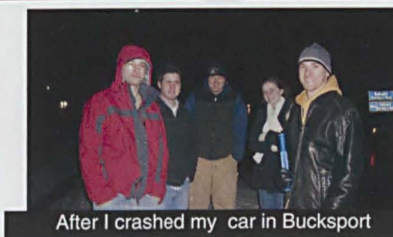
Cold and wet from Extreme Sledding



The day of the giant snowman



Quebec was good to us



After I crashed my car in Bucksport



Name: Amanda Leavitt

Hometown: Old Town, ME

Major: Marine Biology

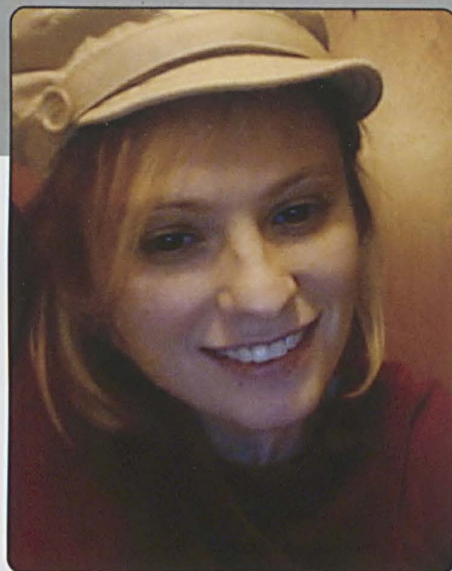
Rates: N/A

Activities: Volleyball Fall '04, Quarterdeck '05-'08

"Live life to the fullest. If you hesitate you could miss a great opportunity or play what if games. Get out there and do it. "

~Amanda Leavitt





"When the music changes, so does the dance"  
~Unknown

Name: Christine Mallory

Hometown: Windham, ME

Major: International Business and Logistics, Small Vessel Operations

Rates: N/A

Activities: N/A



Name: Benjamin T. McLeod

Hometown: Levant, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Squad Leader

Activities: Snowboarding, Sailing



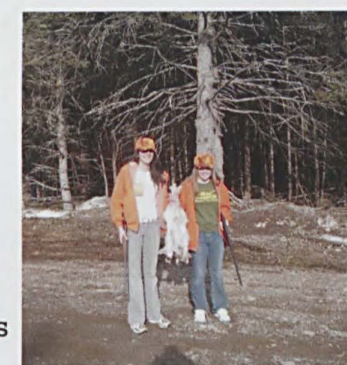
Name: Vanessa McPhail

Hometown: Perry, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Platoon leader

Activities: Lifeboat Squad, Class Secretary, Ring Dance Committee



Name: Edward Menchaca

Hometown: Ocean City, NJ

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Delta Company Adjutant

Activities: Varsity Soccer







"Why is the rum always gone?!"



Name: Alexander Miller

Hometown: Raleigh, NC

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: MTO, Squad Leader, Cadet Medical Officer, Delta Company XO

Activities: Fire Department, Bagaduce Ambulance, Dive Club



"To Robin, without whom none of this would have been possible, all my love"



Name: Christopher T. Moore

Hometown: Castine, ME

Major: Small Vessel Operations

Rates: N/A

Activities: Sailing, Yacht Club, Bowdoin Sail Training Cruise



Name: Paul E. Morrow

Hometown: Crystal River, Florida

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: N/A

Activities: Drill Team, Paintball Club, ASNE, SNAME, Blue Hill Rifle and Pistol Club



As I proceed along my journey in life, I will be forever grateful to all my friends, family, faculty, and staff for all their support during my tenure at MMA. I am now prepared for my next level of opportunity at sea.

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Name: Michael Moulton

Hometown: York, Maine

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: N/A

Activities: Cross Country

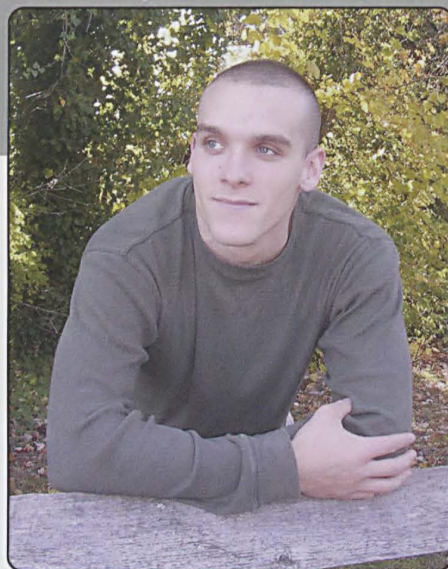
I've had many good times and made many good friends along the way. Times that I will never forget: Mings Garden, "extreme sledding", riding, ice fishing, 4wheeling with the truck, breaking the 4wheel drive, free ride up to Ellsworth, first time I got arrested, JMS Tavern...what good times we had, Phil's Camp, late night "cruises" on the roads of Castine/Penobscot, The Reef, Cruises, The Fort, Bird Sanctuary, The Backshore, and many more. Thanks Mom and Dad for being there for me. Michelle, Josh, and Noelle you guys are amazing. Scott, I guess you'll do for Michelle lol.

"Scientists dream about doing great things. Engineers do them"-- James A. Michener



"One has to watch out for engineers-they begin with the sewing machine and end up with the atomic bomb."--Marcel Pagnol





To everyone who has guided, molded, and led me to where I am now, I say a heartfelt *thank you*. Each of you has helped to create the man you see in these pictures, and I hope to go forward and make all of you proud



"Here lies the moral imperative of leadership. The leader is entrusted with the lives of his men and accepts unlimited liability for their welfare. The task of bearing such a burden requires more than passive preparation from organizational schooling and mandatory training. Such a task demands passion. Here I speak of *passion* in the Medieval Latin sense of the word: *to suffer for love*."--Colonel B.P. McCoy, USMC

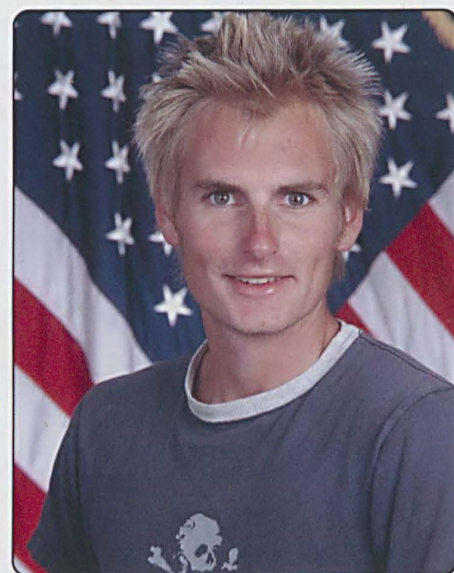
Name: Matthew R. Munroe

Hometown: Arundel, Maine

Major: Marine Systems Engineering

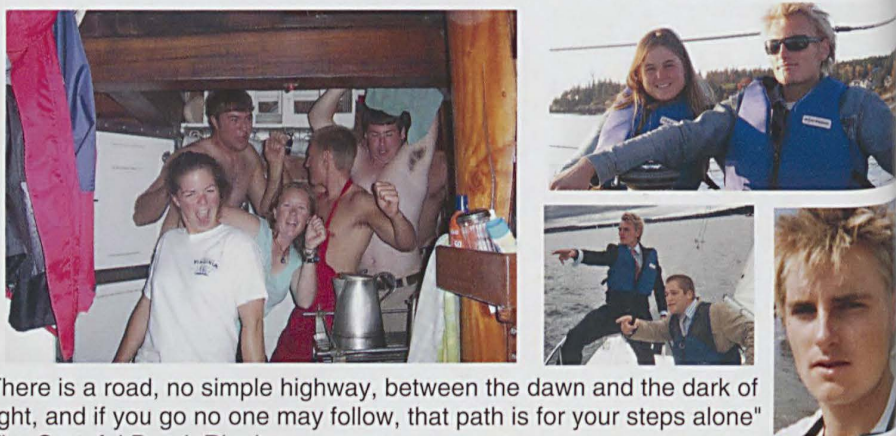
Rates: 3/C MTO, 2/C MTOIC, Regimental Operations Officer

Activities: Cross Country, Indoor Track, Honor Board, USMC, Ultimate Frisbee, Tutor



I love my family, love my friends, had a great time at Maine Maritime, a big thanks to my professors and everyone that has helped me along the way.

"Dream as if you will live forever, Live as if you will die today"--James Dean



"There is a road, no simple highway, between the dawn and the dark of night, and if you go no one may follow, that path is for your steps alone"  
-The Grateful Dead, Ripple

Name: Tucker R. Neale

Hometown: Jamestown, RI

Major: Small Vessel Operations

Rates: N/A

Activities: Schooner Crew, Arctic Trip, Top Gun, Sail Training



Name: Jessica Norwood

Hometown: Bar Harbor, Maine

Major: International Business and Logistics

Rates: N/A

Activities: Basketball



Name: Ned O'Connor

Hometown: Belfast, Maine

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Public Relations Officer, Ship's Electrician

Activities: Sports and Clubs Treasury Committee, Class Treasurer, Intramural Frisbee, Schooner Crew, Emergency Squad







Name: Jeremy Payne

Hometown: Falmouth, MA

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Ensign, Squad Leader

Activities: Rugby, APO, Honor Board, 4 Discovery Voyage



Name: Phil Powers

Hometown: Odenton, MD

Major: Power Engineering Technology

Rates: N/A

Activities: N/A



I want to thank my parents and my family and friends for supporting me and giving me a great experience at MMA. All the PET guys (and Mackenzie) were great and I'll always remember them. Study sessions where not much got done, the JMS tavern, and everything in between. And who can forget Moulton on St. Patties day? I can't wait for a rewarding career but will always miss this school.



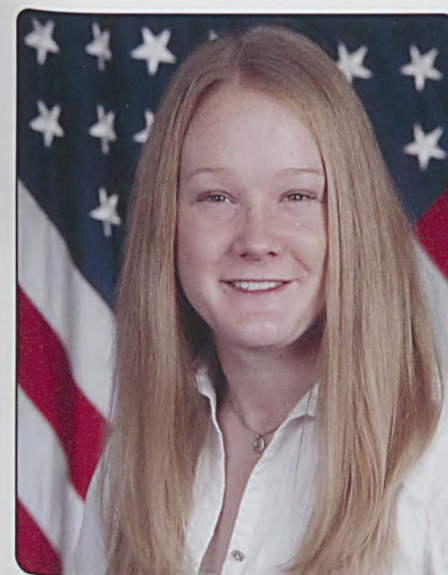
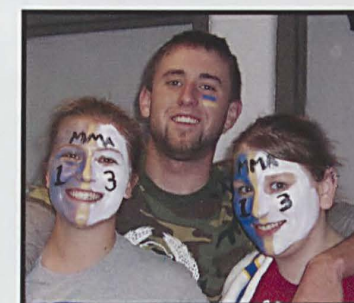
Name: Amy Lee Preble

Hometown: Palmyra, ME

Major: Marine Biology

Rates: N/A

Activities: Women's Soccer



Name: Janelle M. Roope

Hometown: Presque Isle, ME

Major: Marine Biology

Rates: N/A

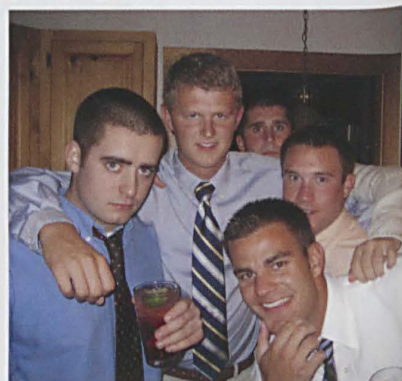
Activities: Varsity Volleyball, RA







"Anchors Aweigh, my boys, Anchors Aweigh.  
Farewell to college joys, we sail at break of day.  
Through our last night on shore, drink to the foam,  
Until we meet once more.  
Here's wishing you a happy voyage home."  
- United States Navy



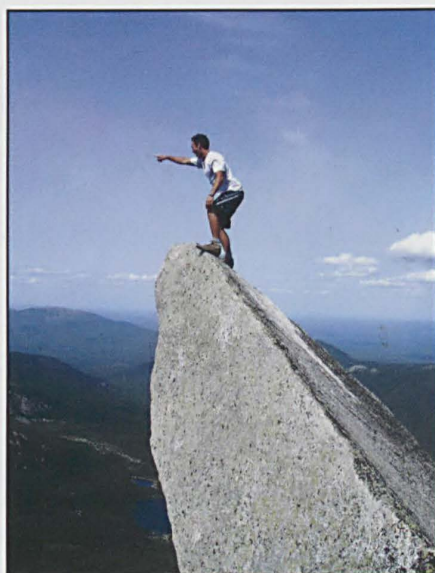
Name: Ryan Sirois

Hometown: Bristol, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Alpha Cadet Electrician

Activities: N/A



Name: Matt Stephens

Hometown: Orrs Island, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

Rates: Second Mate of the TS State of Maine

Activities: Sailing Team, Maritones, Skiing



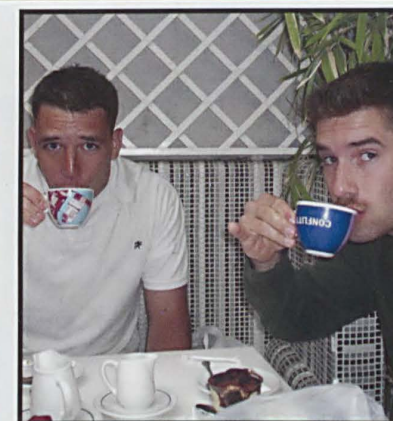
Name: Barrett Tilton

Hometown: Harrington, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: Squad Leader, Alpha Company Master at Arms

Activities: Varsity Lacrosse



Name: Luke Velho

Hometown: Dartmouth, MA

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: Regimental Executive Officer

Activities: Merchant Marine Rescue, Class President, Midshipman Training Officer







Name: David A. Weippert

Hometown: Miami, FL

Major: Marine Engineering Technology

Rates: Cadet Electrician (Charlie)

Activities: SNAME, Computer Tech, Lifeboat Squad, Dive Team



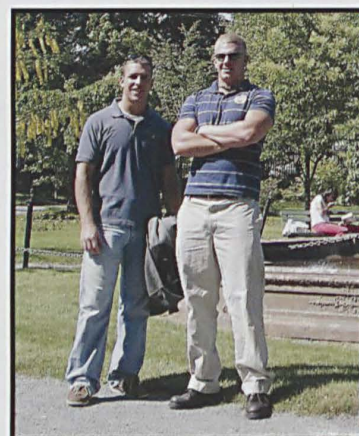
Name: Jacob Welch

Hometown: North Vassalboro, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: N/A

Activities: N/A



Name: Megan E. White

Hometown: Waterville, ME

Major: Marine Science

Rates: N/A

Activities: Varsity Soccer, Yearbook, Marine Science Teaching Assistant

"Beginnings are scary and hard, endings are mostly sad, but it's the middle that really counts"



Name: Scott Wiles

Hometown: Eastport, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

Rates: Honor Board Chairman

Activities: Propeller Club

Dedicated to Mary Ann, Shannon, Allison, Mom, Dad, and Hankward Gayle. Thank you all for your support.



"Twenty years from now you will be more disappointed by the things that you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowline. Sail away from the safer harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover." --Mark Twain







Name: Lucas Anderson

Hometown: Winterport, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations



Name: Christopher Bellows

Hometown: Bucksport, ME

Major: Marine Systems Engineering



Name: Seth Bradstreet

Hometown: Newport, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: Robert Canning

Hometown: Eddington, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology



Name: Allen Berry

Hometown: Madison, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Nathan Bolduc

Hometown: Farmington, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology



Name: Benjamin Carignan

Hometown: Bucksport, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Christopher Casey

Hometown: Edgecomb, ME

Major: International Business & Logistics





Name: Eric D. Childs

Hometown: Kittery, ME

Major: Marine Systems Engineering Design



Name: Dylan Clark

Hometown: Durham, ME

Major: Small Vessel Operations



Name: Nicholas Cullen

Hometown: Millinocket, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Peter Curtis

Hometown: Waterville, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology



Name: Kyle Connolly

Hometown: Madison, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Craig Cullen

Hometown: Millinocket, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: Nicholas Dawes

Hometown: Salsbury Cove, ME

Major: Small Vessel Operations



Name: Christopher Dimock

Hometown: West Kingston, RI

Major: Small Vessel Operations





Name: Bryan Dore

Hometown: Richmond, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: Tyler Eads

Hometown: Belfast, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations



Name: Marc Gauthier

Hometown: Salem, MA

Major: Marine Transportation Operations



Name: Josh Goodfellow

Hometown: Bath, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: Ronald Grant

Hometown: West Sayville, NY

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: Zachary Growe

Hometown: Hampden, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology



Name: Nicholas Holmes

Hometown: Windham, NH

Major: International Business & Logistics



Name: Brandon Homer

Hometown: Chatham, MA

Major: Marine Engineering Operations





Name: Michael Huffman

Hometown: Hobe Sound , FL

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Bruce Johnson

Hometown: Newport Center, VT

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Kyle Kennedy

Hometown: Milbridge, ME

Major: Marine Systems Engineering Design



Name: Matthew Lajoie

Hometown: Pittston, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations



Name: John Kalagher

Hometown: Madison, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Thomas Kelly

Hometown: Canton, CT

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Ryan MacRae

Hometown: Belmont, NH

Major: Marine Transportation Operations



Name: Neil McGhee

Hometown: Lincoln, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology





Name: James McLeod

Hometown: Holden, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Ryan O'Connor

Hometown: Waterville, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology



Name: John Savage

Hometown: West Enfield, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: Andrew Schmitt

Hometown: Myrtle Beach, SC

Major: Small Vessel Operations



Name: Shawn Poulin

Hometown: Vassalboro, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: John Rice

Hometown: Fairfield, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology



Name: Norman Searles

Hometown: Eliot, ME

Major: Power Engineering Technology



Name: Eric Soderberg

Hometown: Rutland, MA

Major: Marine Transportation Operations





Name: Nicholas Starbird

Hometown: Auburn, ME

Major: Marine Systems Engineering



Name: Thomas Steffes

Hometown: Castine, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations



Name: Stephanie Taylor

Hometown: Mendon, MI

Major: Marine Biology



Name: Andrew Thoms

Hometown: Orrington, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Matthew Stewart

Hometown: Madison, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Technology



Name: Heather Swan

Hometown: Bucksport, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations



Name: Timothy Thornton

Hometown: Orelan, PA

Major: Small Vessel Operations



Name: Matthew Trepp

Hometown: South Berwick, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations





Name: Joshua Wallace

Hometown: East Millinocket, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations



Name: Travis Wallace

Hometown: Crawford, ME

Major: Marine Systems Engineering



Name: Richard Winkler

Hometown: Portland, ME

Major: Marine Engineering Operations

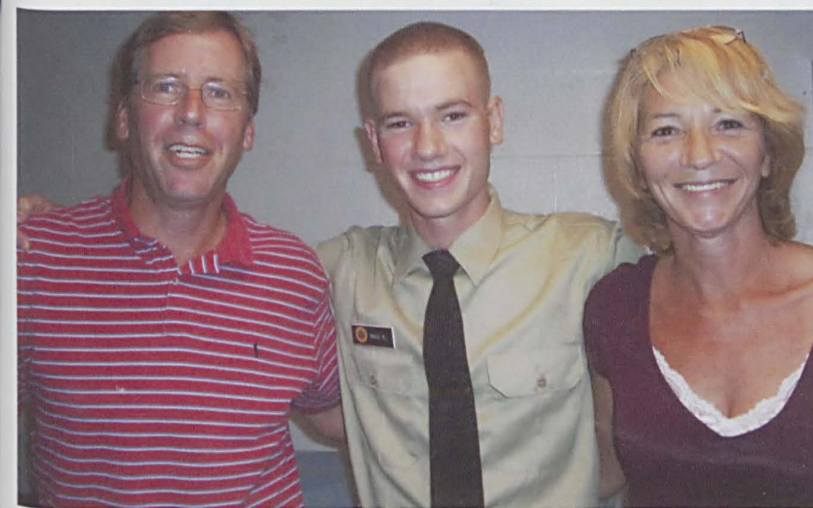


Name: Robert Womble

Hometown: Castine, ME

Major: Marine Transportation Operations

# In Memory of Brett T. Gould



*"I laid in bed last night trying to think where the sun had gone and then it dawned on me."*

-unknown



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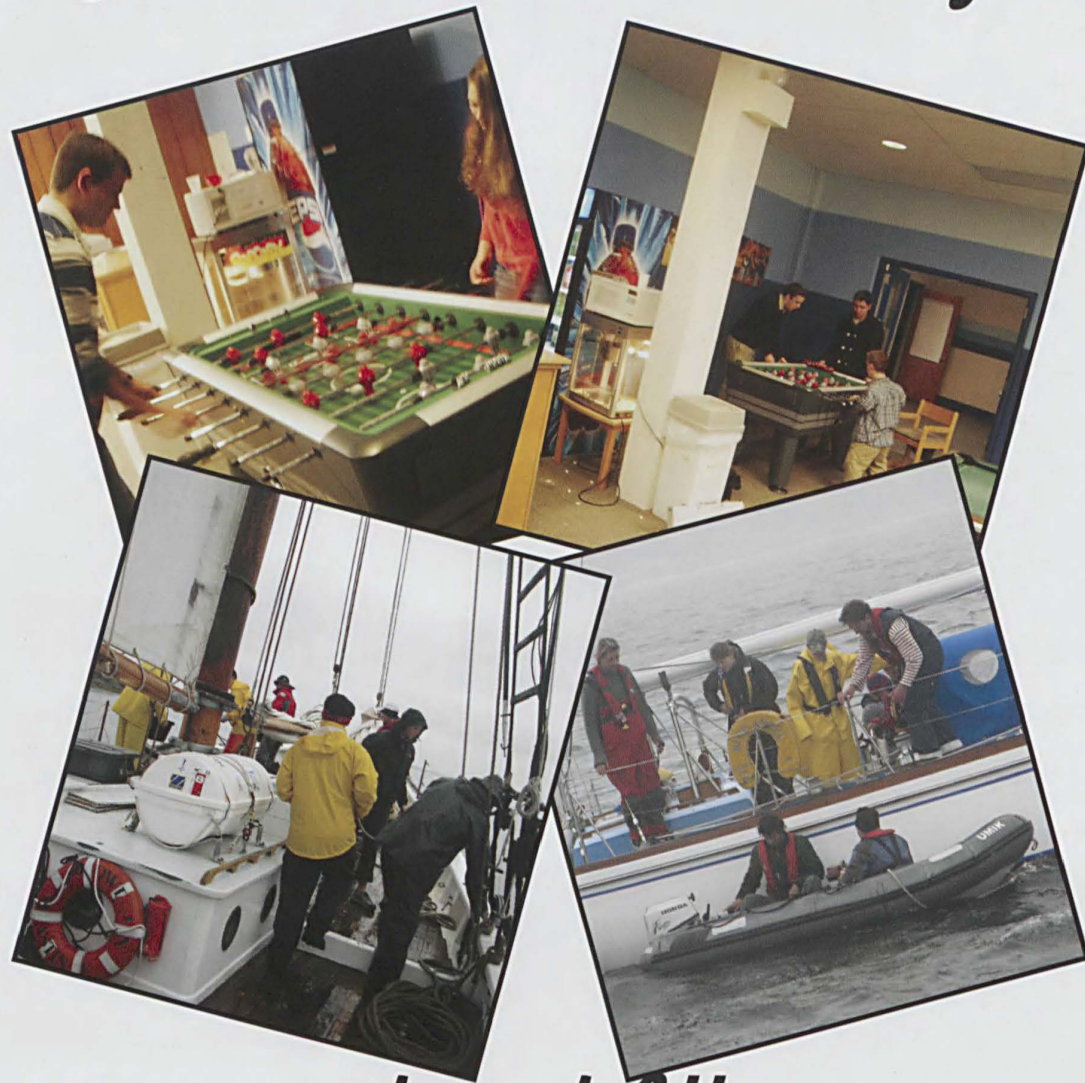
*Remember me when flowers bloom  
Early in the spring  
Remember me in sunny days  
In the fun that summer brings*

*Remember me in the fall  
As you walk through the leaves of gold  
And in the wintertime- remember me  
In the stories that are told*

*But most of all remember  
Each day - right from the start  
I will be forever near  
For I live within your heart*



# Congratulations to the Class of 2008



*Fair winds and following seas to  
MMA students and alumni*

*Maine Maritime Academy Parents Association*

## Carly Caron



We Love You Carly!

## Eric Donald Beckman Jr

Congratulations big guy, well done. We're very proud of you.  
-Your loving family



## Barrett Tilton



Congratulations  
from your proud family.  
Mom, Dad, and Blake

## Vanessa McPhail



Seems like just yesterday you were a little girl, with golden ringlets.  
A young lady lobstering on the Miss Tess, each summer.  
Now a grown woman and a college graduate.  
Your hard work dedication, and willpower have paid off.  
We are so proud of you and all you have accomplished.  
We love you.  
Mom, Dad, Karla, & Kirby

## Jacob Wech

Jake,  
you always looked  
handsome in a uniform  
and you still do!  
Congratulations! We  
love you so much and  
are so very proud of  
you. Love always,  
Mom & Dad



## Jon Farrin



Congratulations, Jon, on your  
exceptional achievement!  
Love, Mom, Dad, Jenn, and Joe.

## Joshua Goodfellow

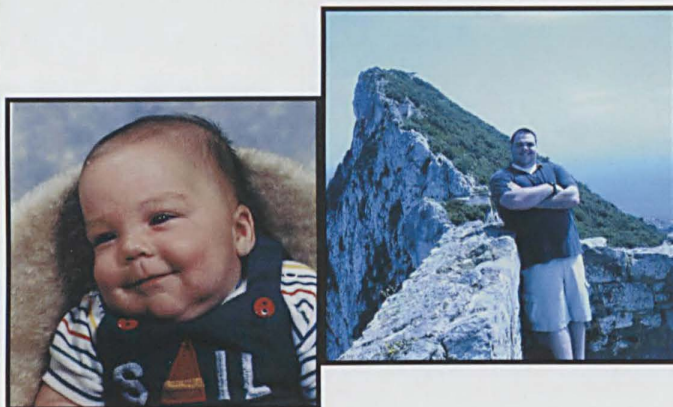


Life is not measured  
by the number of  
breaths we take...  
but by the number of  
moments that take  
our breath away.  
All our Love, Mom,  
Dad, & Ryan



## Nicholas Killinger

Can you believe this 2lb. baby has grown into a big and well educated young man. We are very proud of your accomplishments over the past four years at MMA. Good luck and may God be with you always. Our Love, Mom, Dad, Katie, & Grammy



## Andrew T. Farnham



Congratulations on your graduation and a job well done! You give new meaning to the word "perseverance." Take it with you into your bright future. We love you, and are so proud of you!  
Love, Mom, Popsie, & Carrie

## Cory Fogg



Lt. Commander Cory Fogg, Well you've finally done it...We are so proud of the sweet little boy who has become a strong and focused young man. You've worked so hard, always shooting for the top. Congratulations for graduating Summa Cum Laude. We know how excited you are to move onto your next big adventure and we wish you nothing but the best. We all love you so much. Mum, Dad, Josh, & Amy

## Tucker Neale



Congratulations Tucker! We are all so proud of you. May the waves be always at your feet!



## Clifford T. Jackson

Congratulations Cliff, From young sailor and paddleboat captain on the salt pond, Cub Scout, U.S. Naval Sea Cadet and MMA Midshipman on cadet shipping aboard the USNS FLINT with the Military Sealift Command to U.S. Merchant Mariner. You did it! We're very proud of you and all of your accomplishments. You have Our Best Wishes for an Incredibly Bright, Promising and Fulfilling Future. With All of Our Love, Mom, Dad





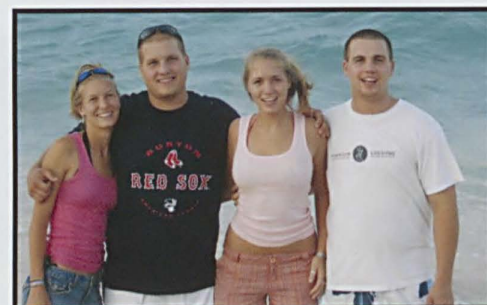


## Joseph Deltufo, III

Joseph, congratulations! You have persevered and accomplished much in these last four years. I always told you **"You Can Do It"** and you did. **"New Beginnings"** for your future. Love you much. Always praying for you. Love Mom, Dad, Alissa, Bradley, Alexandra & Yours Truly, Cynder Buggy, aka Smoyed.

## Michael P. Moulton

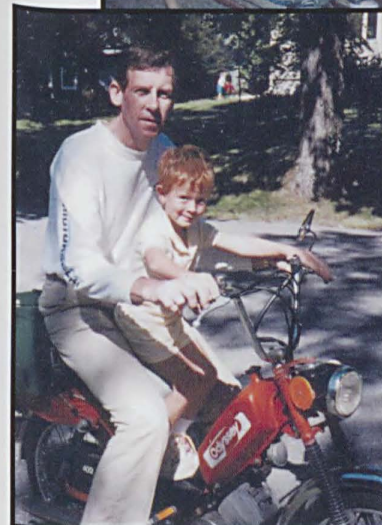
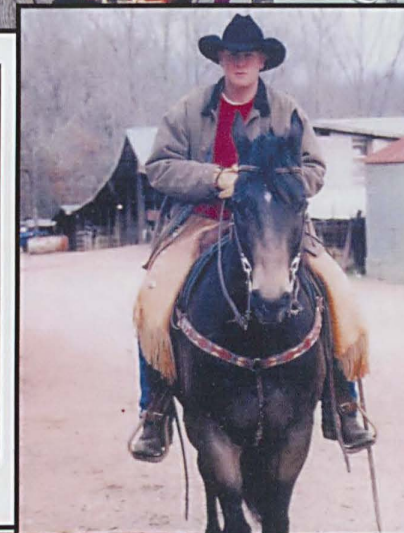
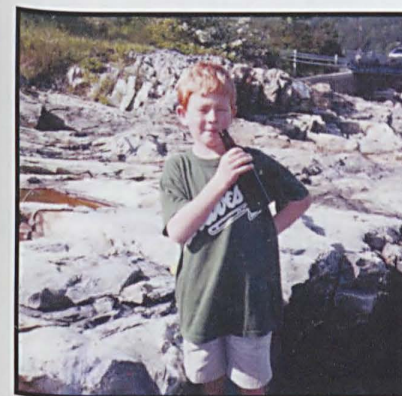
Congratulations Michael! We are all so proud of you and all your accomplishments and hard work at MMA in the past four years!! You have kept up with the regiment, learned so much and made the Dean's list every time and we are amazed at you! You have had some amazing experiences on your cruises and cadet shipping!! You thrive on everything you are learning and we love watching you and listening to you, use all this knowledge! You are ready to work hard and see where the ship takes you!! We all love you!!!



## Alex Salisbury Miller

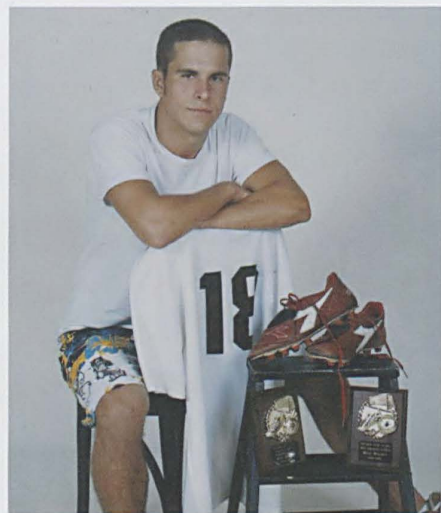
Alex, Maine and Maine Maritime Academy have been good for you and to you. You've fulfilled many childhood ambitions from boats to cooking. We're proud of you and hope you go on to proudly represent Maine and Maine Maritime.

Love,  
Mum, Dad and Grandmas



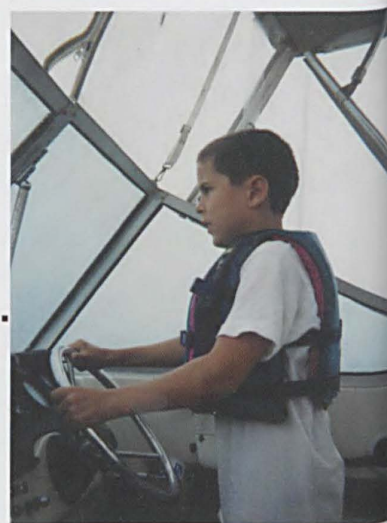


## Miles Colin Benedict



You are our joy.  
We couldn't be more  
proud. This is only  
the beginning for you...

Love,  
Mommy and Daddy



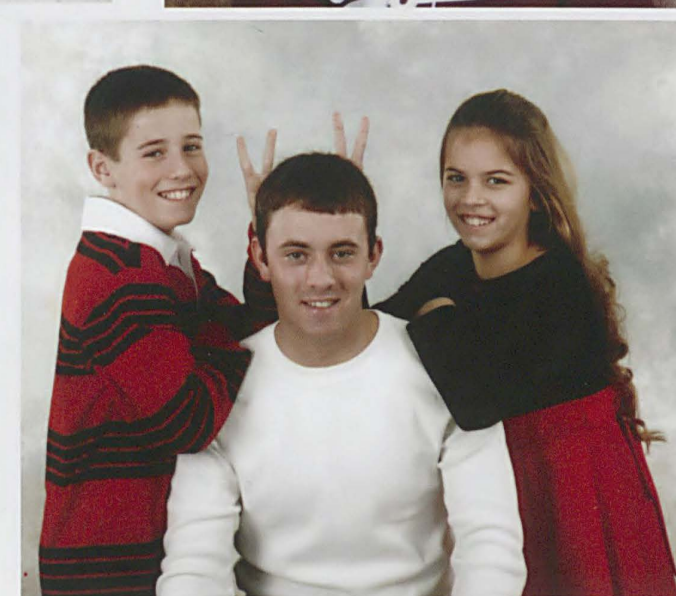
## Kyle D. Kennedy



Kyle,  
You make us proud to call you son,  
grandson, brother, nephew, cousin  
and friend. It seems like yesterday  
when you couldn't wait to go outside  
and "shuggle" the snow or eat  
"appaloosa" instead of lobster. Time  
has gone so fast and life's  
challenges only made it worth living  
to you.

Congratulations on one of your  
greatest accomplishments.  
We love you and wish you the best.

Love,  
Dad, Mom, Nick, Kelli and Family

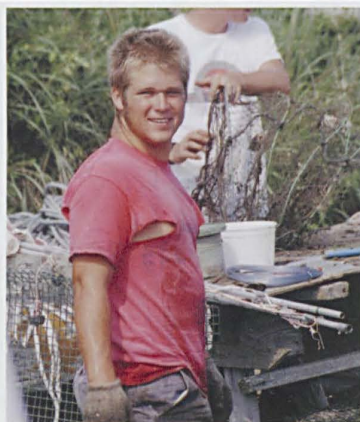






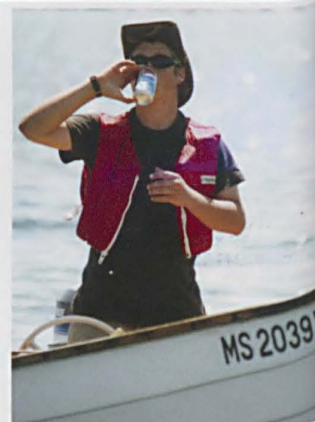
## Eric Childs

Eric -Your entire family is so proud of all your accomplishments!!  
Love Everyone



## Samuel Garfield

Congratulations Sam!  
Hard work, sun, surf  
and good times paid off.  
Set sail, check your GPS,  
and head for the Islands.  
Follow your heart.  
We love and appreciate all  
your energy and love of the Sea  
With Love  
Mom, Dad, Dianna and Kassia



Congratulations

## James Perry McLeod



We are very  
proud of you  
Mom & Dad



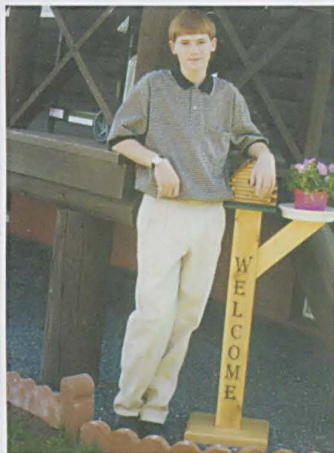
Always remember: In this tempest that is the sea of life "You don't have to swim faster than the sharks just faster than the other swimmers."

## Travis Wallace

Travis,  
We wish you a world of adventures and experiences and also the serenity that comes from listening to your inner voice as the world rushes around you. We wish you the satisfaction of seeing your goals achieved and knowing that your hard work was well done, friends are well loved and special moments will be well cherished. We are so proud of you for all you have accomplished and all that you will accomplish.  
Love Dad, Mom and Chris



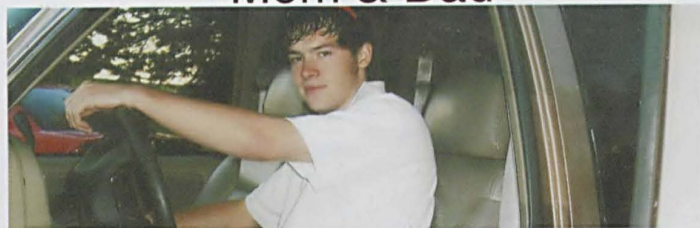




## Jacob Bartol

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined." Henry David Thoreau. You've dreamt of this day for a long time now, we wish you all of life's best - we couldn't be more proud of the man you've become! Stay strong and be confident! We'll love you forever Jake!

Mom & Dad



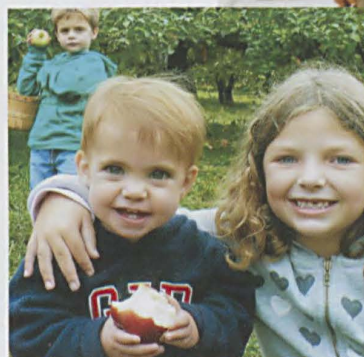
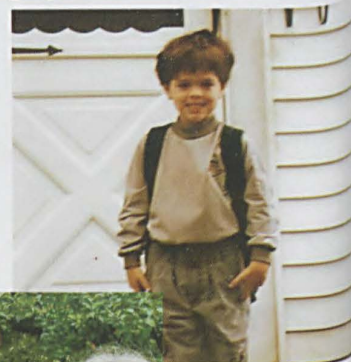
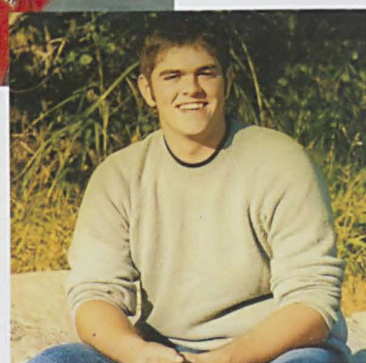
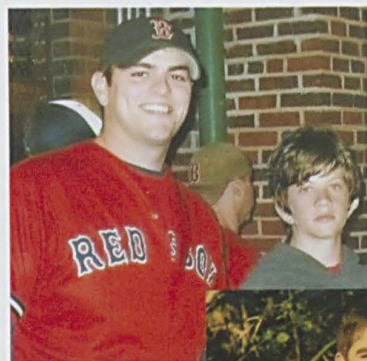
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We knew you could do it! You have accomplished a lot down "Castine Road." We know you will be successful in whatever you choose to do. Enjoy Life!! We are very proud of you.

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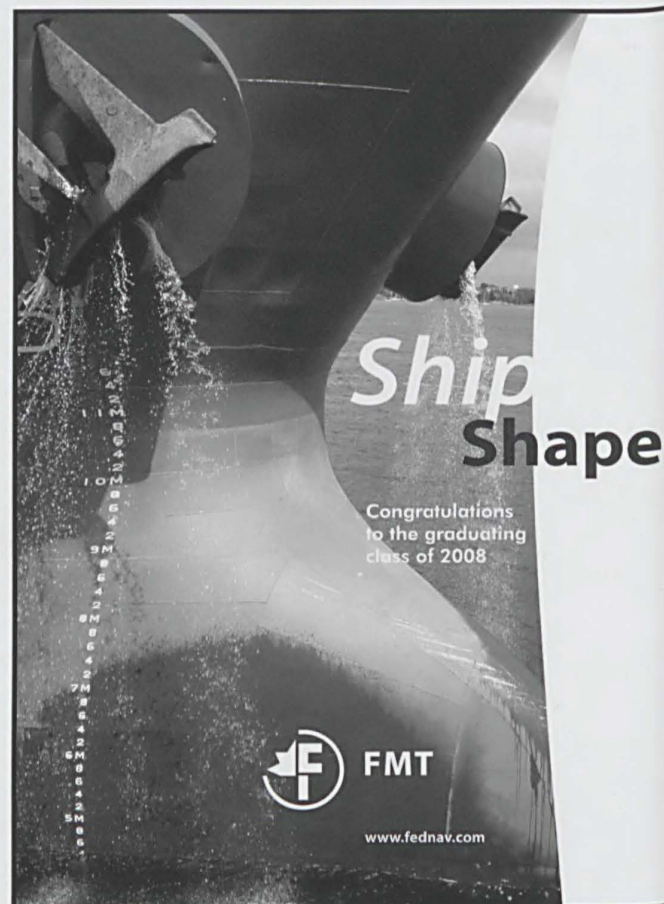
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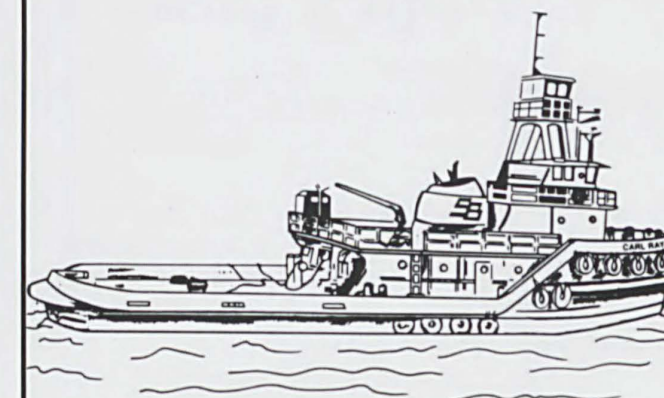
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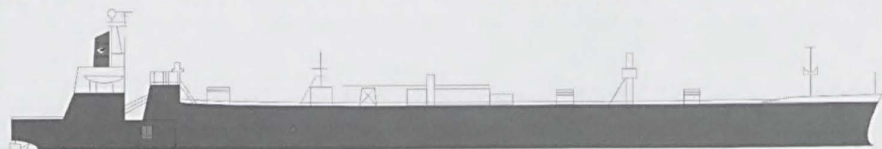


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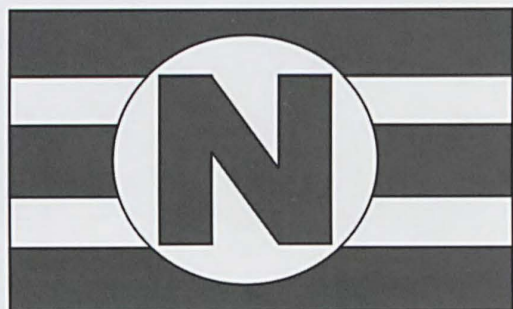
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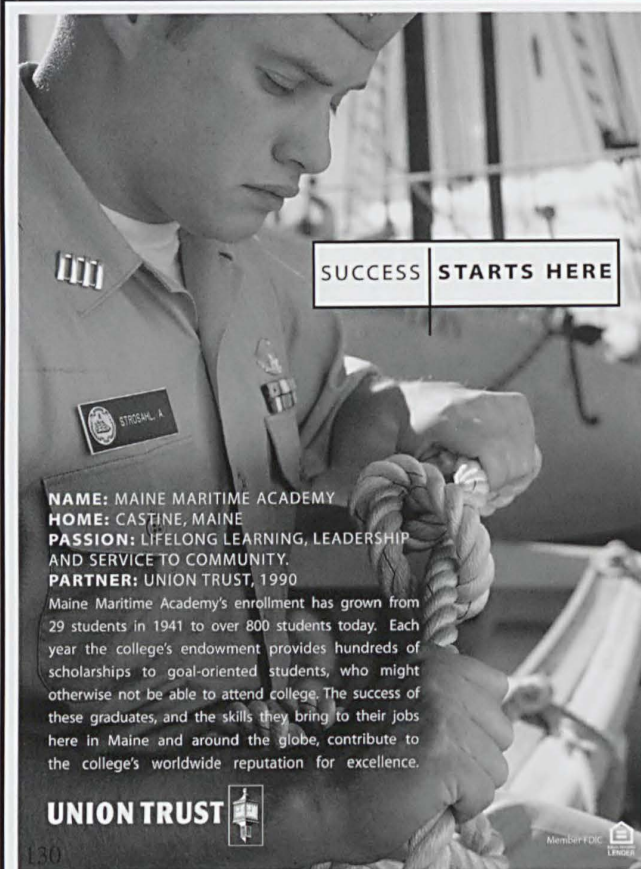




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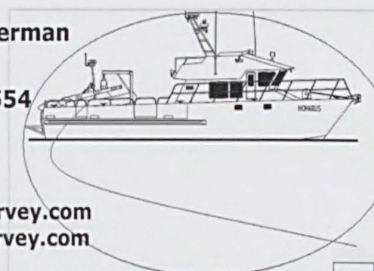
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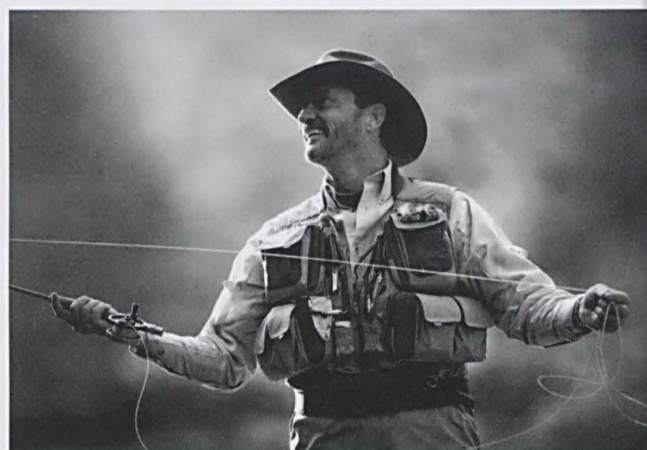
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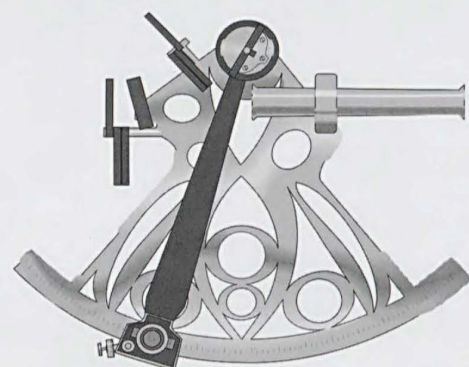
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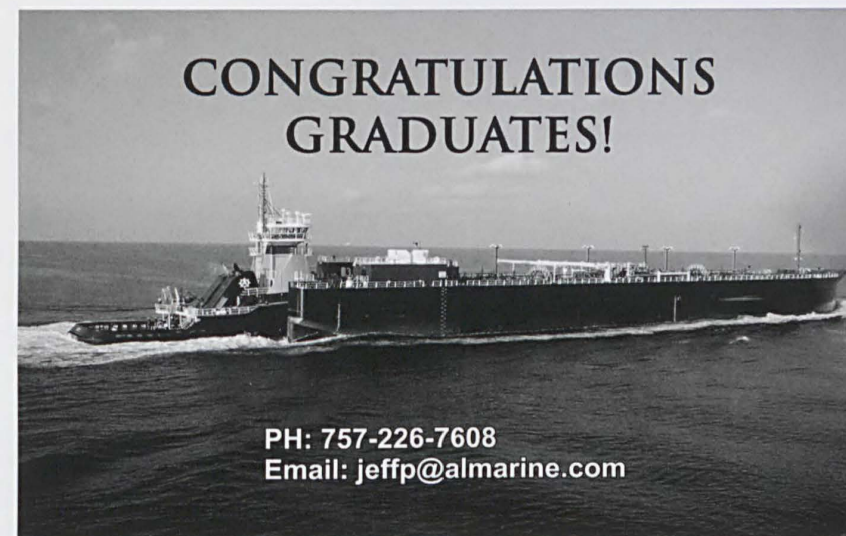
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# Front Page Headlines

► As the war in Iraq passes the four-year mark, tours of duty are lengthened and recruitment standards are relaxed.

▼ To ease the mortgage crisis, the U.S. Senate passes legislation allowing homeowners with delinquent sub-prime mortgages to refinance into federally insured loans.



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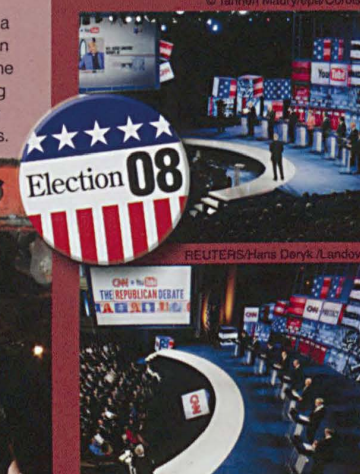
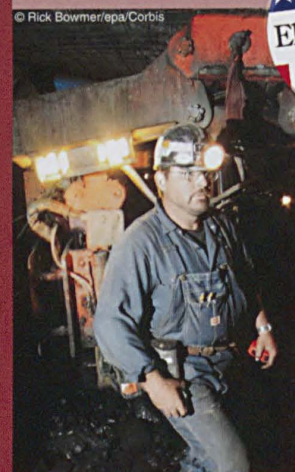
◀ Several cities in the southeastern U.S. are mere months away from running out of water as drought conditions persist in the region.



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▼ Six men are trapped when a Utah coal mine collapses on August 6. Ten days later, the mine collapses again, killing three rescue workers. After four weeks the search ends.

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▲ During televised debates, Democratic and Republican presidential candidates answer tough questions submitted by voters via YouTube.

► The U.S. Postal Service issues a forever stamp featuring an image of the Liberty Bell. It will always be valid for first class postage on envelopes weighing one ounce or less.



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▲ The Nobel Peace Prize is awarded to former Vice President Al Gore and the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change, represented by Dr. Rajendra Pachauri, for their efforts to call attention to global warming.

▼ Schools across the nation are thoroughly disinfected—and some are even shut down—to quell outbreaks of staph infections, including antibiotic-resistant strains.



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▲ In late October, Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger declares a state of emergency due to wildfires that burn more than half a million acres in southern California.

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▼ Dozens of tornadoes tear across Tennessee, Arkansas, Mississippi, Kentucky and Alabama on February 5, 2008, killing nearly 60 people.



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▲ American consumers lose their confidence in China's manufacturers when children's toys tainted with lead trigger widespread recalls.

◀ The Nintendo "Wii-nomenon" sweeps the nation as the game console outplays the competition with sales of more than 13 million units.

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▲ Writers hit the picket lines and television production is halted for months when the Writers Guild of America goes on strike to protest compensation policies for new media such as iTunes downloads.



► In Littleton, Colorado, construction is completed on the \$1.5 million Columbine Memorial to the 13 victims of the 1999 shooting at Columbine High School.



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▲ On August 1, a six-lane I-35W bridge stretching across the Mississippi River in Minneapolis collapses into the river during the height of the afternoon rush hour.

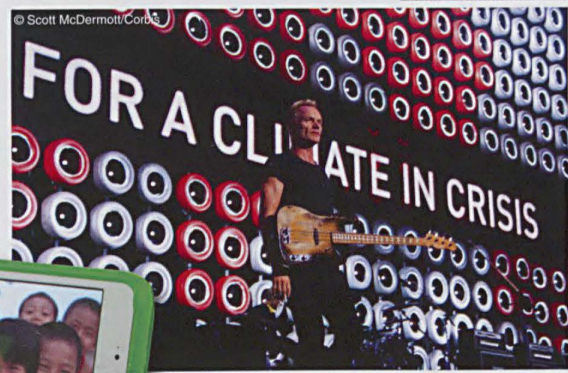


# Global

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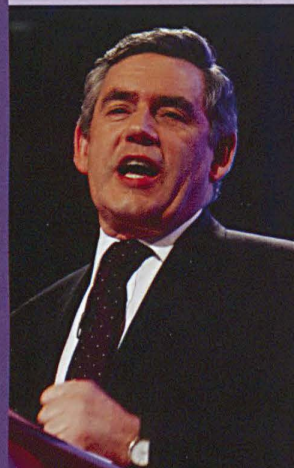
► People around the world cast more than 100 million online votes to determine the New Seven Wonders of the World. The winning wonders are announced at a gala in Lisbon.

▼ More than 150 of the world's leading music acts perform in concerts staged around the world for Live Earth, a star-studded event to draw attention to the global climate crisis.



► The One Laptop Per Child Foundation launches a limited-time "Give One, Get One" program to spur donations of XO \$100 laptops to children in developing nations.

▼ Labour Party leader Gordon Brown succeeds Tony Blair as the new Prime Minister of the United Kingdom of Great Britain.



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▲ The melting of the Arctic Sea ice spurs an international network of climate scientists to conclude that global warming is indisputable, and that human activity has been causing temperatures to rise since 1950.

▼ In December, Pakistani opposition leader Benazir Bhutto is assassinated following a political rally in Rawalpindi, Pakistan.



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▲ Tropical cyclone Sidr is the deadliest storm to hit Bangladesh in a decade. It destroys thousands of homes, ruins crops and forces more than a million villagers to evacuate.

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# Sci-Tech

▼ U.S. astronaut Peggy Whitson is the first female commander at the International Space Station.



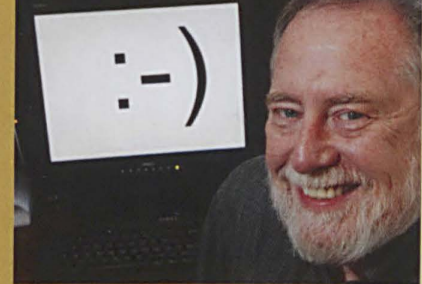
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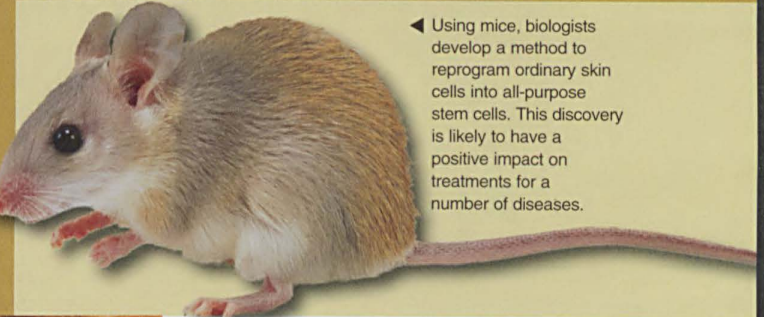
▲ Black bears make headlines in Utah, Wyoming and New Mexico as park rangers and wilderness homeowners report raids on backpacks, tents, trash cans and even kitchens.

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◀ The digital smiley face celebrates its 25th birthday. Its inventor, Carnegie Mellon professor Scott E. Fahlman, first used the icon on an electronic bulletin board in 1982.

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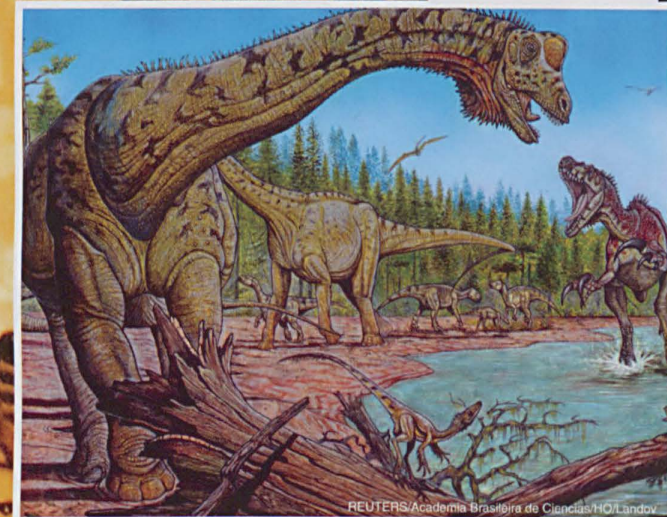
◀ Using mice, biologists develop a method to reprogram ordinary skin cells into all-purpose stem cells. This discovery is likely to have a positive impact on treatments for a number of diseases.

◀ Crops are threatened when honeybee colonies in the U.S. and Europe suffer from Colony Collapse Disorder, losing up to 70 percent of their bees due to unknown causes.

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► In a medical experiment, salmonella germs take a ride on the space shuttle. When they return to Earth, the germs are far more lethal than their earthbound counterparts.



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◀ An excavation site in Argentina yields the fossilized remains of a previously unknown species of dinosaur, the Futalognkosaurus dukei, measuring more than 105 feet.



# Lifestyle

► Social networking websites continue to surge in popularity. MySpace and Facebook remain dominant as the sites of choice for young people and inspire a host of innovative imitators.

▼ Concerns about overweight dogs and cats hit the headlines. Veterinarians prescribe a regimen of fewer treats, more walks around the neighborhood and no people food.



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► The healthy growth trend for vitamin waters and other nutrient-boosted consumables continues with the introduction of specialized formulas for immunity, focus and more.



▼ User-generated content grows more popular as network television shows, mainstream musical acts and wannabe media stars join amateur home moviemakers on YouTube. One of the most-watched videos of 2007 features a feline pianist.



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▲ Higher prices for coffee beans do not lessen the nation's craving for coffeehouses. Independents and chains alike continue to be popular with younger consumers.

▼ Concerns over the environment and increasing energy costs create a growing consumer demand for energy-saving, long-lasting compact fluorescent light bulbs.



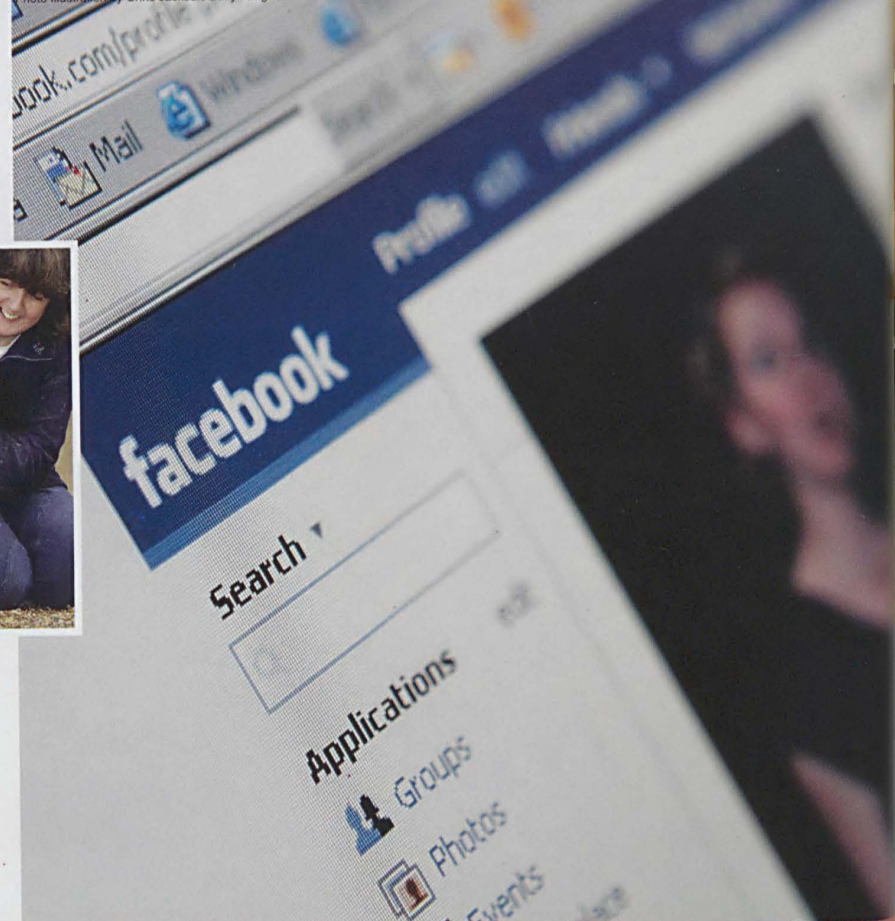
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▼ The Apple iPhone, with its revolutionary touch screen, packs mobile phone, camera, iPod, Web browser, email and IM capabilities into a sleek, portable package.



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# Trends

▼ Cute and comfy baby doll jumper tops and dresses with button straps start as a summer trend and morph into fall fashion layered over close-fitting sweaters and matching tights.



◀ The A-line silhouette comes to outerwear, as swingy trapeze coats become one of the year's most surprising fashion must-haves.



◀ Under Armor athletic apparel is a popular fashion choice for athletes both on and off the field.



► The ubiquitous, slouchy suede Ugg boot is reinvented with cozy knitted uppers that keep toes toasty and add a soft, tweedy, textured look to fall and winter ensembles.

► Fashion takes a look back to the 1980s with the return of leg warmers, worn as an accessory with short skirts or skinny jeans and fashionable ballet flats or moccasins.

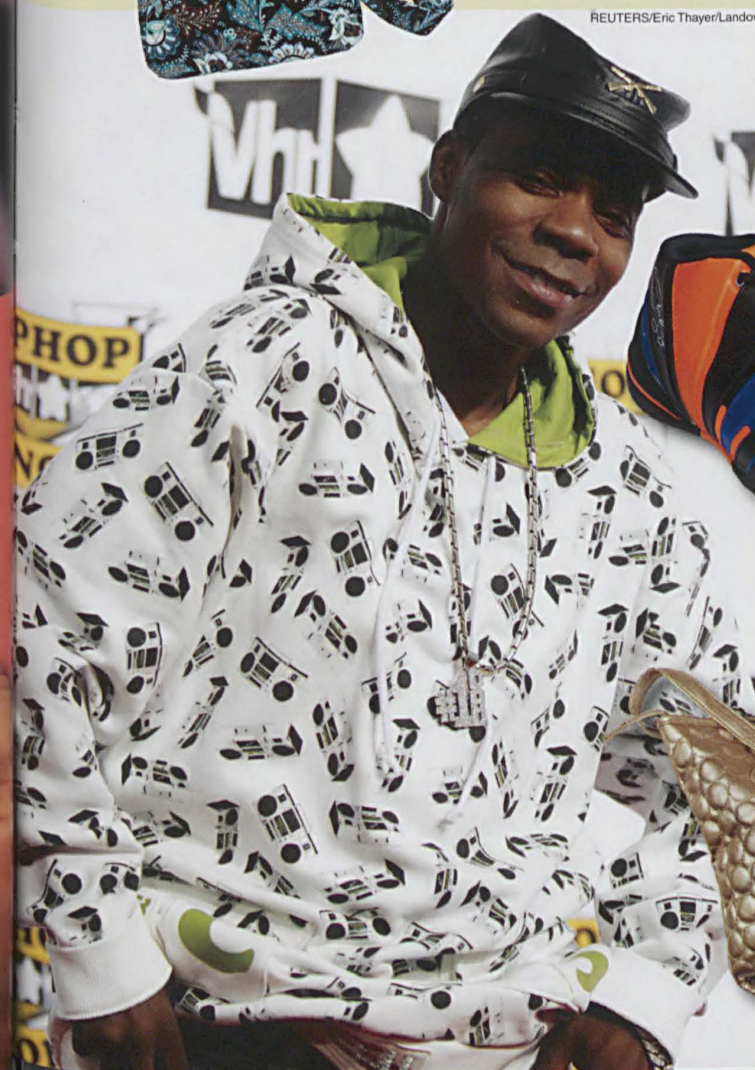


◀ Quilted Vera Bradley handbags and totes sweep college campuses, sororities and high school hallways from coast to coast.



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◀ Guys sport patterned hoodies that are worn alone or layered under jackets and blazers for an edgy, urban look.



▲ Stephon Marbury inspires a host of celebrities, including Sarah Jessica Parker and Venus Williams, to battle the high-priced fashion industry by creating their own affordable apparel.

◀ The craze for oversized leather bags—in metallic shades of copper, silver and gold—inspires a trend for matching footwear in daytime and nighttime looks.





# Entertainment

▼ The music video game Rock Band is released for Xbox 360 and PlayStation 3. Players perform together in virtual bands, using peripherals to hit notes as they scroll onscreen.

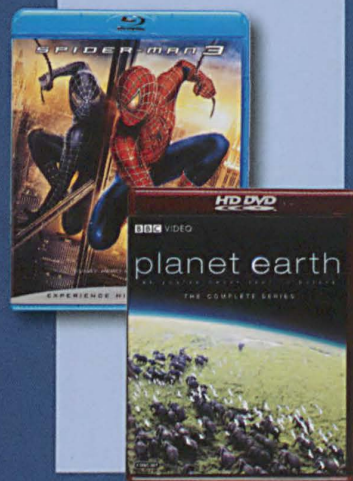


◀ Even after lonelygirl15 is revealed as a fictitious character, her popular storyline continues for a full season as an Internet dramedy series on YouTube and MySpace.



▼ The music video game *Guitar Hero III: Legends of Rock* is released with a soundtrack of 71 playable songs. Slash and other real-life guitarists appear as in-game characters.

▼ After a two-year format war, Toshiba pulls its HD DVD product out of contention, leaving Sony Blu-ray as the sole next-generation successor to DVD.

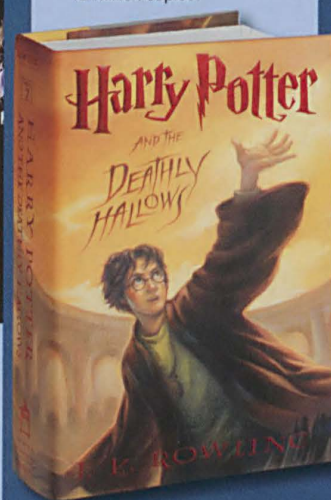


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▲ Large-scale multiplayer online gaming gives rise to virtual worlds where players interact via avatars and the computer-generated environment is similar to the real world.

▼ *Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows*, the seventh and final book in the enormously popular series, is released. Its first U.S. print run is a record-breaking 12 million copies.

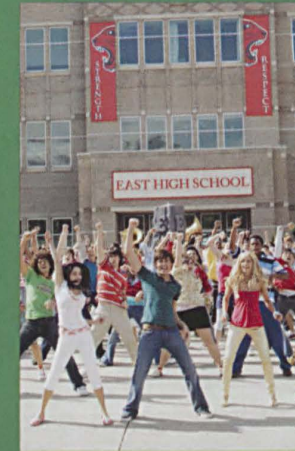


▲ Beading makes a comeback as a way to relax and creatively spend time with friends.



# Television

▼ The second season of NBC's *Heroes* continues the adventures of ordinary people with extraordinary powers and reveals more about the shadowy dealings of "The Company."



▲ *High School Musical 2* becomes the highest-rated cable broadcast in the nation's history when 17.2 million U.S. viewers tune in to the Disney Channel for its debut.

▼ In the 36th season of CBS's *The Price Is Right*, host Bob Barker retires and comedian Drew Carey takes over the helm at the world's second-longest-running game show.



▲ The NBC drama series *Friday Night Lights*, about a fictional high school football team, is taped documentary-style, without rehearsals, to give it a more authentic feeling.

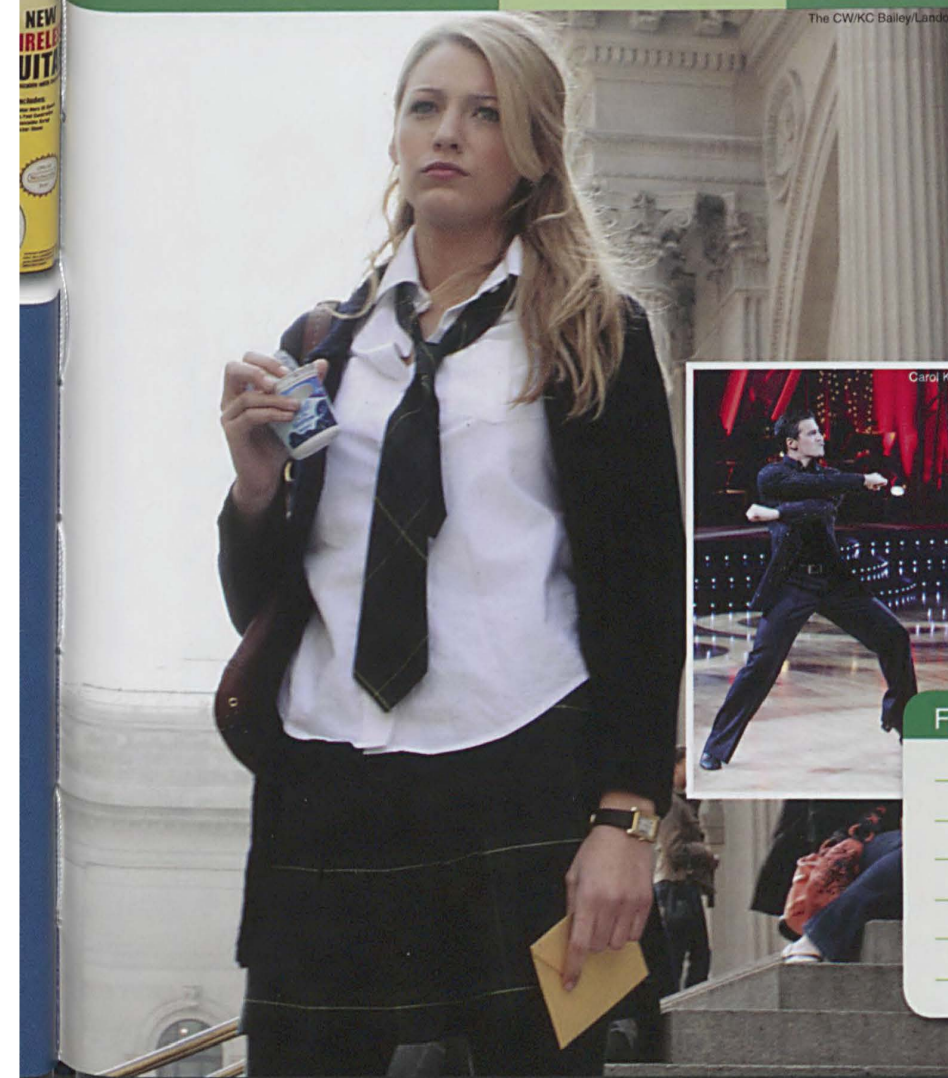
◀ On The CW, Blake Lively portrays socialite teen Serena van der Woodsen in *Gossip Girl*, a drama series that follows the lives of prep school students from New York's Upper East Side.

► America Ferrera, who plays Betty Suarez on the popular ABC comedy-drama *Ugly Betty*, is the first Latina to win the Emmy for Outstanding Lead Actress in a Comedy Series.



◀ ABC's *Dancing with the Stars* rules the ratings thanks to popular celebrity participants such as Sabrina Bryan of The Cheetah Girls.

Favorite TV Shows:





# Movies

▼ Shia LaBeouf portrays a teenager who is plunged into a high-tech battle between good and evil alien robots in *Transformers*, a live action adaptation of the 1980s cartoon series.



## THE SIMPSONS MOVIE



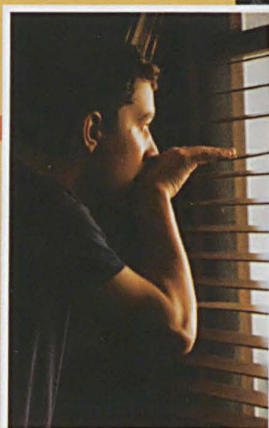
▼ A 90-minute episode of *The Simpsons* takes six years to make. *The Simpsons Movie* finally makes its big-screen debut and is a major hit.



▲ *Atonement* receives seven Golden Globe nominations, including lead acting nods for Keira Knightley and James McAvoy.

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► Disney's *National Treasure: Book of Secrets* nets the third-highest box-office total ever for a Christmas weekend release.



▼ *The Great Debaters*, based on the real-life victories of a black debate team in the 1930s, receives eight NAACP Image Award nominations.



▲ Joel and Ethan Coen write and direct *No Country for Old Men*, a film adaptation of Cormac McCarthy's bleak, moody modern western novel. The film receives eight Oscar nominations.

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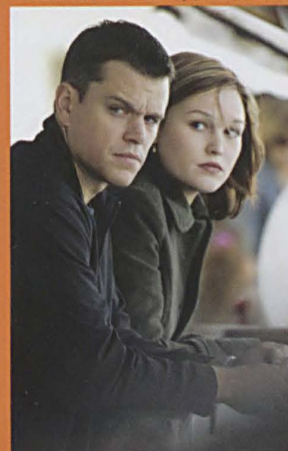
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▼ In *I Am Legend*, Will Smith is the last man alive in New York, after a man-made virus wipes out most of the world's population and turns the survivors into dangerous mutants.



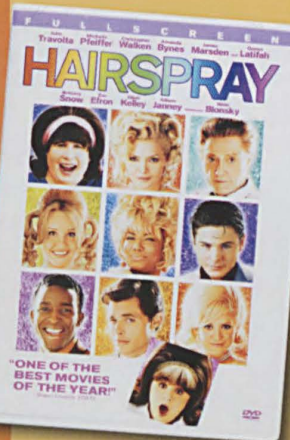
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▲ Matt Damon reprises his role as amnesiac CIA assassin Jason Bourne for *The Bourne Ultimatum*, the third film in the Bourne trilogy based on Robert Ludlum's novels.

▼ Starring Zac Efron, Amanda Bynes and newcomer Nikki Blonsky, *Hairspray* is a zany musical based on the Broadway smash hit.



## Best Picture Oscar Nominations

*Atonement*

*Juno*

*Michael Clayton*

*No Country for Old Men*

*There Will Be Blood*

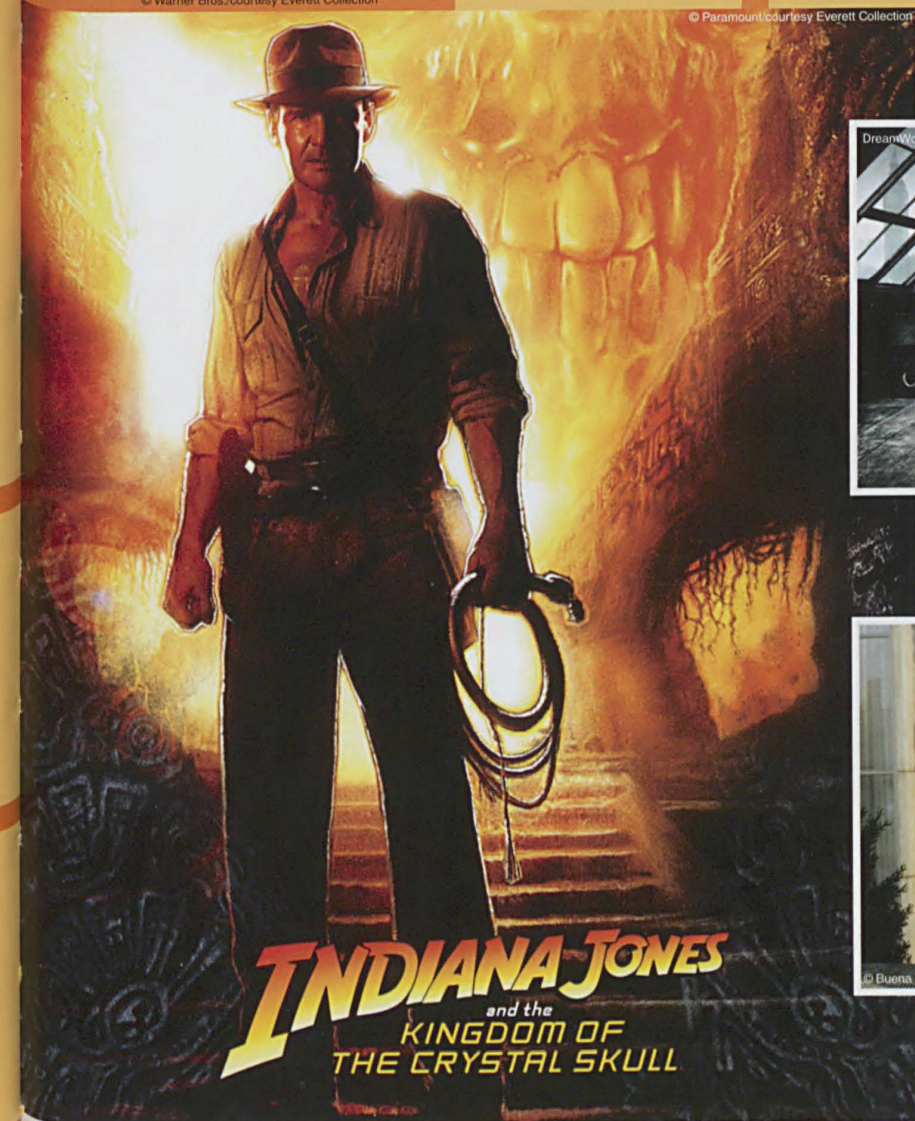
► After a 19-year hiatus, Harrison Ford returns as Steven Spielberg's adventurous archaeologist in *Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull*.



▲ Tim Burton directs and Johnny Depp stars as the title character in *Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street*, an adaptation of the hit Broadway musical.



▲ Using a combination of live action and animation, *Enchanted* tells the story of Giselle, a fairy-tale character seeking a "happily ever after" ending in modern-day Manhattan.



## INDIANA JONES and the KINGDOM OF THE CRYSTAL SKULL

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# Music

▼ Fall Out Boy headlines the Honda Civic tour, performs at Live Earth concerts and reaches the top of the charts with the release of their album *Infinity on High*.

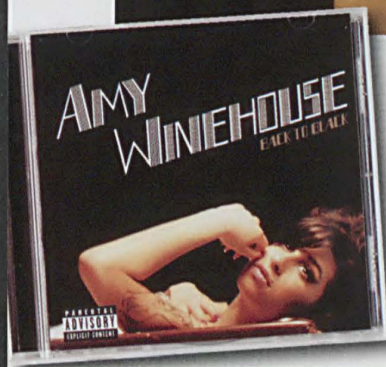
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▼ Fergie continues to place singles from her triple-platinum solo album, *The Dutchess*, on the *Billboard* charts.



◀ British singer Amy Winehouse brings back the beehive and wins five Grammy awards for her work on *Back to Black*.

▼ Canadian pop singer Feist enjoys soaring sales for her third solo album, *The Reminder*, after the single "1234" is featured in a commercial for the iPod nano.

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▲ Rihanna records her third album, *Good Girl Gone Bad*, featuring Jay-Z and Ne-Yo. She receives six Grammy nominations.

▼ Newcomer Sean Kingston tops the U.S. *Billboard* Hot 100 and Pop 100 with "Beautiful Girls," his first single from his self-titled debut album.



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▲ Malibu singer-songwriter Colbie Caillat rises to stardom from MySpace. Her song "Bubbly" garners more than 31 million plays and her CD goes platinum.

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▼ Carrie Underwood releases her double-platinum second album, *Carnival Ride*, and contributes the Oscar-nominated song "Ever Ever After" to the soundtrack for the movie *Enchanted*.



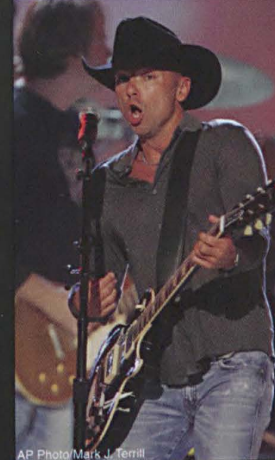
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▲ After facing off at the MTV Music Awards, rapper rivals Kanye West and 50 Cent release albums on September 11 and vie for top sales. Kanye's *Graduation* is the victor.

▼ Country star Kenny Chesney releases his 13th album, *Just Who I Am: Poets & Pirates*. His Flip Flop summer tour is the highest-grossing country tour of 2007.

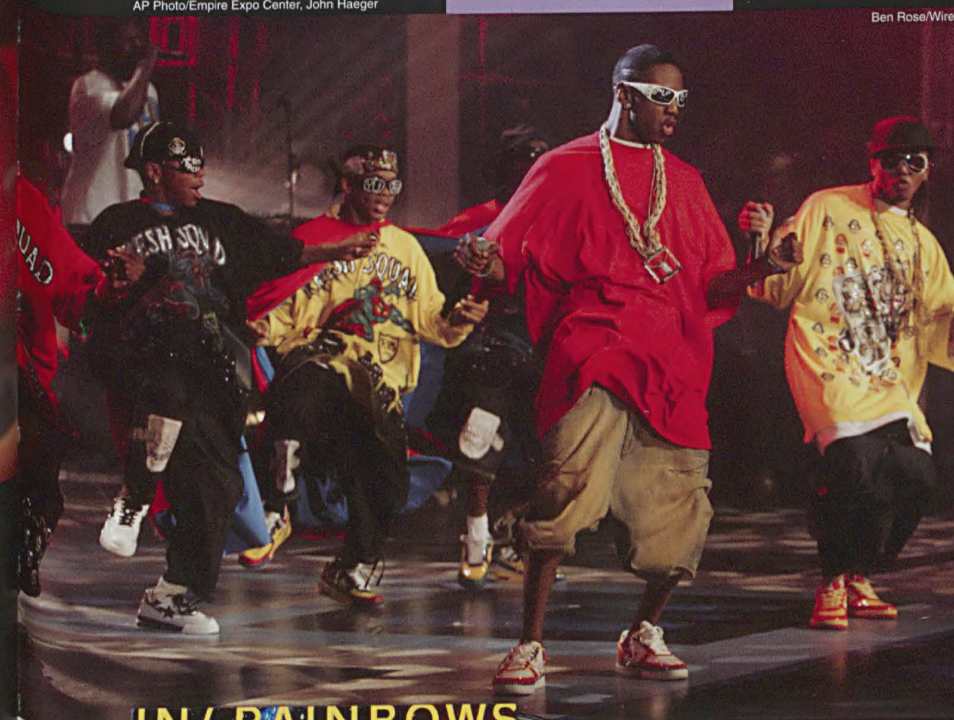


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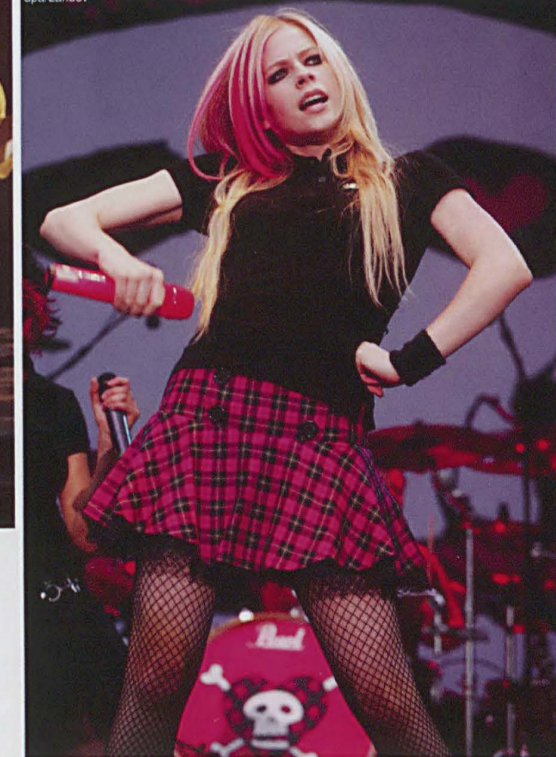
▲ Hip-hop artist T-Pain releases his second album, *Epiphany*. The album receives four 2008 Grammy nominations and the Vibe 2007 Song of the Year Award.

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◀ Soulja Boy reaches the top of the *Billboard* Hot 100 with the single "Crank That (Soulja Boy)" and his distinctive, loose-limbed dance style becomes a nationwide craze.

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▲ Punk-pop princess Avril Lavigne releases her third album, *The Best Damn Thing*, featuring "Girlfriend," her first No. 1 single on the *Billboard* Top 100.

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◀ Radiohead invites listeners and fans to pay whatever they want for a digital download of their highly acclaimed seventh album, *In Rainbows*. A "disbox" edition, with standard CD and vinyl LP, is released in January 2008.



# Sports

▼ Tiger Woods achieves his record 14th World Golf Championships win at the WGC-Bridgestone Invitational and claims his 60th PGA Tour win at the BMW Championship.



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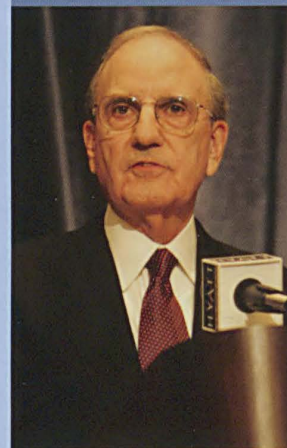
▼ The American League Champion Boston Red Sox defeat the National League Champion Colorado Rockies in a decisive four-game sweep to capture their second World Series title in four years.



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◀ Norwegian golfer Suzann Pettersen wins five LPGA events including her first major championship in a break out season.

▼ Former Senator George Mitchell releases a list of Major League Baseball players, including seven MVPs and 31 All-Stars, under investigation for illegal use of steroids and other performance-enhancing drugs.



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▲ At X-Games 13, Ricky Carmichael wins the first MotoX Racing Circuit, Simon Tabron does back-to-back 900s in BMX Vert and Jake Brown survives a 40-foot fall.

▼ The veteran San Antonio Spurs, led by Tim Duncan, beat the Cleveland Cavaliers and their young phenom, LeBron James, in a 4-0 sweep to win the 2007 NBA finals.



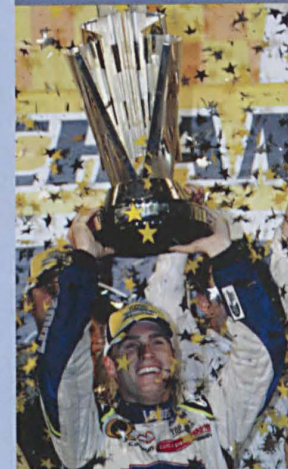
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▲ The LSU Tigers pounce on Ohio State early on their way to a 38-24 victory. LSU is the first two-loss team to compete for and win the BCS National Championship.

▼ California native Jimmie Johnson speeds to victory as the 2007 NASCAR Nextel Cup Champion, defeating his Hendrick Motorsports teammate Jeff Gordon by 77 points.



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▲ Athletes from around the world train for the 2008 Summer Olympics in Beijing as the city prepares for the arrival of hundreds of competitors and millions of spectators.

▼ The Anaheim Ducks claim their first Stanley Cup, beating the Ottawa Senators in five games for the 2007 NHL championship.



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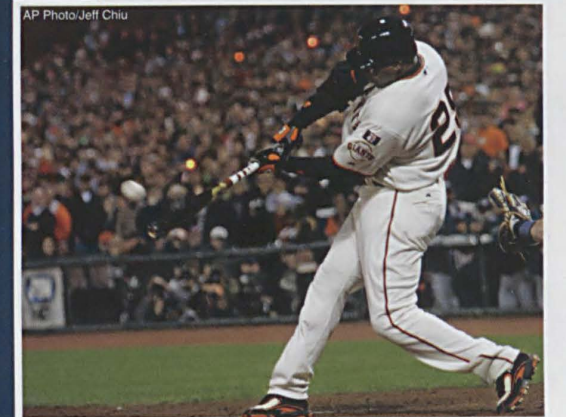
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▲ Super Bowl XLII MVP Eli Manning leads the New York Giants on a last-minute scoring drive to upset the heavily favored New England Patriots 17-14, shattering the Patriots' bid for a perfect 19-0 season.

◀ Belgian Justine Henin defeats Russian Svetlana Kuznetsova 6-1, 6-3 to win her second U.S. Open title in New York.

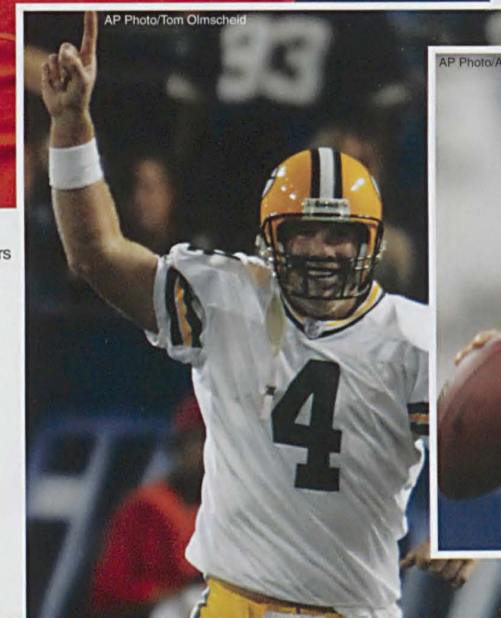
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▲ Power hitters Barry Bonds, Frank Thomas, Alex "A-Rod" Rodriguez, Craig Biggio and Jim Thome all achieve home run milestones in their Major League Baseball careers.

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► Brett Favre of the Green Bay Packers surpasses Dan Marino's touchdown pass record with number 422. 2007 NFL MVP Tom Brady of the New England Patriots sets the single regular-season mark for touchdown passes with 50.



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