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Naval Academy

LocationAnnapolis, Md.
 FoundedOctober 10, 1845
 Enrollment4,000
 NicknameMidshipmen, Mids
 ColorsNavy Blue and Gold
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2006-07 Outlook

The U.S. Naval Academy intercollegiate sailing team will sail in over 60 collegiate and one-design regattas during the 14-week fall and 13-week spring seasons each year. With 125 Intercollegiate Sailing Association (ICSA) member schools located in the Mid-Atlantic and New England districts Annapolis is situated just far enough south to sail late into the fall and start early each spring and is in the center of collegiate sailing's most active and competitive region.

The intercollegiate sailing team practices four days a week for three hours a day and competes every weekend in both the fall and spring. Navy's very comprehensive and competitive schedule leads to the six ICSA National Championships. Three championships are held in the fall season -- the men's single-handed, the women's single-handed and the sloops. The other three championships are held at the conclusion of the spring season -- the co-ed dinghy, the women's dinghy and team racing. When the collegiate racing season ends in the spring, many team members continue to train in the summer as crew members on the Academy's off-shore racing boats, which sail and compete throughout the East Coast during the summer. With this much sailing time, it is easy to understand the old adage, "you will never be a better dinghy sailor than the day after you graduate college."

The sailing program's fleet of racing dinghies consists of 42 racing Lasers, 50 training Lasers, 22 420s, 22 Flying Juniors, three vanguard 15 dinghies, three interclub dinghies and three Tech Dinghies. This gives the team the latitude to focus during practice in a specific boat for an upcoming

event. With such a large fleet, Navy is able to play host to a multitude of events every year, including two of the largest college sailing regattas in the world. The Navy Fall Intersectional and the Truxtun Umstead Regatta in the spring feature four divisions of 20 teams all racing on the water at the same time and are run by the mid-shipmen.

The Naval Academy's sailing facility, the Robert Crown Center, re-opened after a multi-million dollar renovation and expansion was completed in March 2004. This will further allow the Navy sailing team to excel with state-of-the-art facilities and training environment.

The 2005-2006 season was capped off by the Navy women's team finishing sixth in the nation and three athletes being named to the All-American Team.

The 2006-2007 season will commence with a fall focus on single-handed, sloop, and dinghy fleet racing. 2006 graduate, ENS Chuck Fulmer, will coach the laser sailors in the fall prior to reporting to his next duty station.

Returning starters include the entire women's team composed of Katie Whitman, Andrea White, Charlotte Hill, Maggie Reynolds and Trisha Kutkiewicz. Jeff Sharp, Kevin McGill and Mac Fletcher will campaign Navy's laser efforts and are looking to qualify for the national championship.

Incoming freshman include Bryan Rigby (California) and Martin Sterling (Hawaii) after solid finishes at the High School Championships representing the Naval Academy Prep School. Alaina Bussell (Florida) will campaign the laser radial as a freshman for Navy this fall.

Freshman Tim Murphy (Florida) joins the team this fall after finishing a respectable fourth at the High School team racing national championship last spring. Also joining the team as freshman this fall are Caitlin Ness (Washington) and Tina Pryne (Hawaii). Gary Grimes (California), with a division win at home last year and a key player on the sloop team the last couple of years, will serve as team captain for Navy's Intercollegiate (IC) Sailing Team. The IC team will cap off the 2006-2007 season by hosting the college national championships for both team racing and dingy fleet racing in May of 2007.



NAVY INTERCOLLEGIATE SAILING FLEET

Lasers	42
Collegiate 420s	22
Collegiate FJs	22
Interclub Dinghy	3
Tech Dinghy	3
Vanguard 15 Dinghy	3



Head Coach Gavin O'Hare

Fifth Year at Navy - U.S. Naval Academy '92

Gavin O'Hare enters his fifth season as head coach of the Navy intercollegiate sailing team.

Before his tenure on The Yard, O'Hare served as a coach and instructor for San Diego State and Washington, as well as for the local Severn Sailing Association. O'Hare has also led training clinics and seminars for youth and adult programs in

Canada, Japan and throughout the United States.

As a member of the US SAILING Hinman Committee and U.S. Team Racing Association, he is recognized as a team-racing expert and has authored a book on tactics and strategy entitled Contemporary Team Racing.

O'Hare is a US SAILING certified level one instructor and level two coach, and continues to gain competitive sailing experience by racing small sailboats such as Snipes, Vanguard 15s and Lasers. He received the 2002 US SAILING Leadership Award for excellence in promoting team racing.

He adds six years of sales and marketing experience after earning his master's degree in business administration from the University of Phoenix in 2003.

O'Hare returns to Annapolis after graduating from the Naval Academy in 1992. During his time at Navy, he was a member of the intercollegiate sailing program, which was coached by current Olympic sailing team coach, Gary Bodie. After graduation, he served as a surface warfare officer in operations and engineering billets aboard the USS OLDENDORF (DD 972) and the USS PONCE (LPD 15).

Assistant Coaches



Grant Garcia

Assistant Coach
Third season

Lieutenant Grant Garcia enters his third season as an assistant coach on the intercollegiate sailing team. He was born in Miami, Fla, on August 1, 1978, and graduated from the Naval Academy in May 2000 with a Bachelor of Science in General Science and

his commission.

While at the Academy, Grant sailed for the Intercollegiate Team and was selected to the All American Team – Honorable Mention in 1999. Since graduation, Grant has coached sailors up and down the eastern seaboard during his spare time. After completing nuclear power and basic submarine training, he reported to USS BOISE (SSN 764), homeported in Norfolk. During this tour, he served in a variety of division officer assignments, earned his submarine gold dolphins, participated in a Mediterranean deployment as well as in Iraqi Freedom.

He returns to the Naval Academy for his two-year shore duty tour in support of Robert Crown Center – Intercollegiate Team Operations.



John Vandemoer

Assistant Coach
First season

John Vandemoer has been coaching full time since he graduated from Hobart College in 2000.

At Hobart, John sailed for the varsity team all four years and has enjoyed a successful coaching career leading Chicago Yacht Club Sailing School to

two National Championships in five years. He also brought his high school teams to eight national championships and was awarded the Capt. Joe Prosser Trophy, by US SAILING for excellence in sailing education. John continues to be an Optimist National team coach and brings his sailors all over the world to compete.

He also is US Sailing level III qualified and sits on the board of the High School sailing organization (ISSA).

Prior to coaching at Navy, John was the assistant dinghy coach at St. Mary's College of Maryland for two years and was instrumental in qualifying the team for all six of the college sailing national championships in the 2005-2006 season.

MID-ATLANTIC INTERCOLLEGIATE SAILING ASSOCIATION

(MAISA) MEMBER SCHOOLS

Christopher Newport
Colgate
Columbia
Cornell
Delaware
Drexel
Fordham

George Washington
Georgetown
Hamilton
Hampton
Haverford/Bryn Mawr
Hobart & William Smith
Loyola (Md.)

Maryland
Old Dominion
Pennsylvania
Penn State
Princeton
Queen's (Canada)
Rochester

Salisbury
St. Mary's (Md.)
Stevens Institute
SUNY-Maritime
Syracuse
UMBC
U. S. Merchant Marine

Academy
U. S. Military Academy
U. S. Naval Academy
Virginia
Vassar
Washington (Md.)
Webb Institute

2006-07 Roster

Name	Yr.	Hometown/High School	Major
Stephanie Altomare	So.	Richboro, Pa./Council Rock	Astonautical Engineering
Krysta Anthony	Jr.	Tullahoma, Tenn./Tullahoma	Systems Engineering
Andrea Bosch	Jr.	Belize City, Belize/St. Catherine Academy	Computer Science
Audrey Callanan	Jr.	Laguna Niguel, Calif.	Mathematics
Alexander Campbell	Jr.	Santa Barbara, Calif./Dos Pueblos	Quantitative Economics
Michael Curran	So.	St. Petersburg, Fla./Shorecrest Prep School	Oceanography
Mac Fletcher	So.	Pensacola, Fla./B.T. Washington	Oceanography
Jake Gerlach	Jr.	Brookfield, Wis./Brookfield East	Naval Architecture
Ian Gill	Jr.	Norwalk, Conn./Norwalk	Ocean Engineering
Gary Grimes	Sr.	Newport Beach, Calif./Newport Harbor	Economics
Charlotte Hill	Jr.	Miami, Fla./Ransom Everglades	Oceanography
Trisha Kutkiewicz	So.	Center Moriches, N.Y./Center Moriches	Oceanography
James Licata	So.	Mequon, Wis./Homestead	Aerospace Engineering
Kevin McGill	Jr.	Barrington, R.I./Barrington	Naval Architecture
Michael Mullee	Jr.	Huntington Beach, Calif./Edison	English
David Parker	Jr.	Erie, Pa./Cathedral Prep	Economics
Robert Ramirez	Jr.	Miami, Fla. /Gulliver Prep School	Economics
Margaret Reynolds	Jr.	Westfield, N.J./Westfield	Naval Architecture
Jeffrey Sharp	Sr.	Bradenton, Fla./Manatee	Aerospace Engineering
Kristen Sproat	Jr.	Berwyn, Pa./Villa Maria Academy	Systems Engineering
Lauren Sutehall	Sr.	Duluth, Ga./Chattahoochee	Economics
Kristen Ullman	Sr.	Wellington, Fla./Suncoast	Aerospace Engineering
Daniel Umpa	So.	Amityville, N.Y.	
Andrew Vann	So.	Tampa, Fla./H.B. Plant	Naval Architecture
Andrea White	Sr.	Diamondhead, Miss./Hancock	Information Technology
Katherine Whitman	Sr.	Folly Beach, S.C./Tabor Academy (Mass.)	Oceanography

**** Freshmen will not be known until later in the season.**

Head Coach: Gavin O'Hare

Assistant Coaches: Grant Garcia, John Vandemoer

Officer Representative: Frances Clemens

Faculty Representative: Prof. Paul Miller

2006-07 Schedule

Fall 2006

Aug. 20-21	J22 Mid-Atlantic Championship	Annapolis, Md.
Aug. 25-26	Youth Team Race	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 2-3	Anderson Trophy	New Haven, Conn.
Sept. 2-3	Kings Point Laser Open	Kings Point, N.Y.
Sept. 2-3	WRSC Annual Regatta	Galesville, Md.
Sept. 9-10	Captain Hurst Bowl	Hanover, N.H.
Sept. 9-10	J22 East Coast Championship	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 9-10	Navy Laser Open	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 9-10	Old Dominion BYO Women's & Men's Radial	Norfolk, Va.
Sept. 9-10	Pine Trophy	New London, Conn.
Sept. 9-10	Riley Cup	Norfolk, Va.
Sept. 16-17	Konnigsberg Laser Regatta	Galesville, Md.
Sept. 16-17	Mrs. Hurst (Women's)	Hanover, N.H.
Sept. 16-17	Nevins Trophy	Kings Point, N.Y.
Sept. 16-17	Shields Trophy	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 23-24	Hood Trophy	Medford, Mass.
Sept. 23-24	Laser Qualifier South	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 23-24	MAC Cup Preliminaries	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 23-24	South No. 1 Saint Mary's College Open for Senators Cup	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Faye Bennet MAISA Women's Singles	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	Navy Small Keelboat Promotional	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	North Fall No. 1	Geneva, N.Y.
Sept. 30-Oct. 1	T.S. Stern Sloop	Charleston, S.C.
Oct. 7-8	Hap Moore Team Race	New London, Conn.
Oct. 7-8	Hobart / William Smith Fall Intersectional	Geneva, N.Y.
Oct. 7-8	MAISA Men's Singlehanded / Carl Van Duyne Trophy	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 7-8	Navy Women's Fall Intersectional	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 7-8	South Fall No. 2 / Tom Curtis Trophy	Washington, D.C.
Oct. 14-15	Navy Fall Intersectional	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 14-15	Yale Women's Intersectional	New Haven, Conn.
Oct. 21-22	Kings Point Dinghy Open	Kings Point, N.Y.
Oct. 21-22	MAISA Fall Open	Norfolk, Va.
Oct. 21-22	MAISA Sloops	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 21-22	McMillan Cup	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 21-22	Stu Nelson (Women's)	New London, Conn.
Oct. 28-29	Henry Luce Trophy	Bronx, N.Y.
Oct. 28-29	War Memorial	Kings Point, N.Y.
Oct. 28-29	Women's Victorian Coffee Urn	Cambridge, Mass.
Nov. 3-5	ICSA Men's Singlehandeds	Bristol, R.I.
Nov. 3-5	ICSA Women's Singlehandeds	Bristol, R.I.
Nov. 3-5	Kennedy Cup Regatta	Annapolis, Md.
Nov. 4-5	MAISA Women's Fall Dinghy	Ithaca, N.Y.
Nov. 17-19	ICSA Sloops	Charleston, S.C.
Nov. 24-26	Timme-Angsten	Chicago, Ill.
Dec. 30-31	Sugar Bowl	TBA
Jan. 6-7	Rose Bowl	Long Beach, Calif.

• The spring schedule will be announced at a later date.

Midshipmen Profiles



Gary Grimes

SENIOR • TEAM CAPTAIN
NEWPORT BEACH, CALIF.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 16 regattas...won B division at Navy Fall...won A division at Senators Cup...skippers on team racing team...winner of Ann Campbell

Regatta...winner of Rusty Cavileer Doublehanded MVP Award. **2004-05** — Sailed in 10 regattas...did bow on the boat that qualified for ICSA Sloop North Americans...winner of Ulmer Seelig Regatta. **2003-04** — Sailed in 17 regattas...helped the Mids to strong performances at three freshmen events, including a third-place finish at the Freshman Groundbreaker and a sixth-place showing at the MAISA Freshman Championship in Oct. 2003.

Prior to Navy: 2002 graduate of Newport Harbor High School...lettered in soccer and sailing...won High School Sailing National Championship in 1999 and 2000...named his soccer team's Defensive Player of the Year as a senior...lists Vladimir Guerrero as his favorite athlete...nicknamed Garibaldi Grimes.

Personal: Son of Gary and Sharon Grimes...has two sisters and one brother...born August 14, 1984...majoring in economics.



Jeffrey Sharp

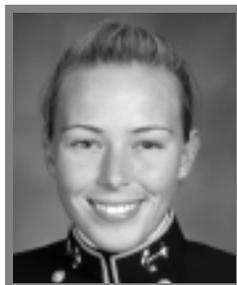
SENIOR
BRADENTON, FLA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in three regattas...represented the Naval Academy at the Turkish Nautical Competition and won both the sailing portion and overall. **2004-05**

— Sailed in three regattas...helped team to a second place finish at Truxtun Umstead Regatta. **2003-04** — Sailed in two regattas...Skipped the B division boat at the Atlantic Coast Freshmen Championship.

Prior to Navy: 2003 graduate of Manatee High School...lists sailing a laser on the outside break of Clearwater Beach during hurricane season as his biggest athletic thrill.

Personal: Son of Jeffrey Sr. and Michelle Sharp ... has two sisters...born Aug 28, 1985 ...majoring in aerospace engineering.



Lauren Sutehall

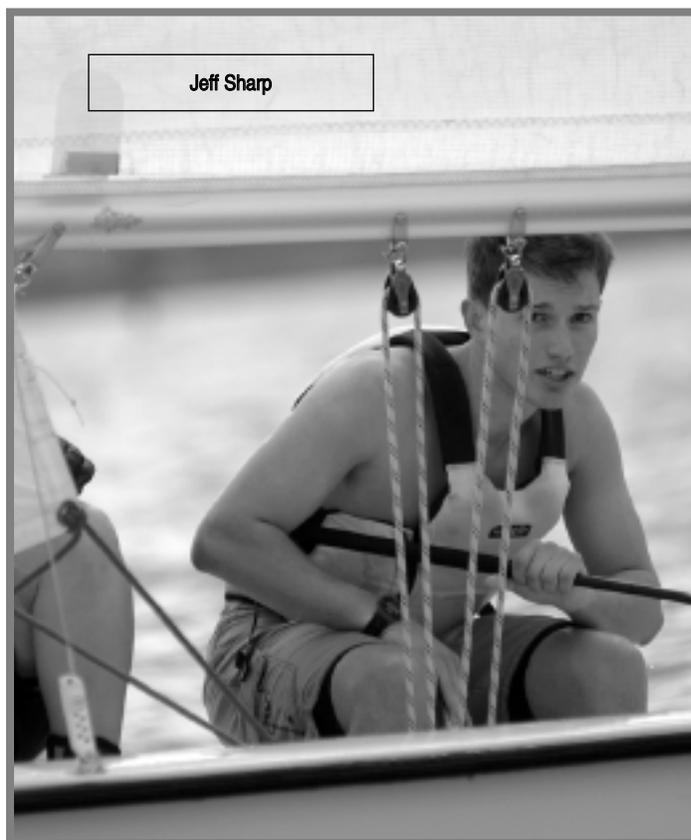
SENIOR
DULUTH, GA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in seven regattas...studied at the U.S. Air Force Academy in the fall semester...versatile crew in both fleet racing and on the team

racing team. **2004-05** — Competed in 17 regattas... won MAISA Women's Fall Championship as crew in B division... crewed in co-ed B division boat all year as well as on team racing team... crewed for women's A division boat at ICSA Women's North Americans. **2003-04** — Sailed in seven regattas... crewed the B division boat at the Atlantic Coast Freshmen Championship in Nov. 2003... helped the Mids take fifth place at the Yale Women's Regatta in Oct. 2003.

Prior to Navy: 2001 graduate of Chattahoochee High School... transferred to Navy from Georgia Tech... competed on the crew and swimming teams... helped her crew team to the Southeast Regional title and a 12th-place finish at Nationals in 2001...enjoys traveling and winning with the sailing team...nicknamed LoLo.

Personal: Daughter of John and Susan Sutehall... has two brothers and one sister... born Oct. 9, 1984... majoring in economics





Lauren Sutehall



Kristen Ullman

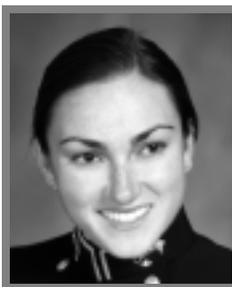
SENIOR
WELLINGTON, FLA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in five regattas...finished third at ODU Open as a crew. **2004-05** — Competed in eight regattas... helped women's team to a 10th place

finish at ICSA Women's North Americans.

Prior to Navy: Graduate of Suncoast High School... varsity diving team captain... State qualifier in diving all four years

Personal: Daughter of Keith and Debbie Ullman...has one sister... born April 12, 1985... majoring in aerospace engineering.



Andrea White

SENIOR
DIAMONDHEAD, MISS.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 15 regattas...represented the team in both A and B division women's boats, and on team racing team as a crew...won A division at Stu Nelson Regatta as a crew...won A division at MAISA Fall Women's Championship...won B division at Dellenbaugh...sailed in both divisions at MAISA Spring Women's Championship and won each...finished fifth in A division, sixth in B division and sixth overall at ICSA Women's Dinghy Nationals...ICSA All American Crew...winner of the Julia Babineau Top Intercollegiate Crew Award. **2004-05** — Sailed in 16 regattas... finished third at Mrs. Hurst Regatta crewing in B division... tied for first at Duplin Regatta... finished ninth in B division at ICSA Women's North Americans. **2003-04** — Competed in one regatta.

Prior to Navy: 2003 graduate of Hancock High School... member of the swimming and tennis squads... captained the swim team as a senior... salutatorian of her graduating class... lists coming to the Naval Academy as the craziest thing she's ever done... likes being on the water.

Personal: Daughter of John and Brenda White... has one brother... born Sept. 14, 1984... majoring in information technology.



Andrea White



Katherine Whitman

SENIOR
FOLLY BEACH, S.C.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 15 regattas...won A Division at MAISA Women's both in the Fall and Spring...finished first in A division at Stu Nelson Regatta...finished fifth in A division at ICSCA Women's Dinghy Nationals...ICSCA Women's All-American. **2004-05** — Sailed in 20 regattas... finished second in A division as skipper at Mrs. Hurst Regatta... helped team win the MAISA Women's Fall Championship, finishing third in A division... skippered on team racing team... finished seventh in A division at ICSCA Women's North Americans. **2003-04** — Sailed in 14 regattas... helped team qualify and place third at ICSCA Women's North American Championship... skippered the B division boat to a first-place finish at the Women's Atlantic Coast Championship in Nov. 2003... also skippered the B division boat to a first place finish at the Navy Fall Women's Intersectional as the Mids took third overall in Oct. 2003.

Prior to Navy: 2003 graduate of the Tabor Academy in Marion, Mass. ... competed on the sailing, cross country, soccer and ice hockey teams... was captain of her ice hockey team as a junior, sailing team captain as senior... lists Assistant Coach Molly O'Bryan as her favorite athlete and her dad as the most influential person in her life.

Personal: Daughter of Bill and Fran Whitman... has two brothers... born Jan. 9, 1985... majoring in oceanography.



Krysta Anthony

JUNIOR
TULLAHOMA, TENN.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 13 regattas...co-winner of 26th Annual Rachelle Anne Rees Memorial Trophy for outstanding female competitor at the Sugar Bowl ...finished first at the Team Race Challenge as a crew...won B division at Washington College Women's Regatta as a crew...won Christopher Newport 2-on-2 Regatta. **2004-05** — Sailed in three regattas... won B division at KP Dinghy Open as crew... finished second overall crewing the A division at the Arrigan Memorial.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Tullahoma High School... valedictorian... National Honors Society member... drum major of high school marching band... varsity letter winner in track, soccer and cross country... Sports Illustrated All American Teen... lists Julie Foudy as her favorite athlete... enjoys traveling, sleeping and running in her free time.

Personal: Daughter of Jack and Patty Anthony... has one brother... born Aug. 10, 1985... majoring in systems engineering.





Andrea Bosch

JUNIOR
BELIZE CITY, BELIZE

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in three regattas...co-winner of 26th Annual Rachele Anne Rees Memorial Trophy (with teammate Krysta Anthony) for outstanding female competitor at the Sugar Bowl...finished first in B Division at Nokia Sugar Bowl as a crew...won University of Maryland 2-on-2 Regatta as a crew...finished first at Christopher Newport University 2-on-2 Regatta. **2004-05** — Sailed in two regattas.

Prior to Navy: Graduate of St. Catherine Academy... attended one year at St. John's Junior College... Class President... Treasurer of School Sport Club... Canoe Club member... lists Rick Bateman, her Karate instructor, as a role model... has twin brother that also attends the Academy... once canoed 170 miles in a four-day race.

Personal: Daughter of Javier and Sadia Bosch... has one sister and two brothers... born Aug. 10, 1984... majoring in information technology.

Prior to Navy: Attended Dos Pueblos High School... National Merit Finalist... Eagle Scout... favorite pastime is playing Frisbee, miniature golf and eating peanuts... lists claiming to be heir of Campbell Soup family to crash a formal ball as one of his craziest moments.

Personal: Son of Douglas and Regula Campbell... has one brother... born Nov. 13, 1986... majoring in quantitative economics.



Jake Gerlach

JUNIOR
BROOKFIELD, WIS.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in four regattas...amazing team player both on the water and off.

Prior to Navy: Graduated from Brookfield East High School...National Honor Society member...four year varsity swimming and two years cross country...enjoys cooking thai food...lists Bret Favre as his favorite athlete...nicknamed Mugatu.

Personal: Son of Bryan and Jackie Gerlach...born April 12, 1986...majoring in Naval Architecture.



Audrey Callanan

JUNIOR
LAGUNA NIGUEL, CALIF.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in six regattas...finished fifth in A division at Charleston Spring Women's Intersectional...won Team Race Challenge as a crew. **2004-05** — Sailed in seven regattas during fall season.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Dana Hills High School... valedictorian... AP Scholar... enjoys reading in her free time... lists getting double bullets in a set this past fall as biggest athletic thrill... sees fellow Mid Charlotte Hill as her favorite athlete.

Personal: Daughter of Gerry and Judy Callanan... has one sister... born July 29, 1986... majoring in mathematics.



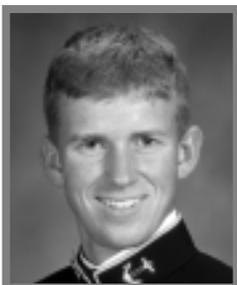
Ian Gill

JUNIOR
NORWALK, CONN.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 12 regattas...won A division at ODU Open skippering A division...finished first at University of Maryland 2-on-2 Regatta...won B division at Arrigan Memorial...finished first at CNU 2-on-2 Regatta. **2004-05** — Sailed in seven regattas... won the Delaware Spring Open.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Norwalk High School... member of National Honor Society... sailed for Cedar Point Yacht Club... lists juggling as a random talent... was once struck by lightning while sailing.

Personal: Son of Harrison and Patricia Gill... has three brothers and one sister... born Aug. 27, 1986... majoring in ocean engineering.



Alexander Campbell

JUNIOR
SANTA BARBARA, CALIF.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in one regatta...finished first skippering at the Christopher Newport University 2-on-2 Regatta. **2004-05** — Sailed in six regattas... skippered B division at ODU Spring Open to a third place finish.



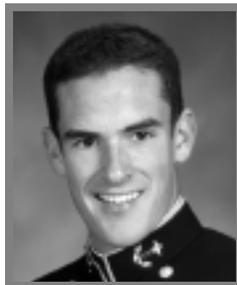
Charlotte Hill

JUNIOR
MIAMI, FLA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 19 regattas... finished first in B Division at Yale Women's Intersectional as a skipper...represented the Naval Academy at ICSA Singlehanded Nationals finishing fourth...won B division at Navy Spring Women's Intersectional...finished first at Dellenbaugh Trophy...won B Division at MAISA Women's Spring Dinghy Championship...finished sixth in B division at ICSA Women's Dinghy Championship...ICSA Women's All-American...finalist for Quantum Women's Sailor of the Year...winner of the Fair American Intercollegiate Female MVP Award...winner of the Class of 1916 Trophy awarded to the outstanding singlehanded sailor on Intercollegiate Team. **2004-05** — Sailed in 18 regattas... finished fourth at MAISA Women's Singlehanded's... skippered B division boat to win MAISA Women's Fall Championship... tied for first in B division at Duplin regatta... finished ninth in B division at ICSA Women's North Americans... winner of the Fair American Intercollegiate Female MVP Award.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Ransom Everglades High School... member of the soccer team, Key Club and Student Government... captain of sailing team... helped team win team racing and fleet racing national qualifiers her junior year... won Leiter Cup in 2003... member of 2001 European Opti Team... learned to sail at Miami Yacht Club and raced out of Coral Reef Yacht Club... sees Gary Jobson as her role model... biggest athletic thrill was port tacking a 500 boat fleet and making it.

Personal: Daughter of Mary Kennerk and Dwight Hill... has two sisters... born Aug. 14, 1986...majoring in oceanography.



Kevin McGill

JUNIOR
BARRINGTON, R.I.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in four regattas...competed on the top sloop team in the national qualifier...won the 60th Annual Regata Escola Naval sailing J24's against Naval Academies from around the world in Brazil...winner of the Cornelius Shields Trophy for most valuable sloop sailor on the intercollegiate team. **2004-05** — Sailed in two regattas.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Barrington High School... National Honor Society member... varsity hockey player... sailed for Barrington Yacht Club as a junior... favorite athlete is Wayne Gretzky... likes that nothing is ever the same with sailing.

Personal: Son of David and Peggy McGill... has two brothers... born Aug. 30, 1986... majoring in Naval Architecture.



Kevin McGill



Michael Mullee

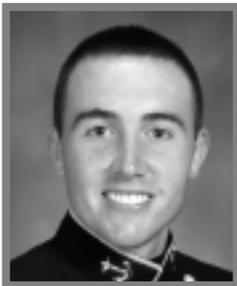
JUNIOR
HUNTINGTON BEACH, CALIF.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 15 regattas...won B division at Navy Fall Intersectional as a crew...crews on both team racing and fleet racing teams. **2004-05**

— Sailed in nine regattas... finished second at Freshman Atlantic Coast Championship crewing in B division... won B division three weekends in a row in the Spring Semester.

Prior to Navy: Graduate of Edison High School... lists Ken Ammann as the most influential person in his life... in 2002-2003 was personal page to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, Dennis Haster... won the Crew of Two Around Catalina in 2002... Eagle Scout.

Personal: Son of Bill and Francine Mullee...has two brothers and two sisters... born Sept. 23, 1985... majoring in English.



David Parker

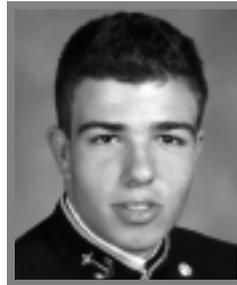
JUNIOR
ERIE, PA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 11 regattas...won A Division at Nokia Sugar Bowl as a skipper. **2004-05** — Sailed in 13 regattas... helped team to 1st place finish at KP

Dinghy Open... won A division at the Delaware Spring Open... was a valuable heavy air crew for major co-ed events.

Prior to Navy: 2002 graduate of Cathedral Prep High School... worked for Americorps for one year ... sailed out of Erie Yacht Club as a junior... lists yodeling as a random talent... enjoys marathon running.

Personal: Son of Mike and Diane Baughman... has two sisters and three brothers... born Dec. 21, 1983... majoring in economics.



Robert Ramirez

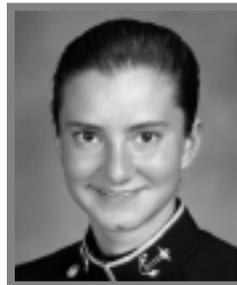
JUNIOR
MIAMI, FLA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 10 regattas...finished fourth in A division at the Arrigan Memorial...helped team to a fourth place finish at MAISA Team Race Qualifier.

2004-05 — Sailed in nine regattas... helped team to second-place finish at Freshman ACC's.... won B division three weekends in a row in spring semester.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Gulliver Prep School ... likes sailing because it is such a multi-dimensional sport that one can do for their entire life... lists Augie Diaz as his role model.

Personal: Son of Daniel and Carmen Ramirez... born March 5, 1986... majoring in economics.



Maggie Reynolds

JUNIOR
WESTFIELD, N.J.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 15 regattas...won B Division at Yale Women's Intersectional as a crew...finished second at Women's ACC's in B Division...won B

Division at Navy Spring Women's Intersectional...won B Division as a skipper at Washington College Women's Regatta...won B division at the Dellenbaugh Regatta...Won B Division at MAISA Women's Spring Dinghy Championship...finished sixth in B division and helped team to a fifth-place finish in A division at ICSA Women's Dinghy Nationals. **2004-05** — Sailed in four regattas...finished second at Washington College Women's Open skippering B division.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Westfield High School... National Honors Society... sailed out of Island Heights Yacht Club in New Jersey... lists her grandfather as her role model... likes how relaxing but competitive sailing is.

Personal: Daughter of Phil and Margarita Reynolds... has three brothers...born June 12, 1986...majoring in Naval Architecture.



Kristen Sproat

JUNIOR
BERWYN, PA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 17 regattas...won A Division at Senator's Cup as a crew...finished fourth in B Division at Thompson Trophy...crewed on both team racing and fleet racing teams all year...winner of Ann Campbell Regatta. **2004-05** — Sailed in 15 regattas... crewed in A division at Freshman ACC's finishing second... crewed at Co-ed ACC's finishing 5th in B division... helped team to second-place finish at Truxtun Umsted Regatta... crewed in A division boat all Spring as well as team racing team... winner of the Williams Seamanship Most Improved Award.

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of Villa Maria Academy in Melvern... student body president... valedictorian... music honor society president... lacrosse academic All-American... plays the viola... enjoys pick-up soccer and Frisbee... likes the intense mental concentration combined with the physical demands sailing provides

Personal: Daughter of Ward and Heidi Sproat... has two brothers...born May 3, 1986... majoring in systems engineering.



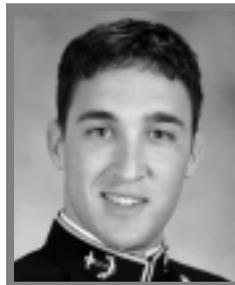
Stephanie Altomare

SOPHOMORE
RICHBORO, PA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in four regattas...finished second in B Division at MAISA Freshman Championship...won B Division crewing at Arrigan Memorial.

Prior to Navy: 2005 graduate of Council Rock High School North...National Honor Society Member and Spanish Honor Society Member...Key Club...played soccer in high school...lists burping as a random talent and physics as her favorite class at the academy.

Personal: Daughter of Frank and Dianne Altomare...has one sister...born April 3, 1987...majoring in astronautical engineering.



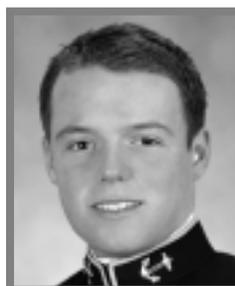
Michael Curran

SOPHOMORE
ST. PETERSBURG, FLA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in three regattas.

Prior to Navy: 2005 graduate of Shorecrest Prep School...lists Shaun White and Terje Haakonsen as his favorite athletes...sailed out of St. Pete and Clearwater Yacht Club

Personal: Son of Tim and Nancy Curran...has one sister...born May 3, 1986...majoring in oceanography.



Mac Fletcher

SOPHOMORE
PENSACOLA, FLA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in six regattas...sailed C division for team all year...finished third at MAISA Open skippering B division...

Prior to Navy: 2004 graduate of B.T. Washington High School...likes the amount of skill sailing requires and the variety of conditions that exist to compete in...sailed out of Pensacola Yacht Club as a junior...lists the Mahan Clock Tower as his favorite place on the yard.

Personal: Son of Lynwood and Vicki Fletcher...born October 19, 1986...majoring in oceanography.



Tricia Kutkiewicz

SOPHOMORE
CENTER MORICHES, N.Y.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 12 regattas...won Team Race Challenge as a crew...finished second at the Dellenbaugh crewing in A division...won MAISA Women's

Spring Championship crewing in A division...helped A division to fifth place at ICSEA Women's Dinghy Nationals...

Prior to Navy: Graduate of Center Moriches High School...National Honors Society...soccer team captain...secretary of graduating class...lists her brother as a role model due to his accomplishments and determination to succeed...nicknamed TK and/or Kut-K...grew up sailing at Moriches Yacht Club.

Personal: Daughter of Ron and Sandy Kutkiewicz...has one brother...born June 15, 1987...majoring in oceanography.



James Licata

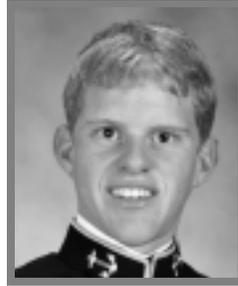
SOPHOMORE
MEQUON, WIS.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in three regattas...won A division at the ODU Open as a crew...finished first at the University of Maryland 2-on-2 Regatta...winner of the

LCDR Williams Seamanship Most Improved Award.

Prior to Navy: 2005 graduate of Homestead High School...second in his class of 381...enjoys the knowledge required to be successful at sailing, yet at the same time its overall simplicity...favorite pastime is flying.

Personal: Son of Steve and Mary Licata...has one brother...born November 18, 1986...majoring in aerospace engineering.



Andrew Vann

SOPHOMORE
TAMPA, FLA.

At Navy: 2005-06 — Sailed in 10 regattas...skipped both team racing and fleet racing...finished eighth in A division at the America Trophy.

Prior to Navy: Graduate of H.B. Plant High School...sailing team captain...National Honor Society member...played lacrosse and cross country in high school...member of Delphi Service Club and Latin Club...lists Eddie Merckx as his favorite athlete...once rescued a drowning shipmate while sailing in the Gulf of Mexico...sailed for Davis Island Yacht Club as a junior...nicknamed Clifford.

Personal: Son of David and Cynthia Vann...has two brothers...born December 28, 1986 in Monterrey, CA...majoring in Naval Architecture.

NAVAL ACADEMY FACTS

NAVY SAILING

- Education valued at \$275,000
- The Navy pays tuition, room and board, medical and dental, and provides active-duty military benefits
- Midshipmen receive a salary (\$699/month) used for laundry, barber, activities, yearbook, clothing, etc.
- 30 days paid vacation plus holidays per year
- 18 diverse majors
- Trident Scholar and Voluntary Graduate Education Programs
- Naval Academy Faculty comprised of 50% Civilian and 50% Military
- Student-Faculty ratio is less than 8-to-1 (ranked as one of the most accessible)
- Individual lecture halls and small labs

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NAVY SAILING TEAM FACTS

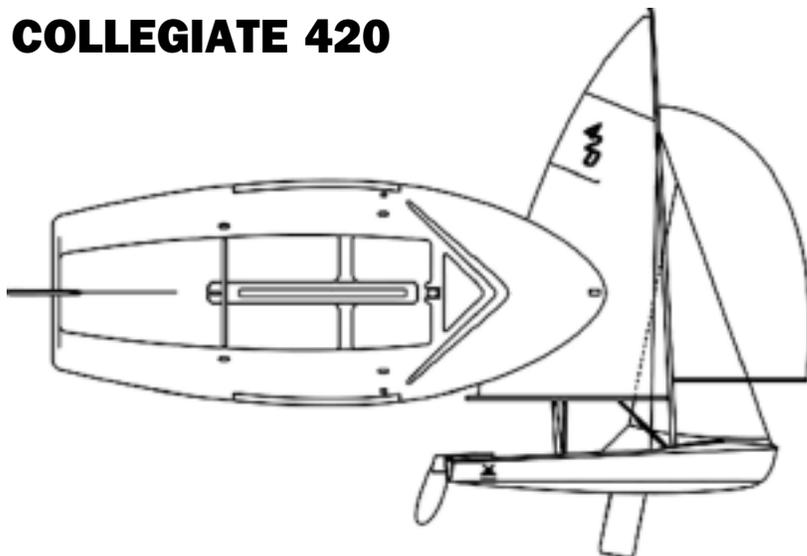
- Navy Academy Sailing Program-Fleets
- 136 Lasers
- 22 FJ's
- 22 420's
- 3 Larks
- 3 Inter Clubs
- 3 Vanguard 15's
- 12 J24's
- 20 Colgate 26's
- 20 Navy 44 Foot Sloops
- Several Grand Prix Sloop Offshore Racers
- 71 All-America Coed Sailor Awards
- 36 All-America Crew Awards
- 17 All-America Women's Awards
- 4 Collegiate Sailor of the Year
- Collegiate National Championships:
- Dinghy and Women's Champions six times each
- Team Racing and Sloop Champions six times each
- Singlehanded Champions Seven times
- Fowle Trophy - Best Overall Collegiate Team Performance, in which Navy has won 10 times! More than any other school in the nation!
- Multiple Olympic Campaigns in the Laser, Finn, 470, 49er, & Soling Classes

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Navy Sailing Fleets

COLLEGIATE 420



SPECS

LOA: 13' 9"

Beam: 5' 5"

Sail Area: main and jib - 110 square feet

Weight: 260 pounds (fully rigged)

The Collegiate 420 was designed and built in response to the growing need for a more durable, high-performance, double-handed racing dinghy that could stand up to the rigors of club and collegiate programs. Ideal for crews ranging in size from 220-310 pounds.

SPECS

LOA: 13' 10.5"

Beam: 4' 6"

Sail Area: 76 square feet

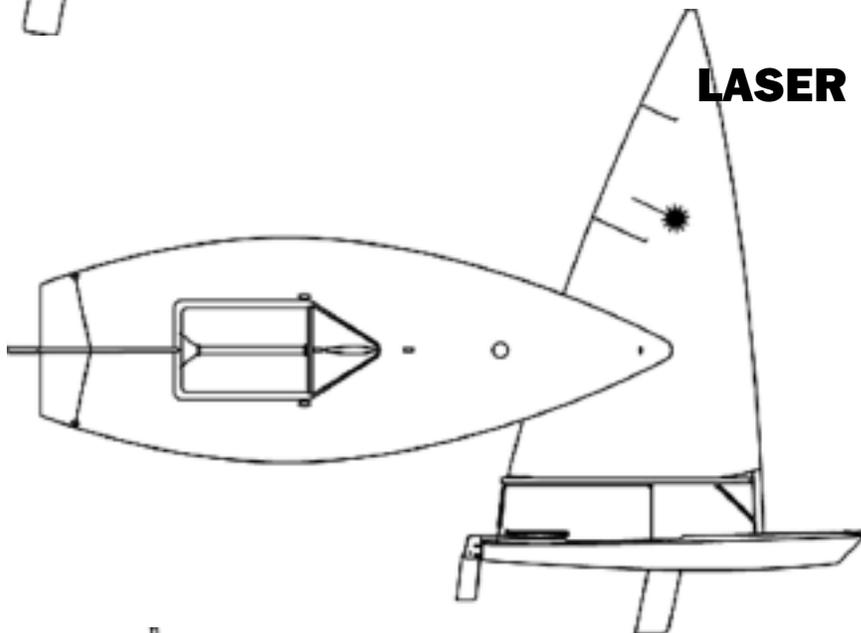
Mast Height: 20' 1"

Hull Weight: 130 pounds

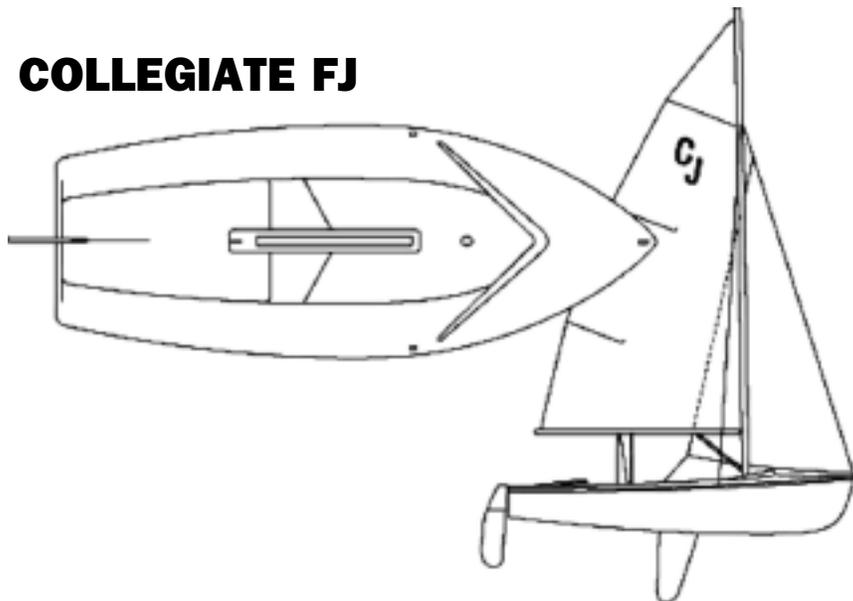
Designer: Bruce Kirby

The Laser is designed for simplicity. The hull shape, blades and rig combine to create the ultimate sailing machine. Every Laser in the world is identical, and strict class rules ensure that every boat is identical. The Laser is a challenging boat that rewards athleticism, subtle steering and trimming techniques as well as tactical excellence.

LASER



COLLEGIATE FJ



SPECS

LOA: 13' 3"

Beam: 4' 11"

Sail Area: Main and Jib @ 100 square feet

Rigged Weight: 255 pounds

The Collegiate FJ is sailed by more collegiate sailing teams than any other doublehanded sailboat. The simple layout serves as a fantastic teaching aid to high school and collegiate sailors as well. It requires sailors to become ultra sensitive to small changes in halyard tension, heel angle, mainsheet trim, and jib sheet trim. The Collegiate FJ deep rounded hull shape allows for easy maneuverability, which also encourages sailors to hone their boathandling skills. This ease in handling that the Collegiate FJ allows also makes it an excellent boat for team racing.

Individual Honors

NAVY COLLEGIATE ALL-AMERICA SAILORS

Robert D. Fischl	1967
R. DuBose Joslin	1969
Daniel M. Rugg	1969, 1970
William L. Campbell	1971, 1972, 1973
Douglas W. Hart	1976
Paul A. LaBossiere	1977
Garland P. Wright	1977
Gerard T. Coleman	1978, 1979, 1980
Timothy J. McGee	1978
Paul M. Van Cleve	1978, 1979
Jasper Craig	1979, 1980
Robert K. Anoll	1980, 1981
John G. Speer	1980
Mary Brigden	1981
Nick Madigan	1981
Robert B. Brown	1983
Harold L. Gilreath, Jr.	1983, 1984
Brian Ledbetter	1983, 1984, 1985
Rick Merriman	1983, 1984, 1985
Robert E. Hallawell	1985, 1986, 1987
George Slook	1986
Alexander C. Cutler	1986, 1987, 1988
Edward A. Eckert	1987
Per Lovfald	1988, 1989
Keith B. Davids	1988, 1989, 1990
Charles Pucciariello	1989
Bradley M. Rodi	1990, 1991, 1992, 1993
William B. Graves	1991, 1992
Susan S. Minton	1991, 1992
Michael G. O'Bryan	1992, 1993
David G. Fagen, III	1993, 1994
Eric Naranjo	1994
Ryan Cox	1994, 1995
R.D. Burley	1995, 1996
William C. Stout	1996, 1997, 1998
Dean R. Balcirak	1997, 1998
Eugene Schmitt	1999
Travis Weber	2001, 2002

NAVY COLLEGIATE ALL-AMERICA

WOMEN'S SAILORS

(First Awarded In 1987)

Susan Mitchell	1987
Gretchen Stage	1987, 1988
Cynthia Williams	1989, 1991
Susie Minton	1989, 1990, 1991, 1992
Mallory Mestayer	1994, 1995, 1996, 1997
Julie Younger	1995, 1996, 1997, 1998
Charlotte Hill	2006
Katie Whitman	2006

HALL OF FAME

The College Sailing Hall of Fame recognizes sailing achievement prior to the establishment of All-America honors in 1967 and Women's All-America honors in 1987, or contribution to intercollegiate sailing. The following are those Naval Academy graduates that have been so honored and named to the Intercollegiate Hall of Fame:

1970	James P. Googe Jr. '57; Charles R. Ulmer '61
1971	David C. Minton III '56, Richard I. Tillman '58
1994	Kathryn Karlson '80
1995	Pamela Corwin '83, Deborah Dunbar '82
1998	Adm. Robert W. McNitt '38

NAVY COLLEGIATE HONORABLE MENTION

ALL-AMERICA SAILORS

Mark Miller	1978
Mary Brigden	1980
Mark Converse	1981, 1982
Debbie Dunbar	1981
Robbie Brown	1982
Ted Mortensen	1982
Dixon Smith	1982
Pam Corwin	1983
Scott Harrison	1985
George Slook	1985
Keith Davids	1987
Ted Williams	1987
Jay Cavalieri	1989
David Blackman	1990
Mike Varney	1990
Tim Wachendorfer	1991
David Fagen	1992
Ryan Cox	1993
Eric Naranjo	1993
Will Stout	1995
Walter H. Allman	1996, 1997
Grant Garcia	1999
Wade Tornoyos	1999, 2000
Alexa Bestoso	2004

NAVY SAILING ALL-AMERICA CREW

Cheri Kerr	1983, 1984
Melanie Kirby	1983
Allie Coetzee	1985
Emily Almonte	1986, 1987, 1988
Jamie Fontanella	1986
Yvette Gonzalez	1987, 1989
Sally Chamberlain	1988, 1989
Shane Baldino	1990, 1991
Julie Kohl	1990, 1991
Jeri Lea Smalley	1991
Jennifer Jones	1992
Reid McLaughlin	1992
Heather Keane	1993, 1994
W. Paul Kenney	1993
Akane Saunders	1993
Melissa Jackson	1994
Blanca Funes	1994, 1995
Jessica Danluck	1995, 1996, 1997
Erica Muesler	1995, 1996, 1997
<i>(Won Robert H. Hobbs Sportsmanship Trophy)</i>	
Susan Olivier	1998
Maria Alsina	1999
Missy Carter	2000
Emilia Spencer	2002
Andrea White	2006

2006-07 Outlook

The co-ed varsity offshore sailing team (VOST) practices daily during the fall and spring seasons in 12 Navy 26's, 10 Navy 44's and a variety of donated boats, with competitions on weekends in both intercollegiate and open races. During the summer, VOST competes in offshore races along the East Coast, Bermuda, Halifax, Nova Scotia and occasionally on the Great Lakes as part of its summer training program.

The Navy 26' fleet is used by the junior varsity team to train the less experienced freshman team members in sailing and racing techniques in preparation for their move to the offshore boats. It also provides an opportunity for sophomore team members to gain valuable leadership experience while serving as skippers during the fall. These skippers are selected from all the freshman members and have the opportunity to move into positions of responsibility when they move to the offshore boats. The junior varsity team competes in local regattas, intercollegiate regattas and an intra-squad championship.



Typically VOST trains in a fleet of eight to ten identical navy 44's. A fleet of donated boats is utilized on many fall weekends and in the summer racing. Navy has the largest offshore training fleet in the United States and plays host to most of intercollegiate sailing's big boat regattas.

In 2005 VOST was the "winningest" offshore team in the history of the Academy. They won every major regatta they sailed, including the Kennedy Cup, McMillan Trophy, Lloyd Phoenix US Sailing Offshore National Championship and the Intrepid Cup.

Offshore sailing serves as the perfect platform for team building leadership skills and seamanship training, including navigation, maintenance, weather, and tactics. The Midshipmen sail the boats, do the planning, and make the decisions. Many graduates of the team entered the Academy with no sailing experience, yet they leave the team with self-confidence and respect for the sea as well as skills that will carry forward in their naval careers that come from racing a boat hard in the open ocean.



Head Coach John Tihansky

Second Year at Navy

Jahn Tihansky enters his second year as the varsity offshore head coach after many successful years of racing and being on the water his entire life. He grew up sailing on Tampa Bay out of the Davis Island Yacht Club. His early days were spent knocking around on a home-built Optimist pram followed by a Sunfish and then a

Laser. He began crewing on MORC-sized boats at age 13 and within a few years was working summers in a sail loft and rigging shop. He became a full time sail maker working first with Johnson Sails and then Hood Sails. In 1981, he bought the first of three J24's he has owned and campaigned it extensively throughout Florida, winning the first Midwinter Championships in 1982. He continued actively sailing J24s through 1986, skippering at two World Championships and crewing at another. His position as a sail maker provided an entry into big boat sailing and he competed in far-flung regattas such as Block Island Race Week, the MORC Internationals and his first of many SORCs in 1981.

In 1984, at age 22, he opened his own franchise of Sobstad Sails in Tampa, Fla., and spent most of his on-water time sailing with customers. In 1987, he married his wife, Patricia and moved to Connecticut to work at

the headquarters of Sobstad. While in New England, he was part of the winning team at the 1987 J35 North Americans. The following year, he relocated to Annapolis doing a short stint as a yacht broker followed by four years working with Larry Leonard's Sobstad (now Quantum) Sails. Working for Leonard in Annapolis opened the door to grand prix big-boat sailing opportunities including the Corum Japan Cup, Kenwood Cup, Key West Race Week and 50-foot regattas with some of the world's top sailors.

In 1993, Jahn accepted the job as manager of the newly opened J World Sailing School franchise in Annapolis. Over the following winter, he acquired ownership of the company and has managed it up to the present. While running the school, Jahn developed numerous specialized training programs including regatta competition with students making up the crew in events such as Key West Race Week, Heineken Regatta in St. Martin, SORC, Chesapeake Bay's Screwpile Regatta and Ft. Lauderdale to Key West Race. His teams often finished in the money and have won a few of these events.

Jahn holds a 50-ton Master Coast Guard license, is a US Sailing certified instructor trainer, and also has his FAA private pilot's license. He and his wife reside in the West River area just south of Annapolis.



Pete Carrico

ASSISTANT COACH

Pete Carrico was named assistant coach of the offshore sailing team in the summer of 2000, although he has been involved with the Midshipmen program since the 1980's.

Carrico served as a Naval Station sailcraft rigger before being promoted to sailcraft operator in 1990, where he supervised the maintenance of the offshore sailing team fleet.

A lecturer on NAVY 44 rigging and NAVY 44 Mechanical Systems for the past eight years, Carrico also has 37 years of sailing experience with numerous grand-prix regattas and major offshore races as bowman, trimmer, watch captain and crew boss.

He also has served as the dinghy team member, captain and commodore at St. Mary's College, 1977-80.

Lt. Chris Perry

ASSISTANT COACH

Lt. Christopher Perry is in his second season as an assistant coach and administrator for offshore sailing. He was born in Columbia, Tenn. and graduated from the Naval Academy in 1999.

While at the Academy, Chris sailed on the varsity offshore team for three seasons where he competed in the '98 Newport Bermuda Race and was part of the winning crew at the Corinthian Cup Regatta.

Chris flew SH/60B Seahawks on two counter narcotic deployments to Central and South America. He is an avid SCUBA diver holding numerous instructor and dive master certifications in addition to ruling the office on the tennis court.

He also holds an International Yachtmaster certification, Coast Guard 200 Ton Master license and 200 Ton MCA certificate.

He returned to the Academy from Jacksonville, Fla., for his shore duty tour in support of varsity offshore sailing at the Robert Crown Center.

2006-07 Roster

VARSITY

Name	Yr.	Hometown/High School	Major
Josh Adkins	So.	Millington, Tenn./Millington Central	History
Ezra Akin	So.	St. Louis, Mo.	Systems Engineering
Will Arnest	So.	Honolulu, Hawai'i/Punahou School	International Relations
Michael Baxter	So.	Fairfax, Va./Bishop O'Connell	Mechanical Engineering
Kathrine Besser	So.	Chicago, Ill./Saint Ignatius	Quantitative Economics
Heidi Boettger	So.	Long Beach, Calif./Long Beach Polytechnic	English
Owen Brooks	So.	Amityville, N.Y./Amityville Memorial	Naval Architecture
Kellen Browne	So.	Fernandina, Fla./Stanton	Electrical Engineering
Timothy Burchett	Sr.	Boulder, Colo./Fairview	Aerospace Engineering
Joseph Campbell	Sr.	Medina, Ohio/Fairview	EASA
Andy Christopher	So.	Akron, Ohio/Archbishop Hoban	Ocean Engineering
Maile Cornish	So.	Arlington, Va./James Bowie	Systems Engineering
Stephen Elliott	So.	Columbia, S.C./Ben Lipten	Mechanical Engineering
Ryan England	Jr.	New Bedford, Mass./Tabor Academy	Aerospace Engineering
Jenny Evans	So.	Ewell, Md./Crisfield	Systems Engineering
Jared Faulk	So.	Dallas, Texas/Lind Military Academy	Astronautical Engineering
Ryan Field	Sr.	Dana Point, Calif./Dana Hills	Political Science
James Foss	Jr.	Gulf Breeze, Fla./Gulf Breeze	Ocean Engineering
Nicholas Goddard	Sr.	Melbourne, Fla./Eau Gallie	Political Science
Joe Gursky	Jr.	Hilldale, N.Y./Taconic Hills	Economics
Chris Hamilton	Jr.	Tampa, Fla./Tampa Jesuit	Political Science
Matt Hamlet	So.	Baldwinsville, N.C./C.W. Baker	Systems and Weapons Engineering
Halford Haskell	So.	Georgetown, Texas/Georgetown	Physics
John Hayes	Jr.	Plainsboro, N.J./West Windsor	English
Chester Hewitt	So.	Dallas, Texas/Highland Park	Systems Engineering
Sarah Horn	Jr.	Milwaukee, Wisc./Whitefish Bay	Political Science
Rebecca Islin	Sr.	Lincolnton, Maine/W.T. Woodson	ENA
Timothy Keily	So.	East Granby, Conn./East Granby	Naval Architecture
Ryan Kimmel	Sr.	Santa Rosa, Calif./Rincon Valley Christian	Information Technology - Macro Economics
Tyler King	Jr.	Gillette, Wyo./Campbell County	History
James Lawsing	Jr.	Castine, Maine/George Stevens Academy	Political Science
Andrew Lewis	So.		
Leigh Loesel	Sr.	Erie, Pa./McDowell	Political Science
Mark McClure	Jr.	Houston, Texas/St. Johns School	Ocean Engineering
Edward McGuinness	Jr.	Chicago, Ill./Fenwick	English
Josh McMinn	So.	Crockett, Texas/Crockett	Ocean Engineering
Michael Minkoff	So.		
Monica Mondloch	Sr.	Waukesha, Wisc./Catholic Memorial	Aerospace Engineering
Chris Morales	Sr.	New York, N.Y./Loyola School	Political Science
Jaime Moreno	Sr.	Tampa, Fla./Armwood	Political Science
Gregory Nannig	Sr.	North Kingston, N.C./North Kingston	Naval Architecture
Christopher Nicolet	So.	Lakeside, Ariz./Blue Ridge	English
Patrick Nolan	So.	Kernersville, N.C./Bishop McGuinness Catholic	Chemistry
Thomas Oberdorf	So.	Haverford, Pa./The Haverford School	Ocean Engineering
Elliot Page	So.	Chelmsford, Mass./Chelmsford	Electrical Engineering
Mark Picinich	So.	Palisades Park, N.J./Bergen Counties Academy	Aeronautical Engineering
Andrew Poulin	So.	Boxborough, Mass./Acton-Boxborough Regional	International Relations
Matt Recker	Jr.	Fallbrook, Calif./Fallbrook	Mechanical Engineering

2006-07 OFFSHORE SAILING

Brian Rigez	So.	Dallas, Pa./Lake Lehman	Naval Architecture
Gregory Rubin	So.		
Christopher Schubert	Sr.	Rye, N.Y./Kent School	Economics
Evan Scott	Sr.	Grosse Pointe, Mich./Grosse Pointe	Naval Architecture
Cullen Shaughnessy	Jr.	Marco Island, Fla./Community School of Naples	Economics
Jesse Simmermon	Jr.	Schaefferstown, Pa./Eastern Lebanon County	Political Science
Nicholas Skaperdas	So.	Richmond, Va./Maggie Walker Governor's School	Naval Architecture
Reid Smythe	Sr.	Culver City, Calif./Culver City	Aerospace Engineering
Tyler Struzinski	Jr.	Seabrook, Texas/St. Andrews School	Chemistry
Ryan Sullivan	So.	Burr Ridge, Ill./Fenwick	Mechanical Engineering
James Swiggart	Sr.	Darien, Conn./The Hill School	Political Science
Richard Turner	So.	Little Rock, Ark./Catholic	Mechanical Engineering
Riley Walls	So.	Houston, Texas/Klien Forest	Political Science
Brian Warren	So.	Ponca, Okla./Ponca City	Systems Engineering
Jared Webster	Sr.	Adams, Tenn./Clarksville Academy	History
J Whorley	Sr.	Sheldon, Iowa/Sheldon Public	History
Michael Wolff	So.	Ardsley, N.Y./Regis	Political Science
Michael Youngman	So.	Ft. Meyers, Fla./Canterbury School	Systems Engineering

**** Freshmen will not be known until later in the season.**

Head Coach — Jahn Tihansky

Assistant Coach — Pete Carrico

Assistant Coach — Lt. Christopher Perry

Officer Representative — Cdr. Art Gibb

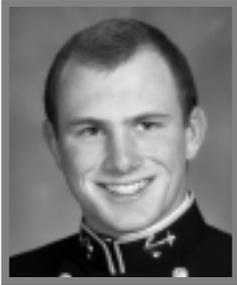
Faculty Representative — Rod Tomlinson

2006 Schedule

Fall 2006

Sept. 2-4	CBRYA Raceweek	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 9	Hospice Cup Regatta	Annapolis, Md.
Sept. 16	NASS Race to Oxford	Oxford, Md.
Sept. 16-17	Shields Trophy Regatta	Chesapeake Bay
Sept. 17	Hammond Memorial Race to Annapolis	Oxford, Md.
Oct. 1	Annapolis Yacht Club Fall Series No. 1	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 5-8	U.S. Sailing Offshore National Championship for the Lloyd Phoenix Trophy	Long Beach, Calif.
Oct. 6-13	Regata Escola Naval	Rio De Janeiro, Brazil
Oct. 8	Annapolis Yach Club Fall Series No. 2	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 15	Annapolis Yach Club Fall Series No. 3	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 21-22	MacMillan Cup Regatta	Chesapeake Bay
Oct. 27-29	J/105 Chesapeake Championship	Annapolis, Md.
Oct. 28-Nov. 4	Student Yachting World Cup	Lorient, France
Nov. 3-5	Kennedy Cup Regatta	Chesapeake Bay

Midshipmen Profiles



Timothy Burchett

SENIOR
BOULDER, COLO.

No sailing experience prior to arriving at the Academy... started his sailing experience on JVOST as a trimmer then proceeded to skipper position... skipper of Flirt for 2006 New York

Yacht Club Race Week and Around Long Island Race... served as main trimmer aboard Farr 49 Hellcat for fall 2005 season... completed a Trans-Atlantic on American Promise to France... attended Fairview High School ... son of Catharine and David Burchett ... majoring in aeronautical engineering.

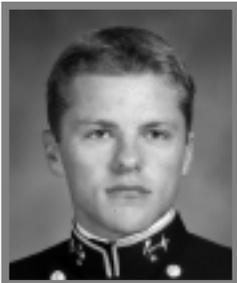


Joseph Campbell

SENIOR • TEAM CAPTAIN
MEDINA, OHIO

Little sailing experience prior to arriving at the Academy... skippered NA 12 Vigilant in 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race and Onion Patch Series... as rising junior, skippered

American Promise in the 2005 Marion to Bermuda Race... skippered the J-105 Allegiance in the Fall 2005 season... rose through the JVOST ranks crewing and skippering Navy 26s... voted VOST team captain for 06/07... son of Janet and Greg Markus.



Ryan Field

SENIOR
DANA POINT, CALIF.

Started his freshman year on J-24's and has been a helmsman, tactician and Trimmer since... Skippered NA 9 Flirt in the 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race and Onion

Patch Series... growing up, competed in events throughout Southern California ... graduated from Dana Hills High School ... son of Philip and Linda Field ... a political science major.



Nicholas Goddard

SENIOR
MELBOURNE, FLA.

Had no formal sailing experience prior to arriving at the Academy... served as XO aboard

Farr 40 Seawolf for 2006 NYYC Race Week and Around Long Island... also competed in 2006 Key West Race Week aboard Seawolf... aims to become a skipper commissioning... graduated from Eau Gallie High School ... son of George and Theresa Goddard ... a political science major.



Rebecca Islin

SENIOR
LINCOLNVILLE, MAINE

Served as XO on NA 9 Flirt in the 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race for the summer and Onion Patch Series... skippered NA 11 Swift in Fall 2005 and started out as a trimmer

... began her Navy career in JVOST and later skippered moving up to skipper of Navy 26... goal is to trim main, drive and skipper ... learned to sail on a MiniFish ... began sailing big boats in Newport, R.I., and joined the Pentagon Sailing Club in 2000, where she became a sailing instructor and began to work on her D-Qual ... graduated from W.T. Woodson High School ... daughter of Nick and Cynthia Islin ... an ENA major.

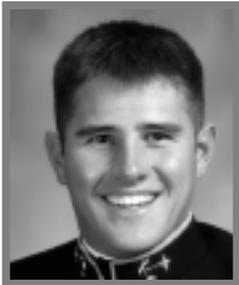


Ryan Kimmel

SENIOR
SANTA ROSA, CALIF.

Served as bowman on Hellcat for one semester ... had no prior sailing experience before arriving at the Academy ... graduated from Rincon Valley Christian School ... son of Gary and Gay Kimmel ... an information tech-

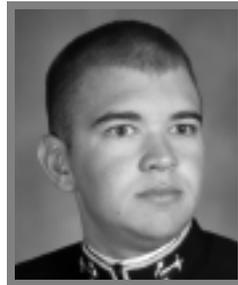
nology, macro-economics major.



Leigh Loesel

**SENIOR
ERIE, PA.**

Had a solid junior season, serving as the tactician on the winning McMillan Cup and Lloyd Phoenix Cup crew in the fall as well as the victorious Kennedy Cup team this past spring... goal is to lead Navy to victories in the Kennedy Cup and Newport - Bermuda Ocean Race ... sailed lasers, 420s and keelboats on Lake Erie growing up ... graduated from McDowell High School ... son of David and Michelle Loesel ... majoring in political science.



Jaime Moreno

**SENIOR
TAMPA, FLA.**

Had no prior sailing experience before arriving at the Academy. Most recently served as XO on American Promise in the 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race... started in JVOST program... developed skills and temperament for foredeck and served as bowman aboard Farr 47 Columbia in Fall 2005 season... graduated from Armwood High School... son of Jose Moreno and Cecilia Munera ... a political science major.



**Monica
Mondloch**

**SENIOR
WAUKESHA, WISC.**

Served as a pit crew since summer of 2004 ... was part of winning crew of 2006 Ft. Lauderdale to Key West crew and XO aboard NA 11 Swift for the 2006 Centennial Newport to Bermuda Race and Onion Patch Series... goal is to become skipper... sailed on family's 25-foot catalina on Lake Michigan until age eight, when she began dinghy racing in optimists, lasers and scows...worked as an optimist instructor with racers aged 4-12 ... graduated from Catholic Memorial High School... daughter of Mike and Vicki Mondloch ... an aerospace engineering major.



Chris Morales

**SENIOR
NEW YORK, N.Y.**

No prior sailing experience before arriving at the Academy... served as XO aboard Flirt for NYYC Race Week and Around Long Island Race, crewed aboard Farr 40 Seawolf in 2006 Ft. Lauderdale to Key West Race and served as trimmer aboard J105 Allegiance during Fall 2005 season... graduated from Loyola H.S. ... a political science major.





Gregory Nannig

SENIOR
NORTH KINGSTOWN, R.I.

Skipped American Promise in 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race ... skipped Farr 47, Columbia Fall 2005 and served as a main trimmer in prior seasons... grew up sailing on Narragansett Bay and was a member of the North Kingstown High School sailing team ... graduated from North Kingstown High School ... son of Douglas and Ellie Nannig ... a Naval Architecture major.



Reid Smythe

SENIOR
CULVER CITY, CALIF.

Came to the Academy with no prior sailing experience...learned fast on the JVOST team and earned his place as skipper of the C&C 48 Patriot for the 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race and Onion Patch Series... crew aboard Farr 40, Seawolf for 2006 Ft. Lauderdale to Key West Race and NA 11 Swift for fall 2005 season... graduated from Culver City High School ... son of William Smythe and Christina Roesse ... an AERO major.



Christopher Schubert

SENIOR
RYE, N.Y.

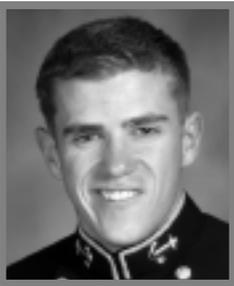
Skipped Taylor 49, Polaris in 2006 NYYC Race Week and Around Long Island Race... helmsman aboard Farr 47, Columbia in Fall 05, and J/105 Allegiance at 2006 Key West Race Week... raced 2004 Newport Bermuda Race aboard NA 9 Flirt... grew up sailing on Long Island Sound in Lasers and 420s and numerous keelboats and has competed in Block Island Race Week, Larchmont Race Week and Newport Bermuda recreationally... graduated from the Kent School ... son of Robert and Rita Schubert.



James Swiggart

SENIOR
DARIEN, CONN.

Served as a tactician, navigator and bowman since 2004 ... raced extensively in the Junior Sailing Association of Long Island Sound from ages 8 to 18 ... participated in Y.R.A.L.I.S., PHRF, one-design and offshore racing in the Northwest ... graduated from the Hill School ... son of Carolyn J. Swiggart ... a political science major.



Evan Scott

SENIOR
GROSSE POINTE, MICH.

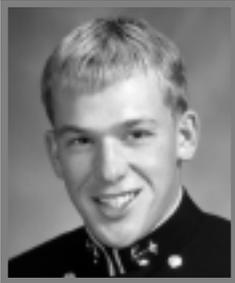
Skipped NA 11 Swift to second place in 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race and third overall in the 2006 Onion Patch Series... was part of winning crew aboard J105 Allegiance in 2006 Ft. Lauderdale to Key West Race... grew up crewing Tartan Tens as bowman, then transitioned to positions on other boats ... also sailed J-105's, Carrera 290, FJ's, 420's and an X-402... raced with Grosse Pointe South High School team advancing to Mallory Nationals ... graduated from Grosse Pointe South High School... Naval Architecture major.



Jared Webster

SENIOR
ADAMS, TENN.

He had no racing experience prior to joining the VOST team plebe year ... most recently served as XO on Vigilant in the 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race ... in the 2004-2005 racing year he served as pit crew in the 2004 Newport Bermuda race aboard NA 9 Flirt and crewed aboard the Farr 49 Javelin during the Academic year ... during second class year, he was part of the winning crew for the McMillian Cup, Lloyd Phoenix, and Kennedy Cup Regattas as well as aboard the Farr 40 Seawolf at 2006 Key West Race Week... son of David and Deborah Webster ... a history major..

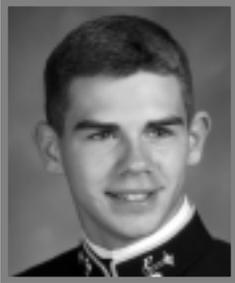


J Whorley

**SENIOR
SHELDON, IOWA**

Goal is to become a strong helmsman and a skipper ... had no sailing experience prior to arriving at the Academy ... graduated from Sheldon High School ... son of Thomas and

Janna Whorley ... a history major.

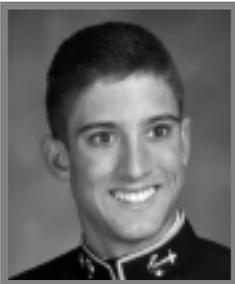


Ryan England

**JUNIOR
NEW BEDFORD, MASS.**

Ryan learned to sail in high school at Tabor Academy (Marion, MA) on the 92' schooner Tabor Boy ... hopes to skipper an off-shore race or even a trans-Atlantic race next

summer.



James Foss

**JUNIOR
GULF BREEZE, FLA.**

Most recently served as XO aboard C&C 48 Patriot in the 2006 Centennial Newport Bermuda Race and Onion Patch Series... member of winning crew aboard J105 Allegiance in

2006 Ft. Lauderdale to Key West Race... served as a crewman aboard Farr 47 Columbia in fall 2005 season... some prior racing experience on dinghies and larger boats ... graduated from Gulf Breeze High School... son of Jim Foss and Katharine Knight.



Joe Gursky

**JUNIOR
HILLSDALE, N.Y.**

Began sailing at the academy on the JVOST Team as a trimmer in the fall and then skipper in the spring in which he received the Williams most improved award ... has competed

in the Marion to Bermuda Race as the helmsman aboard American Promise, J-22 Annapolis NOOD and is crew for Polaris ... son of Colleen and Joseph Gursky.



Chris Hamilton

**JUNIOR
TAMPA, FLA.**

Most recently served as XO aboard Taylor 49, Polaris for 2006 NYYC Race Week and Around Long Island Race as well as crew aboard Vigilant for 2006 Centennial Newport

Bermuda Race... was part of winning crew for 2006 Intrepid Cup... served as tactician aboard the Farr 47 Columbia in the fall 2005 season and the tactician aboard NA 11 Swift during his Plebe year... also raced in the 2005 Marion to Bermuda Race... grew up racing dinghies and keelboats on Tampa Bay... Graduated from Jesuit High School ... son of Fred and Nancy Hamilton ... a political science major.



John Hayes

**JUNIOR
PLAINSBORO, N.J.**

Served as a skilled grinder and trimmer on the crew of Hellcat during the Annapolis-Newport Race and Block Island Race Week ... was born and raised in New Jersey and attend-

ed the West Windsor-Plainsboro High School playing Ice Hockey and Lacrosse ... joined the Navy where and served on the USS Grasp as a deep sea diver ... took the opportunity to attend NAPS allowing him to spend time with his uncle who introduced him to sailing.



Sarah Horn

**JUNIOR
MILWAUKEE, WIS.**

Improved her sailing skills aboard Hellcat and the Navy 44s ... graduate of Whitefish Bay High School where she pursued soccer and ski racing ... daughter of of Andrew and Susan Horn

... a political science major.



Tyler King

JUNIOR
GILLETTE, WYO.

Learned to sail at the Naval Academy, competing in the 2005 Marion-Bermuda Race and the Largemont Yacht Club Race in New York City ... son of Marlyn and Rhonda King ...

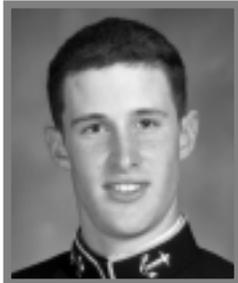
history major.



Matt Recker

JUNIOR
FALLBROOK, CALIF.

Served as a main trimmer and then bowman for the 2005-2006 season. Hopes to skipper in the future ... sailed throughout Southern California from the age of five, first big-boat experience was on an Ericson 39 ... graduated from Fallbrook High School ... son of Captains Dennis and Barbara Recker ... a mechanical engineering major and Spanish minor.

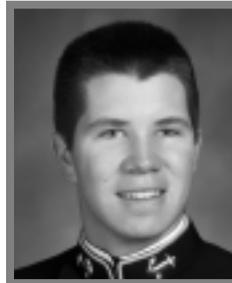


James Lawsing

JUNIOR
CASTINE, MAINE

Member of VOST for 2 years, served as crew aboard Blue Angel in the fall of 2004, crew aboard Swift for the Marion-Bermuda Race in the summer of 2005, main trimmer on

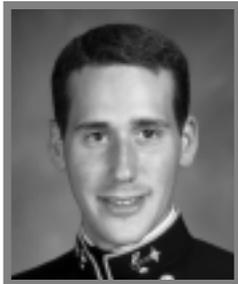
Allegiance fall 2005 and winter 2006 ... grew up sailing off the coast of Maine ... graduated from George Stevens Academy ... son of Jim and Lisa Lawsing ... a history major.



Cullen Shaughnessy

JUNIOR
MARCO ISLAND, FLA.

Joined the offshore team in the spring of 2006 ... helped his crew take top honors in the Intrepid Cup ... also raced to Bermuda twice on Navy 44 Swift achieving a successful Centennial Newport Bermuda Race, finishing second in class and third in the Onion Patch Series ... ultimate goal is to become a skipper and compete for the major college championship regattas ... graduated from Community School of Naples ... son of Mark and Sue Shaughnessy ... born Aug. 5, 1986 ... majoring in economics.

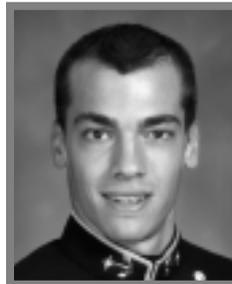


Mark McClure

JUNIOR
HOUSTON, TEXAS

Served as a bowman aboard Swift for the end of the 2006 season and Hellcat during the fall 2005 ... sailed aboard cruisers 34 to 42 feet off the coasts of Texas, Florida and among the

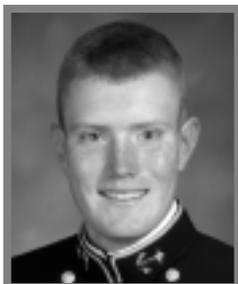
fjords of Norway ... graduated from St. Johns School ... son of Barry and Karen McClure ... ocean engineering major.



Jesse Simmermon

JUNIOR
SCHAEFFERSTON, PA.

Contributed his skill at the mast of Hellcat and competed during the 2005 Block Island Race Week and Annapolis-Newport Race ... after cruising on a sailboat for over four years, he applied to the Naval Academy and was accepted through the Foundation program ... political science major and looks forward to flying in the Navy.

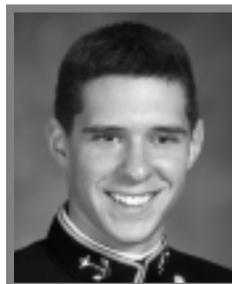


Edward McGuinnis

JUNIOR
CHICAGO, ILL.

Spent the first two seasons on the VOST team as a trimmer ... in the 2006 Newport Bermuda he served as the navigator aboard Vigilant ... before sailing at the Naval Academy,

he sailed competitively on Lake Michigan on both dinghies and larger offshore boats ... graduated from Fenwick High School ... son of RuthAnn and Michael McGuinnis...an English major.

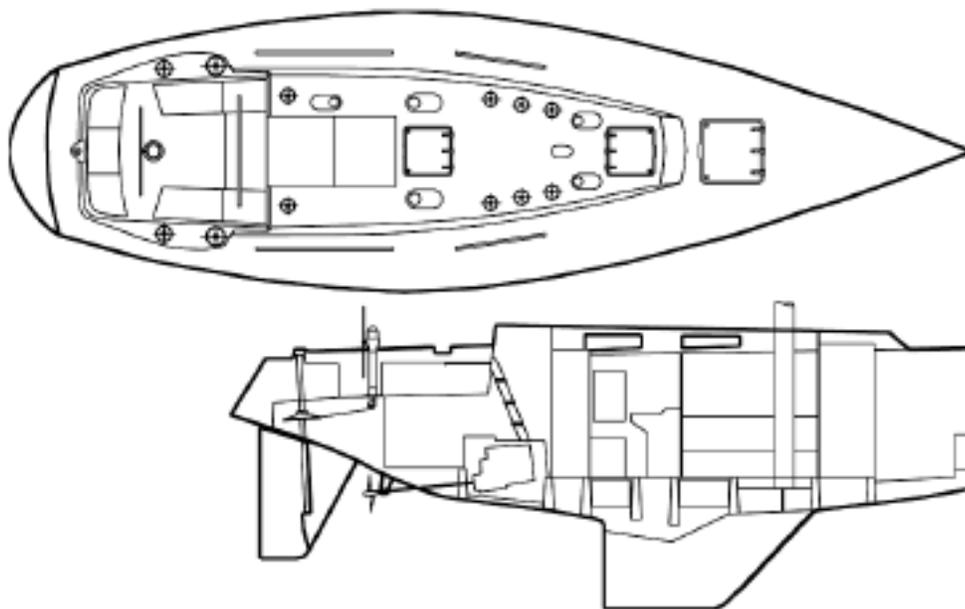


Tyler Struzinski

JUNIOR
SEABROOK, TEXAS

He came to the Naval Academy with no prior sailing experience ... is now the navigator and sail trimmer on Patriot in '06 ... graduated from St. Andrew's School ... chemistry major.

Navy 44'



SPECS
LOA: Draft: 7'-9" (+6")
Beam: 12'5"
Sail Area: 956 square feet
Disp: 26,450 lbs. (-1200 lbs)
D/L: 245 (-75)
Draft: 7'3"
SA/D: 18.3 (+0.9)
Designer: McCurdy & Rhodes

Awards and Honors

KENNEDY CUP

The John F. Kennedy Memorial Trophy was presented to the U.S. Naval Academy in 1965 on behalf of the many friends of the late President. President Kennedy's love for sailing is perpetuated in the annual competition for the trophy, which represents the National Collegiate Large Yacht Championship.

1966	.....	Robert L. Hamilton, Jr.
1977	.....	Richard O'Sullivan
1980	.....	Nick Madigan
1981	.....	Nick Madigan
1982	.....	Dixon Smith
1988	.....	Dan Whitney
1989	.....	Charles Pucciariello
1990	.....	Kevin Hawko
1993	.....	Oliver Vietor
1995	.....	Stephen Karson
1997	.....	Ryan McCrillis
2005	.....	Gregory Storer

MCMILLAN CUP

College sailing's oldest regatta was first competed for in 1928 and hosted at various sailing centers in New England. Since 1950 it has been hosted by the Naval Academy in its 44' sailboats and serves as the big boat championship for the New England and Mid-Atlantic districts.

1955	.....	George Atkins
1958	.....	Gene J. Porter
1961	.....	Charles Ulmer
1977	.....	Bruce Reichert
1980	.....	Nick Madigan
1981	.....	Dixon Smith
1984	.....	Brain Ledbetter
1985	.....	Thomas Luscher
1996	.....	Mark Franko
1997	.....	Matthew Morton
1999	.....	Brian Solomon
2004	.....	Tom Bock
2005	.....	Gregory Storer

MAJOR OCEAN RACE VICTORIES

1992	Newport to Bermuda Race	.....	Kyle Weaver
1993	Annapolis to Newport Race	.....	Ara Barton
1994	Annapolis to Bermuda Race	.....	Chris Fisher
1998	Around Long Island Race	.....	Todd Greene
1999	Marion to Bermuda Race (celestial)	.....	Jack Benfield
1999	Marion to Bermuda Race (team trophy)	.....	Benfield, Almeida, Kellogg
2003	Block Island Race Week PHRF	.....	Chad Ingle, Brooke Anderson
2005	Lloyd Phoenix	.....	Gregory Storer

NAVY OFFSHORE SAILING FLEET

Navy 26's	.....	30
Navy 44's	.....	20
New Navy 44's (MK II's)	.....	24
J-24	.....	15
Offshore boats	.....	6 (donated)
J-105	.....	Allegiance
J-105	.....	Merrythought
Farr-40'	.....	Sea Wolf
C&C-48'	.....	Patriot
Taylor-49'	.....	Polaris
J-22	.....	1
Sonar	1	

CHET GLADCHUK

Athletic Director



In his five years at the Naval Academy, Director of Athletics Chet Gladchuk has overseen a renaissance of Navy athletics. His administrative leadership in a number of areas has helped lead the program to one of the most successful periods in school history.

Gladchuk's efforts have been recognized on a national level as well, as he was named the 2005 Bobby Dodd Athletic Director of the

Year by the Division IA Athletic Directors Association. The award is presented in recognition of an athletic director's support and commitment toward the successful advancement of the department, most specifically in the sport of football. Additionally, this past spring he was recognized by the Secretary of the Navy for his contributions and service to the Navy and the Naval Academy with the Superior Public Service Award to the Department of the Navy.

Last year, the Navy football team completed a third-straight successful season as the Midshipmen posted an 8-4 record, won the Commander-In-Chief's Trophy for a school-record third-consecutive year, participated in a bowl game for a school-record third-straight year and won a bowl game in consecutive years for the first time in school history when the Mids pounded Colorado State, 51-30, in the Poinsettia Bowl.

The football team isn't the only successful squad at the Naval Academy, as Navy athletic teams have won better than 60 percent of their contests during Gladchuk's tenure, including a .664 winning percentage during the 2005-06 academic year.

Gladchuk has been able to parlay Navy's athletic success into an exclusive television deal with College Sports Television that has significantly increased Navy's television exposure. CSTV, the first 24-hour college sports network, televises every Navy home and select neutral site football games (excluding Notre Dame and Army which will be televised nationally by CBS), as well as other Midshipmen men's and women's athletic events, original programming and documentaries centered around the storied Navy athletic program. The long-term multi-media agreement includes internet streaming, broadband and video-on-demand rights and high definition rights

starting in 2006. A major part of the agreement was that all home football games would be played on Saturday for the convenience of the Navy alumni.

Gladchuk has also added radio giant WBAL (1090 AM) in Baltimore and Washington Post Radio (1500 AM and 107.7 FM) and WFED (1050 AM) in Washington D.C./Northern Virginia to Navy's radio network.

WBAL Radio, which is also the voice of the Baltimore Orioles and Ravens, is Maryland's dominant and most powerful radio station. Since 1925, generations of Marylanders have turned to WBAL Radio for news, weather, thought-provoking discussions and sports. As Maryland's only 50,000-watt AM station, WBAL's signal travels substantially further than any other station in the state.

Washington Post Radio, which is also the home of the Washington Nationals, is a 50,000-watt station that will air a minimum of 10 regular-season football games, while WFED (1050 AM) in Northern Virginia will broadcast all 12 regular-season football games, a minimum of 10 basketball games and four lacrosse games. It will be the first time Navy will have exposure in the Washington, D.C. and Northern Virginia markets for both their basketball and lacrosse programs.

Since being introduced as the Academy's 28th Director of Athletics on Sept. 4, 2001, Gladchuk has hit the ground running. From the hiring of Paul Johnson as head football coach to the renovation of Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium, Gladchuk has made improvements in several key areas that will prove more success on the athletic fields for years to come.

In Gladchuk's tenure at the Naval Academy, he has seen 28 different teams win conference titles, while 17 teams have advanced to NCAA post-season play.

Gladchuk has also worked tirelessly to bring back school spirit, working in conjunction with school officials to encourage midshipmen to attend events for all sports.

Gladchuk immediately embraced the local community and alumni base, and is an often requested speaker. His regular 'Ask the AD' column on navysports.com is one of the most popular features on Navy's internet site.

Gladchuk's biggest impact on the Academy in his first year was the hiring of Paul Johnson as a head football coach. Johnson came to the Naval Academy from Georgia Southern where he posted a 62-10 (.861) record, won two-straight I-AA National Championships (1999 and 2000) and was named the Division I-AA National Coach of the Year four-consecutive times (1997-2000).

After hiring Johnson, Gladchuk set his sights on Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium where he completely refurbished the football stadium over a four-year time frame. The addition of 6,500 permanent seats on the sidelines and in the end zones, luxury boxes, dropping the field eight feet and moving the sidelines closer, two video scoreboards, a memorial plaza, upgraded restroom and concession areas, a perimeter walking path, new lighting, a new sound system, landscaping the grounds and storm water management highlight the list of renovations. Gladchuk has worked closely with the city, county, state and neighborhood associations to ensure proper communication and sensitivity to issues that benefit both the NAAA and community at large.

Gladchuk and the NAAA were awarded the Green Star award by Annapolis Mayor Ellen Moyer for commitment to the environment during the ongoing renovation of Navy-

2005-06 NAVY ATHLETICS: A SEASON TO REMEMBER

OVERALL RECORD
299-150-5 (.664)

N-STAR RECORD VS. ARMY
14-8 (.636)

OVERALL RECORD VS. ARMY
18-14 (.563)

14 ALL-AMERICANS

NINE CONFERENCE
ATHLETES OF THE YEAR

FOUR CONFERENCE
CHAMPIONSHIPS

NATIONAL HONORS

Ranked No. 1 in the nation among all
Division IA Schools in Graduation Rate

Football-Poinsettia Bowl Champions,
ranked 30th in the nation

Lacrosse-Ranked ninth in the country

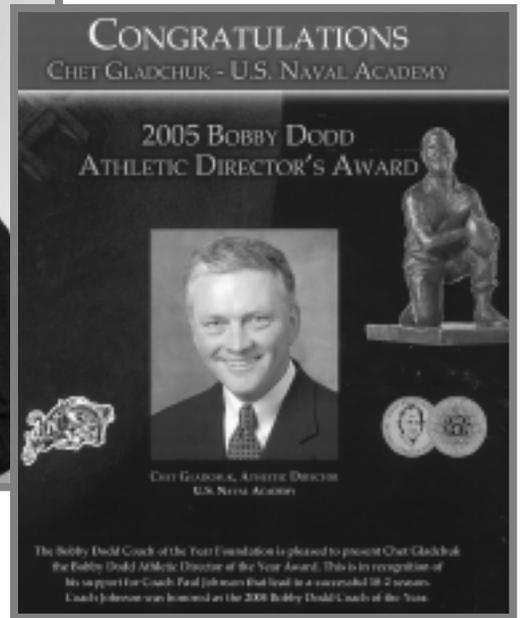
Rifle-Finished fourth at the NCAA
Championship

Offshore Sailing-National Champions

Water Polo-Ranked 12th in the nation

Wrestling-Ranked 22nd in the nation

Gladchuk, seen here with Superintendent Vice Admiral Rodney Rempt, was named the 2005 Bobby Dodd Athletic Director of the Year.



Marine Corps Memorial Stadium.

Other highlights of Gladchuk's tenure at the Naval Academy include the renegotiation of the Army-Navy contract through 2009 which will bring over \$25 million to the two schools over the six games, scheduling Maryland and Notre Dame at M&T Bank Stadium in Baltimore to promote Navy football in the community, negotiating the extension of the Navy-Notre Dame football game television contract with CBS through 2008 and negotiating

bowl deals with the Houston, Emerald, Poinsettia and Meineke Car Care Bowls. Additionally, he is in negotiations with a number of other bowls for future considerations.

Gladchuk is also Chairman of the Executive Committee in the Patriot League and is on the NCAA Olympic Sport Liaison Committee.

Gladchuk came to the Naval Academy from the University of Houston, where he had been the Director of Athletics since July 18, 1997. Recognized as one of the nation's top leaders in intercollegiate athletics management, he guided the Cougars to 19 Conference USA Championships, while making significant strides in the academic success of their student-athletes, gender equity and fiscal management.

Before Houston, Gladchuk was the Director of Intercollegiate Athletics, Intramurals and Recreation for seven years at his alma mater, Boston College. Under Gladchuk, Boston College emerged as one of the NCAA's elite programs of the 1990s. The school's graduation rate for all student-athletes was over 90 percent and the Eagles won the College Football Association's Academic Achievement Award for the highest graduation rates among all Division I schools in three of his last five years at Boston College.

Prior to rejoining Boston College, Gladchuk served as AD at Tulane University from 1987-90. During his tenure, he directed the reinstatement of the Green Wave basketball program to Division I status. In addition, he oversaw the construction of new facilities for the athletics administration as well as baseball, track and field and tennis teams after a \$25 million athletics campaign was successfully completed.

From 1985-87, he served as Associate AD at Syracuse University, heading operations, NCAA compliance, financial aid and facility operations. Gladchuk lettered in football at Boston College and graduated with honors in business management in 1973. He earned a master's in sports administration from the University of Massachusetts-Amherst in 1974, where he began his career in intercollegiate athletics, including serving for seven years as Director of General Physical Education, Assistant and Associate Athletic Director for the university. He also has served as Director of Athletics and head football coach for the New Hampton (Prep) School in New Hampshire prior to leaving for UMass.

He and his wife, Kathy, have four children: John, a graduate of Loyola Marymount; Katie, a graduate of Boston College; Christie, a graduate of Trinity and Julie, who is a senior at North Carolina and a member of the women's lacrosse team.

PAST ATHLETIC DIRECTORS

Harris Laning 1895	1910-12
Arthur P. Fairchild '01	1912-15
Charles Earle Smith '03	1915-17
William F. Halsey Jr. '04	1917-18
Douglas L. Howard '06	1918-23
Byron McCandless '05	1923-25
Jonas H. Ingram '07	1925-30
Henry D. Cook Jr. '03	1930-31
John W. Wilcox Jr. '05	1931-34
Robert C. Giffen '07	1934-37
Ernest W. McKee '08	1937-40
Thomas S. King II '11	1940-42
Harvey E. Overesch '15	1942
Lyman S. Perry '20	1942-43
John E. Whelchel '20	1943-44
Harles O. Humphreys '22	1944-46
Edmund B. Taylor '25	1946-48
Thomas J. Hamilton '27	1948
Henry H. Caldwell '27	1949-51
Ian C. Eddy '30	1951-54
Charles Elliott Loughlin '33	1954-57
Slade Cutter '35	1957-59
Asbury Coward '38	1959-62
William S. Busik '43	1962-65
Alan R. Cameron '44	1965-68
J. O. Coppedge '47	1968-88
Jack Lengyel	1988-2001
Chet Gladchuk	2001-present

THE NAVAL ACADEMY

ANNAPOLIS

The City of Annapolis has been home to the Naval Academy for all but four years since the founding of the school in 1845 on the grounds of what originally was the Army's Fort Severn. The Academy moved its location to Newport, Rhode Island, from 1861-1865 during the Civil War.

ANCHORS AWEIGH

"Anchors Aweigh" was written by Lt. Charles Zimmerman, musical director of the Naval Academy, in 1906, with the lyrics provided by Alfred H. Miles '06 as a fight song for the 1907 graduating class. The song made its debut at the 1906 Army-Navy game and when the Mids won, the song became traditional at the contest.

BANCROFT HALL

Named after the former Secretary of the Navy (1845-46) and founder of the Naval Academy George Bancroft, Bancroft Hall serves as the dormitory for the entire Brigade of Midshipmen. Its 33 acres of floor space and nearly five miles of hallways makes it one of the largest dorms in the world.

BRIGADE OF MIDSHIPMEN

The 4,000-member student body at the Naval Academy is called the Brigade of Midshipmen.

The Brigade is organized into ...

- 2 regiments
- 6 battalions
- 30 companies

BILL THE GOAT

The first recorded use of a goat as the mascot for Navy teams was in 1893 when an animal named El Cid (the Chief) was presented to the Brigade by officers of the USS New York. El Cid helped Navy to a 6-4 win over Army that year and a goat became the permanent mascot of the Academy in 1904.

BLUE & GOLD

Now, colleges from sea to sea
May sing of colors true;
But who has better right than we
To hoist a symbol hue?
For sailors brave in battle fair,
Since fighting days of old,
Have proved the sailor's right to wear
The Navy Blue and Gold

Four years together by the bay,
Where severn joins the tide,
Then by the service called away
We're scattered far and wide;
But still when two or three shall meet
And old tales be retold
From low to highest in the fleet
We'll pledge the Blue and Gold.

CLASS RANKS

First-year students at the Naval Academy are referred to as "plebes" during their initial or "Fourth Class" year in school, while sophomores at Navy, members of the "Third Class," are called "youngsters." Juniors at the school are designated as "Second Class," with seniors called "Firsties" in reference to their "First Class" year.

CO-ED

Women were first admitted to the Naval Academy during the summer of 1976. Today, women comprise roughly 15 percent of the student body.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

When a student graduates from the Naval Academy, they have the option to enter either the Navy or the Marine Corps as an officer. If they choose to join the Navy, they are commissioned as Ensigns, while those entering the Marine Corps are given the rank of Second Lieutenant.

JOHN PAUL JONES

The crypt of John Paul Jones, considered America's first naval leader and hero, is located below the Naval Academy Chapel.

The native of Scotland was born in 1747, and travelled to the colonies to assist America during the Revolutionary War. His ship never lost a battle as he reached a rank of captain in the Continental Navy.

Jones died in 1792 in Paris, France, and was buried there. His remains were returned to the United States in 1905 and he was interred at the Naval Academy eight years later.

MARINE CORPS

Those officers entering the Marine Corps have the choice of service selecting one of the following fields ...

- Aviation -- air command and control, anti-air warfare, aviation maintenance, aviation supply, pilot, naval flight officer.
- Ground -- armor*, artillery*, communications (information systems), engineering, financial management, infantry*, logistics, military police (* = not available to women)



MIDSHIPMAN

The original 17th Century meaning of the word “midshipmen” designated those men who stood watch “amidships”, or in the middle portion of a ship. The middle “s” was later dropped to give the current form of the word.

Midshipmen were originally young boys who were apprenticed to sea captains to learn the trade.

In the early days of the Navy, midshipmen were trained aboard ship until they were commissioned as ensigns.

NAVY

Graduates of the Naval Academy entering the Navy have the following service options available to them ...

- Aviation -- flight officer, pilot
- Nuclear Propulsion -- ships, submarines*
- Restricted Line and Staff Corps -- civil engineering, cryptology, intelligence, maintenance, medicine, meteorology/oceanography, supply
- Special Operations -- explosive ordinance disposal, explosive ordinance management, mine countermeasures, operational diving and salvage,
- Navy SEALs*
- Surface Warfare -- conventional, nuclear powered
- Submarines*

(* = not available to women)

NICKNAME

The official nickname for all of Navy’s athletic teams is Midshipmen. “Mids” is an appropriate nickname, while “Middie” is inappropriate.

N-STAR

Members of varsity teams who qualify for the varsity letter receive an N-Star for their letter sweaters if they participate in a victory over Army in any sport-designated Star Game.

The varsity N and corresponding N-Star were initiated during the early 1890s.

SCHOOL COLORS

Each class at the Naval Academy produced their own set of class colors until 1892 when Navy Blue and Gold were established as the official colors for the entire Naval Academy.

SUMMER TRAINING

Summers remain a busy and challenging time of year for midshipmen. Their initial tenure at the Naval Academy begins around July 1 prior to the start of the freshman year at the school with “Plebe Summer.” Instead of taking academic classes, plebes receive military indoctrination and learn basic seamanship and sailing.

The summer following plebe year is spent aboard various ships to gain knowledge and experience of the workings of the Navy. Included in this time is a three-week cruise aboard either a 44-foot Naval Academy sailboat or a Yard Patrol craft traveling on the East Coast.

Portions of the summer before the start of a second-class year is spent visiting bases of both the Navy and the Marine Corps. That leads up to the next summer when midshipmen join an operational unit of the Navy or Marine Corps for several weeks. In addition, rising firsties also begin to accept leadership roles at either the Naval Academy for plebe summer, the Naval Academy Prep School (Newport, R.I.) or aboard a yard patrol or sailing cruise.



TECUMSEH

Tecumseh is the Native American figurehead which has been facing Bancroft Hall since 1866.

The statue originally was the figurehead of the USS Delaware and named after Tamanend, a Delaware chief. The name was later changed to Tecumseh after a Shawnee chieftain who lived from 1768-1813.

The original wooden statue was replaced after 50 years by the current bronze version.

Tecumseh is painted prior to football games and during Commissioning Week he is adorned with the shoulder boards of a Navy ensign on one side and that of a Marine Corps second lieutenant on the other.

THE YARD

“The Yard” is another name for the grounds of the Naval Academy. Originally just 10 acres, The Yard has grown to a size of 338 acres.

NAVAL ACADEMY LEADERSHIP



**VICE ADM.
RODNEY P. REMPT, USN**
Superintendent



**CAPT. BRUCE GROOMS,
USN**
Commandant of Midshipmen

DISTINGUISHED GRADUATES

The Distinguished Graduate Program started as a concept first envisioned by RADM Ronald F. Marryott, USN (Ret.), Class of 1957, when he was president and CEO of the United States Naval Academy Alumni Association. RADM Robert McNitt, USN (Ret.), Class of 1938 helped develop the concept to its current structure. The Alumni Association's Board of Trustees approved the DGA proposal and in May 1998 the selection committee met under the chairmanship of Admiral Carlisle Trost, USN (Ret.), Class of 1953 to determine the nominating process.

The Distinguished Graduate Award is given to a living graduate of the United States Naval Academy whose character, distinguished military and civilian service, and stature draw wholesome comparison to the qualities that the United States Naval Academy strives for, in keeping with its traditional values of duty, honor, integrity and "through knowledge seapower."

The DG program was established in 1999 by the Alumni Association as a way to identify to the public and the Brigade of Midshipmen the broad national significance of the United States Naval Academy as one of the nation's cherished and most valuable institutions.

The first Distinguished Graduate was Admiral Thomas Mooror, USN (Ret.), Class of 1933, former Chief of Naval Operations and former Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Five distinguished graduates were chosen by the 2000 DGA Committee, headed by Admiral Carl Trost. They include:

Dr. John J. McMullen, Class of 1940, Commander, U.S. Navy retired, former owner and chairman of the New Jersey Devils Hockey team, National Chairman of the Campaign for Alumni Hall and former Chairman of United States Line.

Admiral James L. Holloway III, USN (Ret.), Class of 1943, former Chief of Naval Operations, Chairman Emeritus of the Naval Academy Foundation, former Chairman of Association of Naval Aviation, and former Chairman of the Historic Annapolis Foundation.

VADM William P. Lawrence, USN (Ret.), Class of 1951, former Chief of Naval Personnel, former Superintendent of the U.S. Naval Academy and POW in Vietnam.

Major General William A. Anders, USAF (Ret.), Class of 1955, former Chairman and CEO of General Dynamics, former Astronaut and Mission Commander of Apollo 8, former Chairman of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission and former Ambassador to Norway.

Mr. Roger T. Staubach, Class of 1965, president of Staubach Enterprises, Heisman Trophy winner, Collegiate Hall of Fame and National Football Hall of Fame, NCAA's Theodore Roosevelt Award and Director of Power Up, a non-profit organization helping under-served young people acquire skills, experience and resources to succeed.

The five distinguished graduates were chosen by the 2001 DGA Committee, headed by Admiral Carlisle Trost. They include:

Captain John W. Crawford, Jr., USN (Ret.), Class of 1942, a 21-year career naval officer; former board member of the Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board.

Admiral William J. Crowe, Jr., USN (Ret.), Class of 1947, former ambassador to the Court of St. James, the United Kingdom; and former Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

VADM James B. Stockdale, USN (Ret.), Class of 1947, Medal of Honor recipient and a POW in Vietnam for more than seven years.

Admiral James D. Watkins, USN (Ret.), Class of 1949, former Chief of Naval Operations; former Secretary of Energy in the senior Bush administration.



Clockwise, lower Left to Right: Captain James A. Lovell; Mr. Roger T. Staubach (on the Ed Sullivan Show); The Honorable James E. Carter; Admiral Eugene B. Fluckey; VADM William P. Lawrence.

Captain James A. Lovell, USN (Ret.), Class of 1952, former astronaut who piloted Gemini 7, commanded Gemini 12, orbited the moon on Apollo 8 and commanded the heroic Apollo 13 mission.

The four distinguished graduates were chosen by the 2002 DGA Committee, headed by Admiral Kinnaird McKee. They include:

Vice Adm. Charles S. Minter, Jr., USN (Ret.), a 1937 graduate of the Naval Academy, served as the Commandant of Midshipmen (1961-63) and then as Superintendent of the Academy (1964-65).

The Honorable James E. Carter, Class of 1947, was the 39th president of the United States and was recently awarded the Nobel Peace Prize. Carter is the only Naval Academy graduate to serve as Commander-in-Chief of our Armed Forces.

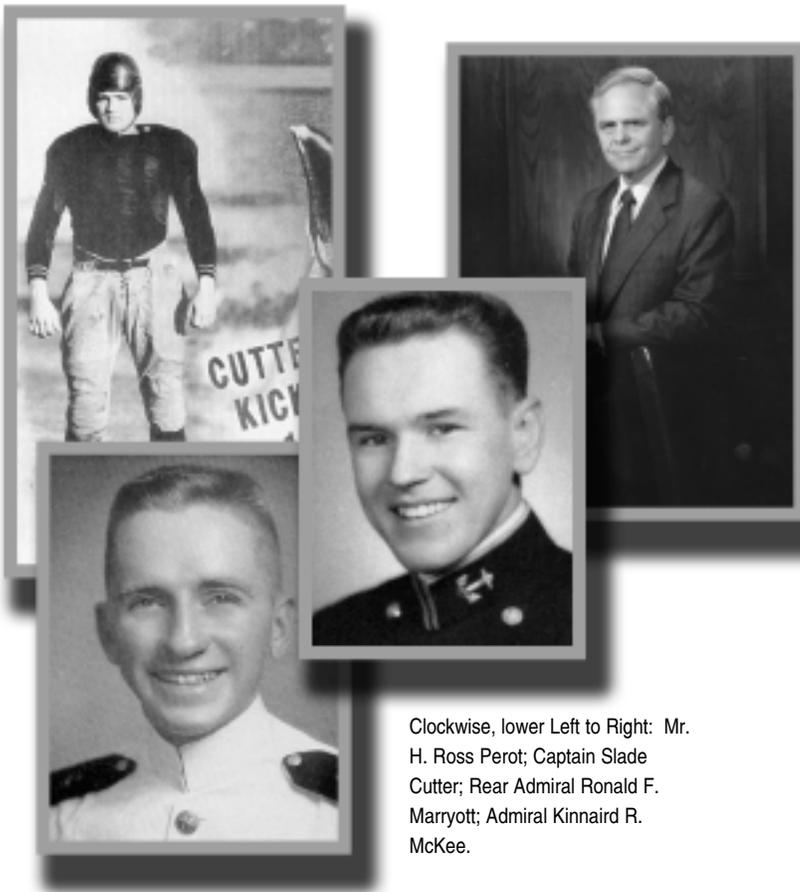
Adm. Carlisle A.H. Trost, USN (Ret.), graduated first in the Class of 1953 and later served as the Navy's 23rd Chief of Naval Operations.

Col. John W. Ripley, USMC (Ret.), Class of 1962 was awarded the Navy Cross and one of his Purple Hearts for his service in Dong Ha, Vietnam. He also has been president of two schools, Southern Virginia College in Buena Vista and Hargrave Military Academy in Chatham, Va.

The four distinguished graduates were chosen by the 2003 DGA Committee, headed by Admiral Kinnaird McKee. They include:

Ambassador William H. G. FitzGerald, Class of 1931, former Ambassador to the Republic of Ireland; founder and chairman of the board of the North American Housing Corporation; creator of the W.H.G. FitzGerald Scholarship Fund that provides USNA scholars an opportunity to attend Oxford University for two years of study.

Rear Admiral Eugene B. Fluckey, USN (Ret.), Class of 1935, World War II submariner, Medal of Honor recipient, famed author for his narrative aboard the USS BARB called Thunder Below! and a long-time supporter of athletic excellence at USNA.



Clockwise, lower Left to Right: Mr. H. Ross Perot; Captain Slade Cutter; Rear Admiral Ronald F. Marryott; Admiral Kinnaird R. McKee.

Rear Admiral Robert W. McNitt, USN (Ret.), Class of 1938, highly decorated submariner awarded for valorous duty during five successful submarine war patrols during World War II, former Superintendent of the Naval Post Graduate School, former USNA Dean of Admissions, and acclaimed author on the definitive history Sailing at the U.S. Naval Academy.

Vice Admiral William D. Houser, USN (Ret.), Class of 1942, 35-year naval career as a naval aviator, veteran of World War II, the Korean War, and Vietnam War; former Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Air Warfare) and staunch supporter in memorializing the Battle of Midway and preserving the Midway Islands.

The five distinguished graduates chosen by the **2004** DGA Committee, headed by Admiral Kinnaird McKee included:

Lieutenant General Victor H. Krulak, USMC (Ret.), Class of 1934, 35-year career in the Marine Corps, served in World War II, the Korean War and Vietnam; during the 1960s, served as Commanding General, Fleet Marine Force Pacific, and made more than 50 trips to the Vietnam Theater.

Vice Admiral Gerald E. Miller, USN (Ret.), Class of 1942, career included command of 14 sea commands, including special task forces and the U.S. Second and Sixth Fleets. Lead change in process of targeting nation's strategic nuclear weapons, and updating Navy personnel administration.

Admiral James F. Calvert, USN (Ret.), Class of 1943, submariner who made nine war patrols; served as commissioning commanding officer of the first ship in history to reach the surface at the North Pole; served as the 46th Superintendent of the Naval Academy, where he developed and installed the Majors Program.

Lieutenant General Charles G. Cooper, USMC (Ret.), Class of 1950, served in Korea at the height of the Chinese Spring Offensive; severely injured in 1951 and told that he would probably never walk again; went on to command two infantry battalions; in 1985 was named Commanding

General, Fleet Marine Force Pacific, where he commanded two-thirds of the fighting Marine Corps.

Rear Admiral Ronald F. Marryott, USN (Ret.), Class of 1957, the 52nd Superintendent of the Naval Academy who led a fundamental overhaul of the academic curriculum; served as president and CEO of the George C. Marshall Foundation, and president and CEO of the Naval Academy Alumni Association from 1996-2000.

Five distinguished graduates were chosen by the **2005** DGA Committee, headed by Admiral Bob Natter '67. They include:

Captain Slade Cutter, USN (Ret.), Class of 1935, an undefeated heavyweight intercollegiate boxing champion and All-American football place kicker and tackle at the Academy; commanded two submarines during WWII and awarded four Navy Crosses, two Silver Stars and one Bronze Star; returned to the Naval Academy as athletic director and played a significant role in the construction of Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium.

Rear Admiral Robert "Bob" Wertheim, USN (Ret.), Class of 1946, played central role in conception, development, production and operational support of POLARIS, POSEIDON and TRIDENT fleet ballistic missile systems; charter member of the Robert Means Thompson Society; life member of the President's Circle donor society and active in the program to build the Uriah P. Levy Center and Jewish Chapel at the Naval Academy.

Admiral Ronald J. Hays, USN (Ret.), Class of 1950, combat aviator and Navy test pilot whose many awards include the Silver Star (three), Distinguished Flying Cross (seven), Bronze Star with combat "V" and Air Medal (18); commander of all Pacific forces; chairman of the USS MISSOURI Memorial Association, helped establish the USS MISSOURI near THE USS ARIZONA as a major Pearl Harbor Monument; chairman of the board of the Military Aviation Museum of the Pacific.

Mr. H. Ross Perot, Class of 1953: philanthropist, humanitarian, national political figure and a continuing major contributor to the Naval Academy; president of the Class of 1953 and active member of the committee that developed the USNA Honor Concept; received the Business Executives for National Security's (BENS) prestigious Eisenhower Award.

Four distinguished graduates were chosen by the **2006** DGA Committee, headed by Admiral Bob Natter '67. They include:

Captain Thomas J. Hudner, USN (Ret.), Class of 1947: A recipient of the Medal of Honor, Captain Hudner is best-known for his historic attempted rescue of Ensign Jesse Brown (the first African American Naval Aviator) behind enemy lines during the historic battle near the Chosin Reservoir in North Korea. Hudner served the Navy for 30 years with a tour aboard USS Kitty Hawk as Executive Officer, and with the Bureau of Weapons, the Joint Staff and the Chief of Naval Operations.

Admiral Kinnaird R. McKee, USN (Ret.), Class of 1951: Admiral McKee had a distinguished career in the submarine service, and in 1975 was named Superintendent of the Naval Academy. During his tenure as Superintendent, McKee was responsible for the successful transition of bringing women into the Brigade of Midshipmen.

General Robert T. Herres, USAF (Ret.), Class of 1954: General Herres has led a distinguished military and civilian career. Graduating from the Academy in 1954, Herres joined the then-young Air Force, serving a prominent career in which he served as Commander of NORAD, the North American Aerospace Defense Command and the first Commander of the U.S. Space Command. His military career concluded with a tour as the first Vice Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Admiral Charles R. Larson, USN (Ret.), Class of 1958: Admiral Larson led a 40-year distinguished military career, which included tours as the 51st and 55th Superintendent of the Naval Academy. As a Flag Officer for 20 years, Admiral Larson served in nine assignments both ashore and afloat. Prior to his last tour as Superintendent in the late 1990s, Larson served as Commander in Chief of the U.S. Pacific Fleet and Commander in Chief of the U.S. Pacific Command.

ATHLETIC SUCCESS

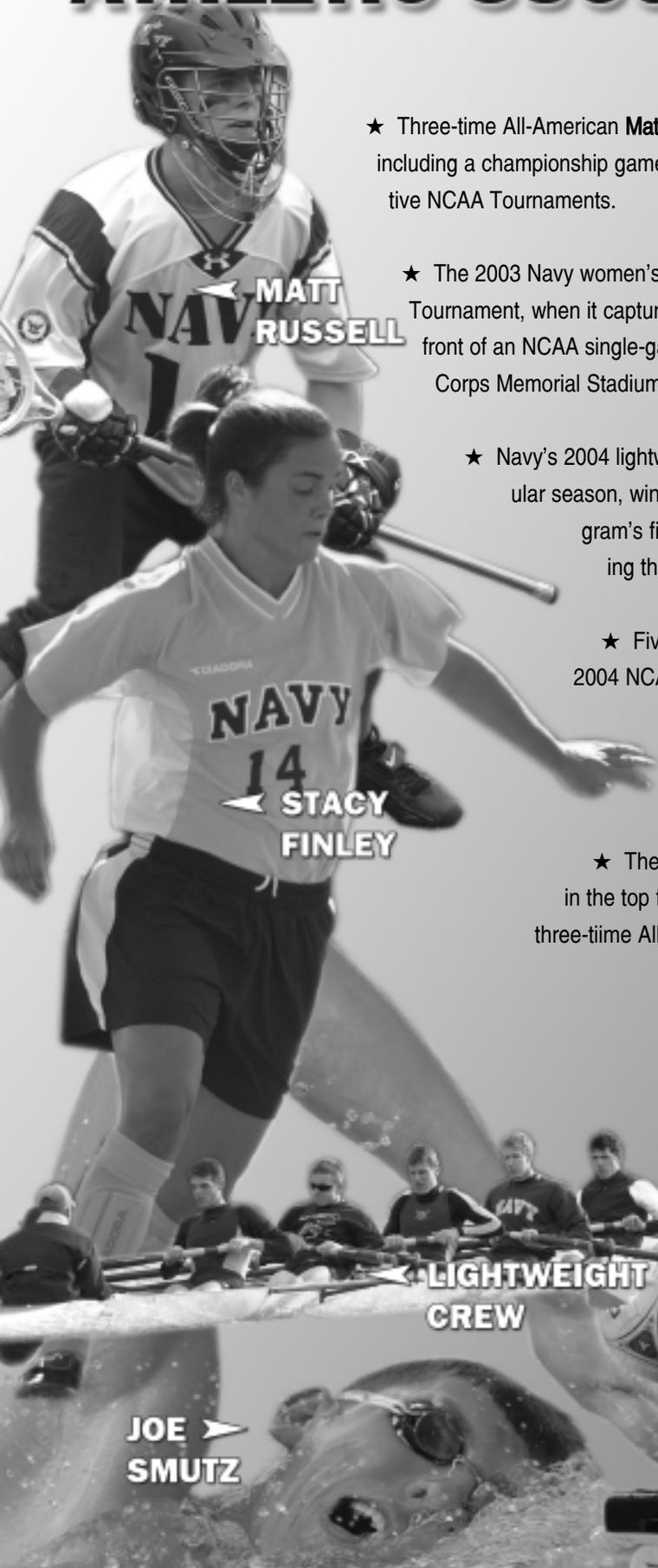
★ Three-time All-American **Matt Russell** guided Navy to three straight NCAA Tournament appearances, including a championship game appearance in 2004. Navy is just one of six teams to play in three consecutive NCAA Tournaments.

★ The 2003 Navy women's soccer team became the first Navy women's team to play in an NCAA Tournament, when it captured the Patriot League Tournament title. During the season, the team played in front of an NCAA single-game attendance record crowd of 6,527 against North Carolina at Navy-Marine Corps Memorial Stadium.

★ Navy's 2004 lightweight crew team saw its varsity boat post an undefeated record during the regular season, win the Eastern Sprints title for the first time in 42 years and capture the program's first IRA National Championship. The season was capped off by Navy's reaching the semifinal round of the Henley Royal Regatta in London, England.

★ Five members of the Navy men's swimming and diving team qualified for the 2004 NCAA Championship meet, the most by the program in over 30 years. The quintet of athletes competed in a combined 11 events at the championship, with both of Navy's relay teams garnering Honorable Mention All-America honors.

★ The Navy rifle team has appeared in 15 consecutive NCAA Tournaments, placing in the top four six times during that span. **Matt Albright** concluded his career in 2005 as a three-time All-American.



◀ **MATT RUSSELL**

◀ **STACY FINLEY**

◀ **LIGHTWEIGHT CREW**

JOE SMUTZ ▶

◀ **MATT ALBRIGHT**

★ In 2002, the Navy baseball program reached its 11th NCAA Tournament, after claiming its fourth Patriot League Tournament championship. The Mids went 1-2 at the NCAA Tournament, defeating George Washington, 6-4. The victory over the Colonials was Navy's first in regional play since 1982.

★ The resurgent Navy football team has appeared in bowl games for three straight years, winning the last two, and owning a 26-11 record since the start of the 2003 season. Quarterback **Aaron Polanco** accounted for all four touchdowns in the 2004 Emerald Bowl victory over New Mexico, 34-19, while Reggie Campbell starred in the 2005 Poinsettia Bowl, tying an NCAA bowl-game record with five touchdowns, helping Navy rout Colorado State, 51-30.

★ The most decorated golfer in Naval Academy history, All-American **Billy Hurley** led the Midshipmen to a pair of NCAA Tournament appearances during his four seasons, the last in 2003. As an individual, he was the 2004 recipient of the prestigious Byron Nelson Award and became the first Service Academy graduate to represent the United States on both the Palmer Cup and Walker Cup teams.

★ Behind the standout play of third-team All-American **Joe Donahue**, Navy reached the 2003 NCAA Water Polo Tournament for the 11th time in school history. Navy has won at least 19 games in 22 consecutive years.



★ The Navy's intercollegiate sailing program has produced 71 All-America coed sailor awards, 36 All-America crew awards and 17 All-America women's awards. Additionally, four midshipmen have been named Collegiate Sailor of the Year. Navy has won the Fowle Trophy, awarded to the best overall collegiate team performance, a record 10 times.

★ Navy's offshore sailing team (picture above) is coming off one of the best seasons in program history. The 2005 edition of Navy VOST claimed a victory in every major regatta in which it sailed, including the Kennedy Cup, McMillan Trophy, Lloyed Phoenix US Sailing Offshore National Championship and the Intrepid Cup.



AARON POLANCO

CRAIG CANDETO

BILLY HURLEY

JOE DONAHUE

ACADEMIC SUCCESS

MAJORS

Students at the Naval Academy can select one of 43 different majors within the following 19 fields of study ...

Division of Engineering & Weapons

Aerospace Engineering, Electrical Engineering, General Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Naval Architecture, Ocean Engineering, Systems Engineering

Division of Math & Science

Chemistry, Computer Science, General Science, Information Technology, Math, Oceanography, Physics, Quantitative Economics

Division of Humanities & Social Science

Economics, English, History, Political Science

In addition to graduating with a Bachelor's of Science, students can also attain a minor in one of seven different languages.

GRADUATE SCHOOL

There are no graduate school classes offered at the Naval Academy, but opportunities for midshipmen to attain a postgraduate degree at a civilian school or university are available. The ability to attend medical school, as former Navy football player Terrence Anderson '00 did, is another option.

In addition to furthering their education at schools across the country, students at the Naval Academy annually are in competition for one of the prestigious Rhodes Scholarships to study at the University of Oxford in England.

Since Navy's first Rhodes Scholar, E. Van Meter '28, a total of 43 Naval Academy graduates have received the Rhodes Scholarship, including 10 over the last six years. Among Navy's recent recipients is former baseball player Trevor Thompson '05.

COSIDA ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

Naval Academy student-athletes have been selected as an Academic All-American by the College Sports Information Directors of America 42 times over the years, with Mids garnering 16 awards since 2000.

The list of recent honorees includes two-time Academic All-American Courtney Davidson (women's basketball, 2003 & '04) and first-team recipients Michth Koch (tennis/at-large, 2000), Andrew Sause (water polo/at-large, 2001), Kate Macfarlane (soccer, 2002) and Trevor Thompson (baseball, 2005).

Navy student-athletes garnered a pair of Academic All-American awards last season, with Sean Blackman (gymnastics) and Kirsten Andrews (cross country/track & field) each earning third-team accolades.

GRADUATION RATES

The Naval Academy athletic program is ranked the best in the country among the 117 schools with Division IA football programs in graduation rates according to a report released by the NCAA in January.

Top Five Graduation Rates Among Division I-A Schools

Rank	Institution	Graduation Rate
1	Navy	99%
2	Notre Dame	98%
3	Clemson	97%
	Northwestern	97%
5	Duke	96%



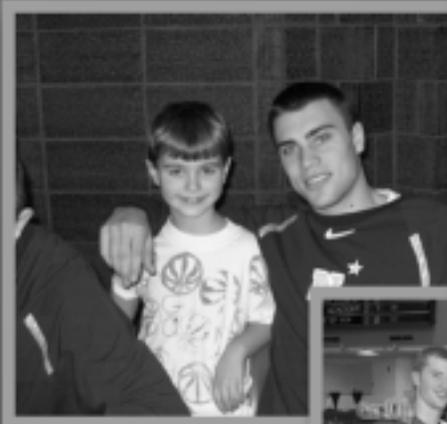
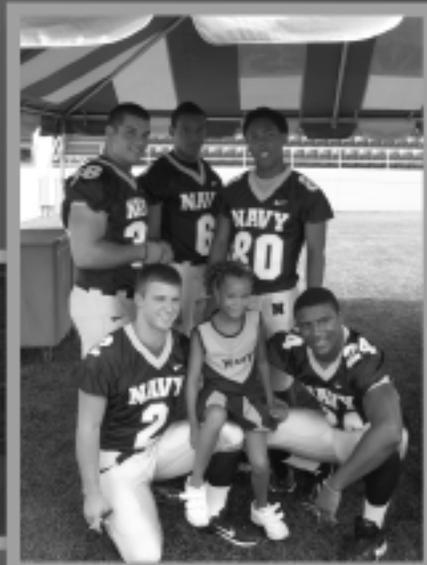
Top to Bottom: Terrence Anderson; Abi Campbell; Trevor Thompson; Courtney Davidson; Lisa Steinmetz; Nicole Annapu

MIDSHIPMEN IN THE COMMUNITY

One of the challenges we continue to face is helping our children understand the importance of education and helping them realize that lofty goals are attainable. With an increasing number of collegiate athletes dropping out of school early to pursue lucrative contracts in the professional arena, we are left with the question "who are our children's role models?"

At the United States Naval Academy, the Midshipmen have to balance the rigorous requirements of education, athletics and basic military training. With Navy athletes competing at the Division I level, the demands of their sports heighten the importance of maintaining solid grades. Navy is one of the few Division I schools in which all athletes must meet stringent academic expectations. This is what makes our Midshipmen such tremendous role models, successfully maintaining that balance between athletics and academics at a highly competitive level.

The Naval Academy Athletic Association works with local schools to expose youth to the Midshipmen, with the hope of providing a lasting impression. Typically, in assembly style, the Midshipmen speak to the students about life at the Academy, the experiences of competing in Division I athletics and what they've learned while at Navy, in addition to answering the multitude of questions that the students have.



Sailing Tradition at Navy

The U.S. Navy has long understood knowledge, confidence and respect for the sea instilled through sailing helps to make better naval officers. Therefore, the U.S. Naval Academy's sailing program is second to none. Sailing opportunities at the Academy range from the basic sail training given during the summer to every incoming plebe, to the Command and Seamanship Training Squadron during summer training, to the pinnacle of the sport, the varsity intercollegiate and offshore teams. When you join the Naval Academy sailing team, you are joining a program that has a tradition of helping an individual find out exactly how good he or she can be.

The sailing team is headquartered in the Robert Crown Center, a modern building on the banks of the Severn River. It houses the administrative and coaching offices, team classrooms, locker rooms and equipment repair and storage facilities. The Robert Crown Center also houses the Intercollegiate Yacht Racing Association Hall of Fame which exhibits many of the North American collegiate trophies, plaques and half-models, as well as the All-America lists, representing the achievements of the 70 years of intercollegiate sailing. In addition, the Naval Academy's sailing trophies and awards are on display in the Hall.

Adjacent to the Crown Center is Santee Basin, the mooring area for the Naval Academy's 250-plus sail training fleet including the 20 Navy 44s, six donated offshore boats, 12 J-24's, 22 420s, 22 FJs and 136 Lasers used by the sailing teams. Practices and racing take place on the Severn River and the Chesapeake Bay.



The Robert Crown Sailing Center at the
United States Naval Academy