



## Newsletter

Summer 2013

### Class of 2017 WELCOME



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The Academy has accepted four students from Colorado who will report for Indoc July 2nd, 2013. Spencer Blauw, Emily Finnin, Michael Havenar and Patricia Ormond.

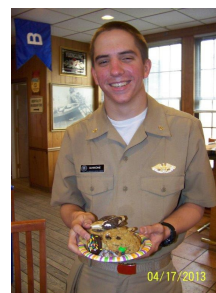
Our NMMI students are: Kyle Dietz, Austin Haire, Douglas MacDonald and Stephen Richy. They start in Roswell, NM August 1st.

### Cookie Cafe



### Class of 2013 CONGRATULATIONS

Our Colorado Seniors graduated June 17th!!  
Casey Roth, Daniel Thacker, Grant Johnson, Jim Ensz, Kathryn Schmidt, Ryan Moorman, John Lee and Kacey Rohloff



### New Board Elected 2013-2014 School Year

President: Iannone, Dianne	Facebook: Bixler, Steve
Vice President: Skogen, Kirk	Fundraising: NOT FILLED
Secretary: Pike, Stuart	Graduation: Skogen, Kirk
Treasurer: Watson, Deb	Hospitality: Miller, Robert/ Regina
Alumni: Truett, Ed	Newsletter: Hill, Kristin
Birthday Cards: Ensz, Lisa	Nomination: NOT FILLED
Boodle Bags: Price, Karen	Recruitment: Miller, Robert
CASAB (Ball): Skogen, Chris	Webmaster: Miller, Robert
Cookie Café: Rice, Ann	

We don't have our dates yet for the Colorado sponsored Cookie Café. In the mean time just enjoy the happy faces!

There is two positions that remain to be filled for the 2013-2014 Academic Year: **Nomination** and **Fundraising**. Please see if you can spare the time to contribute to the Association. Contact Association President, Dianne Iannone for details. [dianne@iannone.info](mailto:dianne@iannone.info)

### Reminders

1. Become a member, pay your dues. <http://www.usmmaparents.com>
2. Get reloadable King Soopers and Safeway Cards. <http://www.usmmaparents.com>
3. Check out our other fundraisers. <http://www.usmmaparents.com>
4. Get your reservations made for Parent Weekend in September.
5. Consider volunteering for the open Board positions

## Birthday Cake



Thomas Hill's 20th birthday at the Academy.

For \$ 20 you can order a birthday cake to be delivered during lunch (Monday—Friday) to your Midshipman's table. The cake is large enough to share with all the table mates. A picture will be taken and emailed to you. Contact NANA Services at (516) 773-5308

Please submit birthday pictures to share!

## Important Dates 2013—2014

July 1	Membership Dues due to Treasurer
July 2	Class of 2017 report to Indoc
July 25	Beginning of 1st Trimester
Sept. 6-8	Acceptance Day/Parents' Weekend
Oct. 5	USMMA Colorado Parent Association General Meeting
Oct. 25	End of 1st Trimester
Nov. 1-11	Fall Break A Split ready for Sea
Nov. 13	Beginning of 2nd Trimester
Nov. 26-Dec. 1	Thanksgiving Leave
Dec. 28	31 <sup>st</sup> Colorado All Service Academy Ball (CASAB) Colorado Springs

## Good Reads

*The Way of the Ship: America's Maritime History Reenvisioned 1600—2000* by Alex Roland, John Wiley and Sons (2008)

*Shinano! The sinking of Japan's Secret Supership* by Captain Joseph F. Enright, USN, St. Martin's Press (1985)

*Sunken Nuclear Submarines* by Viking Olver Eriksen, Norwegian University Press (1990)

## Midshipmen and Recruits Everywhere and Not Enough for a Crew?

KP's off-shore sailing team just got back from an awesome time competing in the 25th anniversary of Block Island Race Week. A damper to the fun was the Naval Academy's off-shore team showing up with their TP 52 and blowing everyone out of the water in the Around the Island race. KP has TWO of these beautiful and fast million dollar boats which have been donated to the Academy, and yet they sit because KP's off-shore team doesn't have enough manpower to crew them!

Time at the waterfront is a great way for recruits to escape some of the drudgery of INDOC and regimental life. Sailing adventures with the off-shore team each weekend is perfect for finding a bit of relaxation without DI's and squared corners on a variety of top-of-the-line, high-end vessels. The KP Sailing Foundation has two Swan 42's, two TP 52's, a Melges 32, a Soverel 33, and a 74' sailing yacht they take down to Bermuda every other year as well as other boats all over the country for the Midshipmen to enjoy. Check out this short video of the team practicing at Block Island; be sure to turn up your sound.

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=H3MVL7xpAk&feature=youtu.be>

Submitted by Karen Price



## Important Links

track the flight when your Midshipman is travelling by air.

<http://flightaware.com>

track their ship.

<http://www.marinetraffic.com>

Colorado Parent Association Facebook Page:

<https://www.facebook.com/USMMAColorado?fref=ts>

Colorado Parent Association Web Page:

<http://www.usmmaparents.com>

Colorado All Service Academy Ball:

<https://coloradoasab.org/Home.html>

Long Island Railway/Bus reloadable card:

<https://www.easypaymetrocard.com/vector/static/accounts/index.shtml>

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## USMMA Students from Colorado

Please help with information to fill out this table. Submit to kehill55@gmail.com

	Company	Major	Split	Other	Sports
<b>Class of 2014</b>					
Cannon, Casey	1st		A		
Dodge, Donald	Band		B		
Hodges, Kelly	2nd		A		
Lucero, Christopher	4th		A		
Maloney, Christopher	2nd		A		
Morrow, Marie	4th		A		
Nowacki, Krzysztof	3rd	Deck	A		
Skogen, Nicholas	2nd		B	EMT	
<b>Class of 2015</b>					
Bixler, Justin	4th		B		
Cowden, Weston	1st	Engine	A		
Harvey, Lynae	Band		B		
Heimbrock, Adam	3rd		A		
Miller, Alexander	4th		B		
Ormond, Diana	1st		A		
Pike, Jonathan	2nd		A		
Price, Elliott	4th	Deck	A		
Queen, Paige	Band		A		
Rice, Patrick	1st		A		
Silva, Kiel	2nd	Engine	A		
Walter, Cassandra	2nd		A		
Watson, Bernard	2nd	Engine			
Wehking, Shawn	2nd		A		
<b>Class of 2016</b>					
Guettlein, Jeremy	1st	Engine			
Hill, Thomas	2nd	Engine	A	EMT	Cross Country
Iannone, Weston	3rd	Deck	A	EMT	Color Guard Waterfront
Kirk, John	1st	Engine	A		
McMahan, Kevin	1st	Engine	B		
Otterson, Alec	4th				
Robbins, Nathan	4th	Engine	A		Football
Sawicki, Gus	2nd	Engine	B		LaCrosse
Smith, Rachel	1st	Engine			Volleyball
Valdiconza, Luke	3rd	Engine	A	EMT	
<b>Class of 2017</b>					
Blauw, Spencer					
Finnin, Emily					
Garcia-Lance, Danielle	4th				
Ormond, Patricia					
Havenar, Michael					Swimming