

NORTHROP GRUMMAN

THE APPRENTICE SCHOOL BUILDER BULLETIN

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APPRENTICE SCHOOL**

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**CLASS OF 2004
APPRENTICE SCHOOL
GRADUATION
JANUARY 21ST**



- ✓ GREAT COMPANY
- ✓ GREAT PRODUCTS
- ✓ GREAT PEOPLE
- ✓ GREAT RESULTS

THE LIBRARY AT THE MARINERS' MUSEUM



The Library opened to the public on October 29, 1933



Susan Berg, Director and Vice President

The Library at the Mariners' Museum sits behind the Fine Arts Center. Although it appears to be small in size, it's actually a large facility. It has over 1,750,000 items of Maritime history which consists of journals, photographs, and maps. The Library also houses a large collection of ship logbooks, ship plans and drawings. This is not just another library filled with maritime history. It's special because Archer Huntington is the founder. Does the name Huntington ring a bell? It should because Archer is the stepson of our very own founder Collis P. Huntington. With such an extensive and rare collection of journals, ship log books and plans this library is considered as a large research center.

When you walk into the Library you will be greeted by a knowledgeable and dedicated staff member of Susan Berg, the Director and Vice President of the Library. Her staff consists of Marc Nucup - Archives Technician, Jerry Conrad – Chris Craft

Collection, Jennifer Anielski – Library Assistant and Technical Services, and Gregory L. Cina – Assistant Archivist. These staff members would be glad to assist you in your research. The hours of operation are Monday – Friday 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. except during major holidays.

For you boat lovers, the Library has something special just for you. The Library has Chris-Craft Archives that date from 1922 to 1980. If your boat was built during these time frames you will be able to find the plans and manuals for your boat. The next time you have a research paper to do, think of The Library at The Mariners' Museum first. Where the staff members are friendly, knowledgeable, and dedicated to your success.

By Linda McMillian



Builder Basketball schedule

Men's Basketball

Cabrini College	7pm November 22
Averett University	7pm December 15
West Virginia State College	1pm December 18
Concord University	6pm January 5
Lincoln University	4pm January 15
Chowan College	7pm January 19
Virginia Wesleyan College	7pm February 2
Southern Virginia University	6pm February 22

Women's Basketball

Lady Builder Invitational	6pm November 19
Lady Builder Invitational	1pm November 20
Mount Olive College	6pm November 29
University of Mary Washington	5pm January 12
Lincoln University	2pm January 15
Wesley College	6pm January 18
VA Wesleyan College	5pm February 2
Meredith College	5pm February 14

EDITORIAL LEAVING THE BULLETIN

This is the last time I will be writing for the bulletin. I have been elected ASSA President for 2005, and I would like to take a minute before I go and thank my staff. I have had a great staff this year and could not have done it without them. We have gotten every Builder Bulletin out on time this year, and they have worked hard all year. Kareem Solomon will be taking charge this year. Kareem is an X11 Apprentice who has done a great job in his short time working with us. Linda is also leaving our staff; she is our 2005 ASSA Treasurer. David Culpepper, or as you may know him Dip Daddy, will be leaving our group this year to become the 2005 ASSA class committee chair. Thank you to all who read the Bulletin. I have left it in great hands, and I hope I am leaving it better than I found it.

By: David McDade

Rock and Bowl

For those of you who didn't get the chance to attend the Rock n' Bowl on Halloween, it was a blast! The Apprentice School had a huge turnout, 25 lanes were full of your fellow classmates and workers knocking down pins and drinking some "bowling juice". But no Halloween event would be complete without a costume contest. The winner for most original costume was Laura Brown with her Marilyn Monroe costume and the winner for the best costume was Julie Martin's son as one of the Ninja Turtles. Big thanks to anyone who came out and took part in one of the most fun events this year.



Baltimore Orioles Trip

*This years Rock and Bowl
costume contest winners*





The Apprentice School is pleased to announce a student chapter for the Peninsula Jaycees. Membership in the Peninsula Jaycees is open to anyone between the ages of 21 and 40. It includes the membership in the U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce and Junior Chamber International. Come joins us for our first chapter meeting.

Date: December 8, 2004

Location: Apprentice School Auditorium Bldg. 14

Time: 4:15 P.M.

Mark your calendars and come join us for a fun and exciting beginning. See you there!

Holiday Fun Quiz

Use the missing words or word fragments in the film titles below to make a festive phrase.

The ___ maker
___ Golden Pond
Battlefield ____
Thelma ___ Louise
____ Hunting
The Road ___ Perdicion
The Sum of ___ Fears
____ in Black

Trades Day

Trades Day marks the end of the home games for the Builders football team. This year Trades Day was made all the more special because The Apprentice School's team completely shutdown and shutout Southern Virginia University with a 20 to 0 upset. It was the first home game shutout since 1994 when the Builders shutout Chowan College with a 33 to 0 victory.

The game initially started out slow and had a scoreless first quarter, but the tempo picked up when after The Apprentice School recovered a fumble on the 50 yard line and drove on to the in zone with a series of passes from Goodman to Ben Brown and David Gilchrist. David Washburn put the icing on the cake by making the extra point and giving The Apprentice School a 7 to 0 lead.

In the third the builders continued to dominate the field by stopping SVU's first possession dead in its tracks. SVU was forced to punt and pinned the Builders on the first yard line. Unfazed the Builders put their passing game into affect and began a 99 yard drive to the in zone, 89 of which were made by passes from Goodman to Travis Reid, David Gilchrist and Ricky Doles. Once again David Washburn came through with the extra point and the Builders had a 14 to 0 lead.

The fourth was nothing but bad news for SVU. The Builders held the Knights on downs and then began a 64 yard drive to the end zone to wrap up the game with a 20 to 0 score.

Holiday Fun Quiz Answer

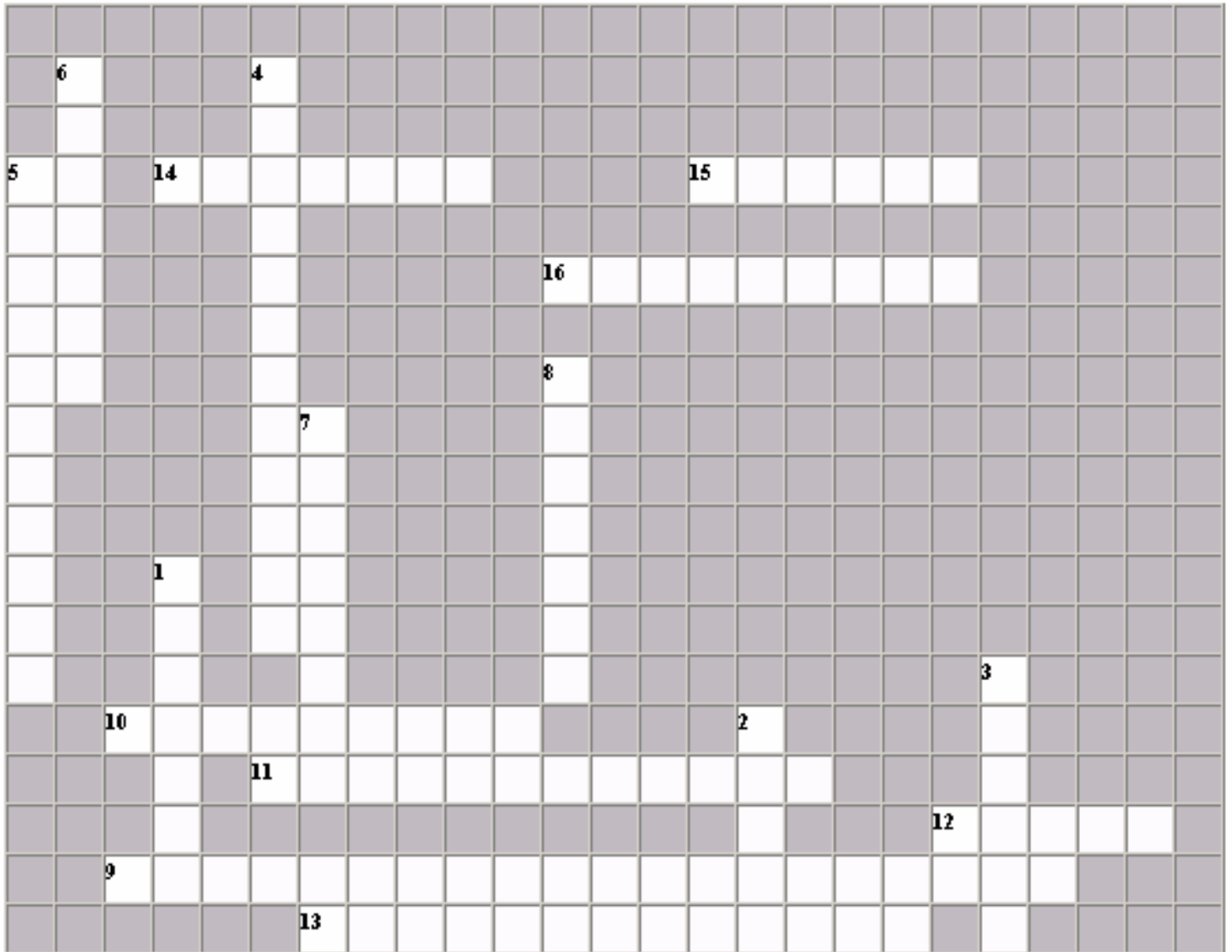
The PEACEmaker
ON Golden Pond
Battlefield EARTH
Thelma AND Louise
GOOD WILL Hunting
The Road TO Perdition
The Sum of ALL Fears
MEN in Black

And the phrase is:
PEACE ON EARTH AND GOOD WILL TO ALL
MEN. (Merry Christmas everyone)

2004 Season Football Record

Sept. 4 Kean 17, NNA 14 (OT)
Sept. 11 Frostburg St. 14,
NNA 0
Sept. 18 Brockport 52, NNA
6
Sept. 25 NNA 19, CHOWAN
6
Oct. 2 Salisbury 57, NNA 13
Oct. 9 NNA 20, Ran.-Macon
15
Oct. 16 Wesley 55, NNA 7
Oct. 23 Buffalo St., 30, NNA
19
Oct. 30 NNA 20, SOUTHERN
VA. 0

Christmas Crossword



Down

1. This reindeer didn't get to play all the reindeer games.
2. They're vertically challenged and work in Santa's Workshop.
3. Nickname for Santa Claus.
4. Another name for Santa.
5. St. Nick is called this in the Netherlands.
6. On Comet on Cupid on Donner and _____.
7. Italy calls Santa Claus this _____.
8. Australia's version of Santa Claus is called _____.

Across

9. Biggest event of the year for The Apprentice School.
10. In England Christmas is called _____.
11. December 13 there is a Christmas party here.
12. On Dasher on Dancer on Prancer and _____.
13. The Irish celebrate this day instead of Christmas.
14. Where is the Christmas Diner Dance being held.
15. How Santa gets around on Christmas Eve.
16. Location of Santa's secret Lair.



Holiday Shopping/Parking Tips

As the holiday season has come upon us already, I figured that some necessary Christmas shopping tips might come in handy . . . so I went to Yardnet and copied the rules (and added a few) for parking in NGNN lots. These same rules should be applied to commercial parking lots as well. Good Luck out there:

- **Rule No. 1**--When waiting for a parking spot, stop in the middle of the road, don't signal, and orient your car diagonally to prevent others from passing.
- **Rule No. 2**--Always park on the lines, taking up as many spots as possible. Diagonal parking is preferred.
- **Rule No. 3**--In a crowded parking lot, if you find a spot and have the opportunity to pull through to an adjacent one, drive up halfway and stop on the line, taking both.
- **Rule No. 4**--As you pull into a spot, if you see that the space ahead of you is empty and you see another driver signaling to take it, pull though and take it from him.
- **Rule No. 5**--Always park close enough to the adjacent car so that the other driver must grease up with Vaseline to squeeze into his or her car.
- **Rule No. 6**--When getting out of your car, hit the adjacent vehicle with your door really hard.
- **Rule No. 7**--When driving through the parking lot, ignore the painted lanes and drive diagonally from one end to another at a high rate of speed.
- **Rule No. 8**--When stopped in front of a store and waiting for a friend/relative to make a purchase, make sure that you are stopped in the middle of the road. The same rule applies to picking up and discharging passengers.
- **Rule No. 9**--When a vehicle from the opposite direction is signaling and waiting for a parking space, position your car so that you are in his way and let the car behind you take it.
- **Rule No. 10**--If you have handicapped license plates, use up a regular parking spot.
- **Rule No. 11**--If you hit the adjacent car with your door and leave a dent, wait for a car, which is painted the same color as yours, to drive down the aisle looking for a place to park. Then back out, giving up your spot like "Mr. Good Guy," and park somewhere else.
- **Rule No. 12**--If the vehicle in front of you stops to let a pedestrian cross or another vehicle turn, pull into the lane of opposite traffic and attempt to pass him/her.
- **Rule No. 13**--When exiting a shopping center into a busy road, exit through the narrow "ENTER ONLY" driveway, stick the nose of the car into traffic, and wait.
- **Rule No. 14**--When driving through a parking lot with alternating one-way aisles and angled parking spots, drive the wrong way. Then when you see a parking space, take 20 minutes to do a 12-point turn to pull into it.
- **Rule No. 15**--Always leave your shopping cart behind or tightly between parked vehicles.
- **Rule No. 16**--Empty your ashtrays on the ground in shopping center parking lots. While you're at it, dump out all the garbage, too, including that Wendy's or McDonald's bag sitting in the back seat from breakfast.
- **Rule No. 17**--If you are forced to change an infant's diaper in a parking lot, leave the soiled diaper under the car next to you.
- **Rule No. 18**--When another vehicle is waiting for you to pull out of a spot in a crowded parking lot, take your time. Adjust the mirrors, your seat, and the radio. Roll down your window, light a cigarette, and eat your lunch. Feel free to go through your shopping bags and look at what you just bought.
- **Rule No. 19**--When pulling into a parking spot, if there is a shopping cart in the way, lightly tap it with your bumper and send it rolling into another car. Then, when you step out, if the cart is still too close, push it down the parking lot aisle and let it go. While the cart is flying solo, turn around and walk toward the stores.
- **Rule No. 20**--When walking back to your car in a busy shopping center, gesture to other drivers waiting for a spot to make them think that you are getting in the car and leaving. Then walk between the cars to the next aisle and do it again.
- **Rule No. 21**--When shopping at the mall, which requires you to load your bags into the car and go back in to do more shopping, do NOT tell the driver who is sitting patiently watching you load your car and signaling for your spot.

Rule No. 22--If you back into a parked car, and the driver isn't with it, take out a piece of paper and start writing. This is especially effective if there are 15-20 witnesses. On a piece of paper write, "There were ___ witnesses when I hit your car. They think I'm writing my name, address, and phone number."