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Brian Van Aken '84
Tim Brennan '87
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Dave Fillis '96
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Alexey Dubrovin '96
Joe Garin '01*

HEIDMAR TO RECEIVE ACTA NON VERBA AWARD

Heidmar Inc., which is the proud National Title Sponsor of the Blue & Gray Golf Classics, will receive the 2008 Acta Non Verba Award at the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy during Homecoming 2008.

Since its inception in 1994 by the officers of the Blue & Gray Club, the Acta Non Verba Award is the highest honor presented by the USMMA Department of Athletics. The achievement honors an individual or organization who has gone far beyond expectations in support of Kings Point Athletics.

Through the efforts of former owner **Per Heidenriech** and current President/CEO **Tim Brennan '87** and Director of Operation Control **Captain John Hill '67**, Heidmar was one of the first corporate sponsors of the Blue & Gray Golf Classics, which are national golf tournaments that benefit the USMMA Athletics Department. Heidmar was the Gift Sponsor from 2001-2002 and increased its financial and promotional commitment by becoming the National Title Sponsor in 2002. Heidmar enhanced its partnership again by extending its title sponsorship to the year 2010.

"The Department of Athletics is truly appreciative of Heidmar's long term commitment to the Blue & Gray Golf Classics," said Susan Petersen Lubow, USMMA Director of Athletics. "Heidmar's presence and endorsements have taken the golf outings to a new level attracting more and more participants. Thanks to Heidmar's generosity and the success of the Blue & Gray Golf Classics, we are continually able to enhance our athletic department and remain competitive at the national level."

Heidmar is a global leader in the marine transportation industry. Heidmar's primary focus is on Pool and Commercial Ship Management, Derivative Trading and Information Technology. Heidmar provides value-added services to its customers and partners. The company's corporate headquarters is located in Norwalk, CT with offices in London and Singapore.

Past recipients of the Acta Non Verba Award include Robert J. Lavinia '70 (1994), James Babson '44 (1995), Milton G. Nottingham '44 (1996), John "Jack" Brooks '44 (2000), Louis J. Carr '61 (2002), John C. Mandel '64 (2004) and George E. Hall '82 (2006).

STEVE WARE '71 TO RECEIVE THE FIRST "SKIP" PROSSER ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The USMMA Athletics Department will unveil the "Skip" Prosser Achievement Award during Homecoming 2008 and **Captain Steve Ware '71** will be the first Kings Pointer to receive this honor.

Ware, who was a former San Francisco Bar Pilot and now principal owner of BayDelta Maritime in San Francisco, epitomizes the very essence of everything "Skip" Prosser '72 represented and stood for. Ware's undying love and never ending sacrifices for Kings Point and Kings Point Athletics along with his continued efforts to help others are a true testament to his unselfishness.

The "Skip" Prosser Achievement Award will be presented annually to a USMMA Alum who epitomizes the true spirit and qualities of "Skip (George Edward) Prosser '72. Skip's qualities included honesty, integrity, dedication and determination to serve others. In his work, he was an educator, motivator and a leader. He made a difference in the lives of all the student athletes he worked with.

Prosser, was Head Basketball Coach at Wake Forest University, is the only head coach in NCAA history to take three separate schools to the NCAA Tournament in his first year coaching the teams. He passed away on July 26, 2007 of a heart attack in his office at Wake Forest. He was 56.



The 2008 Acta Non Verba Award and the 2008 "Skip" Prosser Achievement Award will be presented at Melville Hall at the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy on the evening of Friday, September 26, 2008. For tickets or to place a journal advertisement in support of Heidmar or Steve Ware, please contact, Susan Petersen Lubow at 516-773-5454. Tickets for the event are \$75 per person.