
PEOPLE TALK 03-22

9 July 03

1. 2004 Slate Update: We plan to begin the formal slating process in July. No decisions on jobs for 04 have been made yet. We will keep you posted as the slating develops, and will contact individual officers with final decisions before publishing any announcements .

Summary of changes since 24 June 2003:

ADDED:

Commanders:

- **USSOCOM Command Support Group (CSG): LCDR Brown (new billet)**

DELETED/CHANGED: None

<<UPDATED 2004 Rollers List 18 Apr 03.xls>>

2. Selection Boards: The release process for selection boards can be tracked at: <http://www.persnet.navy.mil/selectbd/index.html> on the NPC website. If you go to your particular board (e.g. O-5 Staff) and follow through to Release Process and click on the board date, you will be able to track the status of the board results and release.

3. Detailer "Line Up": That Time of the Year!!**

Please take note that there are two new Detailer names below. LCDR Jim Protin has reported on board from duty on CNO's personal staff where he served as Assistant Special Counsel. Jim is a Law Education Program officer, who brings with him prior experience as the CJA, USS STENNIS, a hard charging team member at NLSO San Diego and pre-JAG service as a Submarine Officer on board USS PERMIT (SSN-594) and USS NEBRASKA (SSBN-739). He has completed turnover with (newly promoted) CDR John Kauffman, and will take the reins next week after John detaches. Jim's wife, Trish, and their three children (Katy, AJ, and Abby) arrive here in mid-July to soak up some of the Tennessee summer sun.

LT Bob Passerello has also reported on board. He will relieve LCDR Joel Doolin as our new Accessions/Recruiting Detailer. Bob arrives from Naval Justice School, where he was a Civil Law and Military Justice instructor. Bob has also served as SJA, NAS New Brunswick and at NLSO MidLant in Norfolk, in addition to prior service as a Marine. His family, including wife, Robin and two children (Gabriella and Robert) are now here settling into their new home in sunny downtown Bartlett.

WELCOME ABOARD, Gentlemen!!

The bitter part of this turnover, of course, involves the loss of LCDR Joel Doolin and CDR John Kauffman.

Joel has literally revolutionized the JAGC Recruiting and Accessions world. He designed a web-based applications process, which became a proto-type for Navy Recruiting Command, and broadened our net to ensure we had JAGC officers, reserve and active, available to recruit at practically every law school in the nation. In addition, he formalized the accessions process to guarantee a fair, impartial and competitive selection board. His great work can be seen by the outstanding quality of the new JAGC officers we all work with everyday. Joel, his wife,

Colleen, and four children (Patrick, Kat, Molly and Jack) will be sorely missed here, as they point north towards Naval War College in Newport, RI. BZ Joel, and best of luck to you and your family!!

CDR John Kauffman has been a stalwart here at NPC and in the JAG organization, as our O-4/LEP detailer. He has made improvements to our PG School program to ensure both the longevity and long-term excellence of the program for a future generation. John was our money man; he made sure we kept within budget and went around with a tin cup when we were broke to keep everyone moving. If you are thankful that you were not bow-waved this year, thank John! As the Deputy, he made my transition here practically seamless and helped run the shop with a steady hand and kept things in perspective with his great wit. John, who promoted 1 July, Darcy, and their two children (Katie and J.C.) head west next week toward Lewis and Clark School of Law in Portland, Oregon, where John will study environmental law in preparation for that challenging practice. Thanks, John, and Fair Winds and Following Seas to you and your clan.

- **Senior Officer (O-5/O-6) Detailer (PERS 4416)**: CDR Jon Fink, 901-874-4081 (DSN 882); jonathan.fink@navy.mil
- **O-4/Augmented O-3 Detailer (PERS 4416b)**: LCDR John Kauffman, 901-874-4082 (DSN 882)); john.kauffman@navy.mil
- **Prospective O-4/Augmented O-3 Detailer (PERS 4416b)**: LCDR Jim Protin, 901-874-4082 (DSN 882)); james.protin@navy.mil
- **O-3/LDO Law Detailer (PERS 4416c)**: LCDR Caren McCurdy, 901-874-4083 (DSN 882); caren.mccurdy@navy.mil
- **Accessions Detailer (PERS 4416e)**: LCDR Joel Doolin, 901-874-4084 (DSN 882); joel.doolin@navy.mil
- **Prospective Accessions Detailer (PERS 4416e)**: LT Bob Passerello, 901-874-4084 (DSN 882); (email to follow)