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would like former company mates to send him their current addresses and phone numbers; Tom's address is 5305 Andrew Drive, Wescosville, Penna. 18106.



Michael T. Kelly

I have just a few final notes. **Michael T. Kelly** is Vice President for Human Resources with Recognition Equipment Inc. I received a letter from **Craig McLain '69**; he had some information for **Glen Davis** about a lost Class Ring. I have been unable to get in touch with Glen, and **Mike Daily** has also made some unsuccessful attempts. If anyone has information about his whereabouts please let me know. Mike, incidentally, is doing well in his consulting business in San Diego. I spoke to **Pat Bole** the other day; he was in El Toro for a conference. Pat and Robin are doing well at China Lake. **William Brown** called from Austin; he's finishing up his year of church work in Austin and heading back to Dallas in the fall to finish up his theological studies at SMU. William may be attending Navy Chaplain's School this summer. That's about all I have to report — Maryk and I leave El Toro in July and report to Monterey in August — stay in touch.

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As you can see by last month's *Shipmate* and this present column, **Bill Millward** has joined me

and will try to get the East coast and some of the black shoe news to *Shipmate* every month. We have had a tremendous drop in news and letters the past two years so after talking to **Pete Grieve**, we decided to regionalize and try to market ourselves a little better. I know you are all out there somewhere! Part of this is to make a big push towards our 10th Reunion which is only two years away. There are a few things we need to look at now. One, start a committee for the Reunion. We would like some people who are stationed in the Annapolis area and will be there for the next few years to help spearhead this effort. We really should be out looking for a place to hold the Reunion now. We are also very interested in finding out the level of interest in putting together some ideas and funds for a gift to the Alumni Association or the Academy. You can refer to your annual fund drive information that was sent to you this spring. We thought we could present this gift at our 10th Reunion. We desperately need your comments. You can write Bill or myself with your ideas.

Congratulations to those who graduated from Postgraduate School in Monterey in April. The list includes George Sullivan, Bruce Burkett, Mickey Ross, Ed Garcia, Keith Haney, Larry Simmelink, Clifton Cooksey and Joel Wilson.

Richard Snead and his wife Missy are the proud parents of twins! Richard and Laura were born March 26th at Norfolk General Hospital. They will leave Norfolk as engineer of USS CINCINNATI and will be moving to Washington for their first shore duty since graduation. Richard's orders are to Naval Reactors. **David Jones** married the former Mindy McCauley in March at the Naval Academy Chapel. They moved to San Diego where David will be the engineer in USS PORTSMOUTH.

Dan Ryan left London in May and is now working in Washington as a program officer. **Kevin Quinn** and his wife Jo Ellen are in San Diego, **Nick Padula** is working as a curricular officer at Postgraduate school in Monterey and **Nick Episcopo** is stationed at Camp Pendleton. **Mike Sturm** and his wife Adonness are the proud parents of their first child, Joshua Michael, born March 10th.

Received a great shot of some of the Charleston 77ers at a St. Patrick's party. From left to right: Brad and Kim McDonald (USS VON STEUBEN), Dan and Ruth Sigg (USS HENRY CLAY), John and Nonie Bird (USS SEA DEVIL), and Dale and April Govan (USS NATHAN HALE).

Hope we can get the ball rolling again. Please drop us a line this summer with news and ideas on our Class direction. **Dan Busch**

East Coast News

I was pleased to hear from some of our Classmates up at Department Head School in Newport. Several were mentioned in last month's column from Classes 85 and 86. Bruce Burkett, John Melear, Mickey Ross, Vince Washington and Joel Wilson are also here as members of Class 87. They are all enjoying the super weather that the rest of us missed this winter.

I would like to take this opportunity to mention that my wife, Jane, gave birth on 19 April to a healthy 8 pound, 2 ounce boy. We have named him John Howe. For all you future fathers of America: if you haven't had the opportunity to share in the actual birth "evolution" as a coach or bystander, I highly recommend it. You will, as I have, finally find out where babies come from! While we're still waiting for your cards and letters to arrive, I thought that I would take the time to mention where some of our '77 submariners are stationed. Marcia and **Ron Miller** with son Charlie



St. Patrick's Day

are in Groton where Ron is the RadCon Officer at the Naval Submarine Support Facility. They have just purchased a home in Gales Ferry and will rotate to SOAC in October. Speaking of SOAC, Sue and **Jeff Caufield-James** are there now — along with their four children. Twins Devon and Dustin were born in February where they joined 19-month-old twins, Kevin and Lindsey. Can you imagine — four kids under two years of age? They are super parents! I also heard that **Joe Walsh** is in Groton as Engineer in the City of Corpus Christi. Cheryl and **Mark Kenny** are in Norfolk now where Mark is Navigator in USS MINNEAPOLIS/ST. PAUL. They should also be new parents by the time you read this. Patty and **French Caldwell** and their two children are also in Norfolk. French is hard at work in the yards as Engineer in USS BATON ROUGE. In Charleston, Susan and **Tim Lorentz** keep busy with Tim's Engineering duties on a fast attack sub and chasing after their two kids, Katie and Patrick.

If you missed last month's remarks, we're looking for someone interested in being West Coast correspondent. This will even out the load and expand the column so there will be more news for you from different communities. If you are interested, please drop Dan or me a line.

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