

ANCHORAGE

THE START OF A NEW ERA

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As the year 2007 draws to an end, it is that time again when we look forward towards ushering in the New Year. Moving ahead in preparation for this, we felt it timely to initiate an electronic newsletter to disseminate current information relevant to our close-knit team here in NSSPL.

The main aim of this newsletter is to keep everyone concerned abreast of the latest "IN-HOUSE NEWS"/social events & announcements. We intend to churn periodical issues of this newsletter on a quarterly basis.

Hopefully with your feedback and suggestions, we are confident that the forthcoming issues will be relevant, informative and well accepted by all.

Promotions

Congratulations to our New Captains and Chief Engineers

Capt Moses D Kodzitse, APL Lilac
 Capt Chen Zhong Ming, APL Pusan
 Capt Zhao Xiao Cheng, APL Dalian
 Capt Vishal Nanda, APL Hibiscus
 Capt Siva Das P. Singh, APL Cairo

Chief Engr Roshan Turkey, Jurong Balboa
 Chief Engr Lim Woon Heng, APL Vietnam
 Chief Engr Liu Shi Bing, APL Amazonite
 Chief Engr Rui Chao Sheng, MOL Velocity
 Chief Engr Kang Xiaodong, APL Cairo
 Chief Engr P. Kottayil Johar, APL Dalian
 Chief Engr Gu Yi Shou, APL Pusan
 Chief Engr Htun Win, APL Zircon
 Chief Engr Zhou Guang Hua, APL Hibiscus



Changes in Head Office

New Appointments @ FPD

Capt. Lee Chee Seong - Director
 Capt. Leong Soon Huat - FPD Supt.
 Capt. Mustafa - Welfare Supt

Changes @ SQE:

Roving Marine Supt = Capt. Edmund Dominic Rozario
 Capt. Solomon George has been seconded to APL

Changes @ FAD:

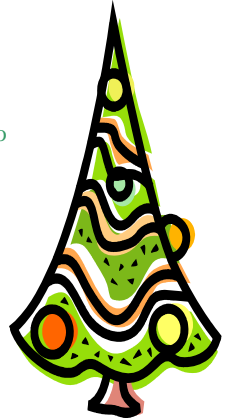
New accounts officer = Mr. Nicholas Koh

New Appointments @ TD

Ng Choon Yong - Tech Supt.
 Leong Chee Keong - Tech Supt.

New Technical Assistants

Eileen Ng
 Bryan Chua



News Snippets.....

- ✦ 2-wall mounted 42-inch TVs, one to display our fleet vessels current locations superimposed on a world map & current weather condition, and the other displaying the current world news (CNA) *Come check it out!*
- ✦ *Anyone for coffee?.....* Then come visit our very own **STARBUCK coffee corner** at the crew lounge while waiting for our FPOs to process your sign on/leave formalities & documents.
- ✦ New APL boilersuits with retro-reflective tapes, and it will be Grey this time. *Should be ready sometime early 2008, so lookout for it!*
- ✦ Our very own **NSSPL crew transport service** in Singapore when you go on shore leave !.....from the gangway to VIVO city..... no hassels. *We have arranged to provide convenient, regular service for you when you go ashore, exclusive only for NSSPL crew !!*
- ✦ *All MASTERS & CH.ENGINEERS please come and collect our gift for you when you visit the office. It is a book entitled " The Rules Of Management". Please come and collect your personalized copies soon !*



CONGRATULATIONS

To our Chairman, Mr. Goh Teik Poh, for his promotion to Chief Human Resources Officer with effect 1st- Jan -2008. He will now join the ranks of the Senior Management Staff in APL & will also be a member of the GET (Group Executive Team)



New Arrivals...

Congratulations to

Capt Teoh Beng Teik
 Capt Ting Heng Soon
 Capt Kumar Thiagarajan
 C/O Peng Chu xing
 C/O Yi Wen Hao
 C/O Wu Sheng
 C/O Jiang Hai Chao
 C/O Goh Kuan Hoe
 C/O Izhar Bin Awalluddin
 C/E Peh Koay Lee
 C/E Loke Wai Kuen

Editors Note:

To have your little ones photos published, please send in their Photos with name and DOB written at the back of photo.



Goh Kuan Hoe Jr.



Peng Chu Xing Jr



Yi Wen Hao Jr.

NSSFTD: Drydock Schedule 2008

Vessel	Drydocking Dates	
APL Cyprine	8-Jan-08	29-Jan-08
APL Coral	1-Jan-08	14-Jan-08
APL Iris	18-Dec 07	8-Jan-08
APL Topaz	16-Feb-08	8-Mar-08
APL Pearl	12-Feb-08	4-Mar-08
APL Amazonite	9-Apr-08	30-Apr-08
Hyundai Garnet	14-Apr-08	5-May-08
APL Balboa	08-Jan-08	30-Jan-08
Colombo	28-Dec 08	13-Jan-08

NSSMTD:

1. Handling all matters relating to cadets Welfare, Training & Deployment. Organising all training programmes & seminars ashore.
2. Eight vessels have been selected from the fleet as training ships where four of these will have about 10 Engine cadets on each and the other four with the same number each of Deck cadets. Each of these vessels will have a Training officer assigned. This allocation will last for about 2 months per batch to prepare them for deployment to fleet vessels. These designated training ships are additionally equipped with Lap-top simulators and the relevant reference text books.
3. BBS "train-the-trainer" course was conducted in Sept by Dr. Victor Tai

NSSITD:

1. New communication system/network set-up onboard vessels. Some selected vessels have been fitted with one of the following service providers viz; Superhub, Telaurus, France telecoms sky file, Iridium voice (back-up) & [Mail-@-Singtel](#).
2. New NSSPL website page design will be on the air soon.

BIZ-A:

- Management Vessels:- 2007
1. CSAV Peru at Hamburg - 16/2/07
 2. El Lobo at China - 10/5/07
 3. APL Beijing at Kao - 23/5/07
 4. APL Vietnam at Kao - 25/7/07
 5. Hanjin Ningbo at Japan - 19/7/07

We have managed to increase our fleet of MANAGEMENT vessels for this year and this is expected to grow further!!

NSSSQE:

- List of Vessels scheduled for External Audits:
1. APL Dalian, ISM Renewal on 29-Dec-07 at Singapore
 2. APL Holland, SQE&ISPS Initial on 26-Dec-07 at Singapore
 3. Hanjin Ningbo, ISPS Initial on 03-Mar-08 at Singapore
 4. APL Vietnam, ISPS Initial on 02-Jan-08 at Pusan

Wedding Bells

Congratulations to these 3 Lucky Gentlemen

2/E Teh Fong Lei
 2/E Loh Yu Kuan
 C/O Cheah Swee Kin

Editors Note:

For all the eligible bachelors/bachelorettes out there who are still unattached..... Remember the scout's motto = "If at first you don't succeed, try & try again" only this time, keep trying HARDER.

Bachelorettes ! Please note - the above list of persons are now UNAVAILABLE !!strictly Hands off!



Mr. & Mrs The Fong Lei



The FPD Team....

Standing L to R

LiNa, Diana, Melinda, Shervina, Hui Pin

Seating L to R

Capt Leong, Capt Lee, , Alec, Capt Mustafa

Our Motto....

**A Happy Ship is A Safe Ship
 &
 Do the Right Thing**

Last Words... It is very apparent that our progress & growth depends much on your contribution and dedication. To stay viable as a company providing QUALITY service in the ever challenging Shipping industry, we have to keep our operating cost at a competitive level, what with the escalating cost of bunkers nowadays. We believe that this is achievable only if you are contented and loyal. Hence to meet these challenges, we aim to be innovative and improve the welfare of our most precious commodity YOU the seafarer *Together we will forge ahead and soar like the eagle,*

to face the challenges in store for the New Year and the years to come!

Seasons Greetings & A happy New Year !! Safe Seas & Pleasant voyages ahead!! A note of appreciation to Melinda Chew & all contributors.