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SOMERS ALUMNI!

We hope that this newsletter finds you well as we enter the Spring season! This is the second of many Somers Schools Alumni Association newsletters, which will be published periodically. Please let us know if you have interesting news you would like to share with other alumni and we will be happy to publish it in a future newsletter. Are you getting married, having a child, or have just started a new job? Let us know at info@tuskersalumni.org. If you have any ideas on educational or mentoring events we could hold at the Somers schools, please let us know! Additionally, if you have web publishing experience, or would like to contribute to this newsletter, please email us!

COLLEGE & CAREER NETWORKING

If you would be interested in mentoring a Somers High School student or a young alumnus on college or career options, please contact us at info@tuskersalumni.org. With your help, we can continue the tradition of excellence in the Somers schools!

SSAA SPRING EVENT IN NEW YORK CITY ON SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 2005

The Somers Schools Alumni Association Spring Event will take place in New York City at Thady Cons (915 Second Avenue between 48th & 49th Streets – the SSAA Event will be in Thady Cons' upstairs lounge) on **Saturday, April 2, 2005, starting at 9:00 PM**. All non-Somers alumni friends and family are also welcome to attend – the more the merrier! A \$10 donation is suggested at the door which, as always, will be used to fund future SAT tutoring for students in need of financial assistance, in-school assemblies, and upcoming Somers student functions. Please note that this is an age 21 and older event, and no one under age 21 will be permitted entry to Thady Cons. If you have not yet responded to the Evite, please do so as we are trying to get an idea about the number of people who will be attending. Our party in October 2004 was a great time for everyone and we are expecting a much larger crowd at this event. If you would like more information, or would like to add someone to the Evite, feel free to email us at info@tuskersalumni.org. Please keep an eye out for more events in 2005, and let us know if you have any suggestions as to where we can hold them! We hope to see you all on April 2!

ALUMNI NEWS

- EarthLink employee **Scott Glatzer '90** was selected to represent the company in an upcoming television and online advertising campaign to highlight Earthlink, who was named #1 in the JD Power and Associates ranking for customer service. The campaign, named "You Decide", features several spots with two EarthLink employees competing to win a prize. Scott is competing against another employee, Layne, for a company car!
- **Sahir Islam '98** was recently seen on the "Jeopardy!" Ultimate Tournament of Champions, following his 1997 Teen Tournament win. We're proud of you, Sahir!
- **Rick Stanton '97** proposed to Nicole Westervelt of Fishkill, NY earlier this year. A June 2005 wedding is planned. Congratulations!
- **Marc Birnbach '92**, CEO & President of Avenue Z Productions, has scheduled the shooting of many music videos including Seattle Mariner's Scott Spiezio with his band Sandfrog, Diecast (Century Media Records), and Bio-Hazard's Live Concert DVD. Marc recently united Avenue Z Productions with the Music Video Production Alliance (MVPA - Los Angeles) and has ventured into donating his services with high-profile Non-Profit Organizations such as Bette Midler's New York Restoration Project (NYRP).



CLASS OF 1985 REUNION THIS SUMMER

The Class of 1985 Reunion is scheduled for Sunday, July 3, 2005 at Sciortino's Restaurant in Somers, NY. Please contact Maureen Fitzpatrick Mullaney at mmullaney@somers.k12.ny.us for more information. We hope to see you all there! Keep checking our website for upcoming information about the Class of 1995's Ten Year Reunion.

WEST COAST GET-TOGETHER?

Several alumni have contacted us showing interest in having a West Coast reunion, possibly in the San Francisco Bay Area. Please email us at info@tuskersalumni.org if any of you would be interested in coordinating this effort. We look forward to hearing from you!

SSAA KEEPS ON GROWING!

The Somers Schools Alumni Association keeps getting bigger! We currently have over 860 alumni contacts in our database. Please continue to tell your former classmates about us, and have them email their contact information to us at info@tuskersalumni.org.

We wish you a happy and healthy Spring! Please continue returning to our website, www.tuskersalumni.org, which was designed by **Jessica Palmer '94** - it's constantly being updated as our organization grows. Keep in touch, and we hope to hear from you soon!

Regards,

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