Congratulations to Steve Kinsey on his spontaneous wit and creativity at last Friday's drinkathon when he suggested the winning sobriquet for the newsletter. Steve, this Bud's for you!

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What's on your mind? Drop us a line and we'll print it in a Letter to the Editor.

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WHO'S DOING WHAT WHERE
(Departmental News)

BON VOYAGE Dr. Byrne and crew!

RECYCLING! Please join the Recycling Czar in being environmentally conscious - deposit computer and Xerox paper in the box in the copy room.

AN AWARD CEREMONY for recipients of the Gulf Coast and Lake Fellowships will take place on Oct. 10 at 11:30 p.m. in the MSL Conference Room.

UPCOMING SEMINARS

TGIF (Fridays, 4:00 - MSL Conf. Rm.)

Oct. 6 - Jon Rast is still going to talk about copepod DNA and what he didn't accomplish in Catalina, CA.

Oct. 13 - Toedsit Netratanawong will illuminate us on the mineralogical identification of clay minerals by F.T.I.R.

Oct. 20 - Kitack Lee will speak about high temperature titration of amorphous silica.

DEPARTMENT

Oct. 11 - Roy Crabtree - Tarpon

Oct. 18 - Jack Briggs - Global Extinctions, Recoveries, and Evolutionary Consequences

ACTIVITIES

IN THE PAST:

Thank you Marcus for the Big Birthday Blowout! (alliteration -- pretty impressive, huh?) Trivia Question of the Week: How many pounds of chicken wings were consumed? (See next newsletter for titillating answer.)

VOLUNTEER CORNER

Students are needed to speak with 4th and 5th grade students about tides and currents on Mondays, Wednesdays or Thursdays in Oct. or Nov. between 9:30 - 11:30. Presentations should last about 1/2 hour. 3 presentations are necessary. Volunteers are needed to give 1 or more lectures. See Lynn Leonard for details.

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!! SEE - Larry Doyle in skin-tight spandex pants and a revealing tank top!

Now that we've got your attention, be a Superstars volunteer - faculty and staff are encouraged to participate. Everyone who is anyone will be there (plus there's free food!) See Tamara Pease if you can help out.

Also, the USF Superstars team is looking for a few good people.