

# 1977 CLASS NOTES

**March-April 2006**

Had plans to attend Club Officers Weekend in Hanover during Winter Carnival Weekend. However, the Dartmouth Club of Washington hosted its Annual Alumni seminar the same weekend. So, it was "Decoding the DaVinci Code", and as I serve as the Continuing Education Officer, I was not able to make it.

During Class Officers' Weekend, our class was presented with a "Special Recognition Citation" by the College for our success in organizing various class 50th birthday parties in March (on the 77th day of this year). The Citation reads: "In pursuit of excellence, Dartmouth College recognizes with deep appreciation the extraordinary achievements of The Class of 1977 2005 Special Recognition..." Congrats to all and special thanks to Mini-Reunion Chair **Leslie Bradford, John Storella and Peter Mills** for pulling the major events together. For those interested in organizing smaller local celebrations, however informal, it's not too late and the Class will still fund such an event for up to \$50 per person.

Add us to the list of parents of soon-to-be Dartmouth 2010's. **Jeff Lyon's** son, Jason just got his early admittance back in December. According to Jeff, his son is a pretty good distance runner, and hopes to be doing Cross Country and Track at Dartmouth. Jeff's oldest daughter, Kate graduated in June as a '05.

This summer, Mark Fidler had his seventh (7<sup>th</sup>) children's novel published: Two-Faced Forward. Last year, another one of his books, The Call of Sagarmatha, won first place in the Arizona Book Awards (Children's Literature). The sponsoring organization, The Arizona Authors Association, can be found at [www.azauthors.com](http://www.azauthors.com). Information on all his books is at [www.markfidler.com](http://www.markfidler.com).

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