

## Highlights on Harborlight Alumni

### *Interview with Jackson Schultz, Harborlight Class of 2006*

In a few short weeks, Jackson Schultz will be graduating from Brewster Academy, a four year, co-educational boarding school located in Wolfeboro, New Hampshire, on the shores of Lake Winnepesaukee. Like Harborlight, Brewster encourages its students to engage in collaborative learning, with support for the individual, helping each student to grow intellectually, socially, physically, emotionally, and personally, always respectful and rewarding, empowering and challenging. Jackson went from one nurturing environment to another, well prepared, continuing to learn at his own pace.

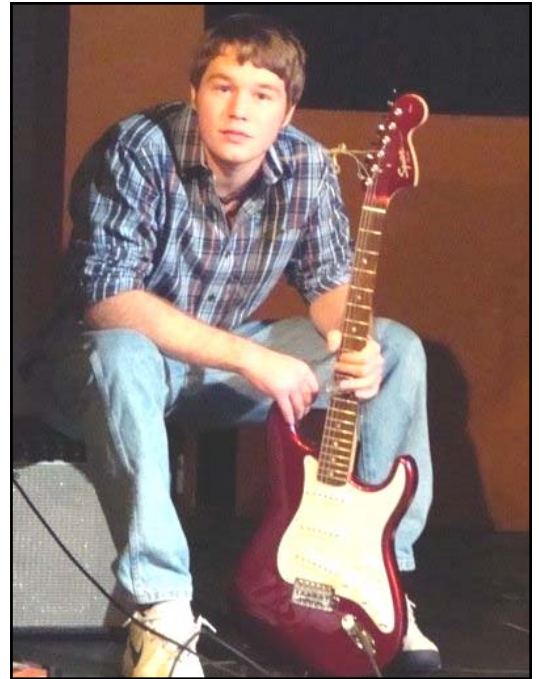
Since few of Harborlight's students go on to a boarding environment, we asked Jackson to give us some insight on what it has been like. "Boarding school is different. You live away from home, and you're with your friends all the time. I think it takes a certain maturity to be able to do that, but also, you are able to have teachers with you all the time helping you and making sure you're staying on task. It is really the best of both worlds in my opinion, and it makes coming home much sweeter."

Brewster has also expanded Jackson's interests inside and outside the classroom. It's more than history or English or math (which he used to hate, but now enjoys). Jackson plays lacrosse, continues to play guitar (a talent inherited from his father, a professor of Jazz Composition at Berklee College of Music), and has worked on community service projects every year at Brewster.

Come fall, Jackson will be enrolled in the Honors Program at Salem State College, and transferring to Mass Maritime in the spring of 2011, where he will pursue Marine Transportation, a Bachelor of Science degree program that prepares students for careers as licensed ship's deck officers.. It's a good thing he has learned to like math, as he'll be taking Algebra & Trigonometry, Calculus and Applied Math at MMA.

Where will Jackson be in four years? "Who knows. If I do in fact go with the Marine Transportation route, I could be off the coast of China, Hawaii, Florida, you never know! All kidding aside, I see myself working on some kind of a ship, whether it be a cruise of merchant marine vessel."

Fondest memory at Harborlight..."just the overall interactions with people, and Liam's accent :)."



*Zach Whitten & Jackson Schultz*



### Where is the Class of 2006 going?

Robyn Dion  
Bentley College

Karina Gaft  
Brandeis University

Lisa Goddard  
Brown University

Sarah Goddard  
Brown University

Lawrence Newbury  
(Unknown at publication)

Jackson Schultz  
Salem State College/  
Massachusetts Maritime Academy

Lauren Sieminski  
Springfield College

Lenyx Theriault  
Year off - hopes to travel to Australia