

PIRATES of the BLACKHAWK



June 10, 1995

Fort Walton Beach High School

ROLLIN' on the RIVER

A Message From Captain Billy Bowlegs XL

As my reign comes to a close, I want to assure each of you that this year was "not taxing on my time" because of all the hard work and dedication of everyone associated with the 1994/1995 Krewe. Unfortunately, space does not allow me to express my heartfelt appreciation individually to each of you who, indeed, made this an "extra large" year.

Rollin' on the River has taken us to the Grand Casino Biloxi (using the word "taken" literally); to Mobile's Mardi Gras with Le Krewe de Bienville; to Springtime Tallahassee; to the Florida Heritage Festival in Bradenton; to the Old Spanish Trail Festival with Los Caballeros Espanoles in Crestview; and to Fiesta of Five Flags in Pensacola with the Order of Tristan DeLuna, Krewe of Lafitte, and the Mayoki Indians. What memories Carlee and I have of each of these trips.

I could not have made a better selection than you, Queen Cissy, for many reasons. Lynne being the first. Ha, ha. Your total disregard of the "Queenly Rules" has indeed made this a most fun-filled year. I would not have wanted it otherwise. Your day to day "unending" devotion to Krewe business made Captain Billy's job much less demanding. I know Cessie is proud of you. To French, the "Lackey", thanks for being my best friend and letting the Krewe borrow Cissy for the entire year. To my lovely wife, Carlee, I would never have made it without you. This year, as you have done for 26 years, you spoiled me. Thanks for all your and Gresham's patience and support during the year. To Bob and Pam, you have been unbelievable from the first day. No one has put more effort, been more efficient, organized, loyal and totally supportive than each of you. Thank you seems to be too little for all your work. I know I could not have chosen a better First Mate and Mistress. To Lynne and Charlie a special thanks for taking care of my most important responsibility all year long.

Special thanks also goes out to Jim Kendrick (Captain Billy Bowlegs XVI) for coming "out of retirement" a second time to do the design and artwork on these beautiful sets. They are spectacular.

No year could be a success without a great Executive Secretary. I was blessed with two. Thanks for all your hard work, Helen and Carol.

Last, but not least, I want to sincerely thank my Honor Guard, Board of Directors and their wives, and the Parents and Children of the Court for making this the "extra large" year it indeed was. Words cannot express my sincere gratitude. I love and owe each of you so much.

This year has brought many new friends and unforgettable memories. To all of you who have had a part in the festivities of "Bowlegs Week" and this Bowlegs year let me express my sincerest thanks for your help and your support. To my successor, Billy Bowlegs, XLI, his Queen, First Mate and Mistress, Honor Guard and Children of the Court, I wish you well in your upcoming year. I am sure your year will be as enjoyable as mine.

William Scott "Scotty" Foster
Captain Billy Bowlegs XL



Captain Billy Bowlegs XL

— Scotty Foster

Queen

Cissy Brown



**Captain Billy Bowlegs XL, Scotty Foster, Queen, Cissy Brown
First Mate and First Mistress Bob and Pam McTyeire**



1994-1995 Krewe of Bowlegs Board and Parents of the Court



Krewe History

The 1957 Bowlegs Festival souvenir program lists the original membership of 75 men. Today, many Bowlegs members are second generation pirates, carrying on the tradition set forth by their pirate fathers. Roger Clary, Captain Billy Bowlegs II, served as the first Captain Billy under an organized charter.

As indicated by the Constitution & Bylaws, Krewe membership is limited to 170, plus the former Captain Billys. Each Captain Billy automatically becomes a member of the Society of Bowlegs, otherwise known affectionately as our SOB's.

Hours of talented volunteer time, plus sizeable sums of money are expended each year by Krewe members and their wives. Colorful floats, beautiful decorations, and numerous throws are utilized by the Krewe plus custom made costumes are worn during the parades, pageant, and coronation ball. The masked Krewe members shower the public each year with souvenirs trinkets, "gold" doubloons, and the crowd favorite - cups.

A new Captain Billy is selected each year from the Krewe membership by secret ballot. The past seven Billy's are solely responsible for the secret nominations. Once the new Billy is selected, he chooses his Queen, First Mate & Mistress, ten Honor Guard men, and the Children of the Court. The identity of the entire court are kept secret until the elaborate Coronation Pageant.

The late Docie Bass, Captain Billy Bowlegs IV, was the first to select his queen from the Krewe membership. Previously, the Queen's were "captive wenches" and beauty contest winners. Past Queen's belong to the Society of Queens, and perform many functions for the Krewe including the annual tea for graduating senior girls (daughters and/or granddaughters of Krewe members). These young ladies serve the court as Princesses and are presented at the Coronation Pageant. Both the graduating senior girls and boys are invited to the Coronation Ball following the Pageant.

The Skirmish takes place between the City of Fort Walton Beach Militia (Walton Guard) and the Bowlegs Krewe. Armed with black powder cannons and muskets, the Militia perform a colorful and noisy defense when they engage the Krewe in battle on the Sound.

William Augustus Bowles, a notorious old boy, so the legend goes, and patron pirate of the Billy Bowlegs Festival and the Krewe of Bowlegs, was born in 1763 on the Maryland frontier. At the age of 13, he joined the Loyalists Corps to fight against the American rebels. Two years later he was sent to Pensacola to join the British forces. He was commissioned an ensign in the British navy at 16 years old. After the war, he rebelled against military life, insulted a British officer, and went into hiding with the Creek Indians, (so the legend goes!) He married a tribeswoman, a chief's daughter, and in 1781 was welcomed back by the British to help battle the Spanish at Pensacola. During that time the British, Spanish, and Americans were maneuvering for control of the Gulf Shores and its shipping lanes. Believing himself destined to command instead of obeying orders, Bowlegs gathered a force of a "couple of hundred plundering Indians, relics from the American army, and white banditti".

This rollicking piratical crew grew to be the concern of all three of the power hungry countries. Captain Billy created his own throne and the three nations considered everything from murder to a general's commission to get him on the right side. Financed by loot from a Spanish ship and surrounded by a handful of Indians, Captain Billy invaded the British society for support. He was rewarded with a flag of "English and Indian colors mixed", a silver pipe, a tomahawk, a chain of friendship, and trade supplies with which he formed the State of Muskogee. He was eventually captured by the Spanish and shipped to Madrid, Spain. While being shipped to the Philippines, he jumped ship and returned to his "state" and greater deeds of piracy. However, all "good" pirates must have an end, and Captain Billy's came after he was lured to peace talks and there betrayed by his Indian troops. The Spanish imprisoned him in Cuba in the infamous Morro Castle, and there on December 23, 1805, Captain Billy died at the age of 41.

Two centuries later the memory of William Augustus Bowles lives on in the annual Billy Bowlegs celebration. To the Emerald Coast, Captain Billy left a heritage of pirate tales, great adventure, and buried treasure.

BILLY



William Scott "Scotty" Foster, Captain Billy XL, is a partner in the law firm of Anchors, Foster, McInnis & Keefe, P.A., where he practices real estate and estate planning law. An Alabama native, he holds a bachelor's degree in finance from the University of Alabama, where he was a member of Sigma Nu fraternity, and a juris doctorate degree from Cumberland School of Law, Samford University. Scotty also received a master's degree in taxation from New York University and is a member of Phi Delta Phi, the American Bar Association, the Florida and Alabama Bar Associations and also the Okaloosa County Bar Association.

His civic activities included membership in the Fort Walton Beach Chamber of Commerce, the Sertoma Club, the Executive Committee of the Miracle Strip Chapter of the University of Alabama, the Advisory Board of White-Wilson Medical Center, the Fort Walton Beach Rotary Club, and the Emerald Coast YMCA Board of Directors. Scotty has served on the Krewe board for a number of years and his wife, Carlee, was Queen of Bowlegs in 1990/1991.

Carlee was born in Long Island, New York, but she has lived most of her life in the South. She holds a bachelor's degree in education from the University of Alabama and is a former second-grade and special education teacher. The Fosters live in Mary Esther, they are blessed with two sons, Scott and Gresham, and are members of St. Simon's-on-the-Sound Episcopal Church.

In honor of Captain Billy Bowlegs' XL alma mater, "The University", the brilliant color of crimson reigned the entire year. Captain Billy Bowlegs' XL costume was designed by Karen Thornton of Mobile, Alabama. His costume of crimson, silver and velvet is lavishly jeweled and topped with a black cavalier hat with plumes of black and white and a silver-lined velvet cape with a personalized crest. His sword is an authentic George VI Ambassador's small sword and was a Christmas gift from the 1994/1995 Krewe of Bowlegs Court.





Queen Cissy Brown is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mathews of Mary Esther, Florida. She was presented by her father to the Krewe of Bowlegs as a Princess in 1977. Cissy follows her mother Lynne Foster Mathews, Queen of Captain Billy Bowlegs XVI, as the first, second generation Queen of the Krewe. She attended the University of Alabama and is a member of Kappa Delta sorority. Cissy is the president of B & B Realty, Inc.

Queen Cissy is married to H. French Brown, III, the son of H. French Brown, Jr., Captain Billy Bowlegs XIII and Sug Brown, Queen to Captain Billy Bowlegs XI. French is a native of Fort Walton Beach, where he graduated from Fort Walton Beach High School and obtained a degree in finance from Florida State University. He is a senior Vice-President of First National Bank and Trust.

The Brown's have two children, H. French Brown, IV and Celeste Brooks Brown. French has been a member of the Krewe of Bowlegs since 1980, serving on the board of Directors of the Krewe for several years as a board member and treasurer. The Queen and her husband served on the Honor Guard of Captain Billy Bowlegs XXIX, Chris Johnson.

The Queen's gown is created of crimson silk satin heavily adorned by silver rhinestones, crystals and pearls. A princess line skirt is bordered by bugle beads and crystal spades, enhanced by garlands of pearls set with silver leaves. The scalloped neckline is bordered by a graceful arabesque of pearls and silver bugle beads. The pearl design and scattered rhinestones outline the rhinestone appliques. The sleeves are puffed and highlighted by rhinestone and pearl appliques, edged with pearl fringe. On her shoulders rest a large petal collar of french silk lace set with pinpoint rhinestone and iridescent crystals. A large spade pattern is replicated in the back and the whole collar is outlined by scalloped pearled and silver bead fringe. A matching crimson velvet train sweeps from her waist. At the top of the train is a replica of the Queen's crown which is depicted in silver lamé. Two silver cherubs hold the Queen's personalized crest. The Queen's royal monogram is centered below tiny banners with her children's monograms. At the base of her train is depicted a large riverboat floating on iridescent waves symbolizing this year's theme "Pirates of Blackhawk, Rollin' on the River". The riverboat is created of pearls, rhinestones and silver braids. Her dress and train were designed by Pam McTyeire, First Mistress, XI and made by Ms. Karen Thornton of Mobile, Alabama.

The Queen's crown is made of Australian Crystals. Depicted in crystal is a riverboat, a crest with the initials of her children and an "A" for her alma mater, the University of Alabama, it is also the alma mater of her Captain Billy. The Queen's crown was designed and created by Mr. Tommy, Dynasty Collections of Mobile, Alabama.





First Mate Robert A. McTyeire

Bob grew up in Birmingham, Alabama where he attended school, while spending all his summers here in Mary Esther. He received a B.S. degree from the University of Alabama and served in the Alabama Air National Guard. After graduating, he remained in Tuscaloosa, Alabama until moving his residence and business to Mary Esther.

Bob is the owner and chief engineer of Ram Sound, now in its 23rd year. The company sells professional sound equipment and provides complete production services for major festivals and concerts throughout the U.S. Bob has worked as sound engineer for numerous entertainers that include Kenny Rogers, Bonnie Raitt, Spyro Gyra, Dave Brubeck, Dolly Parton, Robert Palmer, Wynton Marsallis, Tom Jones, as well as The Righteous Brothers to The Police. Besides Ram Sound, he is a professional product consultant to Klipsch Professional, Inc. in Hope, AR; on the Board of Directors of Iron Art, Inc. in Birmingham, AL; and is Secretary/Treasurer of Navarre Beach Land Company. He also is a charter member of the Alabama Music Hall of Fame Nominating Committee and is listed in the 1st and later editions of Who's Who in Entertainment.

Bob has been an avid sailer, musician, and private pilot, but currently spends his free time boating and fishing. His favorite quote: "I couldn't live without music and hot spicy food, but could certainly do without mimes and squirrels."

Since becoming a member of the Krewe of Bowlegs, Bob served on the 1992-93 Honor Guard of Captain Billy Bowlegs XXXVIII, Harry Barr. He was Co-Chairman of the 1993 Coronation Ball and also a Co-Chairman of the 1993 Holly Ball. For 1994-95 Bob worked on designing projects from the men's costumes to the cups and huggies. Obvious "Hut-A-Holics", Bob and his wife Pam, have enjoyed adding their creative talents to many Krewe projects.



First Mistress - Pamela H. McTyeire

Pam, the former Pamela Huffstutler, is a native of Birmingham, Alabama where she attended high school and received the Scholastic Gold Key for Achievement in Art. She continued her art studies at the University of Alabama while also earning a B.S. degree in Social Work. Pam married Bob in 1978 and lived in Tuscaloosa, Alabama prior to their moving to Mary Esther.

Besides working full time as a technician for Ram Sound, Pam is a professional artist painting out of her studio in Mary Esther. She paints in a variety of styles using acrylics, oils, and watercolors. Much of her work is inspired from traveling throughout Europe and the United States. Besides winning numerous awards exhibiting in regional and national juried shows, Pam's work is in private and corporate collections across the U.S. She is represented by art galleries in both Florida and Alabama. She is an active member of the Fort Walton Beach Art Museum and the Arts and Design Society of Fort Walton Beach.

Pam also has been putting her artistic talent to work for the Krewe of Bowlegs designing decorations for the 1993 Coronation Ball, the 1993 Holly Ball and assisting with the 1994 Coronation and Ball. For the 1994-95 year, she designed her own costume, all the honor Guard ladies costumes, and assisted Queen Cissy and Karen Thornton (Mobile, AL) in designing the Queen's dress and train.

The McTyeires attend the First Church of Christ, Scientist and reside in Mary Esther, close to Bob's family summer home.



Honor Guard

Fred J. Cochran, a Georgia native, studied industrial management in Atlanta and has been in the retail management field for twenty seven years. He and his wife, Pamela, lived in this area from 1976 to 1981, then moved to Clearwater, Florida, where Pam owned and operated a furniture store. Since returning here in 1987, they have owned Casual Creations furniture stores in Ft. Walton and Destin. Fred currently is president of the Ft. Walton Beach Rotary Club, serves on the Salvation Army's advisory board. Pam is a member of the Junior League of Ft. Walton Beach, they both are members of the Fort Walton Beach Chamber of Commerce and the Chamber of Commerce's Host Council.



John T. Brown, a native of Fort Walton Beach, is the great-great-grandson of John Thomas Brooks, who moved to the area in the late 1800's and founded Fort Walton. John is a graduate of Rollins College and received his law degree from Cumberland School of Law. A practicing attorney here for nine years, he is a partner in the law firm of Brown and Kiefer and also affiliated with a number of civic organizations, including Fort Walton Beach Kiwanis Club where he is the President-elect and Director of the Emerald Coast unit of the American Cancer Society. John's fiancée is Kim Tucker who is a dental hygienist and is also a native of Fort Walton Beach. On her father's side the family moved into Santa Rosa County in the late 1800s. Her maternal grandmother, Kathleen Bowman is former mayor of Shalimar.

John and Kim have two boys between them, John's son, Andrew, and Kim's son, Trent.



Honor Guard

Brad Keller has been a practicing plastic surgeon for 15 years. He married Toni Wurth, an intensive care nurse, in 1993 and they live in Mary Esther. Between them they have six children, including a ski patroller/river guide in Utah, a student/snow boarder in California, a teacher in New Orleans and two girls and a boy still in high school. Toni and Brad enjoy snow skiing, boating, tennis and a bit of traveling.



Daniel R. Linn, a Florida native, is president and board member of Ivanco, Inc., an electrical contracting and life safety company operating in the Southeast and the Caribbean. He shares ownership and management with his brothers, Bob and Van. Dan is also President and C.E.O. of Koalaty Inc., a local company managed by his wife, the former Patricia Dalton. Patty was born at Eglin Air Force Base while her father was on active duty. Both graduated from Choctawhatchee High School and received further education from the University of West Florida and other area schools.

Dan and Patty's hobbies include scuba diving, water skiing and Dad's wave runner.



Honor Guard

Dale Waldorff was originally from Palatka, Florida and moved to the area with his family in 1963. Growing up in the area he graduated from Choctawhatchee High School and attended Auburn University and Florida State University. He graduated from Florida State University with a BS degree in risk management & insurance in 1981. He is currently Vice President of Waldorff Insurance & Bonding. He enjoys golf, fishing, boating, and attending FSU and Auburn Football games.

Dale is married to the former Missy Hayes of Rome, Georgia. She earned a BS degree in nursing from Auburn University and is employed at Fort Walton Medical Center as a cardiovascular nurse. Missy enjoys volunteering and serving on the PTO Board at Shalimar Elementary.

They have two children, Brent, age 10 and Jenna, age 8.



Brian K. James is a native of Cullman, Alabama who moved to Fort Walton Beach in 1990. After a brief move to Fairhope, Alabama, his family and he returned to the Emerald Coast as Senior Vice President and Northwest Florida Sales Manager for SouthTrust Bank. Brian graduated from Auburn University with a major in Finance. He obtained an MBA from the University of South Alabama and is a graduate of the LSU School of Banking. Prior to joining SouthTrust, Brian worked for AmSouth Bank for 13 years.

Brian has remained active in the community through the White Wilson Medical Center Advisory Board. Past activities include Campaign Chairman for Okaloosa Walton County United Way; Board of Directors, Fort Walton Beach Chamber of Commerce; Chairman, Downtown Development Committee; Board Member, Air Force Armament Museum; Board Member, Okaloosa Walton Community College; Past President, Okaloosa-Walton Counties Bankers Association; Fort Walton Beach Rotary Club; Member, First Baptist Church of Fort Walton Beach.

Brian is married to the former JoAnn Lowell of Mobile, Alabama. They have two children, Stephanie, age 8, and Blake, 3 months. Brian and JoAnn live in Destin where they enjoy numerous hobbies including flying, fishing, golf, and tennis.



Honor Guard

Edward A. Brown is a native of California where he earned a bachelor's degree in economics from California State University and a master's degree in business from Pepperdine University in Malibu, California. In California he was employed by Hewlett Packard as a Regional Finance Manager. Having resided in the Fort Walton Beach area for the past 4 and 1/2 years Ed has been doing income tax preparation and is the owner of a local Burger King Franchise. Ed's favorite pastime activities are golfing and fishing. His 22 year old son, Brian will follow Dad's footsteps this summer and graduate from a California State University.

Ed's wife, Anne was born in Fort Walton Beach and is the daughter of Jimmy Ready who served on the Honor Guard twice. Anne is a graduate of Southern Methodist University in Dallas, Texas with a master's degree in business. Before returning to Fort Walton she owned a business management firm serving clients in the entertainment industry. Anne has been actively involved in the community, having been in the Junior League and on the Board of Directors of Catholic Social Services.

Ed and Anne live in Mary Esther with their 4 year old son, Shaun Jamison Brown, who attends pre-school at First Methodist Church.



Jody Henderson and his wife, Cheryl, are both certified public accountants. They are members of the Florida and American Institute of C.P.A.'s.

Jody is a life long resident of the Fort Walton Beach area. He graduated from Choctawhatchee High School, O.W.C.C. and the University of West Florida. He is a shareholder at Creel, Bryan and Gallagher, C.P.A.'s. He is serving his fifth term on the F.I.C.P.A. board of Governors. He is also active in the local community. He is a Director of the Fort Walton Beach Rotary Club, A board member of the Salvation Army, Treasurer of the All Sports Association, and an active supporter of the United Way.

Cheryl, born and raised in Hattiesburg, MS, earned both a B.S. and master's degree in accounting from the University of Southern Mississippi. She is the accountant for Walton Properties.

Jody and Cheryl have two children, Kate, 3, and Ali, 1. They enjoy working out, taking their children to the beach and during this year, have become very fond of Miller Light.



Honor Guard

Art Merkle, originally from Albuquerque, New Mexico, graduated from Auburn University and received his dental degree from the University of Alabama School of Dentistry. He also obtained a specialty degree in Pediatric Dentistry before beginning his dental practice here in 1985. Art is active in the local dental society and in the youth sports of this community. He has been involved with several local teams, coaching soccer, basketball and baseball. Art currently serves as the president of the board of directors for the Speech and Hearing Center.

Carol Merkle was reared in Huntsville, Alabama and graduated from the University of Alabama and from the University of Alabama School of Dentistry where she received her dental degree and specialty training in endodontics before opening a dental practice with Art in 1985. She is active in the local dental society, currently serving as the president of that group. Carol teaches Sunday school and serves as an officer of the vestry of St. Simon's Episcopal church. She also is involved with the Odyssey of the Mind program; having coached a team from Elliot Point Elementary School for three years.

Art and Carol have one son, Drew, who is ten years old. They enjoy windsurfing, skiing and hiking together.



Alex Tringas, is a native of Fort Walton Beach, and a 1973 graduate of Choctawhatchee High School. After attending Okaloosa Walton Community College, he went to work in the family owned Cinco Cinemas. This gave him a background to form his own corporation and open Suds & Cinema followed 6 years later by Picture Show. Since selling the theaters in 1994, Alex is now Semi-retired. He serves on the board of 1st National Bank and Trust and dabbles in the stock market.

Susan is a 1975 graduate of Choctawhatchee High School. She earned her B.S. Degree from Florida State University in 1979. After teaching for two years in the Clearwater area, she moved back to Fort Walton Beach. Wanting a career change, she went to work for Gayfers. Where she worked her way up from the sales floor to management. She left Gayfers after 10 years to help Alex with his business, and to start a family.

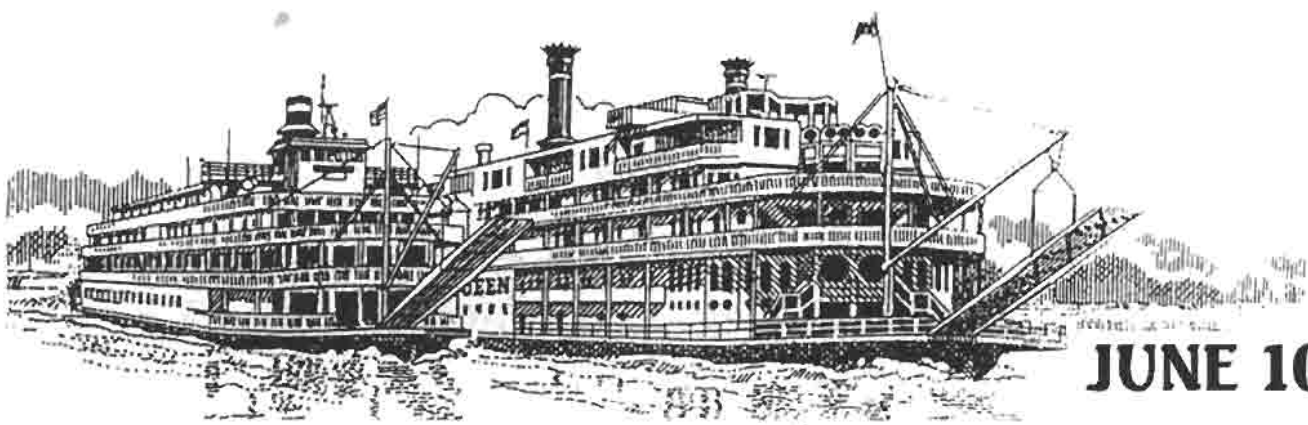
Alex and Susan have a two year old daughter named Alexis. They attend the Greek Orthodox Church, where Alex is a member of the church council.



Society of Bowlegs and Queens

I	NATHAN FLEET	DIAN SLOAT
II	ROGER CLARY	SHELIA LEWIS
III	JOHN COX	MELLIE JO PEACOCK
*IV	DOCIE BASS	KATHRYN TRINGAS
V	FINLEY DUNCAN	ALEX PATTON
*VI	THOMAS BROOKS	BETTYE WILLIAMS
VII	WILLIAM ROBERTS	JEAN LONG
*VIII	HILARY STEWART	AGNES BASS
IX	WILSON MIINGER	CAROL DUNCAN
*X	DR. HENRY C. WHITE	ELLA CLARY
XI	WINSTON WALKER	"SUG" BROWN
XII	DR. MALCOM CROTZER	"BOOT" WALKER
XIII	H. FRENCH BROWN, JR.	CAROLYN CROTZER
XIV	JUDGE ERWIN FLEET	"NEEN" (GILL) McHANEY
XV	MAURICE McLAUGHLIN	MARY ELLEN RICKS
XVI	JIM KENDRICK	LYNNE MATHEWS
XVII	CLIFFORD H. LONG	DOT BUCHANAN
*XVIII	ROBERT MORRISON	JO FLEET
XIX	JOE GUIDRY	HELEN KENRICK
XX	G.V. PARDUE	TENA McLAUGHLIN
XXI	DR. WILLIAM W. THOMPSON	MICKEY HARBESON
XXII	ROY L. RICKS	BETTY (EYRICH) KRUZEL
XXIII	WILLIAM B. HARBESON, III	KAY STOKES*
XXIV	WILLIAM E. SPAIN	SARA (BROOKS) CLEMMONS
*XXV	ROBERT C. BLIZZARD	BLANCE BRACKIN
XXVI	C. WALT RUCKEL	DONNA TRUM
XXVII	THOMAS B. RAY	JOAN SCHWEIZER
XXVIII	H. GENE SMITH	WAVA RUCKEL
XXIX	CHRIS A. JOHNSON, JR.	ADELAIDE HARRIS
XXX	KENNETH E. WILLIAMSON	GLORIA SMITH
XXXI	DR. ALEX D. TRUM	SUSAN JOHNSON
XXXII	RALPH D. FALLIN	MARTHA KILPATRICK
XXXIII	JAMES R. "RANDY" STOKES	BEVERELY ANCHORS
XXXIV	WILLIAM D. NELSON, SR.	VIRGINIA GLYNN BARR
XXXV	C. LeDON ANCHORS	DEBORAH L. ROBERTS
XXXVI	W. HERBERT TINSLEY	CARLEE FOSTER
XXXVII	JAMES M. "JOHNNY" JOHNSON, III	JEAN P. BLUMER
XXXVIII	HARRY BARR	PATRICIA B. TRINGAS
XXXIX	RICHARD L. MANLEY	LISA M. BURKETT
XL	SCOTTY FOSTER	CISSY BROWN

*DECEASED



JUNE 10, 1995

Prelude

"Showboat to New Orleans" By Debbie Schreyer

Welcome & Introductions

Denis Milonas - Master of Ceremony

Tribute to '94-'95 Princesses and Privateers

Erin Nicole Blumer
Kathleen Anne Burkland
Alison Kay Miller
Katherine Christine Watson
Merredith Ann LaMotte

Adam Gregory Artabasy
Brian John Harrison
Casey Thomas Patrick
Zachary Clark Bayer

"SUMMERTIME" Sung by Kathy Diabal

Accompanied by Sharon Henning

ACT 1

(The "Riverbloat" Blackhawk's Main Ballroom)

1994 - 1995 Arrivals

Honor Guard - "Proud Mary" Tina Turner, aka Mayoki Debra Ward

Ed & Anne Brown
Fred & Pam Cochran
Brian & JoAnn James
Danny & Patty Linn
Alex & Susan Tringas

John Brown & Kim Tucker
Jody & Cheryl Henderson
Brad Keller & Toni Wurth
Art & Carol Merkle
Dale & Missy Waldorff

First Mate and First Mistress

Bob and Pam McTyeire
"Take a Ride on a Riverboat"

Captain Billy Bowlegs XL and his Queen

Scotty Foster and Cissy Brown
"The Gambler"

The Trial

Based on Captain Billy's Proclamation as read one year ago tonight

Additional cast members in order of participation

Don Anchors
Johnny Johnson
Brock Fisher

Eddie & Pat Negron
Bill Campbell
John Linn, Sr.

Forty-First Coronation ROLLIN' ON THE RIVER

Interlude

"Can't Help Lovin' Captain Billy Bowlegs"
"He's a Pirate King"

Miriam Merriwether
Keyboard - Sharon Henning

Act II

(The Plunder)

Farewell and Fair Seas

Children of the Court
'94-'95 Honor Guard

"Yo Ho A Pirate's Life for Me"
"Take Me to the River"

Krewe of Bowlegs XL welcomes Krewe of Bowlegs XLI. It has been an "Extra Large" year being "Pirates of the Blackhawk - Rollin' on the River," but it is now time for all Krewe members to be somewhat more stabilized by being "Marooned in the Islands."

Welcome to the 1995-1996 Princesses and Privateer

Amanda Leigh Brechin
Shannon Doheny

Suzanne Ward
Nicholas Gresham Foster

"The Way You Look Tonight"

Sung by Miriam Merriwether
Keyboard Sharon Henning

Introduction of the 1995-1996 Honor Guard - "Kokomo"

Introduction of the 1995-1996 Children of the Court - "One Love People Get Ready"

Introduction of the 1995-1996 First Mate and First Mistress - "Under the Boardwalk"

Departure of the 1994-1995 First Mate and First Mistress - "Take a Ride on a Riverboat"

Arrival of Captain Billy XLI

"A Pirate Looks at Forty"

Arrival of the Queen

"Can You Feel The Love Tonight"

The Coronation

Departure of Captain Billy Bowlegs XL and his Queen

The unmasking of Captain Billy XLI and His Queen

Proclamation



Behind the Scenes

Coronation Pageant Chairman	Dick Roberts and Tom Hayes
Coronation Pageant Committee	Steve Doheny, Charlie Mathews, Art Merkle
Artistic and Set Director	Jim Kendrick
Director	Jane Judkins
Script	Dick Roberts
Stage Crew	Jim Kendrick, Greg Artabasy
Lighting Provided by	Showbiz Lighting, Mobile, Alabama
Sound Provided by	Music Exchange
Technical Advisor	Bob McTyeire
Program Design and Printing	Vitro Press & Advertising
Program Photography	Gulf Reflection Studios
Master of Ceremonies	Denis Milonas
Vocalists	Kathy Diabal & Miriam Merriwether
Accompanist	Sharon Henning
Singer - Tina Turner	Debra Ward
Altered Ego	Johnny Johnson
Judge	Don Anchors
Beach Tourists	Eddie and Pat Negron
Maid	Brock Fisher
Queenly Look-A-Like	John Linn, Sr.

Krewe of Bowlegs XL Acknowledgements

Captain Billy Bowlegs XL Costume	Karen Thornton, Mobile, Alabama
Captain Billy Bowlegs XL Landing Costume	Aggie Marler, Destin, Florida
Queen Cissy's Gown and Train	Karen Thornton, Mobile, Alabama
Queen Cissy's Crown, Earrings and Medallion	Dynasty Collections, Tommy Cain, Mobile, AL
Queen Cissy's Mask	Pam McTyeire, First Mistress XL
Queen Cissy's Hair	VIP, Margie Higgons, Niceville, FL
Queen Cissy's Landing Costume	Aggie Marler, Destin, FL
First Mate and First Mistress Costume	Karen Thornton, Mobile, Alabama
Earrings	Dynasty Collections, Tommy Cain, Mobile, AL
Honor Guard Men's Costumes	Bienville Costumes, Mobile, Alabama
Masks	Pam McTyeire, First Mistress XL
Honor Guard Ladies Costumes	Aggie Marler, Destin, FL
Earrings	Dynasty Collections, Tommy Cain, Mobile, AL
Masks	Pam McTyeire, First Mistress XL
Honor Guard, Board and Parents of the Court Landing Costumes	Aggie Marler, Destin, FL
Children of the Court Costumes	Maggie's Alterations, Ft. Walton Beach, FL
Princesses and Privateer's Landing Costumes	Maggie's Alterations, Ft. Walton Beach, FL
Make-up Artist - Landing	Bev Bain

Krewe of Bowlegs XL Executive Board

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Krewe of Bowlegs XLI Acknowledgements

Captain Billy Bowlegs XLI Costume	Karen Thornton, Mobile, Alabama
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1994/1995 Princesses

In memory of Meredith Ann LaMotte

Capatin Billy Bowlegs XL, Scotty Foster, Queen Cissy, the Honor Guard, Board and Parents of the Children of the Court wish to dedicate this Forty-First Coronation Pageant to Princess Meredith Ann LaMotte who recently passed away. Meredith was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert LaMotte. Her optimism and determination was an inspiration to us all and her memory continues on and guides us as we strive to live and enjoy life to the standards Meredith Ann LaMotte set for us all.



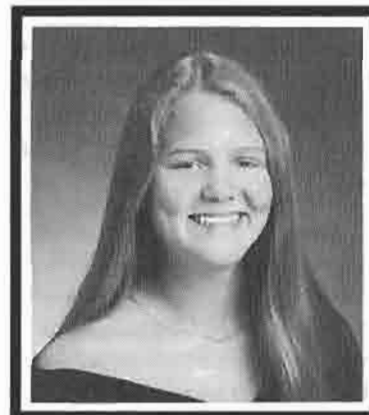
Katherine Christine Watson, daughter of M. Yonge and Christine Watson of Shalimar is currently a senior at Chotawhatchee High School. She is a member of the Indianette Dance Team, Optimist Service Club, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and secretary of the Inter-Club Council. As a freshman and sophomore she preformed on the flag squad with the Chotawhatchee Style Marchers and Winter Guard in Dayton, Ohio where they placed third in the nation. She also has been a member of Girl Scouts from 1978 and is still active in her troop. Christine is also a second year member of the Gayfers Teenboard, in which she currently serves as treasurer and dance captain. She also enjoys aerobics, arts and crafts, and playing golf. She is currently a member of Who's Who in American High School Students.



After graduation, she plans to become a counselor at girls camp this summer. She plans to attend Auburn University in the fall and major in Engineering.

Kathleen Anne Burkland, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David Burkland, is a senior at Fort Walton Beach High School. She has lettered on the varsity soccer team for 4 years. She is an officer in Keyettes and Hi-Y, and is a member of Alpha Tau Sigma. Her hobbies include boating, skiing, swimming and painting.

In the fall, she would like to attend Emory University, then enter the medical profession.





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Erin Nicole Blumer, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Phil Blumer is a senior at Choctawhatchee High School and also a full time student at Okaloosa Walton Community College, as part of the dual enrollment program. She is the daughter of the Queen of Billy Bowlegs XXXVII. She has been active in the Thaliens for the four years at Choctaw, serving as treasurer during her junior year. Erin is also involved in forensics. She is listed in Who's Who among American High School Students. Erin has attended Okaloosa Walton Community College for the past two summers and with her full time college course load this year, she will have completed one and a half years of college when she graduated from high school. Erin is interested in environmental causes and animal rights, and her hobbies include poetry and drama.



Erin will attend Okaloosa Walton Community College for one more year after graduation, and then plans to attend Auburn University.

Alison Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jerome Miller of Fort Walton Beach is presently a senior attending Fort Walton Beach High School. She is currently a member of the First United Methodist Church and in the past was the president of the youth program. She has been a member of the Fort Walton Beach High School Chorus for three years and member of Voices of Valhalla two of those years. She has received honors such as the most improved and valuable female vocalist her sophomore year and the most outstanding female vocalist her junior year. Her junior year, she served as Chorus Historian, and she is presently serving as the Chorus President. She is also a member of Inter Club Council. She enjoys music and traveling. In the future, she plans to become a physical therapist. Her college plans are still undecided.



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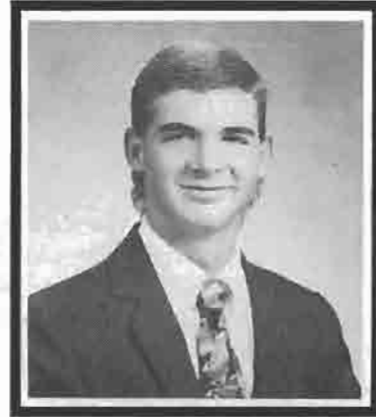
Casey Thomas Patrick, is the son of Larry Patrick and his wife, Cheryl "Kim" Patrick, and his mother, Joan Edwards. He was born February 23, 1977 in Fort Walton Beach where he has lived all his life.

Casey is a senior at Choctawhatchee High School and is enrolled in the honors program taking English honors, science honors, and math analysis classes. He has also served as a member of the Key Club.

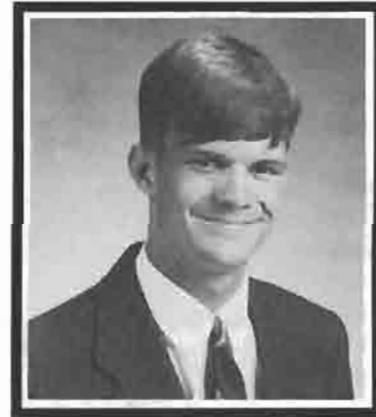
Casey's interests are primarily outdoor sports. He is an avid fisherman and hunter, and enjoys boating and water skiing as well. He enjoys listening to country music and utilizing his mechanical skills.


For the past three seasons he has worked on the party boat Emmanuel and on other fishing boats of Destin Harbor.

His future career plans are in environmental science. He plans to attend either Mississippi State University or Auburn University to pursue a degree in his career field, but he still plans to root for "Bama" and those "Noles!"




Zach Bayer, son of Dr. and Mrs. Peter Bayer is a senior at Fort Walton Beach High School. He is a member of the varsity soccer team, Key Club, and Vice President of Alpha Tau. He was the President of his Freshman class, and during the course of his senior year was elected as a Norseman by the student body, and inducted into the Hall of Fame by teachers' vote. His hobbies include soccer, water skiing, and just hanging out. Zach hopes to attend Auburn or Clemson University in the fall.



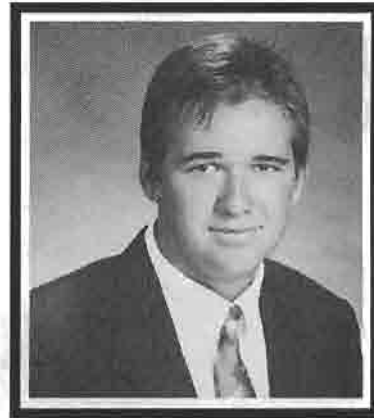


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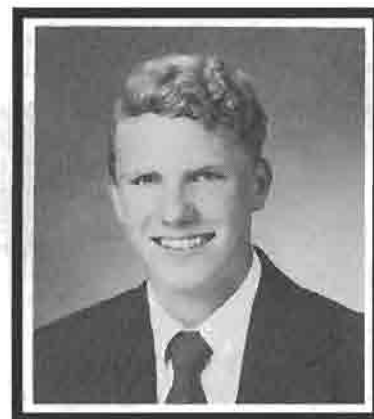
Brian Harrison, son of Dr. and Mrs. John S. Harrison of Shalimar, is presently a senior at Choctawhatchee High School. He is a member of the Key Club and the Fort Walton Yacht Club.

- Brian has been a team captain at the Junior Lipton Cup Regatta and a sailing instructor. He has competed in competitions such as the Rolex, Smith Jr. Champs Finals, Jr. Lipton's Regatta, the New Orleans Open State Champs, '93-94' Nautica Youth's.
- ◇ Brian enjoys sailing, scuba diving, fishing and skiing. He plans to attend the Merchant Marine Academy where he will pursue a degree in Business Management.



Adam Gregory Artabasy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Artabasy of Destin. He is a senior at Fort Walton Beach High School. Adam has served as a student member of the school advisory board and is currently a member of Future Business Leaders of America and the Jr. Chamber of Commerce. His hobbies include golf, tennis, bowling, and pool.

Adam has been accepted for admission to Florida State University for fall 1995 where he plans to pursue a major in business.







First Mate & First Mistress

Bob & Pam McTyeire



Honor Guard

Ed & Anne Brown
Danny & Patty Linn
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Dale & Missy Waldorff



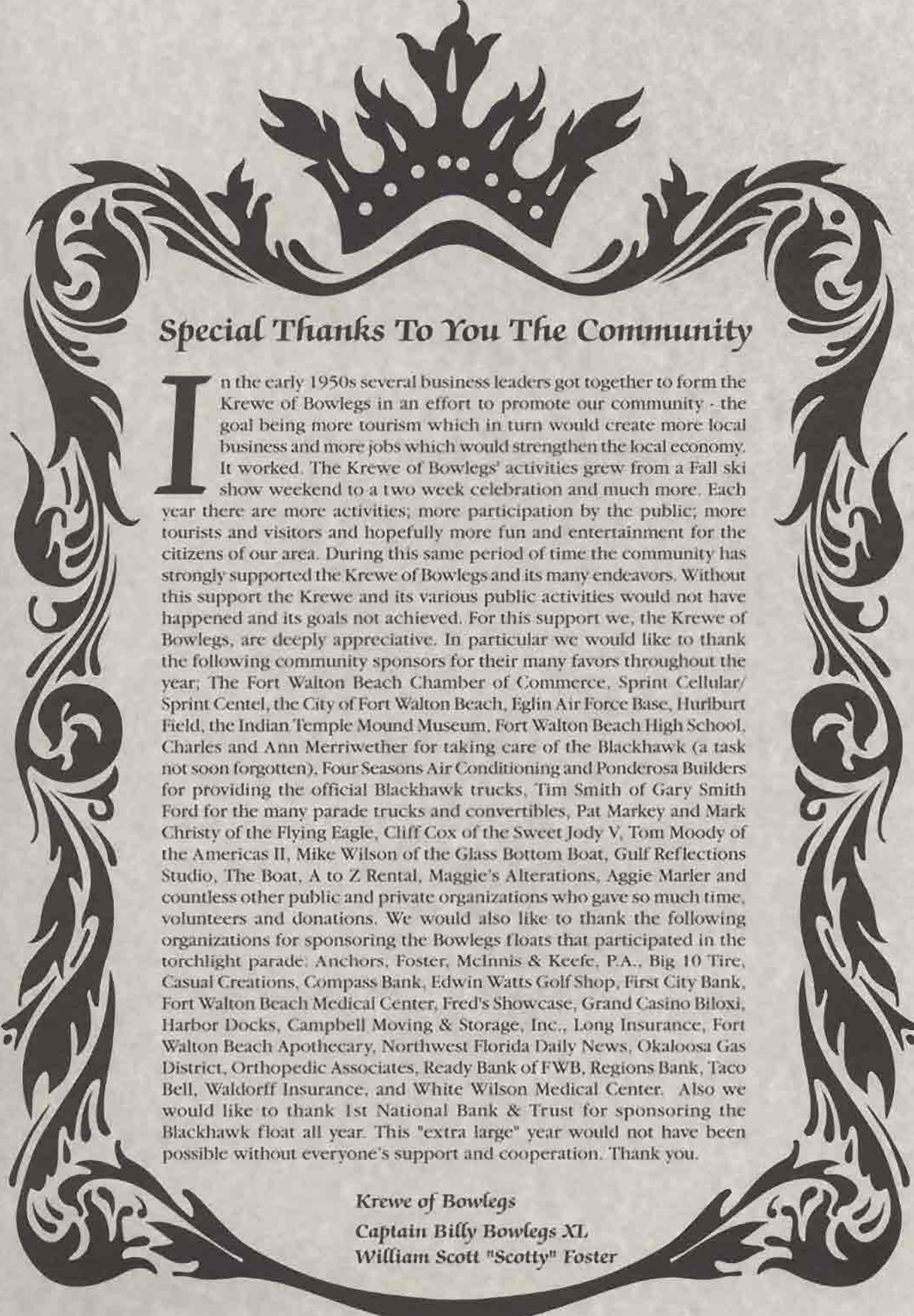
Children of the Court



Burks Kimmel, Brooks Brown, Maile Mathews, Miller Ann McInnis



*Elizabeth Dlabal, Jeff Macey, Savannah Beasley,
Shannon Carnathan, Brittany Hayes, Andrew Dupuis*



Special Thanks To You The Community

In the early 1950s several business leaders got together to form the Krewe of Bowlegs in an effort to promote our community - the goal being more tourism which in turn would create more local business and more jobs which would strengthen the local economy. It worked. The Krewe of Bowlegs' activities grew from a Fall ski show weekend to a two week celebration and much more. Each year there are more activities; more participation by the public; more tourists and visitors and hopefully more fun and entertainment for the citizens of our area. During this same period of time the community has strongly supported the Krewe of Bowlegs and its many endeavors. Without this support the Krewe and its various public activities would not have happened and its goals not achieved. For this support we, the Krewe of Bowlegs, are deeply appreciative. In particular we would like to thank the following community sponsors for their many favors throughout the year; The Fort Walton Beach Chamber of Commerce, Sprint Cellular/Sprint Centel, the City of Fort Walton Beach, Eglin Air Force Base, Hurlburt Field, the Indian Temple Mound Museum, Fort Walton Beach High School, Charles and Ann Merriwether for taking care of the Blackhawk (a task not soon forgotten), Four Seasons Air Conditioning and Ponderosa Builders for providing the official Blackhawk trucks, Tim Smith of Gary Smith Ford for the many parade trucks and convertibles, Pat Markey and Mark Christy of the Flying Eagle, Cliff Cox of the Sweet Jody V, Tom Moody of the Americas II, Mike Wilson of the Glass Bottom Boat, Gulf Reflections Studio, The Boat, A to Z Rental, Maggie's Alterations, Aggie Marler and countless other public and private organizations who gave so much time, volunteers and donations. We would also like to thank the following organizations for sponsoring the Bowlegs floats that participated in the torchlight parade: Anchors, Foster, McInnis & Keefe, P.A., Big 10 Tire, Casual Creations, Compass Bank, Edwin Watts Golf Shop, First City Bank, Fort Walton Beach Medical Center, Fred's Showcase, Grand Casino Biloxi, Harbor Docks, Campbell Moving & Storage, Inc., Long Insurance, Fort Walton Beach Apothecary, Northwest Florida Daily News, Okaloosa Gas District, Orthopedic Associates, Ready Bank of FWB, Regions Bank, Taco Bell, Waldorff Insurance, and White Wilson Medical Center. Also we would like to thank 1st National Bank & Trust for sponsoring the Blackhawk float all year. This "extra large" year would not have been possible without everyone's support and cooperation. Thank you.

Krewe of Bowlegs
Captain Billy Bowlegs XI
William Scott "Scotty" Foster

