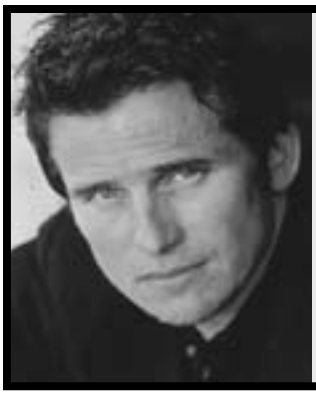

Tim Abell has recently finished work on the underwater film, ***Breathe***, directed by the Academy Award nominated actor, Don Murray. It's based on famed underwater cinematographer, Tom Cambell's, real life cave diving incident off the coast of California. The family western, ***Miracle at Sage Creek***, with Wes Studi and David Carradine will be premiering on Hallmark soon and the award winning independent film ***Soldier of God***, which Tim starred in as well as co-produced was just released on DVD after a limited theatrical release in Los Angeles, New York and Spain. Other credits include, ***CSI:NY***, ***CSI: Miami***, ***Navy:NCIS*** and Rod Luries, ***Line of Fire***. Tim is very happy to be invited back to participate in Winterfest!

On film, **Mike Buie** starred in ***Mystery Alaska*** in the leading role of "Connor Banks" opposite Russell Crowe. The character was the best player on the hometown team in the film written by David E. Kelley. He has also starred in ***Screw Cupid***, ***Only for You***, the Nantucket based film ***Ropewalk***, ***The McPherson Tape*** and ***The Dead Water***. Currently, Michael is in Toronto producing two films set in Canada ***Newfoundland: The Lanier Phillips Story*** is the true story of a man who finds love and compassion through a shipwreck in 1942 outside the tiny town of St. Lawrence Newfoundland and ***October 13th*** a character- driven, ensemble story examines the dynamics of true friendship amidst a horrific tragedy. Based on a true story.

Scott Michael Campbell can be seen in Ang Lee's Oscar winning ***Brokeback Mountain***, opposite Heath Ledger and Jake Gyllenhaal, as well as the award winning Sundance Film, ***A Guide to Recognizing Your Saints*** with Robert Downey Jr. and Chazz Palminteri. Other notable films Scott has worked on are the MGM World War II feature, ***Hart's War*** with Bruce Willis, and ***Flight of the Phoenix*** opposite Dennis Quaid. He recently returned from China where he was shooting ***Push***, directed by Paul McGuigan, starring Dakota Fanning and Chris Evans. Scott's television credits include many top-rated and critically acclaimed shows such as; ***24***, ***Shark***, ***House***, ***Grey's Anatomy***, ***CSI***, ***Navy NCIS***, ***Cold Case***, ***E.R.***, ***The West Wing***, ***Chicago Hope***, ***Crossing Jordan***, and ***Frasier***.

Rebecca Field can currently be seen as Janet the Planet on the ABC Television Network's ***October Road***. After playing various roles on stage, such as Paulina in ***A Winter's Tale***, Eliante in ***The Misanthrope***, the inspector in ***The Real Inspector Hound*** and Fricka in Wagner's Opera ***Das Reingold*** which was turned into the play ***The Ring Cycle***, Rebecca moved to Los Angeles where she has been seen on ***ER***, ***Monk***, ***Trapped in the Closet*** and ***The Jamie Kennedy Experiment***, as well as in several independent films.

Josh Gomez portrays the hilarious best friend, Morgan Grimes, in the new hit NBC series ***Chuck***. Joshua may also be familiar to television viewers from his portrayal of FBI computer tech, James Mackeroy on the hit CBS show ***Without a Trace*** during its 2005-2006 season. Other television credits include a recurring role on ABC's ***Invasion***, an episode of ***Law and Order***, and a role as a series regular on a Fox pilot filmed last year entitled ***Union Jackass***. Josh can also be seen in the Universal sequel ***Bring It On Again*** and the docudramedy ***Last Man Running*** opposite his brother, actor Rick Gomez.

Emmy award winning anchor and bay area native **Juliette Goodrich** anchors the noon newscast on ***CBS 5*** in addition to other special assignments. Juliette has covered a wide variety of local and national stories including the O.J. Simpson trial and the arrest of the Unabomber in Montana. At ***CBS 5*** Juliette added to her list of accomplishments with Emmy Nominations in ***Breaking News*** for her exclusive coverage of fugitive James Nivette's capture in France and her coverage of the Bay Bridge shooting incident. In 2006, Juliette received an Emmy for Best Anchor and in 2007 was awarded another Emmy for Best Newscast for the 5pm news on ***CBS 5***.

Scott Grimes was on ***Party of Five*** for a number of years, in the movie ***Mystery Alaska*** and then was one of the lucky actors who had a chance to act in the HBO miniseries ***Band of Brothers*** as Don Malarkey. He is currently on ***ER***, the NBC medical drama, in the role of Dr. Archie Morris. Scott also lends his voice to the Fox show ***American Dad*** in the role of Steve. Scotts latest album entitled ***Living on the Run*** produced a top 20 hit on the Billboard Magazine adult contemporary chart.

Sam Jaeger can currently be seen on the new ABC series ***Eli Stone*** where he playes Matt Dowd. He was also seen last year in the romantic comedy ***Catch & Release*** starring Jennifer Garner and Kevin Smith. Additionally, Jaeger has such credits as the A&E biopic ***The Riverman*** opposite Carey Elwes and Bruce Greenwood, the indy hit ***Lucky Number Slevin*** opposite Bruce Willis and Josh Hartnett. Jaeger began his professional career in New York landing a guest-starring role on ***Law & Order***. Once in LA, he landed parts in two feature films ***Traffic***, and ***Behind Enemy Lines***. In the years following, Jaeger built up an impressive television resume, including roles in such hits as ***ER***, ***CSI***, ***The West Wing***, ***NYPD Blue*** and ***Scrubs***.

Andy Lauer can be currently on the hit Lifetime/Hallmark TV series ***Jane Doe*** with Lea Thompson. As an Emmy-nominated actor, Lauer has worked under the guidance of Oliver Stone, David Fincher and Michael Bay and co-starred on the big screen in ***Gunshy*** (Liam Neeson and Sandra Bullock), ***Screamers*** (Peter Weller), and ***Never On Tuesday*** (Peter Berg). He has also appeared in ***For the Boys*** (Bette Midler) and Oliver Stone's ***The Doors*** (Val Kilmer) and ***Born on the Fourth of July*** (Tom Cruise). He's best known to America as "Charlie" on the hit NBC comedy series ***Caroline in the City***.

Zachary Levi's youthful exuberance and charm are quickly making him a favorite first pick for Hollywood. Levi is currently seen on the NBC hit show ***Chuck***. Playing the title character, Levi portrays a semi self-conscious regular guy whose life gets scrambled when he inadvertently gets government secrets downloaded into his brain while reading an email sent from a long lost "frenemy." Levi has also wrapped production on his lead role in the independent film ***Shades of Ray*** about the struggle of a half Pakistani man and his upcoming wedding. Audiences also enjoyed Levi in four seasons of the hit ABC sitcom ***Less than Perfect***, as the quick witted, 'Kip Steadman.'

Thyme Lewis, born in San Francisco, was raised in Carmel and Big Sur. His acting career was rocketed to stardom by a successful five-year run as the fun-loving, good-natured gynecologist, Dr. Jonah, on the number one ranked daytime drama, NBC's ***Days of Our Lives***. *Cosmopolitan Magazine* and *Hard Copy* named him one of Americas heartthrobs. Behind the camera, he directed two features and when opportunity arises, enjoys finding homes with what he calls, "great bones,'" buying and remodeling them in his spare time.

Justin Melvey, is a former pro skier and model, who most recently made it to the finals of Australian Celebrity Survivor. In 2006 he played Andrew Walker on ***General Hospital*** after staring on NBC's ***Days of Our Lives***, where he played Dr. Colin Murphy***.*** Before ***Days***, Justin starred as Harry on Australia's premier evening show, ***Home and Away*****,** where he earned the prestigious "Logie**"** (equivalent to the American Emmys) for Best New Talent on Australian television. Justin left the popular series to break new ground as a Shakespearean thespian in one of the lead roles in ***The Complete Works of William Shakespeare.***

At 24, actor **Ryan Merriman** has already developed an extensive list of film and television credits which have enabled him to work with some of Hollywood's most respected actors. Now with 19 films, three television series and several guest appearances to his credit Ryan, is well recognized in the industry. Ryan was recently seen in ***Comanche Moon*** on CBS, the 6-hour mini-series, with an all-star cast including Val Kilmer and Karl Urban. Ryan has also finished filming ***Home of the Giants*** which co-stars Haley Joel Osment. Ryan can be seen in ***Final Destination 3***, ***The Ring 2***, and ***The Colt.***

As the fresh face of some of the hottest products on the market, **Joel David Moore** made his unique look one of the most recognizable in entertainment. Moore quickly secured his career-making role, opposite Vince Vaughn and Ben Stiller in the Fox hit ***Dodgeball: A True Underdog Story***. Capitalizing on his early success, Joel starred in a string of films, including the Fox/Happy Madison picture ***Grandmas Boy***, United Artist's ***Art School Confidential***, and most recently Anchor Bay's ***Hatchet***, and Sony Picture's ***Hottie and Nottie***, opposite Paris Hilton and Christine Lakin. Joel will be seen next starring alongside Sigorney Weaver in the epic ***Avitar***.

Amy Pietz can currently be seen playing "Franny Tollchuck", the hyper-controlling Wisconsin mom on the CW's critically acclaimed series, ***Aliens In America***. She is also known for her portrayal of "Annie Spadaro", the rather promiscuous neighbor, on the NBC sitcom, ***Caroline In The City***, for which she received a 1998 nomination from the Screen Actor's Guild for Best Actress in a Comedy. She also has been a frequent guest star on ***Ally McBeal***, ***ER***, ***CSI***, ***The Drew Carey Show***, ***Law & Order: SVU*** and ***The Division***. Her films include: ***Rudy***, ***The Whole Ten Yards***, ***Jingle All The Way*** and ***The Reunion***.

Rick Ravanello started acting in 1997. Some of his past work include ***Hart's War*** alongside Bruce Willis and Colin Farrel, ***The Cave*** with Cole Hauser and the western ***Monte Walsh*** with Tom Selleck. Rick also has starred in many of televisions top-rated shows including ***Desperate Housewives***, ***24***, ***CSI***, ***CSI:NY***, ***Without a Trace***, ***Cold Case***, and ***Bones***. One of his more memorable roles was that of identical twins, Larry & Sammy Gentry on Rob Lowe's television series ***The Lyon's Den***. This work was strongly applauded and opened the door for Rick to play many other great character roles in such shows as ***The Closer*** and ***Smallville***. Rick has most recently completed filming ***SmokeJumpers***, a new TV series currently in post production.

John Sasaki has deep roots in the Bay Area. He was born in Berkeley, spent most of his childhood in El Cerrito, and attended Berkeley High School. After graduation, Sasaki attended San Diego State University. During one summer vacation, Sasaki began his career in journalism as an intern for ***The Ten O'clock News*** at KTVU ***Channel 2 News***. Sasaki landed his first job in news as an associate producer at KNSD, the NBC affiliate in San Diego. In September 1996, he moved home to the Bay Area to join the ***Fox 2 news*** team at KTVU, which is where he plans to spend the rest of his career. John has also recently joined the board of directors for Special Olympics Northern California and Nevada.

Nicole Sullivan moved to Los Angeles and she was hired by ***MAD TV***. In the six years she worked on the FOX late-night sketch comedy show, she became known for her many recurring characters -- such as the Vancome Lady -- and her impersonations of celebrities like Britney Spears and Meg Ryan. In 2001 Sullivan joined the cast of ***King of Queens*** as Holly. Her numerous television guest appearances include such shows as ***Scrubs, Law & Order: SVU, Monk, According to Jim*** and ***Party of Five***. She has also been a guest on ***The Tonight Show with Jay Leno*** and ***The Late Show with David Letterman***. In addition, Sullivan lends her voice talents to a number of animated television shows, among them ***Kim Possible*** and ***Family Guy***.

Jud Tyler was chosen over hundreds of actresses for her role as "Crystal Lee" opposite Tom Hanks in the Mike Nichols' Golden Globe nominated film ***Charlie Wilson's War***. She also was seen last year in the thriller ***7eventy5***. Other recent feature roles including starring opposite Cuba Gooding Jr., Anne Heche and Sean Astin in ***What Love Is***. This spring she was one of the stars of the CW pilot ***Dash For Cash***. You have seen Jud as the sexy "Samantha" on the hit TV series ***That 70s Show*** and as "Alisa" on the ABC's ***What About Brian***. Jud starred as Suzanne Somers in the NBC movie ***Behind The Camera: The Unauthorized Story of Three's Company*** and was a series regular on the Fox comedy pilot ***Titletown***.

John Vogel, born in Bath, Ohio, had aspired to a career in performance. After studying music at both the Ohio State University and Berklee College of Music, John moved to Los Angeles and was drawn into the film industry. A series of "accidental" small roles on **The Larry Sanders Show** and T.L. Lankford's film, **Dark Red** gave him inspiration. His ambition and persistence landed him various television and film roles including **Jesus 2000**, **The Usual Couple**, **Trouble**, **Revenge on Reality**, **Burt Luddins Love Buffet**, **Sightings**, **House on the Hill**, **The Mix Masters**, **Surviving the Hunt**, **Finding Fred Mertz, Vice Academy 6** and Jerry Bruckheimer's **Soldier of Fortune**.