

# ROTARCTIC

THERE IS NOTHING SO SACRED IN ROTARY THAT IT CANNOT BE SET ASIDE  
IN FAVOR OF THINGS BETTER. *Paul Harris*



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## Rotary Club of Fairbanks

Meetings: Thursday at Noon

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## Program: UAF Student Sustainability Board

UAF's Student Sustainability Board or RISE (Review of Infrastructure, Sustainability, and Energy) Board, a student-led organization, advises the UAF's Office of Sustainability. Since our inception in 2009, our goal has been to help UAF invest in projects and programs that have demonstrable social, financial, and environmental returns on investment. We also encourage the responsible use of existing resources so that we can reduce non-renewable energy consumption on campus.

The Student Sustainability Board has used the student sustainability fee to fund over ninety projects. We have saved over \$520,000, and we have helped to make UAF a nationwide leader in sustainability.



Michele Mouton is the UAF Office of Sustainability Director. In a unique partnership with the ASUAF/Review of Infrastructure, Sustainability, and Energy (RISE) board and University and Student Advancement.

Mouton's extensive background with the Cooperative Extension Service and sustainability paired with her dynamic and engaging leadership style make a winning combination. Mouton works with the ASUAF RISE board to facilitate sustainable projects funded by the Student Initiative for Renewable Energy Now (SIREN) fee the UAF Chancellor, as well as facilitating dialogue and campuswide programs that build upon UAF's commitment to sustainability.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### June 9

UAF Sustainability Board  
Membership Spotlight - Jim Little

### June 10

Marguerita Gilbertson's Birthday

### June 13

Lori Wilson's Birthday

### June 16

RF - You can't take it with you!

### June 17

Board Meeting, Westmark, noon

### June 18

Nancy DeWitt's Birthday

### June 20

John Rowe's Birthday

### June 21

Jo Heckman's Birthday

### June 23

Green Star Interior  
David Bate's Birthday  
Jerry Haugeberg's Birthday

### June 25

Cindy Shumaker's Birthday

### June 26

Andy Evanger's Birthday

### June 27

Wendy Harter's Birthday

### June 29

Lisa Herbert's Birthday

### June 30

Installation Banquet

### July 6

Anna Atchison's Birthday

### July 9

Dan Britton's Birthday

Jerry Walker's Birthday

### July 10

Geri Simon's Birthday

### July 11

Keri Roach's Birthday

### July 13

Tammy Randolph's Birthday

## THE ROTARY CORNER A Quick Summary

2016 Rotary International Convention in Seoul, Korea is over with three of our club attending: Peggy and Mike Pollen and Wayne Clark. It was certainly an action filled time with general sessions the first evening and then each morning. There was some top quality entertainment from the local people. They offered several Judo type teams with lots of acrobatics, wooden plank breaking and very synchronized team movements. There were also singers and dancers that were amazing.

We also listened to the President of Korea, the UN Chairman and the President of National Geographic as well as many of our Rotary Trustees, leaders, and of course President of Rotary.

Most afternoons were filled with lots of workshops of many subjects. Wayne attended as many as he could and will give us some updates on them at a later date.

One of the features of the International Convention is the Hall of Friendship which is where Rotary and Commerce come together. Many local businesses has booths there and if you were looking for Korean style cookware, clothing, shoes, foods, etc. there were many to choose from. Also in the Hall of Friendship was many Rotary groups: Action Groups, various Rotary Districts, a Rotary Bookstore and wifi hot spot, an Atlanta booth (which is where the next convention will be held) and an assortment of food and sales booths. It filled a very large building.

Before the convention your three Fairbanks Rotarians attended the WASRAG annual meeting. WASRAG stands for Water And Sanitation Rotary Action Group and the principle guidance for all the Water and Sanitation projects that Rotary is involved with, including our Belize Projects. We were recognized for our accomplishments and we met with many of the WASRAG officers and others.

I haven't heard the final attendance, but was estimated to be 43,000 from all over the world and I met people from Pakistan, all over Africa, Asia, Europe, as well as North and Central and South America. It truly is an international event.

## ROTARY YOUTH EXCHANGE

You can help promote global peace in your own home by hosting an international exchange student. Exposure to new cultures and customs is a powerful way to learn about the world. And it's not just students who benefit – your family will become enriched by extended, friendly contact with a young person from a different culture. Exchange hosting typically lasts 3-4 months, but your family could be left with a friend for life. If you are interested in hosting an exchange student, please contact Nicole Stewart at [nmstewart@petrostar.com](mailto:nmstewart@petrostar.com) or call her at 452-0616.

### JUNE TEAM

Pat Thayer, Team  
Leader  
Dan Britton  
Karen Conover  
Jim Culley  
Kathryn Dodge

Julia Duquette  
Wendy Harter  
Wes Madden  
John Rowe  
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Bill Wright



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Do you have things you'd like to share? IE: Rotary articles, photos of President Aisha, upcoming events, etc.? Send them to [rotarctic@gmail.com](mailto:rotarctic@gmail.com)



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