

# 18 year Speaker History

Speakers are selected through a variety of means: Club members may have heard them speak at another engagement, through a personal relationship or they may have been identified through a Speaker's Bureau. Please consider assisting the Juneau Glacier Valley Rotary Club in presenting a Speaker for the broader community of Juneau and our youth.

## 1992

*Dr. John G. Stoessinger  
Richard G. Rutan  
Cap. Eugene A. Cernan  
Maj. Drew D. Dix*

## 1993

*Miriam Greenstein  
Bob Weiland  
Mary L. Cleave, Ph.D.  
Captain Gerald Coffee*

## 1994

*Dianna Golden  
Jan Scruggs  
Adm. David E. Jeremiah  
Dr. Thomas Sutherland*

## 1995

*Gen. Walter Boomer  
Charlie Plumb  
Michael Broome  
Nick Lowery*

## 1996

*Col. Norman D. Vaughan  
Sgt. 1st Cl. Dana Bowman  
Laura Evans  
Maj. Gen. Charles W. Sweeney*

## 1997

*Rocky Bleier  
Dr. Alan Keyes  
Patrick Reynolds  
Victor Belenko*

## 1998

*Gene Kranz  
Billy Mills  
Captain Scott O'Grady  
Dr. John Stoessinger*

## 1999

*Dr. Jerry Linenger  
Maj. Gen. Patrick H. Brady  
Daniel "Rudy" Ruettiger*

## 2000

*Michael Anthony Janke  
Peter Vidmar  
Steve Rizzo  
Dr. Benjamin Carson*

## 2001

*Miriam Greenstein  
Dick Rutan  
Rocky Bleier  
Dr. John Stoessinger*

## 2002

*Capt. Eugene A. Cernan  
Brig. Gen. Stephen Ritchie  
Heather Mercer &  
Dayna Curry  
Rulon Gardner*

## 2003

*Captain Brian Udell, Ret.  
Jerry Traylor  
Diana Nyad  
Victor Belenko*

## 2004

*Liz Murray  
Steve Ford  
Col. Mike Mullane Ret.*

## 2005

*Scott D. Waddle  
Jackie Pflug  
Mike Schlappi*

## 2006

*Alison Levine  
Sergeant Rob Wright  
Ron "Gus" Gustafson*

## 2008

*Jason Ryan Dorsey  
Coach Ken Carter*

## 2009

*Ron Clark  
David Sheff & Nic Sheff*

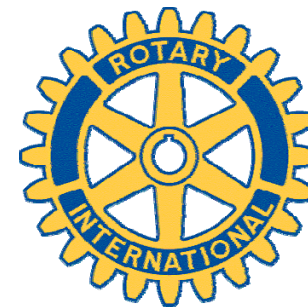
## 2010

*Jeff Yalden  
Martin Buser  
Nikki Stone*



**Presented by**

**Juneau Glacier Valley Rotary Club**



## MISSION STATEMENT

The Pillars of America speaker series presented by Juneau Glacier Valley Rotary brings to Juneau's youth and the general public distinguished American citizens who share relevant personal experiences shaped by the freedoms offered in our country, or as a result of their endurance through difficult circumstances. These individuals demonstrate the highest standards of integrity and courage and their messages are important to all of us.

# Sponsorship Opportunities

## **Diamond Sponsorship**      **\$5,001 and above**

Your organization will receive:

- 6 tickets, including 1 head table seat at each luncheon
- 1/4 page of dedicated ad space and recognition in our program
- Name recognition on posters and electronic media at event
- Invitation to speaker receptions
- Inclusion in all applicable media advertising
- Inclusion in our thank you letter in the Juneau Empire
- Commemorative recognition piece

## **Platinum Sponsorship**      **\$2,750 to \$5,000**

Your organization will receive:

- 4 tickets, including one head table seat at each luncheon
- Bold name recognition in our program
- Name recognition on posters and electronic media at event
- Invitation to speaker receptions
- Inclusion in all applicable media advertising
- Inclusion in our thank you letter in the Juneau Empire
- Commemorative recognition piece

## **Gold Sponsorship**      **\$1,250 to \$2,500**

Your organization will receive:

- 2 tickets to each luncheon
- Name recognition in program and electronic media at event
- Invitation to speaker receptions
- Inclusion in our thank you letter in the Juneau Empire
- Framed recognition certificate

## **Silver Sponsorship**      **\$500 to \$1,000**

Your organization will receive:

- Name recognition in program and electronic media at event
- Inclusion in our thank you letter in the Juneau Empire
- Framed recognition certificate

**To participate and become a sponsor of "Pillars of America"**  
**Please contact Leslie Dahl at 790-5182 or**  
**ldahl@alaskapacificbank.com**

# About the Pillars Series



**Jeff Yalden**

**Martin Buser**

**Nikki Stone**

## **2010 Speakers in Action** (Photos by David Gelotte)

"Pillars of America" engages the community in an educational process that focuses on the basic freedoms of our nation by sharing personal experiences and challenges that have shaped the lives of America's leading citizens. A particular emphasis is placed on our youth and your support provides tickets for students from our local schools to attend. The Juneau Glacier Valley Rotary Club works closely with the schools and monitors the distribution of the tickets.

"Pillars of America" will take place during three separate luncheons at Centennial Hall on April 20 and 27 and May 4, 2011. Speakers arrive in Juneau the day before the event, attend a reception hosted at a Rotarian's home, and interact with club members and sponsors one-on-one. At the end of the luncheon, the speaker is available for autographs for the youth.

Sponsorship of "Pillars of America" covers speaker fees and travel, student tickets, and rental of Centennial Hall. Sponsors receive a variety of benefits, based on the level of sponsorship, which includes items such as: media recognition, name recognition on placemats and posters, inclusion in a Thank-you ad run in the "Juneau Empire", and invitations to the luncheons. The Juneau Glacier Valley Rotary Club also underwrites the cost of the event, for this is not a club fundraiser.

"Pillars of America" is an important educational event for our community, and continues to raise awareness and appreciation of the freedoms offered in our country, for both our local youth and the broader Juneau community. Please join us in presenting "Pillars of America" to the Juneau Community.