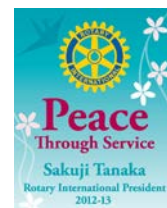


# Anchorage South Rotary



## Scoop



December 13, 2012

### HAPPY BUCK\$

Mike Ferris is happy to announce that it has been a good year for his business, and that he has decided to acquire a new Xerox location in Fairbanks. In honor of his successful year he is contributing \$300 to his Paul Harris.

Dave Stratton is happy to announce that he will be seeing his 12 year old granddaughter's TBA presentation, and that he is also celebrating his 29 year Rotary anniversary.

Amy Mackey-Hornak is happy to have served at the Clitheroe Center Christmas party.

Bill Finley is happy to thank all Rotarians who volunteered at the Clitheroe Center Christmas party. There was a great turnout, and the feedback from others within the ranks at the Salvation Army was that they were very impressed by the support provided by ASR.

Matthew Nicolai has a sad dollar for his inability to drive in states, other than Alaska, without getting a whopping \$160 fine. Apparently, green and yellow lights are too short, which caused him to run a red light. FYI – a red light is a universal symbol that means stop. It means stop in NY, Arkansas, and all of the other United States. This may be an opportunity for some Rotarian who owns a defensive driving school. In the meantime, watch out when Matthew is on the streets – HA! HA!

Doran Powell is happy to encourage all to donate, and to donate big, as the challenge is on between our club and the Downtown Rotary Club. The club that raises the most funds wins; and the club that raises the least amount of funds will have its chosen representative's head shaved.

Rabah Chettfour is happy about his pending vacation to Spain.

Dean McVey is happy to announce that he recently read to the students at Gladys Wood Elementary. The students are great, and he had fun.

Carolyn Tubbs is happy to introduce her guest (name?).

Terri Hall is happy to introduce her guest and life partner Bernie. He was also one of the lucky winners of our 12 Days of Christmas raffle.

Walt Murphy is happy to announce that it's his 16<sup>th</sup> Rotary anniversary.

Bill Phelan is happy to have volunteered at the Clitheroe Center, and he is even happier that the many individuals he spoke to laughed at his jokes.

**Ross Johnston** is happy that he was able to find a snow plowing company for his lot, and there's even a contract in place.

**Michael Archer** is happy to share that he had a great time serving at the Clitheroe Center Christmas party. He would like to see our club participate in more hands on service type of projects in the future. He is also happy to be celebrating his 30<sup>th</sup> Rotary anniversary.

**Jenny Carty** is happy to introduce her guest.

**Rob Morris** is happy to announce that he is the sole male at his table. He has saved the women from a serious fine.

**Mike Morrison** is happy to announce our previous exchange student Gabby.



## Mark Your Calendar:

**12/20/12 – Christmas Lunch**

**12/20/12 – Children's School Lunchbox Collection Day**

**12/27/12 – NO MEETING**

**1/3/13 – John McKinney – Alaska General Contractors**

**PRESIDENT:**

**Kevin Van Nortwick**

**REPORTER:**

**Michelle Engelke**

**GREETER:**

**Beverly Short**

**SPLIT THE POT:**

**Terri Hall**

**FLAG SALUTE:**

**Jenny Carty**

**INVOCATION:**

**Paul Michelsohn**

**INTRODUCTIONS:**

**Kevin Taylor**

**SGT AT ARMS:**

**Kevin Taylor**

## **Speakers:** PAMYUA, The Music Group

Pamyua is a music group that performs music in Alaska and around the world. Their music is self-described as "tribal funk" and "world music." Most of their songs are based on traditional Yupik, Inuit and Greenlandic chants.

The group's primary focus is sharing their individual cultural perspective and rural upbringing or village life through art via song.

They proclaim not only to be musicians, but business people too...as they peddle their CD's and logo gear to our club.



## DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS!

Michael Archer	12/4
Bob Conklin	12/25
Jerry Bever	12/25
Susan Kaer	12/31

## DECEMBER CLUB ANNIVERSARIES!

Michael Archer	12/1/1982
Dave Stratton	12/1/1983
Jerry Bever	12/12/2002
Kevin Taylor	12/20/2001

# Hear Ye, Hear Ye

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

### CONGRATULATIONS

Our ASR 12 Days of Christmas raffle is officially over; the winners have been determined and the prizes assigned. Thank you to Doran Powell for all of his hard work and effort that made this major fundraiser of ours a great success. And thank you to all of those individuals and organizations who made donations.

### THANK YOU

Thank you to Rabah Chettfour, his family and the rest of his crew at Aladdin's Restaurant for the great service and delicious food that is provided each week.

### SHAVE OR BE SHAVED

The challenge is on! Doran Powell has advised us that we need to donate large sums of money, and even larger sums if possible, when asked over the next week or two. The challenge is on between our club and the Downtown club to see which club can raise the most money. The winner not only gets bragging rights, but will also get to shave the losing club's selected representative's head. Rise to the occasion. We do not want to send Doran to the chopping block. It's rather cold this time of year, and I am sure that Doran would prefer to keep his hair.

Our next food drive for the **Children's School Lunch Program** will be on Thursday, December 20<sup>th</sup>. Please visit <http://thechildrenslunchbox.org/> for a complete listing of food items that can be accepted. A few suggestions are....*Canned goods*; chili, chicken, ravioli, tuna, vegetables and soup. *Miscellaneous items*; oatmeal, fruit cups, granola bars and instant mashed potatoes (the small size).

### Karl Berglund (Exchange Student)

Not sure how to reach Karl? He can be reached at 907-717-6444, home: 907-349-8868, or via email: [karlberglund@gmail.com](mailto:karlberglund@gmail.com) The best way to reach Karl is by sending a text message.

### Nominations for 2014-2015 Club Officers:

President:	Dean McVey
Secretary:	Ken Anderson
Treasurer:	Ginger Gorsuch

## Comings and Goings....

Proposed for Membership:

Ingrid P. Larson-Alexander, Trust Officer

Leave of Absence:

Resignations from club:



**Many cranes are needed for the  
Fur Rondy float, Feb 23, 2013..**

<http://www.origami-instructions.com/origami-crane.html>

**Kevin's Korner:**

For somehow, not only at  
Christmas, but all the long year  
through, The joy that you give to  
others is the joy that comes back  
to you. John Greenleaf Whittier

*May you have lots of joy this Christmas season.*