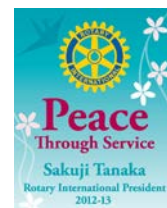


Anchorage South Rotary



Scoop



January 17, 2013

HAPPY BUCK\$

Jan Henderson is happy to announce and to encourage everyone to get involved with the upcoming American Diabetes event. She is coordinating tables of Rotarians. If you are interested let her know.

Rob Morris is happy to share that he survived another year and turned 41.

Matthew Nicolai is happy about his pending trip to Kona, HI with his wife.

Bev Short is happy to announce that she will be traveling to Orlando on February 4th.

Karl Berglund (our exchange student) has a happy buck to thank our club for his Birthday present. He is also happy to present a banner to our club from Sweden and another from his Rotary district.

Ingrid Larson-Alexander is happy to announce that she is bound for the Hawaiian Islands. Aloha!

John Sturgeon is happy to announce that legal work is finally underway on his case. He is also happy about his pending trip to Reno for a Safari Club event.

Carolyn Tubbs has a happy buck for the nice folks who helped her out with her recent car troubles.

Rabah Chettfour is happy to share that we should all be thankful. The problems that we experience, and perceive to be LARGE, may be small relative to the issues that some folks are experiencing. He is also happy to send our prayers to those overseas in harm's way and also to his employee who is experiencing medical issues.

Mike Morrison is happy about his Rotary Anniversary.

Brandon Snodgrass is happy to announce that he and his wife are the proud parents of their first child and new born son, Nolan Fisher Snodgrass.

Bill Flemming is happy to share that he will be passing around a very LARGE thank you card from the Clitheroe Center for our clubs involvement in their Christmas party.

Mike Ferris is happy to share the thank you notes and a picture from Chinook Elementary.

Jess Hinker is happy to announce that she is healing well after her 30th birthday celebration (sounds like this is one for the history books).

Ken Anderson is happy to introduce his wife Linda and his nephew, Eric Gilliam.

Bob Conklin is happy about the pending safe return of his children from their vacation as he and his wife are on day six of babysitting the grand kids. He is not sure how to condition and prepare for such activity.

Program Entertainer: Eric Gilliam, Magician

Self-taught from a young age, Eric Gilliam, dazzled our club with his magic tricks. After turning Geri Crowley's blazer into a money dispensing jacket I am convinced that our government officials in DC could all use a little of Eric's magic. He has come up with a solution to all their deficit spending. Money may not fall from the sky or grow on trees, but there is a never ending supply of coin that can come from one his magically created jackets.

After watching Eric for a short period of time, one can easily see why he has been recognized at a variety of magic competitions. His favorite magician is David Copperfield. If you enjoy sailing or boating, Eric would be a great mate to have on board your vessel as he can tie knots in rope like no other. Not to mention, if you need to cut rope no scissors required. Eric can cut 1" thick rope with his own fingers-no blade needed. And those old Rubik's cube games that you have never been able to solve and have given up on...well, he can solve those in a matter of seconds too. Fear not the game of Russian roulette when playing with a magician. Karl, our exchange student, played, won and actually survived.

To see more of Eric Gilliam's amazing magic, hire him for your next corporate gathering or party. He is available for hire and is sure to be a crowd pleaser. Eric also mentioned that there will be a public magic show on March 16th at the PAC.



Mark Your Calendar:

1/24/13 - Darrin E. Jones, Asst. Special Agent, FBI

1/24/13 - *Children's School Lunchbox Collection Day*

1/31/13 - Alice Rogoff, Alaska Dispatch Arctic Economic Opportunities

Comings and Goings....

Proposed for Membership:

Andy Holleman – Education

Dan Newman – TV Advertising

Leave of Absence:

Resignations from club:



JANUARY BIRTHDAYS!

Rabah Chettfour	1/2
Rob Morris	1/10
Jess Hinker	1/17
Kirk McGovern	1/24
Scott McMurren	1/24
Charles Becker	1/28

JANUARY CLUB ANNIVERSARIES!

Sam Lazenby	1/1/82
Allen Bingham	1/1/85
Josh Jennett	1/7/88
Rabah Chettfour	1/10/08
Michael Morrison	1/28/88

How many cranes have you made?



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

Kevin's Korner:

Enthusiasm is the inspiration of everything great. Christian Nevell Bovee

It's great to see the recent increase in enthusiasm for the community service work ASR does.

Thank you everyone!

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

Hear Ye, Hear Ye

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Our next food drive for the Children's School Lunch Program will be on Thursday, January 24. 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 The best way to reach Karl is by sending a text message.

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