# **Anchorage South Rotary**







February 14, 2013

### **HAPPY BUCK\$**

<u>Kevin Van Nortwick</u> is happy to thank those individuals in our club for bringing guests and adding new members to our club who are under the age of 65 and not wielding a cane.

**Paul Michelsohn** is happy to announce that the scholarship committee has made its selection of this year's scholarship recipients.

**Bob Thwing** has a happy buck and a high five for his granddaughter who was recently accepted into the WAMI program.

<u>Susan Kaer</u> is happy to announce her guest Justin Thompson.

**Dan Locke** is happy to pay up! Is anyone having an anniversary? Mmmmmmm, I wonder who?

**<u>Sam Lazenby</u>** is happy to be celebrating his Birthday.

**Lyn Whitley** is happy to announce that Face Book is great, and an excellent way to keep in contact with our Rotary exchange student who is having a great time abroad. They have become Face Book friends. She also has happy bucks for her Rotary team who stepped up to the plate and got the job done.

Matthew Nicolai has a happy \$14 bucks for his recent trip to Hawaii.

<u>Mike Morrison</u> is happy to introduce a new Rotary Exchange student from Finland who is attending Anchorage South High school.

**Lynn Spivey** is happy to share an update regarding Karl, our exchange student, who injured himself playing soccer by landing on the side of his foot.

<u>Mary Olszewski</u> has a happy \$10 dollars for her upcoming birthday. She is also happy about the fact that she will be out for a week and will have the opportunity to visit her grandsons.

*Carolynn Lambrecht* has a few happy bucks for the awesome ladies night out! It was a lot of fun.

<u>*Mike Ferris*</u> has to ditto Carolynn's happy bucks as ladies night out was a great time. Are we getting in touch with our feminine side?

<u>Chris Horton</u> is happy to share his son's recent successes with hockey. He also would like to remind everyone to visit the Jewelry Cache. Everything is 50% OFF.

#### Program Speaker: Marianne Kerr of The Cooperative Extension Service, UAF

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## Mark Your Calendar:

2/21/13 - Doug Pope, Navigability in Alaska 2/21/13 – ASR Wine Tasting at Aladdin's 2/28/13- Dianne Soderlund, Director Alaska operations, EPA

3/7/13 – Deantha Crockett, Alaska Miner's Assoc.

3/8/13 - Stand Up Comedy Fundraiser at Chilkoots

Comings and Goings....

Proposed for Membership:

Darrell Hess – Legislative Ombudsman

Leave of Absence:

Resignations from club:



### FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS!

/8 /11 /12 /13 /14 /21

Mark Bledsoe	2/
Paul Michelsohn	2/
Mary Olszewski	2/
Mike Griffin	2/
Allen Bingham	2/
Sam Lazenby	2/
Mike Morrison	2/

#### FEBRUARY CLUB ANNIVERSARIES!

2/2/2006
2/5/2009
2/6/2003
2/28/2011

### How many cranes have you made?



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

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

#### Kevin's Korner:

Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has. Margaret Mead

Keep up the good work and let's continue to participate in the opportunities to serve and make a difference in our community.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The **<u>ASR Scholarship Committee</u>** has awarded each of the below listed individuals with a one-time scholarship in the amount of \$2,000.

Katie Kampen Maia Wen Rachel Eytalis

**ASR Wine Tasting:** There are still a few seats left....sign up today! 6-8pm Thursday, Feb 21 @ Aladdin's

Coming in March to Chilkoot Charlie's.....**A Rotary Stand up Comedy fundraiser**: Jesse Joyce, Friday **March 8th**, 8 pm, \$20, includes your first two drinks. All proceeds to Anchorage South.

And if you miss that one....you get another chance.....

**A Rotary Stand up Comedy fundraiser**: Carol Montgomery, Friday **March 22nd**, 8 pm, \$20, includes your first two drinks. All proceeds to Anchorage South.

<u>Retiring -</u> Bruce Davison and Allen Bingham are no longer members of our club. They are moving into retirement mode. You will be missed!

For anyone who wishes to send Josh and Tammy a "hello", their Florida address is: Josh & Tammy Jennett 138 107th Avenue, #233 Treasure Island, FL 33706

<u>**Readers Needed**</u> - Readers are needed at Chinook Elementary. Please sign up. See Mike Ferris or Jess Hinker with any questions on how to get involved.

<u>Club Roster - If you are in need of referencing our club roster, it can now be accessed through our club's website.</u>

<u>**Parcel Post Party -**</u> Stay tuned for more detail regarding our upcoming Parcel Post Party that will be taking place mid-April.

<u>Skiers Wanted! -</u> Our exchange student, Karl Berglund, wants to go skiing. If you are a skier call Karl and invite him to go skiing.

ASR's next food drive for the <u>Children's School Lunch Program</u> will be on <u>Thursday, February28</u>. 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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