



Rotary Club of Juneau - Downtown

The Windjammer

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This Week's Program:

Wayne Jenson — Capitol Building Renovation



WORLD UNDERSTANDING MONTH

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

February 26: Admiral Jim Underwood (former Club member) "Josh the Otter" Project

March 5: Mar 5- Michelle Strickler, GV Rotarian — Reporting on her volunteer work in a Ugandan School including use of Rotary Simplified Grant

March 12: Representative Jonathan Kreiss-Tompkins, Freshman Legislator, "What I Have Learned So Far"

OTHER HAPPENINGS

February 18: Annual Rose Sale officially begins

February 23: Rotaract Mardi Gras Masked Ball at Rockwell's (\$15/person — over 21 years of age.) ShelterBox fundraiser.



February 26: Shoefly "FellowSHOEp", 6-8pm

March 9: Tri-Club and Rotaract Food Drive

April, 2013: GSE Team from Brazil

July 2: "Changing of the Guard Banquet" The Baranof



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Born in Nebraska and lived on a small farm in northeast Nebraska near the Missouri River not far from one of the campsites used by Lewis and Clark on the voyage of discovery in 1804.

He attended a one room country school with a total of 13 students in grades K - 8. The building did not have indoor plumbing. He had the same teacher from the first through the eighth grade; the same one who had taught his mother in the same school. He attended high school in the small town of Homer where he met his future wife.

Shortly after receiving a Bachelor of Architecture degree from the University of Nebraska, Wayne and Rita headed west. While in the Spokane area looking for a job, he saw an ad in the local office of the American Institute of Architects for a three month temporary job in Juneau for someone with five years of experience. He figured that five months of experience was close enough — so he applied and was hired. They moved to Juneau in the spring of 1973; and the three month job with George Filler Architect lasted 4 ½ years. He then joined Ackley and Associates, becoming a partner in 1978. Today the firm is Jensen Yorba Lott, Inc. and his partners are Tony Yorba, Joann Lott, Charlene Steinmann, an interior designer, and Dan Fabrello, who handles most of the construction administration services of the firm.

Wayne is a past president of the Juneau Rotary Club and former Assistant District Governor. He has served on the Board of the Alaska Committee since 2009 and as chair since 2011.

Over the past 40 years, Wayne has been involved in over 30 projects in the Capitol and surrounding buildings, including the remodeling of the Capital School into Terry Miller Legislative Office Building, the remodeling of the Masonic Hall into the Thomas Stewart Legislative Office Building and the recent remodeling of the church building at the corner of 5th and Main Streets for the Division of Legislative Finance. In addition, he has been involved in multiple renovation projects at the Governor's House over the past 20 years.



ABOVE: Scenes from the 2013 Wine Auction. A GREAT time was had by all!

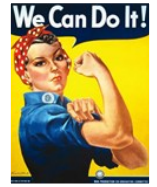
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And in other Club

news: GSE committee members still looking for housing, vocational visit ideas and housing. Talk to Warren, Corey, Any or Bill (Foreman) if you have any ideas...

Caitlyn has the sign-up sheet for "Kickin' it with Keishan."

There's plenty happening in the Capital City, like next week's "Fellow-Shoep" or next month's Gold Medal Tournament. Sign up today to spend some time with this incredible young man. Shown below, Keishan and his host-sister, Kaitlyn, on his



From PE Brenda: It's time for this year's Rotary Rose Sale -- our club's premier fundraiser. With your help, we will sell 1500 dozen roses, in Juneau and surrounding communities, and place \$30,000 in our coffers.

In addition to the smile it brings to someone's day, when you sell Rotary roses you help fund some of the important projects in which our club is involved — scholarships, youth exchange, RYLA, monthly Glory Hole brunches, public art projects, and the greenhouse, to name just a few. These projects are our club's branding in the community — and some of our proudest moments — so thank you, in advance, for selling roses to your friends, family, neighbors, business associates, coworkers, clients or complete strangers.

Packets are being distributed at today's meeting; proudly wear your button and "go forth and sell!" Each member is asked to sell 20 dozen, twelve dozen at a minimum; or, you can do a "buy-out" by paying \$250. This year's roses have been ordered from COSTCO -- *Rainforest Alliance Certified*. — enabling us to keep the s the same as last year, \$30/dozen.

Delivery is scheduled for Thursday, April 11th. The April 9th meeting will be canceled to enable full club participation with deliveries. Sally (Saddler) is coordinating.

Through the efforts of our IT gurus, Andy, Bill (Legere) and Holly, and the generosity of President Ann, www.juneaurotaryroses.org is again operational. Online orders can be placed securely using PayPal, saving the club credit card fees and a great deal of work on the back end. Sellers will have business cards to handout to encourage purchasers to place online orders. **(Reminder:** Every order will require either a separate order form or online transaction.)

So grab a Rose Button, a poster or two and go sell those Roses!!



Just back from president-elect training (PETS) in Seattle, along with 899 PEs from the Pacific NW and Canada, PE Brenda reported, "WOW! Armed with information on the new grants and empowered by next year's international slogan, *Engage Rotary--Change Lives*, I'm ready to get us going in the new Rotary year. My club theme will be *Sailing the Seven C's - Club; Community; Charity; Commitment; Communication; Classifications; & Camaraderie.*"

PE Brenda's new board met earlier this month to brainstorm ideas, set goals and make fun thrive. In addition to Brenda, the board will consist of: PP Ann; PE Marie; John (Blasco), vice president; Ruth (Kostik), secretary; Karen (Morgan), treasurer; Luke Fanning, sergeant-at-arms; Karen (West), Foundation; Mark (Bryan), Administration; Virginia, New Generations; Warren, International Service; Greg, Vocational Service; Wayne (Stevens), Club Service; Bruce, Membership; and Sharon, Communications.



MORE WINE-ING... AUCTION 2013



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