



THE WINDJAMMER

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UPCOMING

March 10

Max Blust,
Rebound Exchange
Student - Hungary

March 17

Rose Sale Charity
Partners

March 24

Fabie Ferraz,
Inbound Exchange
Student - Brazil

GREETERS

March 3

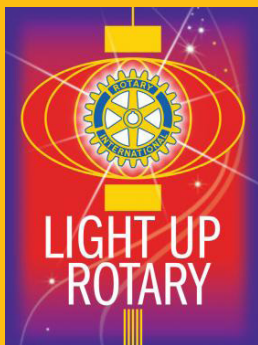
Ruth Kostik
Virginia Stonkus

March 10

Dick Knapp
Bob Didier



2014-2015 Rotary
International Theme:



This Week's Program: Senator Pete Kelly

District A, Republican

Born

- Fairbanks, Alaska

Family

- Wife - Perri 34 years
- Children - Devin, Katlin, Dominic

Education

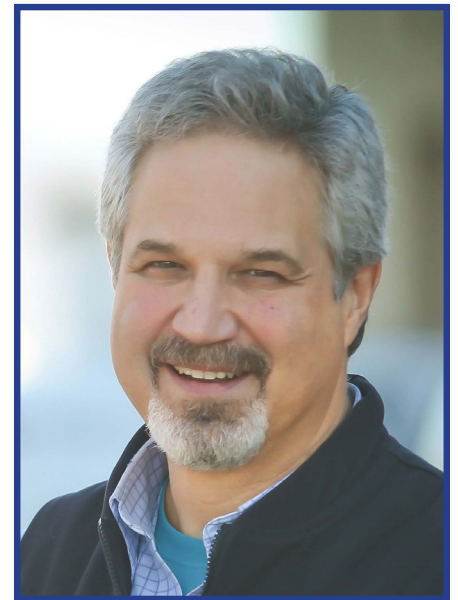
- Monroe High School Graduated 1974,
- Bachelor of Science – Management, Liberty University, Virginia 1996

Work History

- Heavy Equipment Operator
- Real Estate Agent
- Sales Manager, K101FM
- Owner, Kelly Communications
- Director of State Relations, University of Alaska
- Special Assistant to the Governor
- Board of Director, Humble Raven Ministries

Legislative

- Alaska State Senate 1999-2003
- State House 1995-1999
- Co-Chair Senate Finance
- Member House Finance Committee
- Member Senate Resource Committee
- Chair University Budget Subcommittee
- Chair Health and Social Services Budget Subcommittee



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL NEWS:

ROTARY MEMBER TAKES FUNDRAISING TO NEW HEIGHTS -- THE SUMMIT OF MOUNT EVEREST

Despite his longstanding interest in polio eradication, polio was not on Joe Pratt's mind as he prepared for a mid-April 2012 climb of Mount Everest, the highest mountain on earth. But that changed in late 2011, when the resident of Nottingham, New Hampshire, USA, participated in a polio immunization project in Pakistan with fellow Rotary member Steve Puderbaugh.



Read the rest of this story at <https://www.rotary.org/en/news-features>

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FUN TIME WITH FABI!

NAMEWEEK OF

- Ruth Kostic..... March 8-14
- Bill LegereMarch 15-21
- Robyn LongMarch 22-28
- Bridget LujanMarch 29-April
- J. Allen MacKinnonApril 5-11
- Mark MillerApril 12-18
- Armando DeGuzman April 19-25
- Heather MitchellApril 26-May 2
- Sandy FortierMay 3-9
- Luke FanningMay 10-16

**FOOD DRIVE
FLASHBACK!**



Special thanks to everyone who volunteered to help with our annual food drive at Fred Meyer!

**ROTARIAN MAGAZINE - LAUNCH PADS
IN FIJI, STUDENTS USE TABLETS TO EXPLORE THE WORLD.**



On the third-largest island in Fiji, 17-year-old Asenaca Sepa dreams of becoming a nurse. Her classmate, Laisenia Kidia, wants to study marine biology. The teens are students at Bucalevu Secondary School on Taveuni Island. Its rich soil and abundant flora have earned it the nickname “the garden island.” Waterfalls and breathtaking sunsets make Taveuni a travel destination, yet besides encounters with tourists, the islanders live in relative isolation. The government is the main employer; most other jobs involve unskilled agricultural labor. Only about 30 percent of students graduate from high school. About 10 percent go to university. Poverty and poor infrastructure limit access to advanced technology.

This lack of technology in schools worried members of the Rotary Club of Taveuni Island, who want to ensure students find employment or go on to college, says club member Geoffrey Amos. “We want them to go into the market with computer skills.”

Working with Auckland University of Technology and the Rotary clubs of Newmarket, Botany East Tamaki, and Ellerslie Sunrise, New Zealand, Taveuni Island Rotarians launched a project to provide 70 computer tablets to Bucalevu Secondary School and nearby Niusawa Methodist High School. They received matching funds from districts 9920 and 9970, and partial funding from a Rotary Foundation Matching Grant. (Matching Grants have since been phased out; learn more about Foundation grants at www.rotary.org/grants.)

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