

The Windjammer

Today's program

A woman, a plan, Panama

Leigh Miller was born and raised in Juneau by Marian and John Clough, and Glenn Miller and Joan Thompson.

She grew up outside, playing at Sandy Beach, camping on Horse Island, and taking short-cuts through devil's club patches with her dad.

Miller was briefly a child actress, playing the Oomiak in several King Island Christmas productions at Perseverance Theatre. Later, she got into running, competing with the Juneau-Douglas High School cross

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2014 Rotary Convention

New prez encourages members to 'Light Up Rotary'

Rotary International President Ron Burton put the final touches on the 2014 Rotary Convention in Sydney, Australia by reminding a packed Allphones Arena why they joined Rotary.



Alyce Henson/Rotary International Rotary International President-elect Gary C.K. Huang, accompanied by his wife, Corinna, shares his membership goals with the audience at the closing plenary of the 2014 Rotary Convention in Sydney, Australia.

"Being a Rotarian isn't about our own achievements, it isn't about our own careers, it really isn't about us at

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Calendar June

Rotary Fellowship Month

- June 10: Leigh Miller, the Peace Corps in Panama.
- June 17: Margaret Custer, spill response in Southeast.
- **June 22:** Family Action Committee.

July

• July 19: Rowdy Rotary Reunion.

Greeters

- **Today:** Cori Mills and Sharon Gaiptman.
- Next week: Karen West and Pam Halloran.

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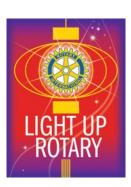
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all. It's about the people we help," said Burton. "At the end of the day, the only thing that matters in Rotary is how much better the world becomes because Rotary is in it."

The four-day event, which drew to a close on June 4, attracted more than 18,000 attendees from 153 countries. Burton encouraged convention goers to return to their clubs ready to do more to improve the lives of others.

"Together, we can dream big and we can achieve. We can change whole communities for the better, not for a day but for a lifetime," he said. Rotary changes lives by improving literacy, making water cleaner, bringing better



health care to mothers and children, and eradicating polio worldwide, Burton said.

Members of Burton's Rotary Club of Norman, Okla., and President-elect Gary C.K. Huang's club of Taipei, Taiwan, took the stage to exchange club banners, a

tradition that unofficially marks a changing of the guard. Huang will become Rotary International president on July 1. During his term in office, he has set a goal of growing Rotary's membership to 1.3 million. Huang told the audience that increasing and sustaining membership will help Rotary achieve its goals. He shared a story about a small Taiwanese club that had only six members. But after asking their wives to join, the club grew to 29 members in three years because the spouses asked their friends to become members as well.

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country and track and field teams. Miller was also involved with Alaska Youth

Environmental Action, where she taught elementary schoolers about the three 'Rs,' sorted and transported recycling for the high school, and was the youth representative to Juneau Friends of Recycling.

She left Juneau for college, studying civil engineering with a concentration in water resources at McGill University in Montreal, but came back in the summers to intern at PND Engineers. After college, Miller worked as an engineer at PND before going back to school. She is currently a Peace Corps Master's International Student at Michigan Technological University.

Miller leaves for her Peace Corps service in Panama on Monday. You can follow her a d v e n t u r e s a t liveleighblog.tumblr.com.



Service through socks

The Interact Club is collecting socks for a service activity. The footwear will go to an orphanage. With summer here and sandals in fashion, please spare a pair.