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## UPCOMING

**July 22**

Weekly Meeting:  
Chief of Police  
Bryce Johnson

**July 29**

Weekly Meeting:  
Kara Nelson  
Haven House

**August 05**

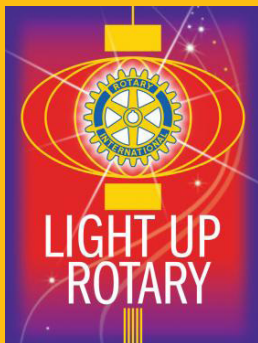
Weekly Meeting:  
Andrea Hirsh  
Juneau Votes

**August 06**

Board Meeting



2014-2015 Rotary  
International Theme:



## This Week's Program:



## Juneau Police Chief Bryce Johnson

Chief Bryce Johnson spent over twenty years in law enforcement at the Salt Lake City Police Department and graduated from the University of Utah and Brigham Young University with Bachelor's and Master's degrees.

Bryce and his family moved to Juneau in June of last year and very much enjoyed the many days of sunshine that last summer offered. Bryce has been the Chief of the Juneau Police Department for just over a year.

Bryce was very excited to get his in-State fishing license last month and, while not a good fisherman, he is more than willing to accompany more qualified experts and learn from them.

*Find more information about JPD online at <http://www.juneaupolice.com/>*

## Recap of Last Meeting

District Governor Dick Sutliff and his wife, Page Spencer, visited with the club and gave us some great ideas about member engagement and retention.



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## Fun at Rowdy Rotary Reunion 2014

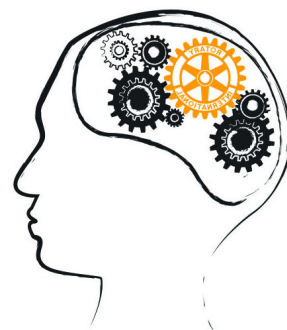
Everyone from the three Juneau Clubs had a great time at Sandy Beach on Saturday, July 19 along with DG Dick Sutliff and his wife, Page.



## Rotary Spotlight - Philanthropy / Brain

In the mid-1980s, Bill Benter didn't care about you, or me. He cared about a database program he was writing. The program could process 70 variables for any horse in a horse race. It could then model the race and give the true odds that the horse would win.

He was so absorbed in his project that he left his home in Pittsburgh and moved to Hong Kong, simply because race tracks in that city would give him a better opportunity to develop his idea. There, Benter at last got his payday: He and his partner bet on the results that the computer program spit out. And they began winning. They began winning big. "It was a huge amount of work, but profitable and perfectly legal," Benter recalls. "By 1996, the business was becoming a substantial success."



But Benter had few friends. He was not naturally outgoing, and he was in a foreign country. "I was disconnected from any community," he says. "My interaction was entirely with a computer screen.

*"Grafman's and Harbaugh's results paint a picture of philanthropy as a potent motivator that causes measurable changes in the brain."*

We didn't have customers or clients, so I had little opportunity to connect with others."

Then his lawyer invited him to join the Rotary Club of Kowloon North. Benter didn't think much of the idea. "I'm not a joiner by nature," he says. But the second time he was asked, Benter accepted...

Full story at <http://therotarianmagazine.com/philanthropy-and-the-brain/>

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