

THE WINDJAMMER

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UPCOMING

August 26 Rebecca Parks: JEDC - STEM program.

September 2 U.S. Senator Begich: What is (or is not) going in in DC

September 18 Cruise Ship Luncheon

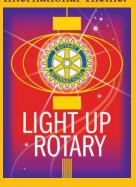
GREETERS

August 19 Sharon Gaiptman Mary Siroky

August 26 Mary Becker Luke Fanning



2014-2015 Rotary International Theme:



This Week's Program:

Cathy Connor - Ancient Wood Emerging from Mendenhall Glacier

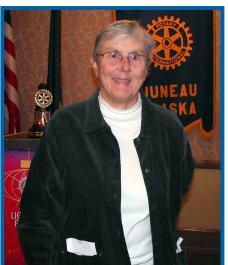
Cathy Connor moved to Juneau in 1983 from Anchorage where she was working for the Branch of Alaskan Geology in the United States Geological Survey. She helped to create geologic maps of areas in Alaska like Port Moller on the Alaska Peninsula, the Noatak River Valley in the Western Brooks Range, and the Copper River Basin now in Wrangell St. Elias National Park.



After marriage and motherhood she began working as a visiting assistant Professor of Geology at UAS in 1991 and retired in Spring 2014 as a Professor of Geology. Her family, many students, interesting colleagues, and landscapes like the Mendenhall Glacier area, have provided her with a rich life in Southeast Alaska. A completely new edition of the Roadside Geology of Alaska published by Mountain Press is slated to arrive in bookstores this fall.

You can find a list of Cathy's books available locally at Hearthside by visiting: https://www.hearthsidebooks.com/cathy-connor-juneau

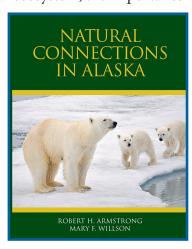
Recap of Last Meeting



Mary Willson shared a presentation on the intricate links of our ecosystem, the importance

that many pieces play in this chain and where strides to restore natural systems have renewed the balance of an ecosystem.

See Mary's book on the subject >>>



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Rotary Reminders: How to propose new members

Did you know that as a Rotarian, one of your primary responsibilities is to help identify and propose new members? Make sure you know these steps to bringing a new member into Rotary!

Step 1: Invite them to lunch

Bring your friends and colleagues to a regular weekly meeting or two and see what they think. You could invite them to join in on a club activity or service project as well. This is also a good time to direct them to our website so they can see what all we do.

Step 2: Propose them to the Board

Once someone has expressed interest in membership, you should complete the Membership Proposal Form, available in the documents section of ClubRunner, or from your Membership Chair. This form is turned in to the Membership chair or Secretary, and is discussed and voted on at the next board meeting.

*It is important to remember that this process should be confidential until after a proposal is approved by the board. That means you should not inform the prospective member, or the rest of the club when introducing them as a guest, that you are intending to propose this individual.

Step 3: Check with the membership

If the board of directors approves the proposed member, their name will be put forward to the membership who have seven days to return any written objections. This would be a good time to make sure the proposed member understands that attendance requirements and financial expectations (annual dues, lunches/coffees, fines/happy bucks, and Foundation contributions).

Step 4: Induction!

Assuming there are no objections, the Membership Chair will contact you to set a date for induction. This is when you both get to stand up in front of the club and get fancy new pins.

There is more information about this process in our club bylaws, or you can just ask our Membership Chair, Ruth Kostik.

Volunteers Needed for Service at Glory Hole

Service at the Glory Hole is one of the more rewarding things you can do for those with a basic need - a good meal. Our club helps with one Sunday a month. It's an easy 9AM to Noon and just about anything you make is very appreciated by the folks you serve. It only takes a couple folks to serve. If you're interested in getting the family involved you can contact Barbara Propes from our club for more information.

