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Juneau-Gastineau Rotary

Channeler

Today's Greeter

Eric Carver

Next Week

Rueben Willis

Today's Program

Kirk Duncan

Parks & Rec New Master Plan

March 2

Annette Smith

The Undersea World

March 9

Captain Rich Etheridge

Juneau Fire Department

March 16

Club Assembly



FEBRUARY 23rd

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL'S ANNIVERSARY

"Rotary has satisfactorily demonstrated the fact that friendship can easily hurdle national and religious boundary lines."

Paul Harris , Founder, 1935



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City seeks input on vision for future Parks & Rec services

The last full re-write of the city's plan for Parks and Recreation (P&R) services was 20 years ago. In 2018, an updated blueprint will be considered by the P&R Advisory Committee, the Planning Commission, and Assembly. But the ground work began last year. (See what residents have had to say, so far, at: www.placespeak.com/en/topic/4692-cbj-parks-and-recreation-planning/#/overview)

P&R Director Kirk Duncan, who's been with the city for 13 years, is leading the process to find out what residents most value in an era of declining revenues. P&R includes two pools, ice arena, youth center, adult and youth sports programs, Centennial Hall, the Arboretum, Eagle Valley Center, maintenance and landscaping of all CBJ properties, and parking management. Many of those areas have been added since the old plan was developed. P&R has 40 full-time and 165 seasonal or part-time positions and a budget of \$11.6 million



TODAY
112th Anniversary
Rotary International
Founded by
Paul Harris,
1905, Chicago

TODAY
Thursday
February 23
4 pm – 6:15 pm
Glory Hole
Dinner Prep

Saturday
March 18
All-Rotary
Evening at
Perseverance Theater
(Fundraiser for
Polio Plus)

Saturday
March 25
All Rotary
Food Drive
JGR: Foodland
10 am



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3 countries join KIVA loan roster

Egypt, Thailand, and Armenia became the latest three countries where residents are receiving JGR-KIVA loans for micro-industry. Since the club started collecting loose change in 2008, JGR has made nearly 600 loans, totaling \$62,100, in 65 of 72 eligible countries. This week, Robert Minch, John Pugh, and prospective member Tim Banaszak (below, L to R) and KIVA co-chairs Candy Behrends and Julie Olson (right), met at Julie's home and approved a dozen loans totaling \$1,200.



JGR to house Mongolia reps

Club members John Wynne and Julie Olson will host two of five Mongolian parliament members who will visit Juneau March 27-28, as part of the Congressionally-funded Rotary partner program Open World.

Happy 17th, Riccardo!

Inbound exchange student, Riccardo Caravati, last weekend hosted the first of three Italian dinners to earn money for the District 5010 West coast tour next summer. Seats were sold for \$75 apiece. Pictured with Riccardo is Carl Uchtyl, host dad to Juneau Club inbound Marisol, far right. The dinner was held at the home of Riccardo's host family, Dana and Trevor Richards. **He turns 17 today!**



January - Vocational Service / February - Peace & Conflict Resolution / March - Water & Sanitation
 April - Maternal & Child Health / May - Youth Services / June - Rotary Fellowships / July - Leadership
 August - Membership / September - Education & Literacy / October - Economic & Community Development
 November - Foundation / December - Disease Prevention and Treatment

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