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Juneau-Gastineau Rotary

Channeler

Established 1988

Today's Greeter

Amy Lujan

Next Week

Kevin Ritchie

October 13

Stephanie Butler

Alaska Student Loan Corp.

October 20

Jeffrey Coonjohn

Middle East Security Update

October 27

**Welcome District 5010 Governor
Michelle O'Brien of Ketchikan**

**Colleen Torrence
Foundation Auction**

November 3

**Katharine Heumann
Willoughby Arts Complex**

November 10

**Foundation Auction!
Invite a friend!**

See club news, greeters & guests at
<http://portal.clubrunner.ca/386/>



Commission in its fifth decade of helping Alaskans finance their educational pursuits

Since 1974, the Alaska Commission on Post-Secondary Education has supported generations of Alaskans as they have pursued higher learning. Last year alone, more than 2,000 students received support from the ACPE, totally \$21 million from amongst three programs it administers (loans, grants, and Performance Scholarships). The commission is funded through the Alaska Student

Loan Corporation which has authority to sell tax-exempt bonds. The corporation a couple months ago also launched a loan re-financing program, which already has made awards of nearly \$2 million.

The new executive director of the commission (and CEO of the corporation) is Stephanie Butler, above, who has been with the organization nearly 20 years. Butler, who had served as director of program operations since 2001, holds a certified internal auditor credential, as well as a BS in business administration and management and a BA in English.

Welcome, Zia!

Pam Varni and Amy Lujan welcome new member Zia Bocaccio (center). Zia is founder and CEO of Alpaca International, with shops in Juneau, Park City, UT, and Cuzco, in her homeland of Peru.



Join Us!

TODAY

5 pm

Polio Plus

**Run & Radio Day
Planning Meeting
Elgee, Rehfeld,
Mertz
9309 Glacier Hwy**

Saturday

October 22

Polio Plus

1K/5KRun

9:15 Registration

Riverbend

School

Thursday

October 27

4 – 6:15

Glory Hole

Dinner

Preparation

(It's a make-up!)

Friday

October 28

7 am

Board Meeting

Prospector

Dining Room

(It's a make-up!)

Thursday

November 10

7 – 8:30

Foundation

Auction

Bring a friend!



**Northwind Architects,
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A day of hands-on science, as Riccardo helps with water tests

Riccardo bundled up to stay warm (in 50-degree temps) when he and Admiralty Environmental technician Bowei He took water samples at the Auke Bay ferry terminal Oct. 4. JGR member Diana Cote and her husband, Dave, own Admiralty. Back at the lab, Riccardo was assigned to “condition” the water to prepare it to be tested for biochemical oxygen demand (BOD).



Polio Plus run and radio pledge day set for Oct. 22

Rotarians are invited to pitch for pledges -- and *all* of Juneau is invited to participate in a short run Sat., Oct. 22 – all for Rotary’s world-wide priority: ending polio. Last year raised \$18,000.

The 1K and 5K routes start at Riverbend Elementary; registration is at 9:15. Entry is \$20 for adults; \$10 for students. To help on radio, contact richard@abcstations.com

October Birthdays and Membership Anniversaries

- 6 Peggy Ann McConnochie
- 7 Linda Blefgen
- 10 Jean McBrien
- 13 Eric Carver
- 18 Jared Lee
- 22 Brian Holst
- 26 Ron King

Paul Dick, 13 years
Corey Wall, 4 years



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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