



www.juneaugastineaurotaryclub.org

OCTOBER 5, 2017

Juneau-Gastineau Rotary

Channeler

Established 1988

Today's Greeter

Doug Eckland

Next Week

Karla Schofield

Today's Program

Allison Gillum

Southeast Alaska Land Trust

October 12

Dana Herndon & Jill Ramiel

Downtown Business Update

October 19

Colleen Torrence

Foundation Auction Logistics

October 26

Jeffrey Coonjohn

International Corruption



Harry Kieling

District 5010 Governor

Ian Riseley

Rotary International President

Southeast Alaska Land Trust



Stewarding Lands You Cherish

Since its first purchase in 1998, the Southeast Alaska Land Trust (SEAL) has been able to acquire 17 properties and steward 15 conservation easements, totaling nearly 3,500 acres. (A conservation easement is an agreement between a landowner and a trust or government agency that permanently limits certain uses to preserve conservation values. The trust becomes the steward of that land in perpetuity.) In Juneau, those protected properties include the arboretum, portions of the Mendenhall Wetlands, an addition to the city's Amalga Meadow Natural Area Park (at the confluence of the Eagle and Herbert rivers), wetlands along Montana Creek, and Auke Nu Cove. SEAL operates on donations, as well as receipts from wetlands mitigation fees (paid by developers to the Army Corps of Engineers when impacts to wetlands cannot be avoided). Allison Gillum, who has worked on land trusts in Massachusetts, New Hampshire and Homer, has been with SEAL nearly four years.



October: birthdays aplenty

Erik celebrated his 18th birthday Tuesday. This month's other celebrants are a tad older:

Oct. 6 Peggyann McConnochie

Oct. 7 Linda Bleffen

Oct. 10 Jean McBrien

Oct. 13 Eric Carver

Oct. 18 Jared Lee

Oct. 22 Brian Holst

Oct. 26 Ron King

**Saturday
October 21**

**Rotary Radio Day
and
Foundation
Fun Run**

**Tuesday
October 24**

**World
Polio Day
"We're this close!"**

**Thursday
October 26**

**4-6:15 pm
Glory Hole
Meal Prep
It's a make up!**

**Thursday
November 9**

**7-8:30 am
AUCTION
For Foundation
and Youth Programs
Bring a friend!**

**Thank you to
Julie Olson and
Candy Behrends for
the many pictures
submitted for this
week's edition!**



Bulb sales: all hands on deck

Top L: Kim Kiefer (yellow) consults with Joann Lott during bulb packing. Behind, L to R: John Pugh, Julie Olson, Karla Schofield, Pam Varni, Erik, Amy Lujan, Ron King, Stephanie Hoag, Paul Dick, Tim Banaszak, Jonathan Palmer and Doug Eckland. Above: L to R, Pam, John Wynne, Lucy Ibesate, Linda Blefgen and Erik. Left: Kim, Mila Cosgrove, and Dan Bleidorn calculate sales, which net about \$10,000. Lower left: John, Ron, Julie help on sales day, Sept. 30.



Glory Hole, too . . . L to R:

Robert Minch, Sharon Cannon, Tim Banaszak, Pam Varni, Candy Beh- and Eric Carver (not shown) Sept. 28.



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

2016-2017 Board & Committees

President
James Bibb

President-Elect
Kim Kiefer

Past President
Pam Varni

Vice President
Julie Olson

Secretary
Jackie Timothy

Treasurer
Dan Bleidorn

Administration
Linda Blefgen

Community Service
Candy Behrends

Vocational Service
Rosemary Hagevig

Youth
Kevin Ritchie

Youth Exchange
Jill Ramiel
Kirk Smithy

Interact Advisor
John McConnochie

Membership
John Pugh

International
Nico Bus

Foundation
Colleen Torrence

Sergeant-at-Arms
Doug Eckland

Public Relations
Mila Cosgrove

Program
Amy Lujan, John Cannon
Rosemary Hagevig

Web Manager
Claudette Kreuzenstein

Newsletter Editor
Laury Scandling