



**Tuesday
Jun. 18, 2024**

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

6/18 NAMI– Mental Health
Services in Juneau

6/25 Year-end picnic 4:30



Member Birthdays

6/9 Dana Zigmund

6/21 Sally Saddler

6/30 Robin Thomas

Rotary Anniversaries

Annie Carpeneti 10yrs

EVENTS:

**June 25 Changing of
the Guard Picnic**

**July 20 QUAD CLUB
picnic, Savikko #2**



**The Rotary Club of Juneau
WINDJAMMER**

TODAY'S PROGRAM:

***Aaron Surma, Executive Director
NAMI Juneau***

Aaron Surma has received mental health services for over twenty years. During this time, he has experienced first-hand the power of peer support. In particular, the role of peer support in helping people find their voice as it relates to their own recovery. His goal is for people in Juneau to feel the confidence to make decisions about their mental health care while making sure the proper resources are available to them. Before joining NAMI Juneau in 2020, Aaron worked for the Juneau Suicide Prevention Coalition and a variety of community mental health providers. He also has a degree in social work.



New Year, New Rotarians!



With our new fiscal year in sight, it's a great time to bring new members into the club. On second thought, ANY time, is a great time to bring new members into the club. Part of the work of Rotarians is to help grow our membership, worldwide. More Rotarians, means more "Magic of Rotary" in the way of service, giving, philanthropy, humanitarian projects, fellowship and friendship. Pictured above, is Membership co-chair, Sally Saddler, introducing our three newest members: Martina Kallenberger, a retired research analyst with the Division of Commercial Fisheries (sponsored by Ann Metcalfe), Bianca Carpeneti, an independent contractor focusing on strategic business development (sponsored by Annie Carpeneti), and Corey Weiss, Superintendent of the Juneau Community Charter School (sponsored by Denny Dewitt). Welcome to the club!

June is Rotary Fellowships Month

ROTARY CLUB OF JUNEAU



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Sharon Gaipman,
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**Brewfest
Cori Mills,
Aaron Morrison**

Fish Creek Park Picnic Shelter Update



(courtesy of Ann Metcalfe) Juneau Rotarians made great progress on the shelter last weekend, and our club was very well represented

Rotary of Juneau members, along with members from the other three clubs, made a great showing the sunny weekend of June 8 and 9 to frame up most of the new shelter at the Fish Creek Picnic Area on North Douglas. Despite a setback at the beginning, which required members to redrill several plates in order to fit into the city's pre-poured supports, the crew was able, over the two full days, to get all but the roofing completed. The structure will be completed the

weekend of June 15. Members from our club who pitched in on the construction crew included President Jamie, Jeffrey Hartman, Wayne Stevens, Nils Andreassen, Andy Mills, Denny DeWitt, Todd Schur, Cory Ortiz, Tyler Emerson, Aaron Morrison, and the sole woman on the crew, one of our newest members, Bianca Carpeneti. Expert technical hands-on support, along with equipment, was provided by Eric Carver, Bob Borthwick, and Carl Furlato of the morning club, along with others.

Bob and Karen Rehfeld ran the grill both days, and Mary Siroky, Shauna McMahon, Sally Smith, and folks from the other clubs brought coffee, doughnuts, and other goodies to feed the crew over the two days.

There will be a formal dedication of the structure including the CBJ, all the donors, and members of all four clubs at a date and time to be announced.

Changing of the Guard Picnic

Hey Rotarians! Don't miss our Changing of the Guard picnic, next Tuesday June 25th at the log cabin shelter at Sandy Beach. Grill master Bob Rehfeld will be cooking hamburgers and hot dogs. **Bring your family**, and a side dish and/or a dessert to share, and beverage(s) of your choice. Come celebrate our outgoing and incoming prez! 4:30pm for set-up.

Maria and the Mountain



A classic Juneau photo op! Thanks to new member, Martina Kallenberger, for taking Maria up, up, up, the Goldbelt Tram, this past weekend. What a beautiful, sunny day to get up the mountain. Here are a few more adventures Maria hopes to experience. Can you help?

**Whale watch
Fishing
Tram
Aquarium**

**Glacier
Camping
Bowling
Radio station tour**