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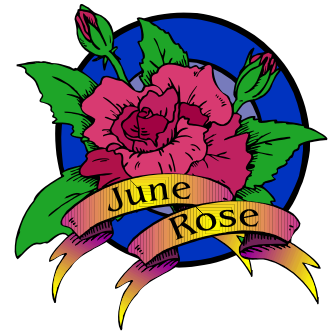


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Flag Day—June 14th!

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1. Website factoids for the month of MAY!

May's unique web hits through May 31st (first time viewers) were 2208 visitors. **Of these visitors, 1130 of them (over half!!) added the website to their favorite's list!** May's total visitors were 3350.

These visitors looked at a total of 40,713 pages, with 150,189 hits. Behind the USA, Norway was the country with the most pages viewed. Wednesday was the most active day, and 3PM was the most active time of day. The calendar was the most viewed page, 368 visitors opened up the Island Guide, and the marathon website had the most used link into the chamber website.



2. Chamber POWER: *Thanks to the following sponsors of this month's Newsletter.*

First Bank – Craig / 907-826-3254 / fax 907-826-3910 / www.firstbankak.com / Lynnette Logan, manager
A full service community bank offering checking, savings and time deposit accounts; consumer, commercial, construction, and home loans; and online banking services. ATM's located at First Bank and at West Wind Plaza in Craig.

JS Warehouse and Builder's Supply--Craig / 907-826-3632 / fax 907-826-2988 Featuring True Value hardware and paint product line with lumber and building products along with general storage, mini-storage and RV court and parking. Also a maintenance shop with steel and iron supply.

Arrowhead LP Gas—Craig/907-826-2944/fax 907-826-3916/www.arrowheadlpgas.com/ Sharilyn Zellhuber, Manager. Full service propane gas professionals. Whirlpool and GE appliances. RV accessories. Gas fireplaces and water heaters. Sales and installation.

The Computer Palace – Craig / 907-826-2216 / www.pow-tech.com / Computer repairs, upgrades and sales. Video game systems and video game sales.

Tongass Business Center – Ketchikan / 618 Dock St. / Ketchikan, AK 99901 / 1-800-478-9015 / 907-225-9015 / Fax 907-225-9014 / www.tbcenter.com / Call for Catalog. Office Equipment & Supply, Sharp Copiers & Faxes, Printing & Binding, Newsletters, Office Furniture.

3. From the President's Desk:

A big thanks to Sarah Altland of Whale Tail Pharmacy, who co-chairs the Chamber Scholarship committee with me. She performed the follow up contacts that enabled us to reach our goal of fulfilling scholarship awards to the applicants of the 2007 Graduate scholarships. A report on our generous underwriters and the 2007 recipients is included. It was wonderful to have Karen Cleary home to help present the awards in Klawock and Craig. Thanks also to Julie Isom who presented the SISD awards in Thorne Bay.

The Adopt a Marathon Mile project was also completed in the two weeks prior to the running of the 8th Annual Prince of Wales International Marathon on May 26th. The list of volunteers who cleaned up the 26.2 mile route is included herein.

With May events in the history books, the Chamber concentrates all its efforts for the next two months on the Annual Fair and Logging Show. Sponsor and Advertiser forms are out in the mail this week, with a quick turnaround time so that the Fair and Logging Show booklet can be out just after the 4th of July. Sponsors cover the prize money for all the Logging Show events, and advertising supports the booklet, signage, and all the unseen costs involved in putting on the weekend. No paid positions are involved in any of the work, so all revenue from sponsors and advertisers is dedicated to providing our residents and visitors with a good time, and our local craftsman with a venue to exhibit and sell their wares. Many non-profit organizations and youth oriented groups take advantage of this island- wide event to boost their operating funds for their annual budgets.

Lots of decisions are on tap for this month in order to finalize the schedule of events for the July 28-29th event.

4. 2007 SCHOLARSHIPS AND UNDERWRITERS



Is presented to all the following individuals and businesses who contributed underwriting for the Prince of Wales Chamber of Commerce 2007 Graduate Scholarship awards:

Southeast Dental Centers, Inc. (Scott & Kim Brookshire) Alaska Marine Lines (Alex McKallor) Alaska Power and Telephone Catch a King Charters (Rich Manning, Paul Roop) Fireweed Lodge, (Bob and Val Anderson)	Log Cabin Resort (Skip and Verne Fabry) Boardwalk Lodge (Brad Steuart) Sheila & Mark Beardsley Cleary Computer Services (Mike & Karen Cleary), Jody's Seafood Specialties (Jody Anderson)
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B-3 Contractors, Inc., (Mike and Jan Bush) Changing Tides Inn, (Rob and Val Steward) Todd W. Tew, CPA Northland Services Viking Lumber First Bank of Alaska-Craig Branch Shaub Ellison (Sandy Shaub) Kirk and Aleda Dahlstrom Tyler Rental, Inc. (Randy Johnson) Petro Marine Services (Dale Lindsey) Whale Tail Pharmacy (Bill & Sarah Altland)	Black Bear Store (Sandra & Elvin Scott) P&H Construction (Karen & Eric Packer and Chuck & Jeanette Haydu) Columbine Inn (Fred & Janice Lund) Alaska Gifts (Wayne & Donna Baxter) Papa's Pizza (Ken Owen) Hill Bar & Liquor Store (Marge Young & Family) Southeast Retreat (Jeff & Kelli Larson) Ocean Bluebird B&B (Don & Lorraine Pierce) Voyageur Bookstore & Coffee Co. (Gail Slentz) Trophy Inn (Don & Teresa Busse)
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The Chamber of Commerce congratulates the following 2007 graduates who were awarded \$500 scholarships at their respective Graduation ceremonies: **From Craig High School:** *Katie Altland, Camille May, Amanda Edsall, Arthur Miller, Jenny Mae Carpenter, Nicole Packer, Melissa Peavey, Zach Thibodeau, Cole Anderson, Ryan Cole, Scott Hamilton.* **From Klawock High School:** *Melissa Steward, Yadira Ramirez-Ruiz.* **From Hydaburg High School:** *Starleen Jones.* **From Southeast Island School District:** *Ethan Cook, Brandi Goicoechea, Jacklyn Smith*

5. Adopt a Marathon Mile Report



<u>Hwy Mile Marker</u>	Adopt a Mile Clean Up Volunteers:
Finish line to mp 1	Doug Rhodes, Cheryl Fecko
1-2	Doug Rhodes, Cheryl Fecko, Glenna Coffey, Stephanie Merritt, Samantha Wilson, Brooks Willburn
2-3	Whale Tail Pharmacy (Bill, Sarah and Eli Altland), Michael Newcomb, Ryan Montgomery
3-4	Sheila Beardsley, Mandy Edsall
4-5	IFA: Carolyn and Jeff Chapman
5-6	Paul and Karen Coffey
6-7	Viking Lumber: Michelle and Kathleen Dahlstrom, Patti Howard, Aleda Dahlstrom, Adrienne Rubio
7-8	Klawock 4 th Grade: Kelli Larson, Josh Looney, Dylan George, Jeffery McNeil, Antonio Yates, Katelynn Beck, Keilani Stockton, Tiona Ruddick, Deetra Reyes, Johanna Lambeth
8-9	John and Kathy Larsen, Sarah Dichoso
9-10	POW Hatchery: John Bruns, Sally Burch, Charles Curritt, Sadie Jansen, Cedar Jansen, Gary Jansen
10-11	Ann, Cassi and Cody Williams, Carol Fitch
11-12	St. John's Catholic Church: Perry Kenaston, Jan Bush, Cathy, Grace and Mary Bolling, Tracey and Charlie Blanc
12-13	Terry and Theres Mackey
13-14	Church of Jesus Christ of LDS: Rod & Darlene Landon, Lilly Williams, Jessica English, Ann Bingham, , Nancy Hudson, Lyman Hudson, Jimmy Hudson, Darla Appleman, Bridget & Cathy Tew
14-15	Karrie, Roger Sadler and Alison, Corbin and Patrick Quigley
15-16	Karen and Greg Head

16-17	Moose Family Center: Abby Trozelle, James Carle, Gail and Robert Colberg
17-18	Mr. and Mrs Ratzat
18-19	Craig Ranger District: Becki Saari, Tory Houser, Gary Lawton, Kathleen Lawton
19-20	Kathy Peavey, Kassie Peavey, Haley and Barbi Armstrong
20-21	Ann Williams, Justin, Hunter and Mackenzie Fitch
21-22	Jay Landgren, Robert Landgren
22-23	POW Chamber of Commerce: Jan Bush and Patti Howard
23-24	POW Chamber of Commerce: Jan Bush and Patti Howard
24-25	Klawock School: Sonnie Anderson, Ethan Fifield, Ellen and Sophie Clark
25-26	Lou Hiatt
26-27	Arthur and Marcus Martin

6. FAIR AND LOGGING SHOW COMMITTEE

A very important Fair and Logging Show committee meeting will take place on June 11th in Thorne Bay at the Bay Chalet, site of the Fair Exhibit Hall. Meetings will be held every two weeks as this year's event draws ever closer. Final reports are needed from each of the committees in order to finalize the schedule of events for the Fair and Logging Show booklet. More volunteers are needed in all areas and everyone with a spare moment is encouraged to attend to lend a hand in creating a successful 2007 event.



The buttons need places to be displayed and sold, so please let us know if you have a spot for these in your businesses. The buttons are great, they provide entry into the whole weekend of activities, and some are attached to prizes!! The proceeds get pumped back into improvements for the Fair and Logging Show. With last year's button revenue, we purchased more tables for the Exhibit area, a couple more tents that will expand a weather protected "Carnival Court" for the kid's entertainment, more decorations to make the whole venue more festive, and more prize money for the kid's games to recycle into the food court, booths and carnival!!!

The latest headlines for this year's show include:

- "TOP COVER," Air Force Band of the Pacific returns to thrill POW!***
- Logging Show will conclude with Pole Falling Exhibit!***
- Log Rolling added to Logging Show competition!***
- Expanded bleacher seating to provide space for better spectator viewing!***
- Expanded hours for Fair Exhibits!***

7. Alaska Air/Pacific Air Raffle Tickets

Two round trip tickets on Alaska Airlines and Pacific Airways will be raffled off on July 29th at the close of this year's Logging Show. Tickets are once again \$1 each. The proceeds from this raffle will go toward improvements to the Visitor Center. The Chamber would like to add a display area for samples of our member's locally produced items, a new printer and copy machine is needed, and the directors are considering the addition of a computer station for internet access by Island residents and visitors.

Please contact the office if you can sell these tickets in your business or would like to peddle a few on your own. The Alaska Airline tickets this year are not only non-directional, but they are good out of any of the Southeast Alaska ports. Travel can start in Anchorage, Seattle or Southeast Alaska (Ketchikan, Juneau, Sitka, Wrangell or Petersburg) Pacific Airway tickets are between Prince of Wales and Ketchikan.

8. THANK YOU to our volunteers

A big thanks to all our committee workers who help us move from one project to the next. A special "Atta guys and gals" right now to the many hands that are working on all the parts and pieces to the Fair and Logging Show!

9. WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS!

Hill Bar and Liquor Store
Hollis Community Council

10. JUNE 2007 Board Meeting



The June Board meeting will take place Tuesday the 12th at the Chamber office, 6 pm. All are welcome to attend.

11. Businesses For Sale; Voyageur Bookstore and Black Bear Store

Voyageur Bookstore in Craig. Purchase just the book/toy/gift store portion of this successful small business. Voyageur Coffee Shop will remain under current ownership. Turnkey; regionally well known. Great opportunity on POW Island. Serious inquiries only. Gail Slentz 826-2333.

Black Bear Store: Well established Convenience Store and fuel service located in Klawock at the crossroads of Prince of Wales Island. Business includes property, inventory and equipment. Have been open 365 days a year for 25 years. Serious inquiries, call 907-755-2998.

12. "Working Well on POW" training

SEARHC is presenting a training opportunity designed to help small and large businesses and organizations design and implement outcome based employee wellness programs. A catered lunch is included at the CCA building in Craig on June 22nd. The event lasts from 8:30am -5:30pm. Registration is \$20 per business, agency or organization. The deadline is June 15th. For more information, contact Doug Osborne at 907-966-8734 or June May at 907-755-4959. Or call the Chamber office and the registration forms can be emailed to you.

13. Board of Directors, wishing all Fathers a Happy Day, congratulations to the Class of 2007 and congratulations to all the finishers of the 8th Annual POW International Marathon!

President- Jan Bush, **B-3 Contractors** belle@aptalaska.net

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Vice-President- Julie Isom, City of Thorne Bay & SISD jisom@sisd.org

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Director- Jim Seley, **JS Warehouse & Builders Supply** jseley@aptalaska.net

Office Manager-Denise Daniels

If you have an event to add to the website calendar, Call, email or fax Denise in the office today....

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					<p>1 • 7:00 pm - 11:59 pm : FIRST FRIDAY COUNTRY MUSIC !</p> <p>• 8:00 pm -10:00 pm : Live Music At The Craig Rec. Center!</p>	<p>2 • 8:00 am -3:00 pm : Kids Fishing Derby</p> <p>• 9:00 am -1:00 pm : Craig Community Garden Work Party</p> <p>• 10:00 am -12:00 pm : SEARHC, 4-H POW Youth First Responders Meeting</p> <p>• 7:00 pm -9:00 pm : Family Movie at the Craig Rec. Center</p>
<p>3 • 3:00 pm - 11:59 pm : Texas Hold' em at The Hill Bar</p>	4	5	6	<p>7 • 7:00 pm - 11:59 pm : Thirsty Thursday Karaoke at THE HILL BAR</p> <p>• 7:00 pm : Craig City Council Meeting</p>	<p>8 • LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p> <p>• 7:00 pm -9:00 pm : Free Class - HOME CANNING IN THE NEW MILLENNIUM</p> <p>• 7:00 pm -9:00 pm : "Pretty In Pink" The Movie at the Craig Rec. Center</p>	<p>9 • Mudd Bogg races in Naukiti</p> <p>• LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p> <p>• 10:00 am -12:00 pm : Island Wide EMS meeting</p> <p>• 7:30 pm -11:30 pm : Community Prom</p>
<p>10 • 3:00 pm - 11:59 pm : Texas Hold' em at The Hill Bar</p>	<p>11 • 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm : Fair and Logging Show committee meeting</p>	<p>12 • 6:00 pm : Board of Directors Meeting</p>	13	<p>14 • National Flag Day (US)</p>	<p>15 • Coloring Contest Deadline</p> <p>• LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p>	<p>16 • LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p> <p>• 12:00 pm -4:00 pm : Whale Pass Community Association Meeting</p>
<p>17 • Father's Day (US)</p> <p>• 3:00 pm -11:59 pm : Texas Hold' em at The Hill Bar</p>	18	19	20	<p>21 • 7:00 pm : Craig City Council Meeting</p>	<p>22 • LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p> <p>• 8:30 am -5:00 pm : Working Well on POW</p>	<p>23 • Mudd Bogg Races In Naukiti</p> <p>• LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p>
<p>24 • 3:00 pm - 11:59 pm : Texas Hold' em at The Hill Bar</p>	25	26	27	28	<p>29 • LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p>	<p>30 • LIVE MUSIC by GAS MONEY@ The HILL BAR</p> <p>• June Salmon Derby Ends</p>

