Good Day Sunshine! Gardens are at their finest. The lilies are in bloom, and the landscaping is almost completed. We're enjoying our new view of birch trees and juniper hedges—the stark grounds of Butro have been transformed. The Tanana Valley Fair starts this weekend and we're enjoying the best part of summer. Meanwhile, construction in Butro continues.

Construction Work Progressing Well

Construction work is progressing well in the General Counsel's area of the second floor, and in the Regents' Conference Room on the first floor.

It looks as if the General Counsel's area will be finished by mid-September. That's when the lawyers and staff can move back. The temporary offices they are now occupying on the first floor will be utilized by Human Resources staff who will relocate there to allow for adjustments to their space on the east end of the second floor. The work in the Regents' Conference Room should be finished within a couple weeks.

There will also be work done in the basement of Butrovich, but it is not expected to begin until mid-October.

Meanwhile, outside the Butrovich Building, the landscaping and planting continues with the workers trying to work around the weather which has been a bit wet for the last couple weeks.

UA Student Employee Tapped by Governor

Lisa Villano, a UAF education student, who has been working in the Butrovich Building as the coordinator for the UA Coalition of Student Leaders, has been appointed by Governor Tony Knowles as the student commissioner to the Alaska Postsecondary Education Commission for a two-year term.

Lisa is a senior majoring in elementary education, and has also served as an Associated Students of UAF senator. She will be leaving her job here soon to prepare for her year of student teaching. She will remain active with the student coalition.

Lisa is also a member of the steering committee for the Northwest Student Leadership conference held each year in Portland, Oregon, and a member of the steering committee for the national State System Association Alliance.

The Alaska Commission on Postsecondary Education was established by the Legislature in 1974 to coordinate and provide comprehensive planning for postsecondary education in Alaska, encompassing public, private and proprietary postsecondary educational institutions in the state.
Transitions...

Four university employees have been promoted to statewide Human Resources positions. Two of the new employees will be Recruitment and Retention Specialists:

-- Melissa Hill, who has been interim director of the Alaska Teacher Placement Program at UAF, has a Bachelor's degree in Health with a Communications minor. Before assuming the interim directorship, Melissa was also a recruitment specialist in Teacher Placement, and served as the Job Fair coordinator.

-- Lisette Richmond, who comes to statewide from UAF facilities. She worked in Human Resources at Tanana Valley Clinic prior to her university employment. She has a Bachelor's degree in Business and is currently working on a graduate degree at UAF.

Two will be Human Resource Analysts who will support the classification project and compensation work. They are:

-- James Yauney, who is moving from Budget, bringing knowledge of Banner and data analysis along with Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Business Administration emphasizing Human Resources Management.

-- Tarah Keeler, who comes from UAF Teacher Placement where she held a recruitment specialist/Job Fair Coordinator position. She has a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from UAF.

-- Crisanto Agtani, started Monday, July 30, as an Accounting Technician working for Fund Accounting. Crisanto previously worked for Institute of Arctic Biology. He is currently attending UAF and will graduate soon with his degree in Accounting.

For Sale or Trade

Send your items for sale or trade by e-mail to: bob.miller@alaska.edu

From Jeannie Phillips, 479-8462:
My sister is selling her car. A 1991 Mitsubishi Galant, lots of miles, but runs good. $2,400 OBO.

From Michelle Rizk, 456-2220:
2 Place Snow Machine Trailer, Steel construction, 8 x 10 Tilt style, 10.5" tires, tongue jack. Lightning system works great. New ski tie-down bars this past spring, $675.

SmityBuilt step bars, brand new condition, fits '94 Jeep Grand Cherokee, $150.

From Ruth Duerr 479-8813:
Honda Goldwing, 14K miles, fairing and bags, new tires and battery - $1975 OBO; extra Harley-style bags - $100; 4 hp compressor, hose & accessories, like new - $150; Hausfield nail gun - $50; 6" belt sander - $40; bench grinder - $40; drill press - $60; delta table saw - $150; miter saw $25; electric chain saw - $20; large wood office desk - $50; Small dining table with 2 leaves - $50; couch & loveseat - $300. Yard sale on Aug. 4-5, noon - 4 pm, 5418 Anderson Road (off Dale), numerous other/smaller items.

From Adela Batin 455-6601:
Large bird cage suitable for macaw, cockatoo or amazon. Black wrought iron, 5’ tall, 3’x3’ wide, on rolling casters. $200 obo.

From Leah Shepherd, 457-2960
Mountain Bikes: Giant, 175 & Trek, $200. Admiral Dryer, $50. 10 gal Eclipse system fishtank w/ iron stand $50.

From Betty Studebaker, 479-4926:
1984 Pontiac, Fiero for sale, very low mileage, in great condition. $3800.00

From Connie Kramer, 457-7407:
Advent "On-The-Go" bicycle trailer for one or two children, hardly been used - $120.00.

“Tough Traveler” backpack for carrying a child - $25.00

From Myron Dosch 451-1015:
Anyone remodeling their kitchen? I’m looking for upper and lower kitchen cabinets.

From Ann Ringstad at 456-6801:
Tigger, Flop and Cinnamon need a new home. These three adorable bunnies come complete with cages, food, and watering bottles and come as a set or individually. They are well fed and very loved. They are currently living outside, and could remain so during the winter in an enclosed structure. Would make good breeding stock. Two lop-eared, one mixed rex. The price is right - Free!!! If you are interested, please call and leave a message.

From Chris Garris 455-6537:
2.558 acres in Cripple Creek-II Subdivision, located at the corner of Bluegrass and Dulcimer Drives (2/3 mile uphill from Cripple Creek Road). Wooded with tall birch, aspen and some spruce, lot faces SW. Access-either via Isenberg from Chena River or from the Parks Highway past Ester, turn left on Cripple Creek. $14,500.

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Deadline for the next issue is Tuesday, August 14th by the end of the day.

New Schedule for On the Move

Beginning with the next issue, On the Move will come out every two weeks instead of weekly. The next issue will be August 15, and every two weeks thereafter through October.

In November, On the Move will expand to four pages and come out once a month.

A new Spotlight feature will debut with the next issue. The Spotlight will be on one department at a time, explaining the function of the department and introducing the people who make it work.