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The REACH, Inc. Monthly Newsletter July 2023

From the Desk of Dan:

Greetings from REACH, Inc.!

I have some news to share about The Canvas Art Studio and Gallery. We're sad to announce that The Canvas is officially closed - partly due to the COVID-19 pandemic as well as funding cuts from the State of Alaska. The Canvas was more than just another art class venue. It was a gathering place where community members of all abilities and interests came together to celebrate the joys of living, artful and meaningful lives. I am grateful to everyone who made The Canvas an inclusive, fun, and welcoming space!



The studio and gallery is being converted into commercial space for lease and we are excited to announce that local Juneau business owner, Morgan Johnson with The Plant Studio, will be our new lessee! After some initial renovations, Morgan plans to move her plant store into the back half of the space. For the gallery and ceramic studio space, she will be firing up those kilns and creating an artist membership co-op for ceramic artists to make and sell their goods. If you have any questions about our newest venture, please feel free to call me at 907-586-8228.

Sincerely,

Dan Elstad **Executive Director**

Goldbelt Tram & Glacier Gardens Passes available to reserve for Individuals and DSPs:

Looking for a fun day out in the community? We've got you covered! We have season passes available for both the Goldbelt Tram and Glacier Gardens available to Individuals and DSPs to reserve for your outing. Just give our friendly receptionist, Joselle, a call at 907-586-8228, Monday-Friday, to reserve them.



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Employee Anniversaries:

We're so proud of the people who work at REACH, and their hard work does not go unnoticed! Please join us in celebrating the following employee anniversaries:

<u>July</u>

Chloe Kinkade - 1 year Yulia Zeller - 1 year Katy Mountcastle - 1 year Cass Chase-Wilson - 2 years Donald Wilson - 2 years Jacob Mallinger - 2 years Rogelio Sungcad - 2 years Alan Tolles - 5 years Nita Budhrani - 6 years Gloria Magallanes - 6 years Thomas Sasser - 6 years Corazon Acosta - 7 years Michelle Boster - 11 years Jennifer Bellman - 13 years Maria Rosales - 15 years Jackie Bell - 22 years





Thank you to everyone who attended the Summer Picnic!











