



## AGC of Alaska

# NEWSLETTER

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## Let the challenge begin...



Mark your calendar to join us for the **7<sup>th</sup> Annual AGC Chili Cook-off**, hosted by the AGC Associates Council, at the Anchorage AGC office on **Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>**, starting at **5:00 p.m.** Tickets are \$10 each and include chili, salad, cornbread, dessert and beverages.

We are now taking entries for cook-off contestants! If you have a killer chili recipe you'd like to share, fill out the [entry form](#) and email to [kimberley@agcak.org](mailto:kimberley@agcak.org) or fax to the AGC office at 562-6118.

Along with the coveted AGC Chili Cook-off Skillet Trophy, the winner of the professionally-judged contest will also have their chili served at the **First National Bank Alaska** Wednesday, November 11 Luncheon during the AGC Annual Conference and at Fletchers for the month of November.

For more information, contact Kimberley at 561-5354 or [kimberley@agcak.org](mailto:kimberley@agcak.org) or visit the website at <http://www.agcak.org/chilicookoff.html>



## Sporting Clays Shoot

Last week's **Sporting Clays Shoot** event at the Grouse Ridge Shotgun Shooting Club was a huge success and one of the largest in Alaska.

[CLICK HERE](#) to check out the photos from the event. Thanks to all the shooters and spectators who joined us for the day!

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## AGC/PAC Raffle Tickets go on sale!

**Win  
\$10,000!!!**

Don't miss your chance to win \$10,000! Purchase your ticket(s) today from one of your AGC Board Members or the AGC staff. Tickets are \$100, with only 500 tickets being sold. There are a total of 32 cash prizes to win, so your chances are very good. We accept cash and personal checks only. Please no company or corporate checks and no credit cards will be accepted.

# Member News

## U.S. Women's Olympic Rugby Team is in town!

The Alaska Mountain Rugby Grounds and the Alaska Rugby Foundation are excited to invite you to attend the TryDive 2015 Benefit for Alaska Youth Rugby, featuring the US Women's Olympic Rugby Team! This one of a kind fundraiser dinner is taking place on Friday, September 4th at one of the most spectacular rugby pitches in the world, located right here in Anchorage. [Please see this video for highlights of last year's event!](#)

Join, welcome, and celebrate with the US Women as they prepare for the Olympic Games in Rio. They are particularly proud that the team features two Alaskans, Lorrie Clifford and Alev Kelter.

Formed just a few years ago, the US Women's team is presently ranked 5th in the world, and has been gaining steam as a medal contender in the Games. They're in Alaska to promote the fastest growing, hardest hitting sport in the US, and the efforts of the Alaska Mountain Rugby Grounds and the Alaska Rugby Foundation to grow Youth Rugby in Alaska. Over the last year, Alaska Youth Rugby has exploded from 80 kids to over 400, and we anticipate growing more in the years to come. But they need your help and support to make that happen! Tickets are just \$50, or \$500 reserves you an entire table with one of the athletes! Check out their Anchorage Tour flyer to see where you can join in the fun.

Reserve your seats today by emailing [events.akrugby@gmail.com](mailto:events.akrugby@gmail.com) or visit our eventbrite page at <http://www.eventbrite.com/e/alaska-trydive-2015-tickets-18317691709?aff=ehomesaved>

## Take the Time to Report Jobsite Theft

AGC Member Chugach Electric Association, Inc. has been dealing with the clean-up of two fairly extensive homeless camps on Chugach property adjacent to their Substation at 800 East 94<sup>th</sup> Ave. in recent days. At one of the camps they discovered quantities of obviously stolen property belonging to contractors or builders. They found tools, brand new fall protection harnesses (bright green in color) copper and aluminum wire (none of which I could identify as Chugach property) and other items. The Anchorage Police Department explained that without reports of stolen property that are active and complete with descriptions of the property they are powerless to do anything. The bottom line is that when wire, tools and other jobsite property disappears, it is important to file and have an active police report on the theft. If you would like to talk with Chugach Electric Association about this event please contact Bill Bernier at 762-7644 or by email [Bill\\_Bernier@chugachelectric.com](mailto:Bill_Bernier@chugachelectric.com). [To file an online police report, click here.](#)

# Conference Corner

Mark your Calendar to join us **November 11-14, 2015** at the **Hotel Captain Cook** for the **AGC of Alaska Annual Conference**. Conference registration options include full day, full conference, or single event only options. Meals are again included in both day and full conference registration rates, and look for the return of the Vendor Room Breakfast & the **First National Bank Alaska FREE Luncheon** on Wednesday. We will have the Vendor Room, the **Marsh & McLennan President's Welcome**, and of course Family Night's Fun Fair at the **American Fast Freight Warehouse** (5025 Van Buren St) so if you would like more information on the conference in general, please contact **Kimberley** at 907-561-5354 or [kimberley@agcak.org](mailto:kimberley@agcak.org).

## "Excellence in Safety" & "Excellence in Construction" Award Applications Now Online

The **Wells Fargo** "Excellence in Safety" and the **Parker Smith & Feek** "Excellence in Construction" Award applications are available on the AGC of Alaska website. Download the forms at <http://www.agcak.org/annualConference.html> Deadline for submissions has been moved to Wednesday., Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>, so you still have time to prepare! Be sure to include some great project photos.



## DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that in 2013 ten AGC of Alaska members saved over \$30,000 on FedEx Shipping? You can too! Contact [Lauren@agcak.org](mailto:Lauren@agcak.org) for details.

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