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| **Saturday March 7, 2020 E-Blast****Pioneers of Alaska** |

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| **82nd Pioneer King & Queen Regents'Coronation Ceremony & Reception**2019 King & Queen Regents, Stephen Cooper and Ruth Jolly Knapman will pass on the royal regalia to the 2020 Regents, Robin and Joy McDougall in the sumptuous Stampede Room at Pioneer Hall.  **Sunday March 8, 2020 at 2:00 pm in Pioneer Park****Coronation Program** *(click on the image to open the pdf)***Parking:** There is limited parking within the park and we ask that the spaces directly in front of the musuem be for those with disabilities and mobility issues.  We also ask that all others please park outside of the gates and walk in.  If you do park inside the gates, we ask that you not try to turn around in front of Pioneer Hall, but drive the circle through scenic Goldrush Town to get oriented towards the exit gate. **There will be a reception afterwards** in the hall with tables overflowing with lots of delectable sandwiches, finger foods and the Regent's cakes.  **The Pioneer Museum will also be open** and we encourage you to look over the display that has photos of all the wonderful Pioneer King & Queen Regents through the years.  There is a lot to be very proud of in all those regal faces that span the years.    ***Please join us for this beautiful and historic public event!*****BONUS! 2020 Regents Radio Interviews**You can listen to the recorded radio interviews of Robin and Joy by clicking on the links below:*The interviews begin after the news and commercials, so please be patient.* [KFAR 660 AM  Problem Corner Interview](https://pioneersofalaskafairbanks.us16.list-manage.com/track/click?u=dc0724ba4e48bdc9480ca2cfc&id=3b6f9945f3&e=eebb79624d)[KFBX 970 AM Morning Show Interview](https://pioneersofalaskafairbanks.us16.list-manage.com/track/click?u=dc0724ba4e48bdc9480ca2cfc&id=334f7e4ef9&e=eebb79624d) **Notice for the Sluice Box:**The next edition of the Sluice Box will be published in the March 14th Eblast.  If you have content submissions, please get them to me by **Wednesday, March 11th.** Email submissions to the Editor at: skilbred@gci.netIn addition to the usual submissions from committees and officers, we encourage you to submit your pioneer news, and articles about your experiences being a Pioneer of Alaska**Ice Alaska Volunteer Call:***The message below is at the request of Pioneer Member Bernie Karl, who is the chairman of Ice Alaska and World Ice Art Championships.  They need volunteers to help staff the park.  The message below is from one of Bernie's staff who is in charge of coordinating the volunteers for the this fun springtime event*.  *Pioneer Up and help them out!*Hello! My name is Jenny and I'm a volunteer trying to coordinate volunteers for Ice Alaska: Home of the World Art Championships a local non-profit that is run completely by volunteers.I wanted to see if anyone would be interested in volunteering with the World Ice Art Championships at least for one shift. This could be a great opportunity to serve in our local community.We need assistance in the areas of Safety and Security (walking the grounds and meeting and greeting people walking around) and a few spots in Gift Shop. Any help would be greatly appreciated. You can volunteer as many or as few shifts as you'd like, but we have lots of openings. Volunteers get free admission into the park.We have open availability daily through March 31 and we expect a lot of visitors for Spring Break this coming week. Time shifts that are needed to be filled are:**Gift Shop**There are many slots that are completely open so just let me know when you're available and if you want a friend to come with you to work a shift together.10:45 am - 2 pm2 pm - 6 pm5:45 pm - 10:15 pmThrough the end of March**Safety and Security (walking on the grounds and meeting and greeting people walking around, making sure people are not touching the competition exhibits)**There are many slots that are completely open so just let me know when you're available and if you want a friend to come with you to work a shift together.10:45 am - 2 pm2 pm - 6 pm5:45 pm - 10:15 pmThrough the end of MarchCould you let me know?**You're free to call/text me at 907-460-8308.**Thank you very much for your time and consideration and I look forward to hearing from you soon,Jenny TseIce Alaska Volunteer |

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