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## Inside Today

Rep. Ben Nageak likely to call for recount after four-vote primary race loss. » A4

## GOOD MORNING



### The weather.

Mostly sunny with freezing fog in the morning and highs in the upper 50s.

High today .....56  
Low tonight .....34

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### Aurora forecast.

Auroral activity will be moderate. Weather permitting, moderate auroral displays will be visible overhead from Barrow to Fairbanks.

This information is provided by aurora forecasters at the Geophysical Institute at the University of Alaska Fairbanks. For more information about the aurora, visit <http://www.gialaska.edu/AuroraForecast>

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## STANDOUT NANOOK

Nanooks swimmer Martha Hood named preseason Division II All-American.

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## MUSIC SEASON

Fairbanks Symphony Orchestra releases 2016-17 lineup.

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### SOURDOUGH JACK:

"Only things I lead in is layin' around and pie eatin'"



# Eberhart leads mayoral fundraising

By Kevin Baird  
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Mayor John Eberhart is leading mayoral opponents Frank Turney and City Councilman Jim Matherly in campaign donations and expenditures, according to recently filed 30-day campaign finance disclosure forms.

As of Friday, Eberhart received a total of \$24,728.49 in

donations, compared to Matherly's \$22,812.52. Matherly filed his report Tuesday.

The Eberhart and Matherly campaigns dwarf Turney's.

The self-described candidate of conscious awareness said he's received about \$400 in



Eberhart

campaign contributions as of Tuesday afternoon, the largest donation being \$150. Turney filed a municipal exemption form in August.

Alaska statute says candidates who file for an exemption cannot receive more than \$5,000 in



Matherly

contributions and they cannot spend more than \$5,000.

The incumbent mayor received donations from notable area residents such as Fairbanks North Star Borough Mayor Karl Kassel and Tanana Chiefs Conference President Victor Joseph. They donated \$100 and \$250 respectively.

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## Solidarity with Standing Rock



Drummers sing and dance as supporters for the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe's resistance efforts against the Dakota Access Pipeline turn out in numbers during the Solidarity with Standing Rock rally Wednesday afternoon in Golden Heart Plaza. ERIC ENGMAN/NEWS-MINER

## Fairbanksans show support for pipeline protest in North Dakota

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Standing Rock Sioux Tribe heartened by support from across the nation. » INSIDE, A5

Roughly 200 people filled Golden Heart Plaza in downtown Fairbanks on Wednesday to rally in support of the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, which is

fighting a company's efforts to run an oil pipeline just north of its land.

The Fairbanks activists are among many Native and environmentalist groups around

the country who have gathered to show support for the tribe. The Standing Rock Sioux Tribe occupies federal trust land along the Missouri River spanning parts of North and South

Dakota. The tribe is fighting the construction of the Dakota Access Pipeline, which is supposed

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## Female WWII pilot finally laid to rest at Arlington

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ARLINGTON, VA. — After flying military planes during World War II, raising a family, visiting all seven continents and bungee-jumping in New Zealand at 83, Elaine Harmon had one final, seemingly simple wish: to be laid to rest at Arlington National Cemetery.

Harmon got her wish Wednesday, at a funeral with military honors and a flyover, but it took a lobbying campaign by her family and an act of Congress.

In the process, the campaign helped bring to light the long-forgotten exploits of



Air Force Capt. Jennifer Lee, right, kneels as she presents an American flag to Terry Harmon, center seated, daughter of World War II pilot Elaine Danforth Harmon, during burial services Wednesday at Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington, Virginia. AP PHOTO/PABLO MARTINEZ MONSIVAIS

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## Clearwater Lodge reopens two years after burning down

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DELTA JUNCTION — After being burned to the ground more than two years ago, the Clearwater Lodge has been reconstructed, and on Sunday, the lodge's bar reopened.

"It's magnificent. It's a great place with a great view," said Charles Bailey, of Delta Junction, in a telephone interview. "There's a beautiful view. I'm literally sitting at the bar drinking Alaskan beer, and I got this million-dollar view of the river."

Bailey, who has been frequenting the Clearwater Lodge since he moved to the area in 2004, said the

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## Hospice Benefit Concert with

# Jeremy Kittel Band

traditional roots, jazz, celtic, classical, electronic, and more

UAF Davis Concert Hall, 7pm September 10th

\$25-Adult, \$15-Senior, Military & UAF Student, \$10-Child

Purchase Tickets at: [fairbankshospitalfoundation.com](http://fairbankshospitalfoundation.com)

