ORGANIZATIONS & DONATIONS

The Juneau Pioneer home is supported by organizations within the home that graciously accept donations to improve resident care and quality of life. These organizations are as follows:

- Community Council
- JPH Foundation
- Donated funds account used for activities, education, etc.

The Juneau home is located near wetlands that provide exellent wildlife viewing, including two eagles that have nests in trees nearby.



CONTACT US

If you would like more information regarding living at the Juneau Pioneer Home please contact the admissions staff at:

Division of Alaska Pioneer Homes P.O. Box 110690 Juneau, AK 99811-0690 (907) 465-4422

Additional information about the Juneau Pioneer Home may be obtained by viewing the Pioneer Homes Web at:

www.hss.state.ak.us/dalp/juneau

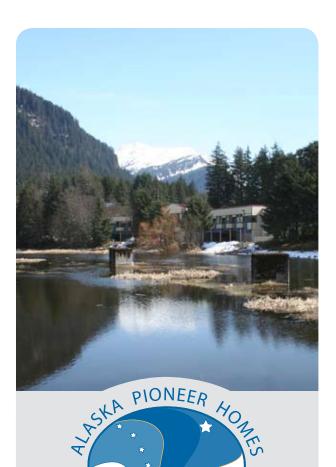
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JUNEAU PIONEER HOME

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Juneau Pioneers Home is located off Egan Hwy. near shopping and parks at 4675 Glacier Hwy.

OVERVIEW

The Juneau Pioneer Home was completed in 1988 and is currently home to forty-eight Alaskan seniors. The Home is nestled in the wetlands along Juneau's Egan Drive and has breathtaking views of nearby mountains and the Gastineau Channel. Living in the heart of a true wilderness provides residents the opportunity to view wildlife such as brown bears, eagles, ravens, blue herons, kingfishers, porcupines, deer, and squirrels.

The homes four long hallways have been setup in small neighborhoods that act as mini communities. Each community is supported by a team made up of residents, caregivers, support staff, family members, friends and volunteers. The team members sustain each other and individuals are encouraged to be creative in the development of a caring,

loving home. The neighborhood concept is instrumental in building an atmosphere where loved ones who have dementia can feel safe and appreciated.

NSIDE OUR HOME

nside the Juneau Pioneer Home teems with activity. A variety of common and elegant birds sit on top of their cages and are taken care of by residents themselves, with occasional assistance from staff. The Great Hall, dining areas, and neighborhood corridors are frequently alight with fresh flowers, and many household plants create a tropical human habitat. Friendly cats roam freely throughout the neighborhoods providing companionship to whoever will stop long enough for petting, stroking or an occasional ear scratch. Spontaneity is the catchphrase of every day!

In 1998 the Juneau Pioneer Home embraced the Eden Alternative® philosophy. Staff work on combating the three plagues of loneliness, boredom and helplessness that many seniors may feel. The Eden goal is to create an environment where elders, caregivers, support staff, family members, friends, and volunteers can flourish and grow. Central to the Eden philosophy is that decisions are made by people closest to the resident, or by the by resident themselves.

OPPORTUNITIES

The Home partners with the University of Southeast Alaska to provide certified nurse aide training.

The Juneau Pioneer Home provides opportunities for residents to continue to thrive. It is a home where the focus is on people's abilities, their potential for personal growth, as well as a place where the heart is really the center of the Home.

For more information about our home or volunteer opportunities please contact the home.

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The Juneau home has a visting dog program, resident cats, birds, fish, and a guinea pig in the spirit of Eden Alternative™ care.

