



AGENDA
ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
District Board Room - Tok, Alaska
Monday, March 21, 2016
6:00 PM Regular Meeting

MISSION: "EDUCATING ALL STUDENTS TO REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL AS RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS."

CALL TO ORDER	President
ROLL CALL	Secretary-Treasurer
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	President
HEARING OF VISITORS ON AGENDA ITEMS¹	President
RECEIVING OF DELEGATIONS	President
PRESENTATIONS	President
ACTION ITEMS - ROUTINE MATTERS	
1. Approval of Agenda	President
2. Approval of Minutes	President
ACTION ITEMS - OLD BUSINESS	President
3. FY17 District Academic Calendar	
4. BP 4116(b) Nontenured/Tenured Status – Second Reading for Adoption	
ACTION ITEMS - NEW BUSINESS	President
5. FY17-FY21 Pupil Transportation Contracts	
6. FY17 District Operating Budget	
7. Certified Personnel Actions	
REPORTS/INFORMATION/DISCUSSION	
Superintendent's Report	Superintendent
Financial Report	Chief Financial Officer
Assistant Superintendent's and Directors' Reports	Assistant Superintendent
Principals' Reports	Principals
Advisory School Board Minutes	Superintendent
Correspondence/Miscellaneous	Superintendent
HEARING OF VISITORS ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS¹	President
DISCUSSION, COMMENTS, QUESTIONS BY MEMBERS OF THE BOARD	President
FUTURE MEETING DATES	President
Site Selection & Date	
SUGGESTED AGENDA ITEMS	President
EXECUTIVE SESSION-- Matters Required to be Confidential by Law	President
ADJOURNMENT	President

¹All members of the public that would like to comment on any matters during Hearing of Visitors on Agenda Items or Hearing of Visitors on Non-Agenda Items need to sign-in with the Board Secretary. The Board President will call on each member of the public in the order he or she signed-in as the meeting progresses to that section of the agenda.



AGENDA

ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT REGIONAL SCHOOL BOARD WORK SESSION

***District Board Room - Tok, Alaska
Monday March 21, 2016
5:00 PM Work Session***

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WORK SESSION

The Regional School Board of the Alaska Gateway School District will hold a work session to discuss issues pertaining to K-12 public education. Topics on the agenda are for discussion purposes only and no motions will be made or actions taken on these items by the Board during a work session.

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

DISCUSSION TOPICS

- 1. FY17 District Operating Budget**

President

Secretary-Treasurer

President

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Agenda Item: 2

ISSUE

- **Approval of Minutes**

BACKGROUND

- **Following are the unofficial minutes for the Regular Meeting on February 15, 2016 and Special Meetings on February 29, 2016 and March 8, 2016**

RECOMMENDATION

- **The minutes for the Regular Meeting on February 15, 2016 and Special Meetings on February 29, 2016 and March 8, 2016 be approved as presented.**

Minutes of
Regional School Board Meeting
Monday, February 15th, 2016
Tetlin School
Tetlin, Alaska

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM.

Roll Call: Lisa Conrad, Lorraine Titus, Peter Talus, Jeff Deeter and Shauna Lee. Jill Kranenburg was present via teleconference. Also present was Mike Cronk, Teacher Representative.

Oath of Office: Steve Robbins took the Oath of Office.

Roll Call: Roll Call: Lisa Conrad, Lorraine Titus, Peter Talus, Jeff Deeter, Shauna Lee and Steve Robbins were present. Jill Kranenburg was present via teleconference. Also present was Mike Cronk, Teacher Representative.

Pledge of Allegiance

Hearing of Visitors on Agenda Items

Presentations

Scott MacManus gave a presentation on Curriculum And Certified Evaluation Models.

Shauna Lee gave a presentation on Art in schools.

Action Items

1. Approval of Agenda.

Lorraine Titus moved to approve the agenda with two additions.

Seconded by Peter Talus.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

2. Approval of Minutes.

Jill Kranenburg moved to approve the minutes as presented.

Seconded by Lorraine Titus.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

Old Business

3. Board Policy 4350 Certified Employees – Second Reading.

Lorraine Titus moved to adopt revised Board Policy 4350 Certified Employees into Policy.

Seconded by Peter Talus.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

New Business

- 4. FY17 District Academic Calendar.**
Lorraine Titus moved to table the FY17 District Academic Calendar to the March meeting.
Seconded by Peter Talus.
Motion Carried Unanimously.
- 5. District Textbook List Adoption.**
Peter Talus moved to adopt the District textbook list as presented.
Seconded by Jeff Deeter.
Motion Carried Unanimously.
- 6. BP 4116(b) Nontenured/Tenured Status – First Reading.**
Jeff Deeter motioned to move BP 4116(b) Nontenure/Tenure Status to a second reading.
Seconded by Steve Robbins.
Motion Carried Unanimously.
- 7. FY17 Certified/Exempt Contracts.**
Lorraine Titus moved to approve the FY17 Certified/Exempt Contracts as presented.
Seconded by Peter Talus.
Motion Carried Unanimously.
- 8. Retirement Incentive.**
Lorraine Titus moved to approve two-year certified and classified retirement incentive for staff with at least 15 years of service.
Seconded by Peter Talus.
Motion Carried Unanimously.
- 9. AGEA Collecting Bargaining Agreement.**
Lorraine Titus moved to approve extending AGEA Collective Bargaining Agreement for two years with a 1.5 % salary increase and two language additions.
Seconded by Peter Talus.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

Superintendent's Report

Financial Report

Assistant Superintendent's and Directors' Report.

Discussion, Comments, Questions by Members of the Board: Administrative Reports, Tetlin School Principal/Teacher's Site Report, State Fiscal Crisis, Teacher Negotiations, Department of Education, AASB Legislative Fly-in, Superintendent's Search, Legislative Appropriations, Letters of Support, FMLA, Sick Leave Bank,

Classified Negotiations, Eagle Water, Dot Lake and Northway School Activities,
Alaska Teacher Job Fair, Districtwide Copiers/Scanners, Biomass Operations and
Fuel Supply, Alaska Measures of Progress (AMP) and FY17 District Budget.
Hearing of Visitors on Non-Agenda Items
Future Meeting Date: March 21st in Tok, 5 PM Worksession, 6 PM Regular Meeting.
Suggested Agenda Items: FY17 Operating Budget, FY17 District Calendar, BP 4116(b)

Lorraine Titus moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:29 PM. Seconded by Peter Talus.
Motion Carried Unanimously.

I hereby submit that these minutes have been approved by the District Board of
Education sitting in regular session as the official minutes of the February 16th, 2016
meeting.

Secretary/Treasurer

Minutes
Of the
Regional School Board Meeting
Alaska Gateway School District
Monday, February 29th, 2016
Tok, Alaska 99780

SPECIAL MEETING

The special meeting was called to order at 11:00 AM.

Roll Call

Lisa Conrad, Lorraine Titus, Jeff Deeter, Peter Talus and Shauna Lee were present. Also present via teleconference were Jill Kranenburg and Steve Robbins.

Peter Talus moved to go into executive session at 11:05 AM to discuss matters required to be confidential by law. Seconded by Jeff Deeter. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Out of executive session 1:53 PM.

Peter Talus moved to have Timi Tullis contact the candidates for interview. Seconded by Lorraine Titus. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Jeff Deeter moved to have AASB contact top 3 candidates and an alternate. Seconded by Shauna Lee. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Jeff Deeter moved to adjourn the meeting at 1:53 PM. Seconded by Peter Talus. Motion Carried Unanimously.

I hereby submit that these minutes have been approved by the District Board of Education sitting in regular session as the official minutes of the February 29th, 2016 meeting.

Secretary/Treasurer

Minutes
Of the
Regional School Board Meeting
Alaska Gateway School District
Tuesday, March 8th, 2016
Tok, Alaska 99780

SPECIAL MEETING

The special meeting was called to order at 8:30 AM.

Roll Call

Lisa Conrad, Lorraine Titus, Jeff Deeter, Peter Talus, Steve Robbins and Shauna Lee were present. Also present via teleconference was Jill Kranenburg.

Jeff Deeter moved to go into executive session at 8:35 AM to discuss matters required to be confidential by law. Seconded by Shauna Lee. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Jeff Deeter moved to come out of executive session at 5:05 PM. Seconded by Peter Talus. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Jill Kranenburg moved to offer Scott MacManus a contract for the Superintendent position. Seconded by Lorraine Titus. Motion Carried Unanimously.

Peter Talus moved to adjourn at 5:06 PM. Jeff Deeter seconded. Motion Carried Unanimously.

I hereby submit that these minutes have been approved by the District Board of Education sitting in regular session as the official minutes of the March 8th, 2016 meeting.

Secretary/Treasurer

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Agenda Item: 3

ISSUE

- **FY17 District Academic Calendar**

BACKGROUND

- **Two “drafts” of the FY17 Academic Calendar, as well as the FY15 and FY16 calendars, were distributed to all teachers, administrators and board members for an initial review**
- **The site administrator will present these calendars at the next ASB or CSAC meetings for review and suggested revisions**
- **One recommended and approved, by the ASB or CSAC, calendar per site may be submitted for consideration**
- **All comments received are included**

RECOMMENDATION

- **FY17 District Academic Calendar be selected as presented.**

Please work with your ASB/CSAC and staff to review the proposed calendars for the FY17 school year. Any suggestions need to be submitted to me as an email or attachment to be placed in the Board packet. Also included are the FY16 and FY15 AGSD calendars for comparison. One calendar per school approved by the ASB/CSAC.

Parameters for calendar development are as follows:

- 1 Minimum of 173 student contact days
- 2 Minimum of 185 teacher days (excluding holidays/vacations)
- 3 School opens and closes on designated days districtwide
- 4 Maximum of 9 inservice days that includes Parent-Teacher Conference Days not meeting the minimum day requirement
- 5 Minimum of two Teacher Workdays per AGEA Agreement (3 Workdays included within the FY17 Calendar)

ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

"DRAFT" 2016-2017 ACADEMIC CALENDAR "DRAFT"

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Submitted By: Todd Poage, Superintendent

Approved By: Regional School Board



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ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Submitted By: Todd Poage, Superintendent


Approved By: Regional School Board



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Submitted By: Todd Poage, Superintendent																											
Approved By: Regional School Board																											

# of Workdays		# of Inservice Days		# of Student Days		# of Teacher Days	
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From: **Candice** candice22jacobs@gmail.com
Subject: **School District Calendar**
Date: **January 28, 2016 at 10:19 PM**
To: tpoage@agsd.us

Mr. Poage and RSB Members,

The Tok ASB would like to formally request that next year's school calendar (2016-2017) remain as close to the same design as the current school calendar (2015-2016). We unanimously believe that this calendar is a good fit for our school district, employees and students alike. The items we feel are essential are the "Moose Days" in September, the full two weeks vacation for Christmas Break, and a full weeks vacation for Spring Break in March.

Thank you for your time!

Respectfully submitted,

Tok Advisory School Board Members



Eagle Community School
POB 168
Eagle, Alaska 99738
907-547-2210 (office)
907-547-2209 (classroom)
Kristy Robbins, Site Administrator

March 10, 2016

Dear Members of the Board,

Eagle Community School has polled teachers, staff, parents, and students regarding the two options for the FY17 AGSD Calendar. The majority of stakeholders in Eagle would prefer the calendar option in which there are two vacation days in September and the winter break starts on December 19th; we have dubbed this calendar "Option B".

The general consensus is that we would like to change the two fall vacation days from September 9th and 12th to September 15th and 16th since we have noted that the moose are more active later in the month, and most of our stakeholders plan to use those vacation days to take advantage of subsistence moose hunting.

Another request we have in Eagle is that the Board considers a later February date for Teacher Inservice. In recent years the Yukon Quest week in Eagle has been negatively impacted by the overlap of the Inservice day happening during that week. Our student activities cannot happen if the students are not in school during the week the Yukon Quest comes through Eagle.

Thank you for your consideration of our calendar requests.

Respectfully yours,

Kristy Robbins
Principal/Teacher

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Agenda Item: 4

ISSUE

- **BP 4116(b) Nontenured/Tenured Status – Second Reading for Adoption**

BACKGROUND

- **Insert the word “Alaska” into BP4116(b) to clarify that only a teacher receiving tenure in another Alaska school district is provided tenure in AGSD on the first day of the third year**
- **All other teachers receive tenure on the first day of the fourth year**

RECOMMENDATION

- **Adopt BP 4116(b) Nontenure/Tenure Status thru a second reading.**

A teacher who has acquired tenure in another Alaska district will acquire tenure in Alaska Gateway School District if the teacher's break in service was not the result of dismissal or nonretention and did not last longer than one year. A previously Alaska tenured teacher who has been employed by the district continuously for two consecutive school years and who is then offered a contract for the next succeeding school year shall achieve tenure at the beginning of the third year, provided the teacher performs a day of teaching services in the third year, and further provided the teacher received a satisfactory performance evaluation in the second year.

Note: A break in service which begins on or after the last instructional day of the school year but before the first instructional day of the next school year will be considered to have lasted no longer than one year if the teacher is employed on the first instructional day of the next consecutive school year. AS 14.20.150(d)

Legal Reference:

ALASKA STATUTES

14.20.010 - .040 Teacher certification

14.20.147 Transfer or absorption of attendance area or federal agency school

14.20.150 Acquisition of tenure right

14.20.155 Effect of tenure right

14.20.160 Loss of tenure rights

14.20.165 Restoration of tenure rights

14.20.210 Authority of school board or department to adopt by laws

14.20.215 Definitions

ALASKA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE

4 AAC 12.010 - .900 Certification of professional teachers

4 AAC 18.027 Acquisition of tenure rights: less than full-time teachers

4 AAC 18.900 Definitions

Fairbanks North Star Borough School District v. NEA - Alaska, 817 P.2d 923 (Alaska 1991)

State v. Redman, 491 P.2d 157 (Alaska 1971)

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Agenda Item: 5

ISSUE

- **FY17-FY21 Pupil Transportation Contracts**

BACKGROUND

- **The Request For Proposals for pupil transportation was posted in the Fairbanks and Anchorage Newspapers as well as posted on the district's website**
- **A meeting was held with all interested vendors to discuss the bidding process, discuss the RFP, ask questions and suggest amendments to this request**
- **The bids are due on Monday, March 14, 2016**
- **The recommended bids will be distributed and discussed at the Board meeting**

RECOMMENDATION

- **Accept the FY17-21 recommended bids as presented.**

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Agenda Item: 6

ISSUE

- **FY17 District Operating Budget**

BACKGROUND

- **The FY17 District Operating Budget was presented, reviewed and adjusted during a work session preceding the March regular meeting**
- **The FY17 District Operation Budget will be distributed to Board members during the work session on March 21, 2016**

RECOMMENDATION

- **Pending Board discussion and review during work session.**

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Agenda Item: 7

ISSUE

- **Certified Personnel Actions**

BACKGROUND

- **Pending any offered contracts during the Alaska Teacher Job Fair occurring on March 18 and 19**

RECOMMENDATION

- **Approved the offered certified teacher contracts as presented.**

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Superintendent's Report

ISSUE

- **Superintendent's Report**

BACKGROUND

- 1. Superintendent's report submitted in written form**
- 2. Energy Usage**



ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

P.O. BOX 226 TOK, AK 99780

907-883-5151 Fax: 907-883-5154

TODD POAGE, SUPERINTENDENT

MEMORANDUM

March 10, 2016

To: Board of Education

RE: Monthly Report

Congratulations to Assistant Superintendent Scott MacManus for being selected and hired as superintendent beginning July 1, 2016! Below is an update pertaining to some of the issues I have been addressing since the previous Board meeting in February.

Legislative Capital Projects

As of today, the legislature has not decided if each representative and senator will be receiving capital discretionary funds to disperse for community projects. The district's lobbyist will be traveling to Juneau next week in an effort to keep our projects represented.

Testifying to Senate and House Finance Committees

Provided requested testimony to the Senate Finance Subcommittee on Education pertaining to the Broadband Assistance Grant (BAG) and then to the House Finance Committee during the public comment period for the community of Tok at the Legislative Information Office. The senate subcommittee's proposal was to cut funding for the BAG Grant by \$917,300 which would only leave funding of \$1,800,000 for the program. However thru unanimous consent, the senate subcommittee restored all of the \$2,717,300 from last session. Hopefully, these funds remain within the State operating budget.

Last year, the District had 3 sites at 1.5 MB and 3 sites at 3 MB. This year, with a minimum of 10 MB at all sites, an increase of more than three and five times the connectivity, the internet bandwidth speed is much more user friendly and efficient. The Internet bandwidth connection costs our district 1.32 million dollars. We receive a discount of 1.19 million dollars through the federal E-rate program leaving a difference of \$130,000. Of this \$130,000, the BAG Grant provides approximately \$75,000 leaving the district's portion of \$55,000. For a \$55,000 cost to the district, we receive 1.32 million dollars worth of bandwidth connectivity. The BAG grant allows us to more than double the leveraged funding amount utilized towards the 90% federal match to provide for this level of connectivity. If we are discussing a bang for your buck and efficiencies of leveraged federal funding- this is it.

FY17 Operating Budget

Working with the CFO to develop the FY17 operating budget. There will be a Board work session before the meeting at 5:00 PM on Monday, March 21st to address any FY17 budget issues and/or make changes to before presenting as an Action Item within the agenda. A few options to consider within the recommended FY17 budget will include a discussion on student enrollment numbers within schools and programs to reflect adequate staffing needs. There is still pending legislation to increase the Base Student Allocation by \$50, as submitted in the Governor's budget, but also increase the percent the district pays for TRS and PERS. Increasing the percentage the district pays for TRS and PERS will be a significantly higher cost (4% TRS = approximately \$103,000) than the

"EDUCATING ALL STUDENTS TO REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL AS RESPONSIBLE CITIZENS."

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Tanacross School
24 (907) 883-4391

Dot Lake School
(907) 882-2663
Tetlin School
(907) 324-2120

Eagle Community School
(907) 547-2210
Tok School
(907) 883-5165

Mentasta Lake Katie John School
(907) 291-2327
Walter Northway School
(907) 778-2287

revenue generated by a \$50 BSA increase of \$68,000. Just the 4% TRS increase is a loss of \$35,000 and that does not include any project increases to PERS. We will not have these details until, most likely, early April. We are also in the intermediate stages of closing out the current FY16 budget.

Districtwide Copiers

All copier/scanners were delivered and set-up at all sites within the district. Each site administrator ensured that the color-scanning feature was operational before the vendor departed. These new copiers will enhance our efforts to become as paper free as possible.

AGEA

AGEA has agreed to the terms approved by the Board during the February regular meeting:

The FY17 & FY18 Salary Scales include a 1.5% base salary increase for each year. Below is the "draft" wording agreed upon to include within sections of the Sick Leave Articles.

1. FMLA/AFLA

Both the Association and District agree to abide by the provisions defined by the Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) and Alaska Family Leave Act (AFLA) for the duration of this agreement.

2. Sick Leave Bank

A District Sick Leave Bank Committee will be established to govern the operations of the certified sick leave bank. The Sick Leave Bank Committee will be comprised of five (5) members that include two (2) AGEA teachers, one (1) AGEA Principal/Teacher and two (2) members appointed by the District. The joint committee will develop criteria for the use of the sick leave bank and be responsible for reviewing and approving requests for sick leave withdrawal from the bank through a majority vote.

FY17 Academic Calendar

Two "drafts" of the FY17 Academic Calendar, as well as the FY15 and FY16 calendars, were distributed to all teachers, administrators and board members for review. All comments received from the sites will be included within the Board packet. The FY17 Academic Calendar is listed on the agenda as an Action Item.

Energy Savings

For the month of February the electricity billing at Tok School was \$8,831 for 29,000 kilowatts. This is the first time the billing has been in single digits ever for a winter month as well as the lowest total usage of kilowatts. The reduction is a product of the biomass plant's electrical generation as well as the installing of the automated facility operating software in Tok School last year and switching to LED lighting two years ago.


Alaska Teacher Job Fair

The Alaska Teacher Job Fair is scheduled for the 17th thru 19th of March this year instead of a late March or mid April date. Two Board members and three district office staff members will be attending this job fair at the Captain Cook hotel in Anchorage.

FY17 Teacher Contracts

Certified teacher contracts were updated and hand-delivered to all the sites beginning February 19, 2016 with each teacher or administrator signing for receipt. Each certified staff member offered a contract will have 30 days to sign and return to the district office. So far, 20 of the 34 offered contracts have been signed for FY17. The district does expect three or four certified resignations at some point before the end of March.

If you have any questions, concerns and/or additions to the agenda, contact me at your earliest convenience. Thanks

Respectfully,

Todd Poage,
Superintendent

Tok School Power Comparison

Month	Without Turbine		2012		Without Turbine		2013		1st Year With Turbine		2014		2nd Year With Turbine		2015		3rd Year With Turbine	
	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost	KW Used	Total Cost
March	44,120	\$20,112.32	47,480	\$20,295.62	22,280	\$9,841.92	29,000	\$12,688.42	38,120	\$15,902.00	29,000	\$12,688.42	38,120	\$15,902.00	38,120	\$15,902.00	38,120	\$15,902.00
April	48,440	\$23,687.52	45,560	\$19,405.43	27,800	\$11,869.39	41,240	\$17,432.67	21,560	\$7,347.09	41,240	\$17,432.67	21,560	\$7,347.09	21,560	\$7,347.09	21,560	\$7,347.09
May	45,800	\$22,449.64	48,680	\$20,687.40	38,120	\$17,466.25	39,320	\$16,593.29	27,560	\$9,142.78	39,320	\$16,593.29	27,560	\$9,142.78	27,560	\$9,142.78	27,560	\$9,142.78
June	37,640	\$18,432.73	28,280	\$12,227.49	23,480	\$10,689.79	13,160	\$5,623.32	15,320	\$5,561.69	13,160	\$5,623.32	15,320	\$5,561.69	15,320	\$5,561.69	15,320	\$5,561.69
July	25,880	\$13,122.43	18,200	\$9,320.75	41,720	\$19,863.16	13,640	\$5,778.20	11,480	\$4,350.37	13,640	\$5,778.20	11,480	\$4,350.37	11,480	\$4,350.37	11,480	\$4,350.37
August	34,040	\$17,345.11	28,280	\$14,164.53	29,720	\$14,585.78	13,880	\$6,020.61	17,480	\$6,688.44	13,880	\$6,020.61	17,480	\$6,688.44	17,480	\$6,688.44	17,480	\$6,688.44
September	49,640	\$24,524.10	35,480	\$17,624.38	37,160	\$18,050.38	29,000	\$11,880.35	32,840	\$11,724.62	29,000	\$11,880.35	32,840	\$11,724.62	32,840	\$11,724.62	32,840	\$11,724.62
October	47,720	\$21,157.25	49,400	\$21,034.49	46,760	\$22,379.82	46,280	\$18,258.76	38,120	\$13,471.24	46,280	\$18,258.76	38,120	\$13,471.24	38,120	\$13,471.24	38,120	\$13,471.24
November	55,880	\$24,565.67	49,640	\$21,221.68	40,280	\$16,193.50	31,880	\$13,765.02	39,080	\$15,322.00	31,880	\$13,765.02	39,080	\$15,322.00	39,080	\$15,322.00	39,080	\$15,322.00
December	46,760	\$20,865.42	48,680	\$20,963.81	41,000	\$17,659.06	32,120	\$13,957.69	34,760	\$13,820.00	32,120	\$13,957.69	34,760	\$13,820.00	34,760	\$13,820.00	34,760	\$13,820.00
January	49,160	\$21,845.32	47,480	\$20,378.49	33,080	\$14,360.65	35,720	\$15,716.00	37,160	\$11,038.47	35,720	\$15,716.00	37,160	\$11,038.47	37,160	\$11,038.47	37,160	\$11,038.47
February	48,920	\$21,091.83	54,680	\$22,531.07	39,560	\$17,032.58	30,200	\$12,991.00	29,000	\$8,831.00	30,200	\$12,991.00	29,000	\$8,831.00	29,000	\$8,831.00	29,000	\$8,831.00
Yearly*	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost	Yearly KW	Yearly Cost
	339,080	\$154,617.72	342,200	\$145,483.50	242,120	\$104,423.35	239,480	\$103,144.09	227,240	\$81,403.34	239,480	\$103,144.09	227,240	\$81,403.34	227,240	\$81,403.34	227,240	\$81,403.34

Designates months turbine is not in operation

Designates highest overall monthly KW usage

Designates lowest overall monthly KW usage

*Totals only the months in operation

1. Began initial full-time operation of turbine in March of 2013

2. Began operating turbine for 2014 on November 12

3. Weather dictates the KW produced-the plant can only displace limited heat a

4. The biomass plant begins providing heat to Tok School, Greenhouse, & Processing

Center in September once the weather becomes cooler

5. The efficiency of power produced relies on the quality of wood chips harvested

6. Refining efficiencies to produce 30-60 KWs this year over previous energy production of 20-40 KWs

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: CFO

Financial Report

ISSUE

- **Financial Report**

BACKGROUND

- 1. CFO's report submitted in written form**
- 2. The FY16 budget serves as the current financial statement**

March 9th, 2016

TO: Regional School Board

FROM: Robbie MacManus
CFO

RN

RE: March Board Report

Here are some of the items I have worked on in the past month;

- ◆ Recording ACH's and deposits
- ◆ Purchase Order approvals
- ◆ Classified payroll review
- ◆ Monthly Certified payroll
- ◆ FY 2017 Budget
- ◆ Semi-monthly classified and Monthly certified deduction checks
- ◆ Accounts Receivable
- ◆ Reviewing Accounts Payable
- ◆ Helped employees with P.O.'s and travel requests
- ◆ Meeting with Certified Union
- ◆ Received one Pupil Transportation RFP (as of today)
- ◆ Working on revisions for the FY16 budget
- ◆ Meeting with Superintendent candidates
- ◆ Work on Master Card billing
- ◆ Insurance renewal questionnaire from Hale and Associates
- ◆ E-rate with the Superintendent and the Director of Technology

Currently we are working on items such as student activity reports, bank reconciliations, inventory, updating files and spreadsheets. We are currently preparing the FY17 budget, gathering documents and new percentage rates that will help with the preparation of the new budget. We will have the proposed FY17 budget out to you before the work session so that you able to go over it prior to the work session.

We have received one Pupil Transportation bid as of today's date. All bids are due by Monday the 14th of March at 3:00 pm. The selection committee will go over the bids and make selections for Regional School Board approval at the March 21st meeting.

DATE - 3/10/16
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ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL BOARD REPORT
March 31, 2016

ACCOUNT NUMBER / TITLE		CURRENT BUDGET	YEAR TO DATE ACTIVITY	OUTSTANDING ENCUMBRANCES	UNCOMMITTED BALANCE	% OF BUDGET COMMITTED
FUND 100 GENERAL FUND						
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS						
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.311 SUPERINTENDENT		129,522	86,348.35	43,174	1-	100.00
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.313 PRINCIPAL		138,611	85,158.29	48,954	4,499	96.75
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.314 DIRECTOR/COORDINATOR/CERT		169,610	92,914.64	68,409	8,286	95.11
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.315 TEACHER		2,157,871	1,175,712.31	902,788	79,371	96.32
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.316 EXTRA DUTY PAY/CERTIFIED		6,000	2,200.00	0	3,800	36.67
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.321 DIRECTOR/COORD. CLASS.		217,265	148,322.66	0	68,942	68.27
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.323 AIDES		404,011	293,385.18	0	110,626	72.62
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.324 SUPPORT STAFF		210,297	146,863.62	0	63,433	69.84
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.325 MAINTENANCE/CUSTODIAL		268,825	171,128.53	0	97,696	63.66
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.328 CONSTRUCTION LABOR		18,668	13,609.22	0	5,059	72.90
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY		105,600	215,671.82	0	110,072	204.23
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.331 EXTRA DUTY PAY/CLASSIFIED		9,250	7,800.00	0	1,450	84.32
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE		1,051,952	603,551.81	307,082	141,319	86.57
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE		38,010	11,465.91	0	26,544	30.17
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION		38,167	44,417.40	15,950	22,200	158.17
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE		131,592	98,721.87	15,097	17,773	86.49
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS		762,660	456,308.70	340,988	34,637	104.54
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS		311,838	229,228.83	0	82,609	73.51
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL		206,750	151,162.43	48,865	6,723	96.75
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.412 AUDIT		35,600	38,292.99	0	2,693	107.56
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.414 LEGAL SERVICES		6,000	63.60	0	5,936	1.06
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL		132,350	88,047.41	26,392	17,910	86.47
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL		41,569	17,416.06	0	24,153	41.90
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.431 WATER & SEWER		17,400	9,675.00	0	7,725	55.60
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.432 GARBAGE		18,000	11,563.00	0	6,437	64.24
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.433 COMMUNICATIONS		759,317	614,910.01	0	144,407	80.98
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.435 ENERGY		405,000	234,874.14	0	170,126	57.99
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.436 ELECTRICITY		545,000	193,603.53	0	351,396	35.52
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.440 OTHER PURCH.SER./ADV.PRIN		0	2,000.00	0	2,000	353.02
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.441 RENTALS		30,000	829.21	0	30,829	999.99
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.442 CONTR.BLD. REPAIR & MAINT		33,000	9,063.06	0	23,937	2.76
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.443 EQUIPMENT REPAIR & MAINT.		10,000	1,768.50	0	8,232	27.46
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.444 CONTR.SITE REPAIR/MAINT		245	.00	0	245	17.69
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.445 INSURANCE & BOND PREMIUMS		105,000	105,000.00	0	0	.00
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.446 PROPERTY INSURANCE		67,067	19,935.77	0	47,131	100.00
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.447 LIABILITY INSURANCE		362,324	198,771.70	0	29,73	29.73
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.		89,269	121,805.17	13,088	150,465	58.47
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.452 MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES		32,000	29,548.90	2,764	35,300	139.54
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.453 JANITORIAL SUPPLIES		20,000	9,145.25	0	2,451	92.34
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.458 GAS AND OIL		1,500	2,556.00	0	10,855	45.73
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.480 TUITION		4,000	2,484.24	0	1,056	170.40
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.485 STIPEND		0	.00	0	1,516	62.11
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.490 OTHER EXPENSES		78,001	84,498.03	690	250	.00
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES		42,000	14,949.68	0	7,187	109.21
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS		21,000	60,353.45	0	27,050	35.59
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.510 EQUIPMENT		238,918	.00	48,238	87,591	517.10
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.552 TRANSFER TO SPECIAL REV.		0	.00	0	238,918	.00
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.554 TRANSFER TO CAPITAL FUNDS		0	.00	0	0	.00
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.653 FUEL INVENTORY		0	.00	0	0	.00

DATE - 3/10/16
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100.XXX.XXX.XXX.714 DEPOSITS PAYABLE	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	9,387,509	5,874,274.53	1,882,478	1,630,757	82.63 %
100.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX GENERAL FUND	9,387,509	5,874,274.53	1,882,478	1,630,757	82.63 %
FUND 200 TOK FREEZER GRANT					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
200.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	410	409.51	0	0	100.00 %
200.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	34	33.88	0	0	100.00 %
200.XXX.XXX.XXX.510 EQUIPMENT	13,557	13,556.61	0	0	100.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	14,000	14,000.00	0	0	100.00 %
200.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TOK FREEZER GRANT	14,000	14,000.00	0	0	100.00 %
FUND 203 TOK JOM THRU TCC					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
203.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	640	.00	0	640	.00 %
203.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	10	.00	0	10	.00 %
203.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	10	.00	0	10	.00 %
203.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	37	.00	0	37	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	697	.00	0	697	.00 %
203.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TOK JOM THRU TCC	697	.00	0	697	.00 %
FUND 204 TEAM HOLLYWOOD BASKETBALL					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
204.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	5,750	5,000.00	0	750	86.96 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	5,750	5,000.00	0	750	86.96 %
204.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TEAM HOLLYWOOD BASKETBALL	5,750	5,000.00	0	750	86.96 %
FUND 205 STUDENT TRANSPORTATION					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
205.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	736,206	480,689.68	0	255,516	65.29 %
205.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
205.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	736,206	480,689.68	0	255,516	65.29 %
205.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX STUDENT TRANSPORTATION	736,206	480,689.68	0	255,516	65.29 %
FUND 208 BROADBAND FUNDING					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
208.XXX.XXX.XXX.433 COMMUNICATIONS	313,704	281,082.62	0	32,621	89.60 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	313,704	281,082.62	0	32,621	89.60 %

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208.XXX.XXX.XXX BROADBAND FUNDING	313,704	281,082.62	0	32,621	89.60 %
FUND 216 CAROL WHITE PEP GRANT					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.315 TEACHER	127,950	88,080.25	65,511	25,641-	120.04 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	2,000	4,270.33	0	2,270-	213.52 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	46,113	24,981.79	21,142	10-	100.02 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	1,300	359.11	0	941	27.62 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	1,300	1,475.28	983	1,158-	189.07 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	1,500	1,603.86	950	1,054-	170.25 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS	16,277	9,706.36	8,228	1,657-	110.18 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	0	48.63	0	49-	9999.99 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	39,398	13,125.00	0	26,273	33.31 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	22,580	14,411.25	0	8,169	63.82 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	11,701	20,836.57	2,347	11,483-	198.13 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.480 TUITION	12,500	.00	0	12,500	.00 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	5,790	1,906.00	0	3,884	32.92 %
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	16,279	7,064.54	0	9,214	43.40 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
216.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX CAROL WHITE PEP GRANT	304,688	187,868.97	99,160	17,659	94.20 %
	304,688	187,868.97	99,160	17,659	94.20 %
FUND 233 TITLE 1, SCHOOL IMPROVE					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.315 TEACHER	28,728	18,499.90	0	10,228	64.40 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.323 AIDES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	143	38.77	0	104	27.11 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	431	277.50	0	153	64.40 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	2,198	1,415.25	0	782	64.40 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	6,320	4,069.96	0	2,250	64.40 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	2,000	.00	0	2,000	.00 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	10,180	72.00	0	10,108	.71 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
233.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TITLE 1, SCHOOL IMPROVE	50,000	24,373.38	0	25,627	48.75 %
	50,000	24,373.38	0	25,627	48.75 %
FUND 234 FASD					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
234.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	3,382	.00	0	3,382	.00 %
234.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	2,584	.00	0	2,584	.00 %
234.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	2,284	.00	0	2,284	.00 %
234.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	925	.00	0	925	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
234.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TITLE 1, SCHOOL IMPROVE	9,175	.00	0	9,175	.00 %

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234.XXX.XXX.XXX.FASD	9,175	.00	0	9,175	.00 %
FUND 254 NUTRITIONAL ALASKA FOODS					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
254.XXX.XXX.XXX.459.FOOD	3,148	1,098.15	0	2,050	34.89 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
254.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX.NUTRITIONAL ALASKA FOODS	3,148	1,098.15	0	2,050	34.89 %
FUND 255 FOOD SERVICE					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.321.DIRECTOR/COORD. CLASS.	49,476	34,840.03	0	14,636	70.42 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.326.FOOD SERVICE STAFF	131,709	88,109.11	0	43,600	66.90 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.329.SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	10,000	6,670.79	0	3,329	66.71 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.361.HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	22,860	16,234.52	0	6,625	71.02 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.362.UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	1,987	1,428.96	0	1,558	21.59 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.363.WORKER'S COMPENSATION	1,987	4,553.59	0	2,567-	229.17 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.364.FICA/MEDICARE	13,888	9,927.77	0	71.48	71.48 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.366.PERS	39,830	26,892.51	0	12,937	67.52 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.410.PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	5,000	.00	0	.00	.00 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.420.STAFF TRAVEL	5,000	9,290.53	1,036	5,327-	206.53 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.433.COMMUNICATIONS	1,300	704.23	0	596	54.17 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.437.BOTTLED GAS	5,200	3,057.35	0	2,143	58.80 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.443.EQUIPMENT REPAIR & MAINT.	0	8,544.00	0	8,544-	9999.99 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.450.SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	2,500	1,342.17	0	1,158	53.69 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.459.FOOD	315,000	226,421.14	0	88,579	71.88 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.490.OTHER EXPENSES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.491.DUES AND FEES	750	132.50	0	618	17.67 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.510.EQUIPMENT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	601,987	437,149.20	1,036	163,802	72.79 %
255.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX.FOOD SERVICE	601,987	437,149.20	1,036	163,802	72.79 %
FUND 256 FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLE					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
256.XXX.XXX.XXX.329.SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	1,450	2,676.22	0	1,226-	184.52 %
256.XXX.XXX.XXX.362.UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	12	8.36	0	4	68.92 %
256.XXX.XXX.XXX.363.WORKER'S COMPENSATION	17	39.78	0	239	232.22 %
256.XXX.XXX.XXX.364.FICA/MEDICARE	111	204.73	0	94-	184.52 %
256.XXX.XXX.XXX.366.PERS	0	5.77	0	6-	9999.99 %
256.XXX.XXX.XXX.459.FOOD	13,390	10,577.68	0	2,813	78.99 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	14,981	13,512.54	0	1,468	90.20 %
256.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX.FRESH FRUIT AND VEGETABLE	14,981	13,512.54	0	1,468	90.20 %
FUND 257 FARM TO SCHOOLS GRANT					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					

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257.XXX.XXX.XXX.321 DIRECTOR/COORD. CLASS.	9,300	206.15	0	9,094	2.22 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.326 FOOD SERVICE STAFF	2,352	.00	0	2,352	.00 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.328 CONSTRUCTION LABOR	18,000	359.00	0	17,641	1.99 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	1,372	.00	0	1,372	.00 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	0	96.06	0	96-	9999.99 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	465	.00	0	465	.00 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	465	5.38	0	460	1.16 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	2,373	43.23	0	2,330	1.82 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS	6,826	.00	0	6,826	.00 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	0	124.33	0	124-	9999.99 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	8,870	1,120.24	0	7,750	12.63 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	40,500	647.24	0	39,853	1.60 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	4,707	.00	0	4,707	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	95,231	2,601.63	0	92,629	2.73 %
257.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX FARM TO SCHOOLS GRANT	95,231	2,601.63	0	92,629	2.73 %
FUND 260 TITLE VI-B					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.314 DIRECTOR/COORDINATOR/CERT	82,072	47,954.31	34,118	0	100.00 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.323 AIDES	4,819	3,093.45	0	1,726	64.19 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	20,980	12,238.08	8,742	0	100.00 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	304	216.15	0	88	71.09 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	1,279	765.75	512	2	99.87 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	1,559	931.95	495	132	91.51 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS	10,308	6,023.07	4,285	0	100.00 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	1,060	680.56	0	380	64.19 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	3,000	2,318.36	0	682	77.28 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	5,871	3,125.36	0	2,746	53.23 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	6,825	.00	0	6,825	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	138,079	77,347.05	48,152	12,580	90.89 %
260.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TITLE VI-B	138,079	77,347.05	48,152	12,580	90.89 %
FUND 261 TITLE I PART A					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.314 DIRECTOR/COORDINATOR/CERT	0	7,049.54	3,525	10,574-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.315 TEACHER	0	6,005.09	3,612	9,617-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.323 AIDES	0	33,616.02	0	33,616-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.324 SUPPORT STAFF	0	11,656.50	0	11,657-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	0	7,183.13	0	7,183-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	0	7,612.86	1,921	9,534-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	0	230.56	0	231-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	0	1,018.51	107	1,126-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	0	4,202.15	104	4,306-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS	0	1,680.62	896	2,577-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	0	8,732.80	0	8,733-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	0	.00	0	.00	.00 %

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261.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	5,763.87	595	6,359-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	0	.00	0	00	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	0	695.02	0	695-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.480 TUITION	0	.00	0	0	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	0	3,663.05	0	3,663-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	0	.00	0	0	9999.99 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	0	99,109.72	10,760	109,870-	9999.99 %
261.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TITLE I PART A	0	99,109.72	10,760	109,870-	9999.99 %
FUND 263 AK NATIVE EDUCATION PRGRM					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.315 TEACHER	80,277	44,315.97	40,711	4,750-	105.92 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.321 DIRECTOR/COORD. CLASS.	63,087	44,719.52	0	18,367	70.89 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.323 AIDES	36,000	8,222.36	0	27,778	22.84 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.324 SUPPORT STAFF	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	3,000	595.42	0	2,405	19.85 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	44,760	29,988.63	12,490	2,282	94.90 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	1,997	377.71	0	1,619	18.91 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	10,777	1,563.08	611	108.85	108.85 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	9,065	4,614.10	590	5,573	48.29 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS	21,905	5,449.79	5,113	1,499-	116.53 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	11,000	11,674.16	0	10,231	53.29 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	8,304	635.80	0	7,668	.00 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	5,000	.00	0	5,000	7.66 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	21,291	6,195.66	0	15,095	29.10 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	800	200.00	0	25.00	25.00 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	16,958	6,132.56	0	10,825	36.16 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	336,217	164,684.76	59,514	112,018	66.68 %
263.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX AK NATIVE EDUCATION PRGRM	336,217	164,684.76	59,514	112,018	66.68 %
FUND 266 MIGRANT ED TITLE 1 PART C					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.314 DIRECTOR/COORDINATOR/CERT	0	14,099.36	7,050	21,149-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.315 TEACHER	0	17,420.37	14,449	31,870-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.324 SUPPORT STAFF	0	10,199.42	0	10,199-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	0	11,988.87	6,148	18,137-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	0	199.87	0	200-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	0	670.87	322	993-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	0	1,237.32	312	1,549-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS	0	3,958.88	2,700	6,659-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	0	2,243.88	0	2,244-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	969.20	0	969-	9999.99 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.433 COMMUNICATIONS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.440 OTHER PURCH.SER./ADV.PRIN	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.444 CONTR.SITE REPAIR/MAINT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %

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266.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	2,738	3,926.56	0	1,189-	143.41 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.510 EQUIPMENT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX MIGRANT ED TITLE 1 PART C	2,738	66,914.60	30,982	95,158-	3575.47 %
266.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX MIGRANT ED TITLE 1 PART C	2,738	66,914.60	30,982	95,158-	3575.47 %
FUND 267 TITLE IIA TEACHER/PRIN TR					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.314 DIRECTOR/COORDINATOR/CERT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.315 TEACHER	34,884	.00	0	34,884	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.323 AIDES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	461	.00	0	461	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	506	.00	0	506	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.365 TRS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	22,000	.00	0	22,000	.00 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	21,893	10,465.42	0	11,428	47.80 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	9,254	1,293.91	225	7,735	16.41 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.480 TUITION	0	450.00	0	450-	9999.99 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	4,000	6,945.00	0	2,945-	173.63 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	4,836	.00	0	4,836	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TITLE IIA TEACHER/PRIN TR	97,834	19,154.33	225	78,455	19.81 %
267.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TITLE IIA TEACHER/PRIN TR	97,834	19,154.33	225	78,455	19.81 %
FUND 270 MOORE SETTLEMENT TETLIN H					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
270.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	262.55	0	263-	9999.99 %
270.XXX.XXX.XXX.452 MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES	18,944	14,311.47	0	4,633	75.55 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
270.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX MOORE SETTLEMENT TETLIN H	18,944	14,574.02	0	4,370	76.93 %
270.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX MOORE SETTLEMENT TETLIN H	18,944	14,574.02	0	4,370	76.93 %
FUND 286 CARL PERKINS BASIC					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	2,000	304.56	0	1,695	15.23 %
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	1,200	.00	0	1,200	.00 %
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	14,348	8,430.47	0	5,917	58.76 %
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	1,500	.00	0	1,500	.00 %
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	952	76.12	0	876	7.99 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX CARL PERKINS BASIC	20,000	8,811.15	0	11,189	44.06 %
286.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX CARL PERKINS BASIC	20,000	8,811.15	0	11,189	44.06 %

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FUND 287 RUS RURAL UTILITIES SERVI					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
287.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
287.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	690.00	0	690.00	9999.99 %
287.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	26,478	14,513.73	5,772	6,193	76.61 %
287.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	0	948.00	0	948.00	9999.99 %
287.XXX.XXX.XXX.510 EQUIPMENT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
287.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX.RUS RURAL UTILITIES SERVI	26,478	16,151.73	5,772	4,555	82.80 %
FUND 350 INDIAN EDUCATION					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.323 AIDES	50,443	29,602.94	0	20,840	58.69 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	1,000	3,114.15	0	2,114.15	311.42 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	0	.39	0	0	9999.99 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	515	95.89	0	419	18.62 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	773	477.32	0	296	61.75 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	3,962	2,497.58	0	1,464	63.04 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.366 PERS	11,318	6,512.67	0	4,805	57.54 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	1,000	400.00	0	600	40.00 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	2,080	.00	0	2,080	.00 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	5,401	174.79	0	5,226	3.24 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	16,898	3,600.64	143	13,155	22.15 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	4,669	1,676.46	0	2,993	35.90 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
350.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX.INDIAN EDUCATION	98,060	48,152.83	143	49,764	49.25 %
FUND 370 DW TEACHER RENTAL					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.431 WATER & SEWER	0	3,050.00	0	3,050.00	9999.99 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.435 ENERGY	0	1,281.56	0	1,281.56	9999.99 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.436 ELECTRICITY	0	1,052.07	0	1,052.07	9999.99 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.443 EQUIPMENT REPAIR & MAINT.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.444 CONTR.SITE REPAIR/MAINT.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	0	113.80	0	114.00	9999.99 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.452 MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES	0	4,888.13	136	5,024.00	9999.99 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.552 TRANSFER TO SPECIAL REV.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
370.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX.DW TEACHER RENTAL	0	10,385.56	136	10,522.00	9999.99 %
FUND 372 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
372.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	1,779	.00	0	1,779	.00 %

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372.XXX.XXX.XXX.495 INDIRECT COSTS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	1,779	.00	0	1,779	.00 %
372.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT	1,779	.00	0	1,779	.00 %
FUND 373 STUDENT ACTIVITIES					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.331 EXTRA DUTY PAY/CLASSIFIED	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.425 STUDENT TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.433 COMMUNICATIONS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.440 OTHER PURCH.SER./ADV.PRIN	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.441 RENTALS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.443 EQUIPMENT REPAIR & MAINT.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.458 GAS AND OIL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.490 OTHER EXPENSES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.510 EQUIPMENT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
373.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX STUDENT ACTIVITIES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
FUND 378 EQUIPMENT RENTAL					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
378.XXX.XXX.XXX.443 EQUIPMENT REPAIR & MAINT.	852	.00	0	852	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	852	.00	0	852	.00 %
378.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX EQUIPMENT RENTAL	852	.00	0	852	.00 %
FUND 379 TETLIN PRE-SCHOOL					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
379.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	2,766	63.25	0	2,703	2.29 %
379.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	10,000	175.74	0	9,824	1.76 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	12,766	238.99	0	12,527	1.87 %
379.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX TETLIN PRE-SCHOOL	12,766	238.99	0	12,527	1.87 %
FUND 502 SPECIAL CAPITAL PROJECTS					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.324 SUPPORT STAFF	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.325 MAINTENANCE/CUSTODIAL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.328 CONSTRUCTION LABOR	2,119	.00	0	2,119	.00 %

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502.XXX.XXX.XXX.329 SUBSTITUTE/TEMPORARY	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.361 HEALTH/LIFE INSURANCE	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.362 UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.363 WORKER'S COMPENSATION	49	.00	0	49	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.364 FICA/MEDICARE	178	.00	0	178	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.410 PROFESSIONAL & TECHNICAL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.420 STAFF TRAVEL	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.442 CONTR.BLD. REPAIR & MAINT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.443 EQUIPMENT REPAIR & MAINT.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.444 CONTR.SITE REPAIR/MAINT.	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.450 SUPPLIES, MATERIALS & MED.	21,852	13,948.43	77	7,827	64.18 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.452 MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES	73	73.40	0	0	100.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.491 DUES AND FEES	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.510 EQUIPMENT	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.554 TRANSFER TO CAPITAL FUNDS	0	.00	0	0	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	24,272	14,021.83	77	10,173	58.09 %
502.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX SPECIAL CAPITAL PROJECTS	24,272	14,021.83	77	10,173	58.09 %
FUND 507 LIGHTING/PLAYGROUND LG					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
507.XXX.XXX.XXX.452 MAINTENANCE SUPPLIES	3,537	3,484.91	0	52	98.54 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	3,537	3,484.91	0	52	98.54 %
507.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX LIGHTING/PLAYGROUND LG	3,537	3,484.91	0	52	98.54 %
FUND 515 MENTASTA GENERATOR LG					
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS					
515.XXX.XXX.XXX.510 EQUIPMENT	2,414	.00	0	2,414	.00 %
EXPENSE ACCOUNTS	2,414	.00	0	2,414	.00 %
515.XXX.XXX.XXX.XXX MENTASTA GENERATOR LG	2,414	.00	0	2,414	.00 %
REPORT TOTAL	12,321,045	7,864,682.18	2,138,435	2,317,928	81.19 %
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**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Assistant Superintendent's/Directors' Reports

ISSUE

- **Assistant Superintendent's and Directors' Reports**

BACKGROUND

- 1. Assistant Superintendent's and Directors' reports submitted in written form**

The past month the special education department has been focused on ensuring that all student's Individualized Education Programs (IEP's) are being properly implemented and all students are receiving the services and the allocated aide time required. We have conducted several file reviews to ensure that spring deadlines are met. We currently have 50 special education students, 7 gifted and talented students and 4 students in the intervention process.

Trainings:

- Vivianne Huber, an autism specialist from SESA, will be in the district the week of March 21st and will offer on-site training in Northway, Tok and Mentasta.
- Special Education teachers and paraprofessionals participated in Boardmaker training on March 9, 2016. Boardmaker is a complete system for delivering personalized instruction and therapy while also measuring student progress. The district currently has 6 licenses in use for the Boardmaker program.
- LeAnn Young and Candy Thurneau have been participating in weekly teleconferences with TIENET to begin implementation of the new online special education data management system. We have sat in on several security trainings and will GO LIVE with staff in the one line training session on March 30th.
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Specialists:

Several specialists who contract with our school district have conducted their required visits and have met with students and staff to cover services required in student IEP's.

- E-therapy continues to work well. There are 30 in our school district who have goals in the area of speech & language and are receiving services through E-therapy. This includes pre-school students in both Northway and Tok. We have E-therapy services 2.5 days per week.
- Deb Fortune, speech pathologist, was in the district the week of February 29th. She visited sites and worked with paraprofessionals and REACH Academy parents on providing quarterly supervision for students with speech and language goals. She will be return the week of April 25th.
- Chris McDonald, Occupational Therapist was in the district the week of February 22nd and will return the week of March 21st.
- Ruth Lyles, Physical Therapist, will be in the district for her 4th quarter visit the week of April 25th.
- Frank Satterwhite, Psychologist, was in the district the week of February 29th and will return the week of April 18th.

Current Projects:

- Candy Thurneau, Jason Fastenau and myself are working with TIENET to make a smooth transition from SEAS to this new data management program. We are currently working on the security groups and data entry.
- The date for Child Find has been set for Thursday, April 28th. We will have visiting specialists on staff that day to evaluate children. We are working with TCC, public health, Headstart and local schools to ensure this is a successful event.

Technology Board Report

March 2016

I have been working on our applications for ERate discount services for next year, and should have the primary applications completed by the time of the board meeting. In addition to the primary services like Internet and Telecommunications, I'm applying for what they call Category 2 services as well. Category 2 is only funded for the next several years, and covers things like switching hardware and wireless at an 85% rate for us. There is a limit on the amount of money we can receive through this program, but we only have a few year window we can spend it during. Because of this I'm looking at what we need in terms of infrastructure upgrades, and applying for those items if they are covered by the program. This year we put the new wireless system in place. I'm applying for switches and new battery backup units for next year. I might also request some additional wireless access points.

As I've mentioned previously, non-Internet services like local and long distance phone service to sites is being gradually phased out of the ERate program at a rate of -20% discount a year. This year we are at the 50% discount level, down from our original 90% discount. In several more years these services will not be discountable at all.

I'm including three bids we received for 80 more of the Dell 11" Chromebooks with touchscreens. I recommend we go with the Dell bid, as they are the least expensive for the same product. The new devices would go to Eagle, Tanacross, Northway, Dot Lake, Tetlin, and Tok. If possible, I'd like to consider buying an additional 10 devices that we can have on hand for the employee buy requests that happen at the beginning of the year, as well as things like raffle giveaways. This would give our programs and staff access to a much better volume discount than they could get otherwise.



Quote 1024185256343.1

ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Salesperson

Salesperson Name
Marco Castillo

Salesperson Email
Marco_A_Castillo@Dell.com

Salesperson Phone
1(800) 999-3355

Salesperson Extension
7250556

Quote Details

Quote Date
02/05/2016

Quote Validity
03/06/2016

Solution ID
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Billing Details

Company Name
ALASKA GATEWAY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Customer Number
11734533

Phone Number
1 (907) 8835151

Address
PO BOX 226
BORDER
AK
99780
US

Price Summary

Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Subtotal Price
Dell Chromebook 11	80	\$286.18	\$22,894.40
GOOGLE CHROME OS MANAGEMENT CONSOLE LICENSE, EDUCATION	80	\$30.00	\$2,400.00

Subtotal	\$25,294.40
Tax	\$0.00
Shipping and Handling	\$0.00
Environmental Fee	\$0.00
Total	\$25,294.40

Dear Customer,

Your quote is detailed below; please review the quote for product and information accuracy. If you find errors or desire changes, please contact me as soon as possible.

Regards,
Marco Castillo

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Product Details by Shipment

Shipping Group 1

Shipping Contact:	JASON FASTENAU	Subtotal	\$25,294.40
Shipping Phone No:	1 (907) 8835151	Tax	\$0.00
Shipping via:	Standard Ground	Shipping and Handling	\$0.00
Shipping Address:	MILE 1313 5 ALASKA HWY	Environmental Fee	\$0.00
	BOX 226	Total	\$25,294.40
	TOK		
	AK 99780-0226		
	US		

Description	Quantity	Unit Price	Subtotal Price
Dell Chromebook 11	80	\$286.18	\$22,894.40

Estimated Delivery Date: 02/24/2016
Contract Code: 99AGZ
Customer Agreement No: MHEC-07012015

210-ADWO	Dell Chromebook 11	80	-	-
340-AQVB	Intel Celeron Processor Label	80	-	-
329-BCLO	Intel Celeron Processor - Baytrail-M, 4GB Memory	80	-	-
580-AEEO	Internal English (US) Keyboard - Black	80	-	-
555-BBRS	Intel Dual Band Wireless-AC 7260 802.11 ac/a/b/g/n	80	-	-
	2x2 + Bluetooth 4.0 LE Half Mini Card			
492-BBDD	65 Watt AC Adaptor	80	-	-
537-BBBL	US Power Cord	80	-	-
998-BJLF	Fixed Hardware Configuration	80	-	-
389-BCGW	No UPC Label	80	-	-
340-AGYZ	System Documentation, Multi Language, Chromebook 11	80	-	-
340-ANMZ	Placemat	80	-	-
451-BBNH	3 Cell Primary Battery	80	-	-
320-BBNE	Touch LCD Back Cover (Black)	80	-	-
332-0550	Dell.com Order	80	-	-
332-1530	Dell.com Order	80	-	-

Important Notes

Terms of Sale

This quote is valid for 30 days unless otherwise stated. Unless you have a separate written agreement that specifically applies to this order, your order will be subject to and governed by the following agreements, each of which are incorporated herein by reference and available in hard copy from Dell at your request:

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If this purchase is intended for resale: Dell's Reseller Terms of Sale (www.dell.com/resellerterms).

If this purchase includes services: in addition to the foregoing applicable terms, Dell's service contracts and related service terms (www.dell.com/servicecontracts/global).

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Jason Fastenau <jfastenau@agsd.us>

CDW-G Quote Confirmation: Quote #GTSN311/P.O. Ref. DELL TOUCHSCREEN

1 message

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To: jfastenau@agsd.us

Fri, Feb 5, 2016 at 7:04 AM

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QUOTE CONFIRMATION





DEAR JASON FASTENAU,

Thank you for considering CDW•G for your computing needs. The details of your quote are below. Click [here](#) to convert your quote to an order.

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QUOTE #	QUOTE DATE	QUOTE REFERENCE	CUSTOMER #	GRAND TOTAL
GTSN311	2/5/2016	DELL TOUCHSCREEN	311625	\$27,737.60

QUOTE DETAILS

ITEM	QTY	CDW#	UNIT PRICE	EXT. PRICE
 <u>DELL CHBK 11 N2840 16GB 4GB</u> Mfg. Part#: T4MRY Contract: Hawaii & Alaska	80	3975608	\$319.22	\$25,537.60
 <u>Google EDU Management Console License</u> Mfg. Part#: CROSSWDISEDU UNSPSC: 43232804 Electronic distribution - NO MEDIA Contract: Hawaii & Alaska	80	3577022	\$27.50	\$2,200.00

SHIPPING DETAILS

Shipping Address:

TOK SCHOOL
MILE 1312 ALASKA HWY
TOK, AK 99780-0000

Shipping Method: UPS Ground AK & HI

Payment Terms: NET 30 Days-Govt/Ed

SUBTOTAL

\$27,737.60

SHIPPING

\$0.00

GRAND TOTAL

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Line Item	Part Number	Description	Qty.	Unit Sale Price	Ext. Sale Price
<u>Dell Chromebook 11</u>					
1	210-ADWO	Dell Chromebook 11 (210-ADWO) Internal English (US) Keyboard - Black (580-AE00) No UPC Label (389-BCGW) Intel Celeron Processor - Baytrail-M, 4GB Memory (329-BCLO) Intel Dual Band Wireless-AC 7260 802.11 ac/a/b/g/n 2x2 + Bluetooth 4.0 LE Half Mini Card (555-BBRS) System Documentation, Multi Language, Chromebook 11 (340-AGYZ) Mail In Service after Remote Diagnosis, 1 Year (801-5292) Dell Limited Hardware Warranty Initial Year (801-5338) Dell.com Order (332-1530) Placemat (340-ANMZ) Dell.com Order (332-0550) 3 Cell Primary Battery (451-BBNH) Touch LCD Back Cover (Black) (320-BBNE) Shipment Box (328-BCBH) Directship info mod (340-ABFC) Fixed Hardware Configuration (998-BJLF) Intel Celeron Processor Label (340-AQVB) Not Selected in this Configuration (817-BBBC) 11.6" HD Touch LCD (391-BBYJ) 65 Watt AC Adaptor (492-BBDD) US Power Cord (537-BBBL)	80	291.00	23,280.00
2	A7611038	GOOGLE CHROME OS MANAGEMENT CONSOLE LICENSE, EDUCATION (A7611038)	80	29.00	2,320.00
3		Estimated Shipping	1	1,600.00	1,600.00
Total					<u>27,200.00</u>

Prepared by: Leaves Garnett

Please contact the person listed above at Structured for any questions regarding this quotation.

To: Regional School Board

From Randy Warren
Maintenance Director

RE: February 2016 Board Report

The Maintenance Department for the month of February was busy going to the schools and doing the preventive work orders and work orders coming in from the schools and for the hockey rink.

I spoke with the Mayor of Eagle concerning the water system they are trying to put in for the city well, he said he is still waiting for the quote, we are working on other possibilities, I will have more information on this subject for the board meeting

I have heard that there is some concern about the Tok School sprinkler system, I had to shut off the dry system due to rotten pipes that are leaking too much air and would have eventually set the system off and could have caused lots of money in damage, it still has a wet system on line along with 170 smoke detectors, 10 duct detectors and 13 heat detectors, each air handler unit has two duct detectors, a couple of the air handler units have bad detectors and need replaced, these detectors are obsolete and need to be replaced with a new style, I have been working with Arctic Fire to find a new version that will be compatible, he has been busy and will be here to replace them as soon as he can. The dry system has been on the CIP list for a three years now, but in the mean time I have been having the maintenance crew do repairs in the summer, the last time it was repaired was two years ago.

Siemens was here and did a walk through with Jason Roslansky, Jason Fastenau and myself, they are going to help us with finding a new camera system, and they are also going to get me a price on installing door locking devices that use cards, I am hoping to have the quote before the board meeting on the 21st, if not I will have it by the April board meeting.

February 2016 Biomass Report

Work at biomass for the month of February proceeded with no major issues. The boiler and turbine ran for the entire month of February other than the 17'th through 19'th due to a blown stack sensor. Tree hauling has also proceeded well.

Fuel has not caused any glassing problems for the entire month.

Design work and material lists have been developed and nearly completed for the installation of the new steam generator.


School power bill dipped down into the single digits for the first time ever.

Thanks
Tony

The past month has been very busy with more work on the new teacher evaluation tool, websites, educational technology, professional development, and curriculum.

- On February 12, we held a district-wide inservice at Tanacross School. Due to ongoing interest on the part of staff, we had contracted last fall to have Responsive Classroom do a one day overview workshop for us at our February inservice. In anticipation for the event, we ordered an excellent Responsive Classroom publication, *The Power of Our Words*, for all staff attending the event. Martha Hanley, an expert trainer with Responsive Classroom spent the day with AGSD staff at Tanacross giving us a peek into what the Responsive Classroom model and practices can bring to our classrooms. The model addresses assessment and instructional strategies that work to help build a healthy, happy classroom and school environment. The workshop was given high marks on the staff evaluation, and several staff have indicated strong interest in further Responsive Classroom training.
- On February 11, the new Curriculum and Instruction page went live as a link within the Curriculum department page on our agsd.us website. Currently it is in as a link, but soon it will replace the content there as the landing page. The site comprehensively lists district curriculum resources and materials, as well as instructions to teachers for how to access much of it within the Classbright system. K-12 core curriculum as well as k-12 technology is included, as well as Classbright tutorial videos for teachers, Google help for teachers, and pages with attached resources and curriculum for the AGSD initiatives and special programs. This new page serves several purposes; 1) To make our curriculum transparent to parents, community and other stakeholders, 2) To make our curriculum clear to new teachers, and 3) To have a central, open place for any AGSD staff to get more information about our programs. Currently, the page can be reached by going to the agsd.us page, then under the Departments menu to Curriculum and Instruction - it is listed as a link. For the time being it can also be accessed separately at <http://agsdcurriculum.weebly.com/>
- February 20-23 nine staff from AGSD attended the ASTE (Alaska Society for Technology in Education) Conference in Anchorage. This is a fantastic professional development opportunity each year for teachers to learn about current practices across the state for integrating technologies into instruction, as well as a chance to learn what's new in the field. Alaska Gateway has a strong association with ASTE - Scott MacManus is a past board member, Jason Fastenau currently serves as the ASTE Treasurer, I just finished two terms as the Interior Region Representative, and Scott Holmes is now stepping into that role. It's encouraging to see such a high participation from our district in the association and at this event - it is a loud and clear demonstration as to how very important these practices are to our staff and our classrooms.
- I am currently in the process of making initial edits to our Teacher Evaluation Handbook to reflect new regulations, and our new teacher evaluation tool. Once initial edits are made, we have set a timeline for reconvening the Evaluation Committee to begin to work through the document and make final edits for board approval.
- On another note regarding the Teacher Evaluation tool, I am also currently designing teacher and administrator training that we can put into place at our fall inservice so that all staff will have a consistent and thorough understanding of how the system works.



Date: March 9, 2016
To: Regional School Board
From: Pam Gingue 
Program Coordinator

PRESCHOOL:

- 🍏 Preparing to begin preK transition activities at Tetlin and Northway;
- 🍏 TCC Head Start will have a federal program review of their Head Start sites and the team will visit the Northway Head Start/preschool classroom;
- 🍏 Currently have a substitute teacher aide in the preschool classroom in Northway;

TESTING:

- 🍏 The LEP assessment window is open until March 31st; HUGE thank you to Tracie Weisz, Natasha Thurneau, and Judy Harmon for your help with testing so far; and to Marla Alsup who will be helping with the Tok LEP site testing, too;
- 🍏 Thank you to the school staff and students for your help in getting the LEP testing done;

OTHER:

- 🍏 Prepared and submitted a federal programs insert for the 2nd February Mukluk News;

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:

- 🍏 Hold READY! for Kindergarten parent program classes for children ages 2-3; ages 3-4; and ages 4-5 in Tok and Northway;
- 🍏 PreK transition activities will begin in Northway and Tetlin, partnering with the school and early elementary teachers;
- 🍏 Complete LEP testing by the closing date of March 31st.

March 2016 Board Report

Loretta Fitting
Foodservice Coordinator



- First lets just address the food situation. Since I started there have been a lot of changes. People in general are not susceptible to change. It is nothing new that people complain about school lunch. It is nothing new we serve canned food, although what people do not know is that the canned foods we serve are either in 100% juice not syrup (there may be 1 or 2 that aren't available in juice but are in light syrup) or reduced sodium. There is just change and people don't like it. The facts are that there are limits for calories, fats, and sodium that can be used in school meals. This being said, when I had my State review, within a month of being hired it was apparent that things weren't being implemented as they should. This was the beginning of the change. Some cooks were equally pleased with the change and it has been a hard road of getting all the cooks on the same page and cooking what is on the menu. Not saying that there are still some days that something is cooked that are not on the menu, but there is a BIG difference than there was a year ago.... Yep it has been a year already. I wrote an article in the mukluk to address some of the concerns. I also added the state regulations, the caloric intake kids who are active and non-active need, and the fact that this is an option for kids not required, i.e. parents can pack their kids a lunch if they think the food is in adequate.
- There was in-service training in Tanacross, where Delores made her famous Indian tacos. YUMMY!
- There was a plane to Eagle in which I filled with fresh and canned foods among other things.... Exciting day for our Eagle staff and students! Can't wait to visit when the road opens!!
- On March 3rd we had Green Eggs and Ham at Tok School for elementary lunch to celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday. It was only at Tok School because the teachers approached us last minute to see if it was possible to change the lunch that day since they had a whole week of activities in lieu of the celebration. We were happy to help and I hope to remember this event in planning for next year's lunch. The kiddos really enjoyed it.



Above: A picture from March 8th, 2016 school lunch (sweet potato fries, peanut butter apple (fresh) wrap, FRESH spinach salad with peppers and tomatoes, and mandarin oranges.

COUNSELOR'S GUIDEPOST

March 2016

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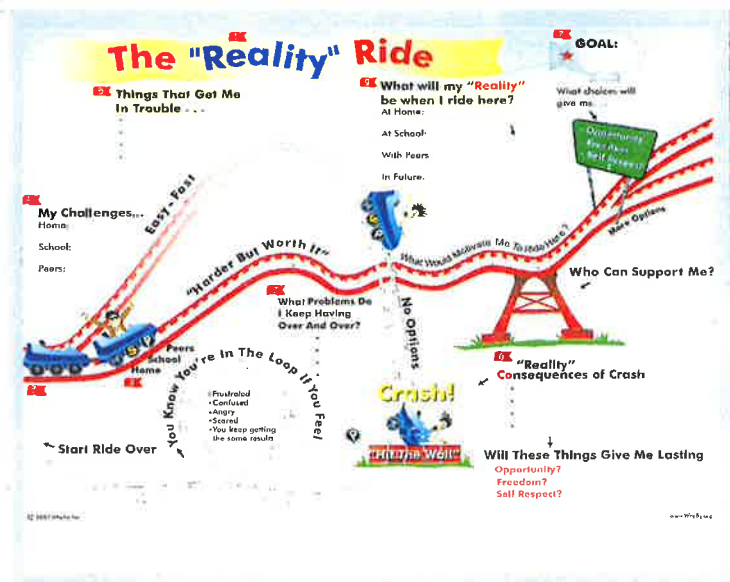
MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

- **March 3, 10, 17, 24 - SCHOLARSHIP WORKSHOP (2:45 - guidance office)**
- **March 23 - FAFSA Frenzy (12-2 @ Tok School; 5-7 @ UAF Tok Center)**
- **March 29 - May 3 : AMP testing window**
- **April 26-27: Kids2College field trip to UAF**



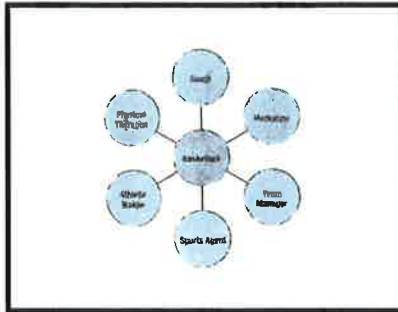
ATTENTION SENIORS:

- **Fill out the FAFSA** - The FAFSA is the way to apply for federal financial aid and the **Alaska Performance Scholarship**. (See above: Mar. 23 workshop)
- Complete your resume.
- Obtain 1 or 2 letters of reference for your files and to apply for scholarships.
- If you are planning on retaking the ACT, register before Mar. 18. You can take the ACT **April 9 in Fairbanks (UAF) or in Delta**, but this will be the last opportunity to take this test before graduation. **(Post-graduation test scores can not be used to qualify for the AK Performance Scholarship.)**
- Continue to apply to **scholarships: see emails** from Mrs. Lundv.



The "Reality" Ride lesson (illustrated above) is one module from the Why Try? program currently being used with high school students. Students identify a goal, and reflect on challenges, choices, and consequences.

5th Graders Learn There Are Many Occupations That Connect to Their Favorite Activity



As part of the Kids2College program, students are learning about careers that they might enjoy and be successful in based on their interests. Each student will be researching a career of interest to share with others in their schools.

Current Empathy Lesson Focus:

How I think affects how I feel, which affects how I act and results in how others treat me.

I Know I Can: Become an Art Teacher



Shauna Lee shared her "career story" with Mrs. Dompierre's 2nd grade class as part of the *I Know I Can* program.

The students learned that deciding on a career is often a process of discovering interests and abilities.

They also learned that a person might change their minds several times before finding a satisfying career.

Shauna enthusiastically shared tools and products of being an art teacher.



TOK CLASSES

Mar. 3 - Gr. 3, 7, 11/12

Mar. 7 - Gr. 9/10

Mar. 9 - Gr. K & 5

- REACH*

Mar. 10 - Gr. 6

Mar. 23 - Gr. 5

- REACH*

Mar. 24 - Gr. 6 & 11/12

* by appointment

Travel Dates

Feb. 29 - Dot Lake

Mar. 3 - Eagle (Skype)

Mar. 4 - Northway

Mar. 8 - Mentasta

Mar. 10 - Tetlin

Mar. 21/22 - Eagle

Mar. 24 - Tetlin

Mar. 25 - Northway

Mar. 28 - Tanacross

- Dot Lake

Mar. 29 - Mentasta ?

The Gateway Greenhouse
March 2016 Board Report

The natural light is quickly returning and daytime temperatures in the greenhouse have been as high as 107 degrees. It is still too early to have sides opening, but the upper vents and fans can be turned on during the hottest part of the day. Although the sun is making for high temps, it is still not high enough or long enough in the sky to provide enough light for optimal growth at this time. Having said that, I can report that spinach, leaf lettuce mix, beans, peas, cucumber, zucchini and tomatoes are all growing in the greenhouse at this time. Three varieties of peppers will be transplanted into the greenhouse in a few weeks.

I have determined that transplanting tomatoes was done too early. The plants are growing but would have been better left under the artificial light in the processing building for a few more weeks. I am not discouraged because I still have around 30 tomato starts under the artificial light. I am glad I transplanted some into the greenhouse because it has given me a comparison on which I can base future planning.

We have received results from the soil samples that were sent for testing, a copy of which will be sent with this report. We are still waiting for the rundown of those results and the recommendations, which will be sent to us from the UAF Cooperative Extension office. I am hoping to be able to include that information in my April board report. I'm working on a list of maintenance issues and will be submitting that by the end of March. I will include that information in my April board report as well.

Bonnie Emery
AGSD Horticulturist
March 3, 2016

To:	District Board Members Alaska Gateway School District	March 21, 2016
From:	Superintendent	Principal Reports

ISSUE

- **Principals' Reports**

BACKGROUND

- 1. Principals' Reports submitted in written form**

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the ECS Times

Principal's Report

Battle Teams

High School Team: Sunny Hemen, Valerie Smith, and Violet Burnette.

3rd/4th Grade Team: Thomas Malcolm, Syrianna Winkel, Ty Scott, Shannon McDougall, and Taylor Beaucage. Coach: Mattie Volkheimer

Kindergarten/1st Grade Team: Flora McDougall, Jude Shangin, Bryce Sharpe, and Paul Shangin.



ECS Students SWEEP Battle of the Books

Eagle Community School entered three teams in the Battle of the Books competition this year and all three teams won first place. Kindergarteners and first grade shared a first-place three-way tie within the district. ECS 3rd and 4th graders won at the district level and advanced to place 16th in the state. The high school team won their bracket and went on to place 14th in the state. Congratulations Eagle students! Keep reading!

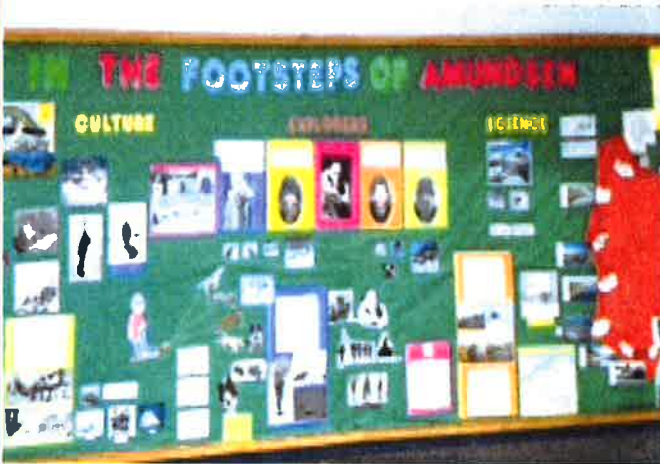


Check out our new
website:
[eaglecommunityschool.
wix.com/eagleschool](http://eaglecommunityschool.wix.com/eagleschool)
Or follow the link on
the AGSD site

Spring Break
3/14-3/18
School closed—
enjoy your time
off.

Summer Reading
3/25
ECS students will
host an Easter egg
hunt.

Student Council
4/2
Student Council
will provide
concessions at the
carnival.



WRLF

Student 4-H leaders visited Fairbanks for the Western Regional Leadership Forum.

Students: Valerie Smith, Sunny Hemen, Violet Burnette, and Alex Helmer

Four ECS students traveled to Fairbanks for WRLF. This 4-H event involves 13 western states and rotates its forum annually. Valerie Smith, Sunny Hemen, Violet Burnette, and Alex Helmer accompanied by chaperone, Jackie Helmer, learned about self-defense, wood-working, Apple productions, and Traditional Ways. The group also visited Chena Hot Springs and toured the UAF campus. They shared some of their 4-H projects with other participants. ECS wishes to thank the Eagle City Council for sponsoring their travel and Jackie Helmer for her devotion to our students.

ECS students are still following the Amundsen expedition and collecting data. When the mushers arrive in Eagle a community dessert gathering will be hosted at school. Join us to hear all about this harrowing adventure! Details TBA.

Jesse LeBeau Scheduled

World-renowned basketball trickster and accomplished author and actor, Jesse LeBeau, will visit Eagle on April 14th. Jesse will meet with ECS students when he arrives to give each one an autographed book and poster. He will then host a keynote speech for the entire community. He and former ECS basketball coach, Nate Becker, will play one-on-one. Jesse also plans to demonstrate his skills for the community, sign autographs, pose for photos, and answer questions. His photographer will be with him. A pot-luck is planned for this event. Please join us! We hope to host a few students from our sister schools in Northway and Mentasta as well. Thank you to all those that made this event possible: Eagle City Council, Yukon Services, Falcon Inn B&B, AGSD, and private donors.

WHEN: April 14th **WHERE:** Eagle School Gym

TIME: 5:30 p.m. potluck & program to follow



AMONG THE GIANTS ALASKA BOOK TOUR



THE BOOK

Among the Giants is a self-help manual for young and old alike. As he tells his inspirational story (the story of a self-discovery), Jesse inspires and motivates the reader to challenge themselves toward their own dreams and aspirations. He clearly defines the success principles every young person needs to follow, not only to pursue their goals, but to pursue a fun and rewarding LIFE!

"Jesse is living proof that if you work hard and believe in yourself, anything is possible!"

—ALLEN IVERSON
two-time NBA
All-Star Game MVP

THE AUTHOR

Jesse LeBeau is one of the premiere trick artists with a basketball in the world. He has entertained millions in commercials, movies, and television games alongside top celebrities like Allen Iverson, Kevin Durant, Heidi Klum, and Justin Bieber.

Undersized and overlooked his whole life, Jesse was able to overcome the odds and go from a remote island in Alaska to the Hollywood big screen. He continues to use his talents, speaking engagements, and new book *Among the Giants* to inspire others to live life to the fullest!

"JESSE SHARES THE KEYS EVERY YOUNG PERSON NEEDS TO CHASE THEIR DREAMS." —HEIDI KLUM

THE TOUR

Jesse connects with students in a 45 minute presentation that includes live basketball, engaging storytelling, basketball trivia, and fun facts from commercials and movies he's appeared in. He will also do book signings in the local communities.

To see highlights from Jesse's 2014 tour click here!

This tour will reach over 15,000 kids with a day reality living event in the community with a huge media outreach that has a digital footprint opportunity of over 100 million impressions!

Click here to see what principals are saying!

Click here to check out Jesse's new TV show in development!



Recent Visitors

Dept. of Fish & Game Visits

Stephen Rudolph of the Tetlin Wildlife Refuge visited Eagle to educate students on trapping, our fragile ecosystem, fur handling and other topics of interest. He spent time in both the secondary and elementary classrooms. He has a program planned for students when we travel through Tok in May for our field trip. Thank you, Stephen!



Students Show Projects

Secondary students, Ian Malcolm and Josh Beaucage, built radios during 4-H and demonstrated them for the elementary students. These students have also built vehicles using snap-circuit kits.



Willie Juneby's Fiddle Captivates

Aurora Bowers of *Dancing with the Spirit* graciously offered to play this iconic instrument one evening during the Yukon Quest. It was pulled out of the display case to once again entertain Eagle residents. Benny Juneby smiled upon hearing his father's fiddle played, while onlookers tapped a toe to a festive tune.



Ruth Ridley Teaches Han Language

Eagle Village Elder and Han Athabaskan Language expert, Ruth Ridley, taught the Han Athabaskan Language to ECS students during the week of the Yukon Quest. Ruth had students learning to count, speaking key phrases, and even learning to sing in her native tongue. We are so grateful to have help from our Elders.

Yukon Quest Fun

Every year the Yukon Quest stops in Eagle. We make the most of this auspicious event. Students enjoy music camp, cultural activities, serving dinner to guests, volunteering at the checkpoint, and meeting lots of new friends. Eagle is the place to be in February!





Tok School Home of the Wolverines

March 10, 2016 Principal Roslansky Report

Upcoming Events

Volunteers, Programs, and Presentations by Principal Roslansky

What is the risk of getting caught in an avalanche? That is a question our students at Tok can answer, because on March 8th, 2016 we had a presentation from UAF on Avalanche Safety. Can you out spell a 3rd grader? On February 23rd, 2016, you could have tested your skills by watching the Spelling Bee conducted in the library of Tok School. What is "Seussified"? It was a week long celebration of reading using the backdrop of Dr. Seuss's birthday from Feb. 29-March 4, 2016.

What do the Avalanche presentation, Spelling Bee, and getting "Seussified" have in common? Over a span of fourteen days a good number of volunteers with the steering assistance of Tok School Staff provided students at Tok School a unique, quality learning experience. These opportunities do not come to fruition without vision, infrastructure, guidance, and most importantly man power, with much of this manpower coming through as volunteerism.

As Principal of Tok School, I salute our staff. It's been my observation this past year that the Tok School staff has multiplied their impact on our students by bringing in stakeholders to volunteer in our school. Then, finally, I appreciate and applaud our volunteers. Through their generosity of time and talents they have enriched the learning experience at Tok.

3/22 Hockey Picture Day

3/23 FAFSA Frenzy



3/24 ASB Meeting

3/24 Movie Night hosted by Jrs.

3/28-4/8 Spring Writing

Assessment Window

3/29 Elementary Spring Showcase

3/29-5/6 AMP Testing Window

4/1-4/3 Mite Mac Attack

Tournament-Hockey

Happy Spring! Our count is at 14. We have been working very hard on studying for the AMP and familiarizing ourselves with the testing system. All the students have set individual goals that they hope to reach this year on the exam. We plan on testing the first two weeks in April with the goal to be finished by Friday, April 15th.

All students had the opportunity to go to Tok and climb the wall. They really enjoyed themselves and most found that they were more brave then they thought.

In math we are learning how to add and borrow along with fractions, multiplication, probability, and division.

We went on a tour to look at cashmere goats! Thanks to grandma Connie for making it possible.

Students learned how to set snares and use every part of a rabbit for art work. They also fried up the meat and enjoyed a little snack.

Sincerely,

Ms. Kaydee & Mrs. Dunning



Welcome to the Warrior News

V1 #10

March 4, 2016

What is Leap year?

By: Gerald Albert

Leap year is when February has 29 days and 366 days in a year. It only happens every four years because our calendar is in alignment with the Earth's revolutions around the Sun. The earth takes 365 days, five hours, 48 minutes, and 45 seconds to go around the sun. People who have birthdays on leap year, Leap day babies, or leaplings, still get to celebrate their birthdays in common years. Some celebrate on February 28, some prefer March 1. For those who have birthdays on leap day, it must be horrible not having a common birthday every year and having to have it on a day before or after. All the ones that do are probably really happy this year because it's leap year and they can actually celebrate their birthdays.



Some Famous People Born on Leap Year

1992 Jesse Usher, American actor
1992 Caillin E.J. Meyer-Actress
1984 Mark Foster, Musician
1984 Adam Sinclair, Indian hockey player
1976 Ja Rule, American rapper and actor
1968 Cary Conklin, NFL quarterback (SF 49ers)
1968 Chucky Brown, NBA forward (Houston Rockets, Atlanta Hawks)

*Every
accomplishment starts
with the decision to
try.*

What Makes a Good Student?

By: Elisa Negron

Students tend to lose interest quickly. A good student will display the willingness and ability to learn anything the teacher teaches no matter what. It's about having the right attitude. Good students have self-discipline. That means students will manage their time well in order to complete all assignments on time and stay caught up. Being a good student isn't just about making the highest grades. A good student studies, works hard to gain more knowledge, and respects their teachers. Students should prioritize their life making school the top priority. Attending class is very important. Not attending class will cause a student to fall behind and in result of that, their grades will drop. **So to be a good student, hard work will pay off!**



Remember:

**Third quarter ends on March 11.
Spring Break is from March 14-18.**



Who is your favorite actor or actress?

By: Rita Baker

Dominick- Jennifer Lawrence, Rihanna
Elisa- Channing Tatum, Angelina Jolie
Mikayla- Channing Tatum
Katherine- Jennifer Lopez, Jim Carrey
Shannon- Kevin Hart, Anna Sophia Robb, and Channing Tatum
Ernie- Will Smith
Rita- Paul Walker
Becky- Jennifer Lopez

What Day Is It?

By Mikayla

March is: Optimism Month
Women's History Month
National Craft Month
March 5 Iditarod begins
March 6 Oreo Cookie Day
March 9 Barbie Day
March 11 World Sleep Day
March 13 Daylight Savings Day
March 13 Smart & Sexy Day
March 17 Absolutely Incredible Kid Day
March 19 National Quilting Day
March 20 International Day of Happiness
March 20 National Native HIV/AIDS Awareness Day
March 20 World Storytelling Day
March 20 Won't You Be My Neighbor Day
March 21 Memory Day
March 22 As Young As You Feel Day
March 25 World Marbles Day
March 26 Purple day
March 27 Easter

Amusement Park Memory

By Elisa Negron

In Orlando, Florida, there is a water park called Wet n Wild. When I was at Wet n Wild, I was walking around and came across a big slide called The Bomb Bay. The Bomb Bay is a six-story high water slide. It feels like the floor falls as it drops straight down at 70 mph. The Bomb Bay is ranked as Florida's greatest thrill ride in the Orlando magazine. It was designed to operate like the fuselage of a military plane from which bombs were dropped. I really wanted to go on that slide, but I'm scared of heights and the slide itself looked really scary! It took me a few minutes to finally build up the nerve to just go ahead and make myself conquer my fear of that slide. So there I was, climbing the stairs that go up six stories to the top of the slide. Once I got up there, it was even scarier than I thought. At the last minute, I started having second thoughts. I looked at my dad and told him, "I don't know about this." My dad told me to not think about it and just do it. The lifeguard looked at me to let me know it was clear for me to go down the slide next. I lay down and the lifeguard said, "keep your arms and feet crossed." Then WHOOSH! I dropped straight down at 70 mph. I was going so fast that it was hard to see. I felt like I had Chinese eyes. By the time I got to the bottom of the slide, I felt like my bathing suit bottoms turned into a G-string. It didn't feel too good but I was just so proud that I even built up the nerve to go down. It ended up being a lot of fun and something I actually wouldn't mind doing again.



Dark Rivers of the Heart

By Aluni

Dean Koontz is the author of *Dark Rivers of the Heart*, and if you know what kind of author he is, you'll know what his book might be like while you read it. I on the other hand, had no idea what the book might be like or how amazing he might be at telling a story. The only glimpse I had of realizing how good of a story he might be able to tell was from the brief blurb in the back of the book, and from what my mom had to say about him. In all honesty the only thing that really stuck in my brain was how thick the book was and how in the world was she expecting me to finish it. The book is about 600 pages long and the words are real small. Despite how difficult it seemed to read the book, I opened it up and discovered what an amazing author he truly was.

The scene takes place down a road. Spencer and his wuss dog (Rocky) are driving down the road outside it's raining, and spencer's looking for the bar with a red door. He doesn't know why he's looking for that bar in particular he just is. Anyway Spencer's not a drunk in fact he relies on the drunk so he can tell them of his dark past. Instead of revealing his past to a drunken stranger, he's greeted by an easy to talk to a woman who claims to have worked there for three months. He soon finds himself unwillingly attracted to her, and in curiosity he follows her home.

The next day he goes to the bar, but she's not there. He goes to her house and finds a cockroach hammered into the wall, the only furniture was an air mattress, and the place looked like it was being temporarily lived in. The next thing he knows, a grenade is tossed in the window and a S.W.A.T team is ambushing him. He leaves the house with no bullet holes, but he still isn't enlightened. What would a S.W.A.T team want to do with a nice woman like that? Why was there a cockroach hammered into the wall? Why did it look like the place was barely stayed in? And why was the girl nowhere to be found? In order to find the answers to his questions, Spencer set out to find the woman, but little did he know that he would be running from an unruly agency, he'd get himself dangerously close to death

multiple times, and that he just might be looking for something more than a girl.

I thought the book was suspenseful, exciting, and edgy, but above all it told a widely, unpredictable, sort of twisted love story. I'd recommend this book if you're a mature adult and possibly some teenagers, but I wouldn't recommend that Becky read this book. I don't think she'd agree with some of the "raw material" in the book.



SPURS UPDATE

By Sean Bolieu

Spurs record is 50-9 2nd in the NBA. Spurs are on a 5 game winning streak. Their home record is 28-0, away record is 22-9. Tim Duncan just reached 3,000 blocks. Spurs signed guard Andre Miller. Spurs injuries-Kawhi Leonard {tightness, left calf}, Matt Bonner {left calf strain}, Manu Ginobili {surgical recovery}. The Spurs are cruising their way straight to the playoffs with a 50-9 NBA record. The Spurs big three are Tim Duncan, Manu Ginobili, and Tony Parker.

Northway Dancers

Twenty-four students will be dancing at the Festival of Native Arts at the University of Alaska in Fairbanks this Friday, March 5 and Saturday, March 6 in the evening. If you're in Fairbanks, stop by and watch them! They are traveling with their families, who are also participating with the dance group.

Winter Carnival/Spirit Week

Winter Carnival/Spirit Week

By Gerald

WNS is having a Winter Carnival and Spirit Week next week, the schedule is:

Monday: Paradise Hill-Sledding-
All Day

Mix Match Day

Tuesday: Ski Races at 1:00 pm
Hippie Day

Wednesday: Snowshoe Races at
1:00 p.m.

Western Dress Day

Thursday: Olaf/Snowman
Making - Starts at 9:00 am-
finish before lunch

Jersey Day

Friday: Capture the Flag-starts
at 10:00 am-finish before lunch
Crazy Hair Day

Teams will be set up on Friday with multi-aged groupings. Points will be earned for each team and the winning team will earn a pizza/ice cream party after spring break.

Opinion: What Can Weed (marijuana) Do to You?

By Ernie

What can weed do to you? It can hurt your brain and kill brain cells. It can make you happy and laugh a lot. It can make you trip out and see colors. It can help make the pain go away for people with cancer. Weed will make you tired and feel really good. You can get into trouble with the law if you don't have a license to plant weed.

Amanda Michelle Todd

By Shannon



Her full name is Amanda Michelle Todd. She was born on November 27, 1996. She passed away October 10, 2012 at the age of 15. She killed herself at her home in Port Coquitlam, British Columbia, Canada. On September 7, 2012, Todd posted a 9-minute YouTube video entitled "My Story: Struggling, bullying, Suicide and Self-harm," which showed her using a series of flashcards to tell of her experiences being bullied. The video went viral after her death, resulting in international media attention. The video has had more than 17 million views as of April 2014. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police and British Columbia Coroners Service launched investigations into the suicide. Since then the Canadian government has focused on cyberbullying. Todd's mother, Carol started the Amanda Todd Trust, to support anti-bullying awareness education and programs for young people with mental health problems.

This story interests me because I have an interest in people who have been bullied. I have been bullied in my life.

**We still have Northway
Community Calendars for sale!**

\$10 each

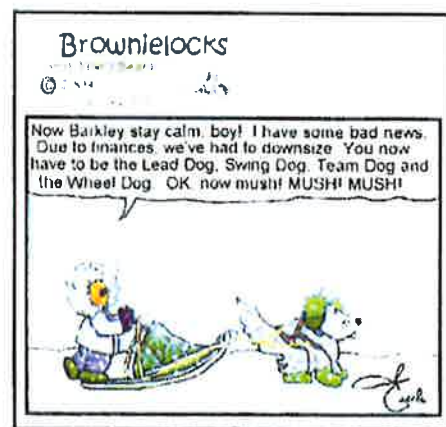
See Becky

Movie Review: Deadpool

by Alani

Deadpool movie was unbelievably hysterical, but also very inappropriate. I would definitely recommend it if you have an open mind and a sense of humor.

The movie was about how Wade Wilson (played by Ryan Reynolds) became Deadpool, how he saved his girlfriend, and still somehow manages to eliminate AJAX. If you don't know who AJAX is, he is the man who gave him the old avocado look he now has. While Deadpool tries to eliminate his target, he meets three unlikely friends who then help him take out his archenemy. All in all, the movie was sweet, and full of amazing humor! It is a must see!



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March 7, 2016



Honored board members

We are packing them in here at Dot Lake. The community has responded well to the "Wednesday

Lunch Bunch" and we are now up to between 24 and 30 people each Wednesday for lunch. The accolades are coming in for the meals and the conversation as one parent commented, *"I have learned more about the school and now see why the kids want to come here every day."* We pride ourselves on character education and service to others as the kids and staff serve the parents and elders in the community. We have offered to have the kids complete community projects when needed and that has gone a long way in opening dialog between the school and the village.

The UAF Geo science team came to the school on The 24th of February and presented their “Permafrost” project to the students and community of Dot Lake. Everyone was given the chance to experience the “Ice beneath our feet” and see and touch actual Woolly mammoth bones, ancient horse bones and other artifacts that were found in the permafrost.

The conversations were epic as the kids and adults asked amazing questions about what might happen as the earth warms up.



Matthew and Santos fielded questions and gave in depth answers to the kids. They

performed amazing experiments in the classroom for all to experience.

Moss is a great insulator...



"It holds the cold"

The kids were able to pick up and analyze 30,000 year old ice from the "Cave" near Fairbanks.



Inside the "Cave and an Ice wedge" Matthew explains the process of the building of an ice wedge.

I know that permafrost does not seem like a fascinating subject. It goes unnoticed for most people, the entire face of Alaska will change with the melting of this invaluable act of nature.

The Tetlin refuge has been very gracious in sending Mr. Rudolph out to educate and entertain the kids each Friday. He has been faithful through a recent medical

issue to communicate with us about the importance of understanding the environment around us. We are happy to

have him here and are always anxious to see what wonders he will bring with him.

We took a field trip to Fairbanks this month and we able to visit the Museum of the North. We toured the many exhibits and saw things that we interesting and educational. Of course, the snack bar was the most interesting stop on the tours for most kids. We saw the movie "Dinosaurs of Alaska" that demonstrated how the fossils are found and excavated by students and volunteers from the University of Alaska. We hurried off to play Glo-Golf and then ate at Subway. The kids and chaperones bedded down after a swim at the local pool at a church in Fairbanks that had invited us to stay. They were very cordial and accommodating and the kids were... for the most part, well behaved. We awoke and prepared for the grand finale at Cold Stone Creamery where the staff



treated us to lessons in Cake Pops, Cake decorating and ice cream making the Cold Stone way. We learned that the Cold Stone in Fairbanks is the top selling store in their region, beating out Texas for total Ice Cream sales. They have numerous awards for their business practices and the

professional demeanor in the store shows the dedication to the craft. We ate ice cream and were on the road to Dot Lake where all arrived safe and sound with a bit of a sugar buzz.

We have had good turnout for the open gym night that is hosted by Jeff Deeter each Tuesday night. The kids get the chance to exercise in an organized manner by playing basketball or whatever they desire.

The anticipation surrounding Spring Break is palpable. The kids are all excited to see it come, but are not sure what they will do to enjoy it. I would like to offer a drivers ed class to the kids who are old enough during the break, but the logistics would be difficult to manage. There are currently 3 kids within range that would benefit from the lessons on the road. I could be a great summer time opportunity as well, given the right resources.

We are dealing with struggles as they arise. We are, if nothing else, a small family of students and staff that look out for each other. The relationships are strong between teachers and kids and we are seeing very important strides being made in attitude and attendance with many of the kids. We are proud of the changes that have been implemented here at Dot Lake. I look forward to expanding the principals of Peace Builders and character education next year if the opportunity is available for me.

Best Regards...*Jeff Rebitski*

Principal Teacher
Dot Lake School

TETLIN WIND

March 2016

Athabascan Values: Love for Children

We are just about ready to finish the end of the quarter and onto the last quarter of this school year. Our time here at school is precious. We actually have so little time to help our students be prepared for their future. The staff here want more than just a high school diploma for our students. We want to help parents to prepare their children for the world that they will live in. With that in mind we have been spending more time working on building reading skills with the students who need the most help. When teachers focus on the areas that need the most improvement students respond and improve in their abilities. Their gains and developing confidence also make them happier and more willing to take on challenges. My thanks goes out to my staff for their assistance in helping to improve our students a little each day. Robert Litwack Principal/Teacher

March Calendar

- 9th Kindergarten
Battle of the Books
11th End of the Quarter
12 - 20 Spring Break
24th 3 on 3 Basketball @
Tanacross



Chris McDonald, an Occupational Therapist, and Cece, her therapy dog, work with our students. She talked to most of our classes about her job and about how she and Cece work together and learn from each other.

Loren: My favorite movie is Bears.

One night on cold Alaskan mountain a mother bear hears the first cries of her baby cubs. Let's call this mother bear Sky and her cubs Scout and Amber. Also after an entire winter together it probably smells pretty bad. Sky worked hard last year eating 90 pounds of fish a day, she hopes the salmon will be plenty full this year but there's no guarantee. Ok cuddle time is over these bears got to get a move on. This is their story of their incredible first year. I see Sky is delighted to be out of the smelly den. "Ouch, not the teeth," Scout says. Sky is new at this mother thing. They've been traveling for over a week now, and the climb is just getting steeper and steeper. They're finding themselves on top of each other. They finally made it up their last hill. Then, "BOOM, CRACK" an avalanche came down. They were lucky that time, but that's a reminder to keep on going. Now they can see the meadow. All that green promises for something good to eat. Scout can't believe his eyes there are other bears in the world. Did everybody know this but me. Scout is looking for a remodel. Is he going to be a mean bear, and fighting all the time. Or is he going to be a nice bear. If Scout is looking for a mean bear he's going to get one. Magness, he is leader of the bears. Well magness has one thing particular in mind or a she bear. I think that running thing is bear for no. Come on you're so obvious at least pick her some flowers from the meadow. He may have over a half a ton to pull but he has no game. I am actually starting to feel sorry for him. Sky and her cubs have to find a quieter place to feed. "Uh Oh," Chinook and he's hungry he will eat anything even bear cubs. That circling thing is bad, if Sky shows any weakness he'll attack. It worked Sky successfully did it. Scout and Amber must be pretty amazed with their mom. Scout and Amber are going threw a massive growth spurt. But still no salmon. But then thousands of salmon came threw the Golden River, the three of them and the other bears ate and they ate. Sky successfully took care of her cubs and her reward eight little paws following her up the mountain side. It turns out the remodel that Scout was looking for was right beside him the whole way.

Catherine

My favorite movie is Star Wars: The Force Awakens 7. My Favorite Characters are Chewy, Hon Solo, and Darth Vader. So the problem is that Hon Solo's son Kylo Ren whose real name is Ben Solo. He's trying to rule the galaxy but A girl beat him at a Lightsaber Fight her name is Ray then she save's the Galaxy with the Force how she saved the Galaxy was that she defeated a deadly master and There was a guy named Finn He helped Ray to save the galaxy. In the ending of the movie Ray seeks Luke Skywalker because she found his lightsaber and wanted to give back to Luke Skywalker.

May the force be with you.....

Preston Paul

My favorite movie is called Ninja Turtles. My favorite characters are Raft Leo and Mikey. There are four characters Mikey, Donnie, Leo and Raft. There problem is the Foot clan they are bad people. The foot clan and their leader Shredder is trying to destroy the world and the Ninja Turtles stop them. While they were trying to stop them they all got captured but Raft never got captured and he had to go save his brother's he saved all of his brother's. After he saved his brother's they defeated Shredder and his foot clan.

Mason

My favorite movie is Ride Along. It is funny Kevin shot the shotgun They drive in a Doges car. Kevin get shot and chase after sister. They shot after the bad guy. He was injured. They put him and amulance. Kevin Hart and Ice Cube are in the car. I feel sad and happy wind watch the movie.

Bridgette

My favorite movie is Aladdin. There is a boy named Aladdin and he is a steler. Aliden met a princess named Jasmine. Aladdin is a street rat. Jasmine has a pet tiger. The tiger is nice to Jasmine because the tiger is tamed. Aladdin had a migick carpit. Aladdin has a pet monkie and it is funny. Jasmine snook out of the casile and Aladdin saw Jasmine .Aladdin fell in love with Jasmine because she is preaty. Jasmine had a preaty crown and it is with wight on top of the crown. Aladdin had a lamp with a Genie in it. Aladdin wished he was a psince because Jasmine is a princesse. Jafar is a bad guy. At the end Jasmine and Aladdin got maired.

Dustin

My favorete movie is Krampus He is a evil guy. He is mean he makes evil toys. Kids are scared of Krampus. It takes place in winter he went to there house beause the boy riped up a santa leter .Only to kids got away and went to there freinds house .There holo famliy died.

Danisha Paul

I like to watch Tom and Jerry because to is a funny show. The setting is in there house, in the back yard, on the road. The problem is Tom is chasing the mouse Jerry! Sometimes they become friends. Tom wants to eat the mouse Jerry. But the mouse runs away.

James Wright, Jr.

My favorite Movie is The Martian. When astronauts blast off from Mars, they leave Mark Watney. When he was about to go on the space shuttle but he was blown away by a storm. When he woke up there was a rod or something in his stomach, and he pulled it out and went back to the space station. He was on mars for 3 months and he gots 4 more months he ran out of food, and they tried sending food but the rocket blew up half way across the sky on Earth. Then he made potatoes from seeds or something he used human wastes for furtilizer. After the rest of the months pass he found a space shuttle then he throws most parts off and he blasts off to space his friends see him from a space station, and he found a sharp object. After 5 minutes he poked a hole in his glove he said Iron Man. He went up cause of the air pushing him, and one of his friends caught him. Mark went home. THE END

Classroom News:

News from Mrs. O'Neil's Room

February has come and gone. Our whole school participated in the 100th Day of School in the early part of the month. We had a Valentine's Day party. Finishing the month out with a Leap Year activity. Ms. Eva has been very helpful in teaching the students how to do peyote beading. Many students are almost finished making a bookmark. We continue to work on reading, writing and math everyday.

Dog Races

Preston and Peyton Paul participated in the Christochina Fun Days Dog Racing competition. Preston placed 3rd in his age group. He raced with a four dog team. Peyton had a great run. He ran with a two dog team. Peyton was scared he would fall again this year, but didn't. His first words were, "I want to do it again!" It was fun to see the excitement of the students and the dogs to race. Way to go boys!

Ms. Holmes' Class Writings

In February the K-2 class had fun making Gingerbread Men and Gingerbread Girls. We also wrote about them.

On February 5 we celebrated our 100th Day of School! We had fun exercising in the gym, making necklaces with 100 Fruit Loops, playing 100 bingo, and researching on the internet. We also counted to 100 by 1's, 2's, 5's, and 10's.

We made pouches out of paper plates for our Valentine's. Brayden brought in yummy cupcakes for our Valentine party.

For our writing project we wrote speeches about what we would do if we were elected President. We are practicing our speeches and we are going to make a video.

Evan

If I were President there would be no bullying.

Brayden

If I were President there would be no bullying. I would help people and I would give puppies to them.

Peyton

If I were President there would be no bullying. I would be the boss of the military. I would have a puppy for a pet.

Shania

If I were President I would let all the people have no drugs. I would have no bullying in school. I would have a pet puppy. I would take care of it. I would have no war in Alaska. I would have Alaska for the USA.

Marvin

If I were President I would live in the White House. I would let my family live in the White House. I would give food to people. I would not have anyone have drugs. I would be boss of the military.

Nova

If I were President I would keep my people safe from people that kill. I would have a pet pig at the White House. I would keep my people safe from drugs. I would be a good President of the United States of America. President Obama is the best president on Earth. I would give my people some food. I would not have war. I would keep my people safe forever. I would let my family stay with me in the White House. I would keep my Earth safe forever.

Nadine

If I were President there would be no drugs. I would give people something to eat. I would be the boss of the United States of America.

Tabessa

If I were President I would give people pets. I am going to build lots of houses and give food to poor people. I would live in the White House and I would have a pet from the pet store. I would have no bullying in school.

Dallas

If I were President I would stop people who bully. I would help people who need food and houses. I would be boss of the military.

Bad Kitty

If I were President I would make sure that all kitties had all of the lovely food that they could ever want. They would not have to babysit, deal with slobbery dogs, or other cats. Cat naps would be mandatory and cat snacks would be given out 37 times a day. In addition all trees would have to have a cat ladder to get up and down from easily.

Mr. Litwack's Class

Julie Wright

School should start later in the morning because students get really sleepy during classes in the morning. Starting school later will probably bring my grades up because my grades are kind of low, due to sleepless nights and trying to wake up early in the morning to go school and do work all day.

If school did start later in the morning students wouldn't only be getting more sleep, they would get more work done easier during the morning and during the day. Also students won't have much attitude in school with more sleep during the night and morning.

Breanna Sam

I like playing kickball because so i can kick the ball on run to the base and playing tag with my friend Loren she is a fast runner and also basketball playing 5 on 5 in PE time we have only two play time lunch time and PE time and i want more PE time because it's fun to play sports in the gym like baseball, kickball, and basketball. Also there is another problem we don't go out states because we don't have sales like bake sale pizza sale and do shop last year in the summer and i like doing that too and give us more time doing our writing in the morning and give me less homework because i have a lot to do in my math. Loren is my best friend we play tag with the ball but now we have a rule can't play ball tag because the littles kids get hart a lot and loren is a good basketball player we play round the world and i don't like reading i want our other teacher back because we go on trips and have a pizza sale and go on the snow machine to go trapping and learn thing about how to trap a wolf or any animal and i like going ice fishing because it's fun and we got two fish and we eat lunch.

Byron Captain

Why is there kids coming to school without their winter gear when it's snowing outside. They should be coming up to school with their winter gear so they can play outside when it's P.E or without P.E. Children that lives far away from school should bring their winter gear to school when it is snowing, that way kids don't need to freeze outside. By the way this is not a problem with my life i'm just saying this to keep kids safer and warmer outside.

Bentley Mark III video games can be educational

For most gamers, gaming is a highly-social activity while playing with others around the globe, because 70% play with their friends, and 20% play alone. Games teaches them to work together, communicate, and interpersonal skills in order to progress. These pro-social behaviors are critical for healthy social development. If the player has a positive social skill, they are more likely to have high self esteem, good peer relationships and achieve in school.

Games make people happy and relieve of stress. Positive, and therapeutic effects on players of all ages. Especially with mental or emotional problems. Most games can tune out the stress of everyday life and decompress. Games also gives your mind a little bit of rest. Relaxation would reduce the risk of heart problems, strokes, boosts memory, buffers against depression, and help decision making. Games also has physical health benefits, suppressing stress eating and reducing acne. These benefits come from doing something you'll actually like to do.

Video games are also a powerful way to get your kids interested in technical skills at an early age. Like the wildly popular game "angry birds" is now teaching kids the basic coding principle. Games also have spatial thinking, reasoning, memory, perception and problem solving. Which is a good technical career. Needs a clear conclusion. Example: So in fact video gaming has been shown to improve social skills and relieve stress all while you are having fun. The benefits are evident.

100th Day of School Activity

We recently had our 100th day of school and the staff decided to have all our students participate in academic activities related to the number 100. All students were parred up with another student and went from room to room completing the activities. Many of the high school and middle school students were paired with the 'kinder' and first grade classes.

Here the students are working on math related topics.



Here students were asked to do research or what important historical events took place o hundred years before they were born.

Here Byron and Shianna are helping the younger students build their Fruit Loop necklaces.



REACH Academy

"Resources for Educating
Alaska's Children at Home"



March 2016

Important Dates

March 14 th - March 18 th	Spring Break- Office Closed
March 15 th	RSVP for Valdez Trip
March 15 th	"Name the Ferry" Contest Deadline
March 23 rd	FAFSA Assistance
April 15 th	ATA Scholarship Application Deadline

Valdez Trip Update

We will leave Tok on Monday, May 16th and return on Friday, May 20th.

- Tuesday, May 17th - Columbia Glacier Cruise.
- Wednesday, May 18th - boat/kayak trip to Shoup Glacier.
- Other fun activities TBA

The trip will cost \$100 per person. This includes meals, lodging, and all scheduled activities.

Please let us know by **March 15th** if you are interested in going on this exciting trip!



Don't Forget!

REACH Academy students can attend REACH Academy P.E. time every Wednesday from 12:37PM - 1:21PM in the Tok School gymnasium.



Battle of the Books

Congratulations Kaleb and Trey!

Congratulations to Kaleb and Trey Aschenbeck on their incredible Battle of the Books performance!

The team of two competed in the Middle School division at the District Level Battle of the Books Competition and won! They continued on to deliver another great performance at the State Level Battle of the Books Competition. Great job guys!



Open House at Tok School

March 7th, 2016

6:00PM - 7:15PM

Come and meet the candidates for Superintendent!



FAFSA Assistance

Daisy Henry from UAF will be assisting seniors and their parents with the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at Tok School from 12:00PM - 2:00PM and at UAF Tok Center from 7:00PM - 7:00PM on Wednesday, March 23rd.



John Zabielski Memorial Scholarship

Presented by Tok Shooters Association

The Tok Shooters Association presents the \$1,000 John Zabielski Memorial Scholarship. Application deadline is May 1st, 2016.

“Tok Shooters Association is looking for a student who is successful in life, who has developed a strong sense of discipline, an ability to lead and motivate others, and possess a well-rounded character. They must be selfless of their time and talent to others. These are some of the characteristics of John Zabielski.”

See the full letter on page 6 for more information. Email jbrady@agsd.us or lstone@agsd.us for an application.



2016 ATA Scholarship

The deadline for submission is **April 15, 2016**. Applicants must be;

- Sponsored by an Active or Associate Member of Alaska Telephone Association.
- Have been a resident of Alaska for not less than four (4) years, or have attended school in Alaska for at least two (2) years.
- Have demonstrated success in an academic or vocational field.
- Plan to attend an accredited post secondary school or training program for at least one year.

Scholarship applications may be completed online:

www.alaskatelephone.org. Paper applications are available by request. Any questions can be directed to Shari Showalter at showalter@alaskatel.org or by phone at [907-563-4000](tel:907-563-4000).



SCA Summer Programs

SCA offers incredible experiences for Alaska high school students!

The Student Conservation Association (SCA) is recruiting students age 15-19 for summer trail work and environmental restoration projects. Students from all over Alaska convene to camp out, build trails, cookout, and share work and life skills with each other. Two adult crew leaders supervise teams of eight crewmembers. Students are given a \$500 stipend at the successful completion of their four weeks of service. Outdoor gear and food is provided. Need-based transportation stipends are available to Anchorage, where crews will launch.

Summer start dates begin in June and July. Some students will be invited to a weekend orientation near Anchorage this spring. To apply, students must visit www.thesca.org/akcrew and complete a Youth: Crew application. Applications submitted prior to March 1 will be given priority for the spring orientation. After that, crewmember openings are open until filled.



Athabaskan Mask Art Project

Mercedes Brady is interested in working on an art project with REACH Academy students. She would like to coordinate a project that would include researching Athabaskan masks and culture and then creating Athabaskan masks. The completed masks would be hung in Tok School as a permanent art feature. Mercedes has organized similar projects in other places and it proved to be a very unique and fulfilling experience for all involved. Students would work on this project in the REACH Academy office on Wednesday afternoons for a few weeks.

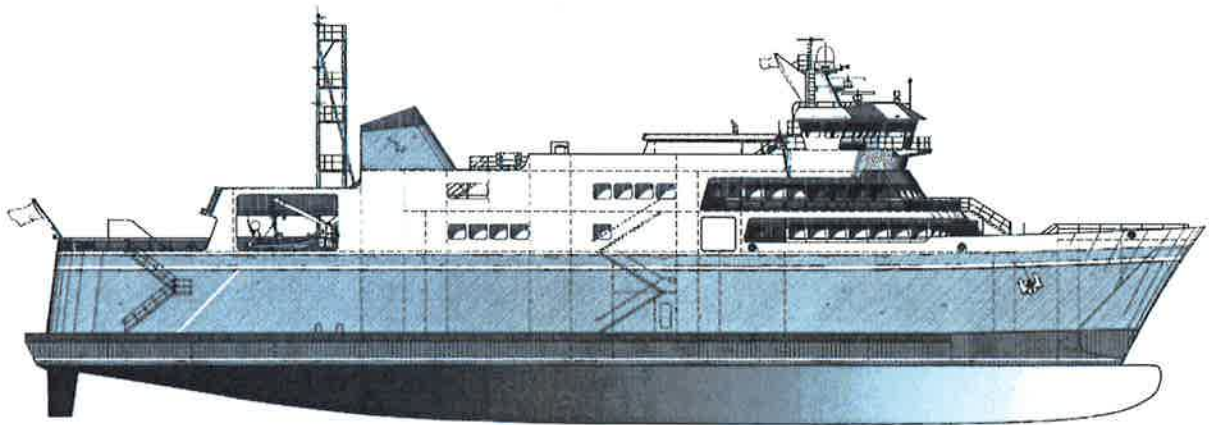
Please let us know if you have an interest in such a project.

NAME THE FERRY

ALASKA CLASS FERRY PROJECT

Play a part in making state history by naming one of the new Alaska Class Ferries.

The winner will be awarded special recognition by Governor Walker and Lt. Governor Mallott!



Entries due March 15th, 2016

The Department of Transportation & Public Facilities, in cooperation with the Office of Governor Walker and the Alaska Marine Highway System (AMHS), invite you to participate in the Name the Ferry essay contest. Each AMHS vessel has been named after one of 745 named glaciers in the state, leaving several choices to author a qualifying essay for entry in the contest. Participants must be in the 6th through 12th grade and complete an essay with a minimum of 400 words, that includes a suggested name with supporting evidence about why that name is most appropriate. Two winners will be awarded: one winner will come from grades 6-8 and one from grades 9-12. Each winning essay will be displayed on the ferry it names! For full details on the contest, please visit FerryAlaska.com/contest.





PO Box 134 Tok, Alaska 99780

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Name of Scholarship: John Zabielski Memorial Scholarship

Award Amount: \$1000

Eligibility requirements:

Be graduating high school this year, within the boundaries of the Alaska Gateway School District.

Student must be pursuing a career in Wildlife-related science, such as biology, botany, natural resources, etc. or a career based on Alaskan life styles.

Must be enrolling in any accredited four year college or university, or a two-year campus which is part of a larger system, or an accredited technical school.

Work history will be considered.

Extra-curricular activities will be considered.

In the event the recipient decides not to further his/her education, the Selection Committee will also name an alternate.

Preferences will be given to applicants whose parent/guardian have been and are currently members of Tok Shooters Association.

Scholarship funds will be mailed to the institution of higher education where recipient has enrolled.

Students may get more information via email Burnham.eric@gmail.com

MLV NEWS

"The job of an educator is to teach students to see the vitality in themselves." -- Joseph Campbell

Activities

February has come and gone.
Spring is here!



Matthew and Devin show off their model car with decals.



Ninety fry bread pieces for fund raiser. MLV staff rocks!

PLC meeting 3/3

Discussion included: Review of new school hats, classified jackets and hoodies.
Graduation date was set.
Thousand dollar raffle tickets were made to be handed out.



K-6 students celebrate Doctor Seuss Green Eggs and Ham

February - a busy month. Students are spending more time outdoors. Mentasta School hosted 3 on 3 and a good time was had by visiting schools. Mr. Roach's class is busy building gun racks, in science students are learning about ecosystems. In careers, students are working on their interview/employability projects and in math students are learning about operations of scientific notation.

In Mrs. Luciens class students are starting a unit on all the parts of their bodies. Students are planting flowers for Mothers Day. In LA students are working on sentences and paragraphs and self editing.

Staff K-12, using MAP data, have developed new strategies to reteach editing skills. Students will be tested on Wednesday and Friday, the other three days new strategies such as Peer editing with highlighters, student lead editing from smart board, editing challenges, read alouds, online editing games, teacher modeling and students working from a editing list. The goal is to provide students with more editing tools/ strategies.

**To: Regional School Board Members
Alaska Gateway School District**

March 21, 2016

From: Superintendent

Correspondence/Miscellaneous

ISSUE

- **Correspondence/Miscellaneous**

BACKGROUND

- 1. Tok School Advisory School Board Minutes**
- 2. Department of Transportation Response**
- 3. Alaska Measures of Progress**

Unofficial Minutes

Tok Advisory School Board

Wednesday, February 17, 2016

Location: Tok School Library

CALL TO ORDER

*Meeting called to order at 5:19pm

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIENCE

ROLL CALL

*Members present: Kristie Charlie, Amy Crozier, Frank Cook, Juanita Wilson, and Candice Jacobs

*Members absent: None

*Guests: Dawn Buffum, Shauna Lee

HEARING OF VISITORS

*Dawn Buffum representing the upper Elementary school teachers. They submitted a 2nd choice calendar. The difference between this year and last year is that they took one of the in-services days in September (known as hunting days) to limit the amount of interruptions to the start of the school year when students are just starting to get used to the routine of the school day. As the ASB has already given their recommendations for the 2016-2017 school calendar, they suggested that Ms Buffum submit the Elementary teachers recommendations to Mr. Poage.

ACTION ITEMS

Approval of Agenda

*Frank motioned to accept the agenda, Juanita seconded, motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

*Frank motioned to accept the minutes, Juanita seconded, motion carried. Jason Roslansky wanted it written in the notes that the notes done by Candice are very nice. Kristie moved for the addition to be put in the notes.

REPORTS

Athletic Director's Report

*Boys and girls basketball are both having a good season. Both teams finished in 2nd at the RFM tournament this month. It was one of the best RFM tournaments in recent years. Regionals begin March 10-12th, 2016. Boys Basketball is doing a raffle fundraiser. They are raffling off a 4 day/5 night all-inclusive fishing trip in Sitka, Alaska.

*MS Volleyball is going well and the tournament is this weekend. Coach Watkins has her hands full but it really working on teaching the teach life lessons as well as volleyball.

*We have a number of kids interested in Track and Field but no coach. The word needs to be spread that Tok School is looking for a coach.

*Regional scheduling meeting went well and the schedule for next year is nearly set. Porter Creek would like to create a large tournament in Whitehorse with Tok School, Haines, Skagway, their three schools, plus some BC schools. The date that is being considered for this tournament is January 19, 2017.

Activity Fund Report

*Right now, there is \$102,000 in the activity account, up about \$16,000 from last year.

Principal Report

*Gearing up for Battle of the Books

*Ms Weisz is taking some 4th/5th graders to Anchorage for the NYO competition.

*Projected student numbers for next year is 168. This number would put Tok School's enrollment higher than it has been in several years.

*Kristie and Candice helped with the hiring committee for two SPED aides. Rebecca Watkins and Valerie Nelson were hired.

*Spelling Bee is Tuesday, February 23rd.

*Hockey is headed off to Healy and Fairbanks this weekend.

Student Council Report

*Homecoming was a big event this year. The pep rally and dance were both successful, with the dance bringing in over \$400.

*Will be doing a GPA party for 3rd quarter

*A middle school formal dance/social is being discussed

*Looking for fundraising opportunities

USE OF SCHOOL FACILITIES AND GROUNDS

Local Emergency Preparedness Committee

*March 9th, 2016 from 6:30pm-9:30pm.

OLD BUSINESS

New Van Purchase

*We are still looking for a van to purchase.

Student Award and Recognition

*There are approx. 45 4-12th grade students who qualify for Honor Roll and/or Attendance. It was decided that we will do a pizza party at Fast Eddy's with 12 pizzas, drinks, movie and an ice cream bar. We will also hand out certificates.

*Stellar Tok Wolverines poster and program is working to recognize individuality more than focusing on academics. K-12th grade teachers are welcome to nominate any student they wish. Students will get a certificate, along with their picture and name on the poster. Once a quarter, these students will be recognized at a pep rally, and their names will be entered in to a drawing to win a \$100 cash prize.

ASB visits to the classroom update

*So far, Frank Cook is the only ASB member that has made it in to the school to visit the classrooms. Frank stated that he had fun and the school looks good. He visited the preschool class, a social studies class, and a shop class.

2016-2017 school calendar input and suggestions to the Superintendent

*This item has already been addressed

Student of the Month update

*This item has already been addressed

NEW BUSINESS

Junior NYO to Anchorage

*Trip is covered by PEP grant

*Amy motioned to approve trip, Candice seconded, motion carried.

Inform ASB of their assurances for Indian Policies and Procedures

*Tok School receives Impact Aid funding

Summer Maintenance

*Tok School comprises a list of jobs to be completed around the school over the summer. Some of these items are things that continuously need to be worked on and the other items get submitted by teachers and staff. This list also includes a wish list of items.

*ASB recommended that we add replace bathroom stalls to the list of summer maintenance.

Currently no coach for Track and Field

*Track and Field is supposed to start on March 1st, 2016 and Tok School does not have a coach. Tok School will advertise for a coach; however, if no one applies, Tok will be unable to have a team.

ASB Volunteer at Basketball Regionals

*There is an opportunity for ASB members to volunteer for basketball regionals. If interested, let Jonathan or Marla Alsup know and they can assign members to a job.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

Student Handbook

ASB Visits

Teacher Appreciation
Extracurricular Contracts

FUTURE AGENDA DATE
March 23, 2016 at 5:15pm

ADJOURNMENT
Frank motioned to adjourn, Amy seconded, motion carried at 6:20pm.



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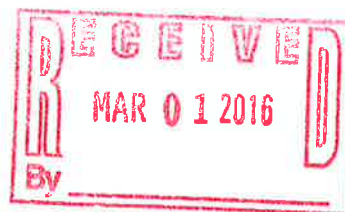
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February 22, 2016

Superintendent Todd Poage
Alaska Gateway School District
P.O. Box 226
Tok, Alaska 99780



Dear Superintendent Poage:

Thank you for your letter dated January 22 to Governor Bill Walker referencing the proposed closure of the Northway Maintenance Station. He has asked that I respond on his behalf. I want to assure you these decisions are not made lightly and we understand that these reductions will impact communities.

As you are aware, all state agencies are working with reduced operating budgets due to low oil prices. Maintenance activities performed by the Department of Transportation & Public Facilities (DOT&PF) are funded by the Unrestricted General Fund budget, not by federal funds, so reductions to the state budget directly impact maintenance. Of DOT&PF's Unrestricted General Budget, 96 percent goes toward direct maintenance services and four percent goes to support services. When we reduce the budget, maintenance activities are reduced.

During the fiscal year 2016, DOT&PF's General Fund budget was reduced by 12.5% (\$34.6 million). The department did its best to minimize the impacts to direct services. At this point, there is no cushion left to absorb cuts. Significant budget reductions in the fiscal year 2017 and beyond will impact the services that DOT&PF provides.

The Alaska Highway, and all roads maintained by the Northway Maintenance Station, will remain open. The impacts to travelers will be the speed of response by DOT&PF staff after major storms. Day-to-day activities will not be significantly affected.

Alaskans are feeling the impact of budget reductions, but I assure you that we are working hard to minimize the impacts as much as possible. DOT&PF is committed to doing the best job possible with the resources provided to keep Alaska's infrastructure safe.

Sincerely,

Marc Luiken
Commissioner

cc: The Honorable Bill Walker, Governor
David Miller, Northern Region Director, DOT&PF
Meadow Bailey, Northern Region Public Information Officer, DOT&PF

Helping Hands Food Bank
Tok, Alaska 99780
Tuesday, February 16, 2016

Dear Friends and Supporters of the Alaska Gateway School District,

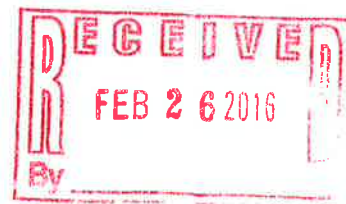
At our last board meeting our members acknowledged that our shelves are emptying rather rapidly at this time of year when we are having more clients visit us than ever. We got to brainstorming and came up with some ideas that would not be a big burden to any one group.

At Easter/Spring time (April-May) there will be a canned food drive. In May and through late Fall we plan to have a "Helping Hand" money donation, which was very successful last year. In November and December we will have our usual Christmas tree at Three Bears hung with paper turkeys to attach to a frozen turkey to donate for the holidays. In January and February we will have a boxed food drive. In March and April, as the weather gets warmer, there will be a Scavenger Hunt, planned by the food bank, teams recruited from among school students. There will be no prizes for any of the activities, but "winners" will be acknowledged. And remember that you will benefit from a "job well done". The food and any monies collected will be used only for clients.

Some of these things are activities that can be accomplished by individuals and others can be accomplished by groups. In any case, it should bring fun and a sense of helpfulness to any person or group that wishes to participate. We will not be asking any one person or group to join in to these activities. But please keep the activities in mind and let anyone at the food bank know of your willingness to participate. You will be SO appreciated. Reminders will be placed in the *Mukluk News* and on bulletin boards around town.

People to contact: Troy Abel (883-2235), Vanessa Thompson (940-5558), Cheryl Hosken (883-5552), James Burnham (940-0000), Carol Schledewitz (505-9005), Jan Williams (940-7772), and Amanda Smith – our NEWEST MEMBER! – (505-0799). Please think about these ideas and let us know what might interest you as soon as possible. Thank you!

Submitted by the Helping Hands Food Bank Board



Alaska Measures of Progress (AMP) 2016

Where Are We Now & Where Are We Going



Spring 2016

This spring will be the second time Alaskan students take the Alaska Measures of Progress (AMP) assessment. Each spring schools give the state assessment to students in grades 3 – 10. This test gives students the opportunity to show their understanding of important skills in English language arts and math at their grade level.

It is important for students to participate in the spring test in order to provide them, their parents, and their teachers with information about their learning. AMP scores, local tests, grades, and classroom projects combine to provide a full picture of a student's knowledge and skills. This information is used by schools as part of their preparation to provide instruction that meets students' needs. Taking the AMP assessment also provides students with experiences with the types of questions that measure the complex skills included in Alaska's standards.



Next

Revised AMP reports for 2016 will include more detailed information on ELA and mathematics topic areas. The student reports will also include two years of AMP results.

Alaska is seeking alternatives to our current assessment for the 2016-2017 school year and beyond. This new assessment will also measure the Alaska English Language Arts and Math Standards. It will build on the two years of student learning information provided by AMP and be an important next step in Alaska's work to prepare students for opportunities after high school graduation.

More information about AMP can be found at education.alaska.gov/akassessments/#c3gtabs-amp



Alaska Measures of Progress (AMP) 2016

Why should my child take AMP?

What is my child tested on in the spring?

Each spring schools give the state assessment to students in grades 3 – 10. This test gives students the opportunity to show their understanding of important skills in English language arts and math at their grade level.

Does my child have to take the standardized test?

Schools are required to test all students in order to provide information to parents, teachers, and districts about the learning of each student as well as the performance of the school and district. Parents have the right to make educational decisions for their child; please check with your district for the local procedure for documenting non-participation.

I heard AMP was not the state test anymore. Is this true?

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If it is not going to be the test anymore, why should my child take it this year?

This spring will be the second time Alaskan students take the Alaska Measures of Progress (AMP) assessment. You and your child's teachers will be able to compare your child's score last year with their score this year. AMP scores, local tests, grades, and classroom projects combine to provide a full picture of a student's knowledge and skills. This information is used by schools as part of their preparation to provide instruction that meets your child's academic needs.

Taking the AMP assessment this spring also provides your child with an opportunity to experience the types of questions that measure the complex skills included in Alaska's standards.

What has been done to fix the problems with AMP for this spring?

The main problem with the AMP test in 2015 was the lack of information on the reports. Revised AMP reports for 2016 will include more detailed information on ELA and mathematics topic areas, such as "operations and algebraic thinking" in math and "word meanings" in language arts. Student reports will also include two years of AMP results.

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