Igiugig News & Notes

Igiugig Village Council

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LSAC by Sandra Alvarez

The March meeting was held on the 18th. Two students gave reports, AlexAnna gave highlights of her time in Anchorage for the Spelling Bee and Ida related interesting things from the recent Academic Athletic meet in Kokhanok, including how to make a fire without matches or a lighter.

Bernie Gurule was unable to attend in person, but he forwarded a letter mentioning a number of things, one item of interest is, the library is open to anyone that wishes to use it. The second item for community input was the 1999-2000 school year calendar, which needs to be selected at the next meeting. Look for a copy of it in your mail soon and be sure to comment on the Christmas vacation that you prefer.

We are putting in summer maintenance requests, one of them being a set of outside stairs to make everyone able to use the upstairs of the school building. Also noted on that subject was anyone interested in applying for a job with the summer maintenance is requested to contact Rod Pruitt at the District Office.

Graduation day has been re-scheduled to May 13th and the speaker will be Mike Roberts, from Newhalen.

Yearbook sales orders will begin soon, so look forward to a student contacting you about how many copies you wish to reserve

Upcoming activities include a Book Fair in April and another play by the students.

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Village Council Meeting by Sandra Alvarez

The regular meeting of the Igiugig Village Council was held on March 17, 1999. Business items of note were:

- approval of the FY2000 application for the Suicide Prevention Program
- approval of Randy Alvarez's application for vocational training
- discussion about BBAHC's plan to cut CHA positions to half time
- military deployment of the "Arctic Care" project to provide health care

services

- charter membership in the Lake Area "Nilevena" Consortium
- report on hunting regulation changes by the Board of Game; longer caribou season, earlier bear season, later moose season and spring hunting for otter.

If you are interested in more information on any of these things contact the village office.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for April 21, 1999.

Birthdays this month

- April 1
 Heidi Jacobsen
- April 14
 Renae Zackar
- April 23
 Mike Andrew, Sr.
- April 27
 Randy Alvarez



There is another pot of disaster money available.

Call 1-888-388-3473 to apply by April 20, 1999.

They will take necessary information over the telephone.

See the flyer posted at the Post Office for more information.

Notice To All Residents by Sandra Alvarez

There are a number of systems in the village that we all depend on like the water, sewer and electricity. Whenever you notice something that is strange like water not running properly or power fluctuations please let someone know right away.

It is very expensive to repair problems and takes a long time to get parts sent out to the village, so the sooner we can catch a problem the more money we save.

Please be a good citizen and report problems to the ap-

propriate people:

Electric – Dan or Michael Water/Sewer – Dan or Jake School – Bonnie or Jeff Fuel storage tanks – Dan Propane storage – Dan Airport – Dan

Just A Reminder by Christina Salmon, EPA Trainee

All aluminum materials, tinfoil, pop cans, etc. should be rinsed out and saved for recycling. The state electricity rates are going up and the money that is made from the recycled aluminum will help off set the expenses for the RecHall electricity. Place your tightly closed bags

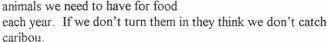
of aluminum in the white building by the dump. It would also be helpful if your pop cans were crushed before being placed in the building. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated from the Village Council...it is our Native tradition to respect the land, let Igiugig be an example in this effort.

Caribou Tags by Sandra Alvarez

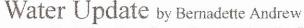
If this doesn't look familiar, you are either NOT a

hunter or you need to get your caribou tags. They are free to any Alaska resident that has a hunting license and Sandy has them at the office.

By turning in these tags reporting the caribou you caught, Fish & Game know how many animals we need to have for food



Stop by the office and pick up your tag from Sandy.



The Village Council recently sent Father Wassily Askoak and Jake Jacobsen to water operator training. To be in line with state regulations, we will soon be chlorinating our village water supply. You may notice a slight chlorine smell in your water in the near future, but it is not harmful to you. If you have any questions, please stop by the office.



Insuring Alaska's Children and Int Future

269-6529 (In Anchorage) / 1-888-318-8890 (Outside Anchorage) Visit our website: www.hss.state.ak.us/dma/denali.htm

State of Alaska, Department of Health and Social Services

Insurance for Kids by Sandra Alvarez

This is a new program through the State of Alaska that is aimed at making sure that all children have health insurance. It looks like very good insurance. Eligibility is based on your Denali Kid Care P.O. Box 240047, Anchorage, Alaska 99524-0047 income level. There is a copy of the income criteria and copies of the application available at the Village Council Office.

Arctic Care by Sandra Alvarez

The military is providing health services to villages in the Bristol Bay Region. For those of us in the Lake area, they will be sending a veterinarian to every village to dog care and shots, including rabies, parvo and de-worming. Dental services will be available in two villages, Nondalton and Kokhanok. People from surrounding villages are welcome to go to those villages and also receive care.

Igiugig Veterinarian = March 29-30 Dental in Kokhanok = March 27 - April 1

Loose Dogs Roaming Around by Bernadette Andrew

Do you know where your dog is? There have been a lot of dogs running loose in the village lately. These dogs annoy everyone and cause the dogs that are home to bark continuously. We also are trying to prevent anyone from getting mauled by dogs. REMEMBER that Village Council Policy is that ALL dogs are to be kept on the owner's property, either tied, fenced, or otherwise restrained. Pets other than dogs are also not allowed to roam the village. If you would like a copy of the Animal Control ordinance, please stop by the Council office. Thank you for your efforts in helping to make Igiugig a safe place for all of us.

AVT Training Funds by Bernadette Andrew

The Village Council has training funds available for natives who are tribally enrolled in Igiugig and also reside in our service area. This is a once in a lifetime offer. It will pay for training costs, travel to the training center, lodging while at training, transportation, etc. The purpose of this training is to train an individual so that he/she can obtain meaningful employment. If you are interested in applying for this, stop by the village council office for more information.

Igiugig School Book Fair by Bonnie Thurston

Igiugig School will be sponsoring a book fair the second week in April. Once again we are working with Cook Inlet Books who will provide all the merchandise for our sale. All proceeds go to the Student Activity Fund. Look for the notices for the exact dates as it gets closer. Also, if you were a member of the 1998 Summer Reading Club, remember to locate your \$5.00 gift certificate and redeem it at the Book Fair.

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63 Elderly ones 64 Disturbance

65 Peddle

66 Bluish green

67 Foreigner

68 Airport

69 Sea eagle

70 Incline

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25 Singer/dancer Irene

26 Baltic Sea feeder

27 An Anderson

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29 Eastern continent

32 Ancient kingdom

33 Here (sp)

35 Biographer Ludwig

36 Dig for ore

37 Spin or road end

39 Alcholic beverage (with gin)

44 Braid

47 Return part of

payment

49 Academe

50 Rope

51 Go in

52 Fail to start

53 as a whistle

54 Ruffle, unsettle

Makes something mature

58 Printing term