

# Igiugig News & Notes

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## Fourth Of July in Igiugig by Christina Salmon

To celebrate our Fourth of July we had a dinner picnic up at the beach. More people then we had expected arrived and it was a blast. We had about 50 people there including visitors from the Kvichak Cabin, the Igiugig Boarding House, and Fish and Game. Every body brought food and drinks while Mike Andrew Sr. played his accordion. The weather was beautiful, and for a change, there were not many mosquitoes to bother us.

All of the little kids enjoyed swimming in the freezing water while the adults were entertained by taking

pictures of them. Many people had brought fireworks, but since the sun was still going strong into the evening the fireworks had to wait until after 11:00 PM.

We had several different types of foods brought to the dinner. Fresh caught salmon was cooked over a fire along with hotdogs, chicken strips, and moose meat. We also had a variety of chocolates, cookies, breads, and beverages.

Hopefully the weather will be nice again next year and we will have another dinner.

## SRC 1999 by Bernadette Andrew

The Summer Reading Club is going at full speed. Our 27 participants, as of July 26, have read 697 books with 48,642 pages! We are ahead of last year by 120 books! What an awesome group of readers!

Leading in the most books category are:

0 to 4	Shaun Andrew	200
5 to 8	Jeremy Salmon	87
9 to 18	Jon Salmon	46

19 & ↑ Lydia Olympic 9

Leading in the most pages category are:

0 to 4	Shaun Andrew	6056
5 to 8	Jeremy Salmon	3038
9 to 18	Jon Salmon	8434
19 & ↑	Lydia Olympic	3970

We will meet every Monday from 10:30 to 11:45 am through August 30th!

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### Birthdays this month

- August 4  
Dan Salmon
- August 13  
Bernadette Andrew
- August 17  
Jake Jacobsen

## ENVIRONMENTAL TIPS OF THE MONTH

### PROBLEM

Organic waste attracts pests (animals and insects) while creating ODORS as it decomposes producing gases and settles. Decomposition slows if compacted, covered, or dried and too dense.

### TIPS FOR A SOLUTION

**REDUCE** – Avoid over harvesting, cooking, or buying more food than can be consumed before spoiling.

**REUSE** – Feed food scraps to pets.

**RECYCLE** – Compost to return nutrients to soil. Use compost for local gardens, to refresh, restore disturbed areas, as fill, as landfill cover.

## Plastic Bag Recycling Takes Off by Christina Salmon

July was the first month Sayak's Lavguq started billing people for a plastic bag, or giving them a five cent discount for bringing their own for groceries. This month Delores Askoak, Murphy Nickoli, Renae Zackar, Bernadette Andrew,

and Anecia Olympic all brought back bags to the store. Their cooperation is appreciated and we hope more begin to return their bags to the store also to help reduce plastic consumption in Igiugig.

## New York by Tanya Salmon

This summer was an exciting summer, AlexAnna and I got to go to New York! I was so thrilled that I couldn't go to sleep the night that were going to go. I got up at seven and I was all ready. The plane picked us up at eleven and we were brought to Iliamna and then, we bought plane tickets from Era. I don't know what time we left. We went to Anchorage and got our tickets, we had to wait the longest time, seven hours in Anchorage! After that, we boarded the plane, and we spent the night on the plane, I got about one hour or two of sleep. We made it to Detroit at six thirty, and we had to stay at Kids Corner until we had to descend. We left around eight and we made it to New York around nine. I was so pumped that I couldn't sleep.

The first day that we were there, we went shopping for a bathing suite for Alex, and it took one hour to find one that suited her. We went to my Grams sister's house, Doris, and we swam in her pool. The first few days, seemed like we had been there for weeks. On the Fourth of July, we went to get our teeth checked, and then, we went to the parade. It was so hot, that I got a light sun burn on my arms and Alex got here face frizzled by the sun so it was red. We spent most of Fourth of July at Aunt Suzy's and Uncle Tom's. We watched the fire works, they are nothing like here. They light up the whole sky. It was so cool. When we went home, the traffic was terrible. It took us half an hour to get home.

Then, we went to Darien Lake, a Six Flags theme park with

my Uncle Bobby and his wife, three kids, Aunt Beverly and a friend on Sunday. It was a blast! We went on roller coaster rides and it was so much fun. On July 15, my Uncle Matt picked us up and brought us to a ball game. The Rochester Red Wings against this other team. The Red Wings won. Then, he brought us to a Laser light show. The water fall would change colors and lasers would go through them. Then we saw the show, where they had laser people dancing, it was awesome. On the 16<sup>th</sup>, we went to another parade with Aunt Suzy. After the parade, we went to the carnival. We went on the rides, they were so much fun, especially the Ring of Fire. That ride is there is big circle. You go around in circles and then, they hold you upside down for the longest time.

July 19<sup>th</sup>, we went to shop at Barnes and Nobles. I got a few books. Then, we went to see our cousins, Stephanie and Katherine. We played in the basement and we scared Stephanie. Then we went home and played there.

We did lots of stuff, like I took horse riding lessons which I enjoyed very much. Amazing, I never fell off. I didn't really like going when it was hot outside because it is just too hot to ride. We also went to the zoo and spent the night at Becky's, and Greg's house. We played with there nine and thirteen year old kids. And for the first time I saw Furbies. They are so annoying that they won't be quiet.

I really enjoyed my visit in New York and I would like to go back next summer or this Christmas.

# Famous Athletes

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Michael Jordan  
 Michael Johnson  
 Kristi Yamaguchi  
 Tiger Woods  
 Scottie Pippen  
 John Daly  
 Grant Hill  
 Roy Aikman  
 Tim Lincecum  
 Magic Johnson  
 Jeff Graf  
 Martina Hingis  
 Chris Evert  
 Kimiko Date  
 Mike Tyson  
 Sugar Ray Leonard  
 Muhammad Ali  
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The "Crazy Woman Driver" says, "Get out of my way!"

## My Summer Vacation by AlexAnna Salmon

July 1, 1999, Tanya and I left for Penfield, New York. We arrived in Rochester the morning of July 2<sup>nd</sup>. My gram and Uncle Tommy met us at the airport. I was happy to be done flying for a while.

The weather was extremely hot, in the mid nineties. So, we went to my gram's house, then left to the mall to buy a bathing suit for me. An hour later we were in my Aunt Doris's pool. The water was 88 degrees and felt like a steam bath. Later that night we saw my Uncle Bobby and he took us swimming again. At this pool the water was 82 degrees, and when we got done swimming, my cousins were shivering! They would get hypothermia putting their toes in Lake Iliamna!

The next day we bought a Fourth of July outfit, and went swimming. My Aunt Susie came and saw us that night. On Fourth of July, I went to the dentist and found out I needed a root canal. We went to the parade, and it was like 96 degrees out, and all the marchers were dressed up in long sleeved suits and hats. After the parade we went to my Aunt Susie's and Uncle Tommy's for the party. That night we watched the firecrackers. That was an awesome sight. The firecrackers were loud and colorful, and it was pitch black outside. Tanya took

horse riding lessons, and rode an ugly and stink horse named Brandon, but she loved riding.

While we were in New York, we bought our school clothes, went to the planetarium and saw a video about Mount Everest, visited with our cousins, went to Darien Lake, a six flags national theme park, where I rode the Superman roller coaster after devouring five ice cream bars. We had an awesome camp-out with my cousins, went to Frontier field and watched the Redwings, and Red Barons play baseball and the Rochester Redwings won. We also went to the Webster Parade and a carnival. I had a painless root canal, saw a concert, spent the night over at my cousins Brian and Pam, went to the zoo, and enjoyed an extra last day in New York because our plane was delayed. If I told you everything I did in New York, I'd have to write a book.

I had a great three weeks in New York. It was hard to leave this paradise, and come home to very cold weather, but I was happy to see my family. I had my share of flying until next year, when I hope I get to go back to the life suited for me!