

## **MKEA “Highlighting”**

April 10, 2018

### **JJSS**

JJSS in Crooked Creek has finished making up our days. Students are involved in filling out Excel applications, learning how to use testing tools and preparing for the Decathlon. We had a BB tournament on the 16th and 17th that went very well. Our school hosted the Skiku group and fun was had by all. All repairs are holding. We have heat, hot water, working vehicles and a sewer system again. The ice road has been re-plowed and is open from Crooked Creek to Bethel again.

### **AMNES**

AMNES started PEAKS testing and the students are working hard on doing their best. Our annual Iditaread party was a success with about 40 students attending a luncheon and an afternoon of sledding as a reward for completing 1049 minutes of reading. Ms. Boynton's escorted a group of kids into Anchorage for the state science fair and it was a success. The annual Aniak's Got Talent show hosted by Judy Hagar was on March 30<sup>th</sup> with a lot of great talent.

### **AJSHS**

Aniak Jr/Sr High School Yearbook Announcement:

The yearbook is coming along nicely and will be completed this week. Camden and Alfreda have been wonderful students working on completing the yearbook and taking all photos. We even have 2 custom pages for students to add a personalized touch to their own yearbook. With the custom pages, the students have begun adding photos and memory comments on the two pages that will be in their own yearbook. Parents can log into the accounts each student has made or go to [treering.com/validate](http://treering.com/validate) and use the school code: 1015170933243630 to purchase the yearbooks and create their own custom pages. The deadline for purchasing yearbooks is April 9th for a deliver before graduation, a flyer will be going home with students this week.

### **JESS**

Where did March go?! We kicked off the month by enjoying a visit from the Skiku coaches. They were able to stay a little longer than planned due to plane problems. Students enjoyed both long skis out on the river and plenty of games.

The following week Tatiana Stern-Morgan completed her Math Science Expedition Challenge Project. Tatiana worked on her project from mid-October and finished it at the beginning of March with the help of Doug Molyneaux. Tatiana then was interviewed and received an award for all of her hard work. She is the first person from Sleetmute to ever complete the challenge.

We enjoyed a lovely week of Spring Break and came back and kicked off the week with another Distance Learning session with the Alaska Sealife Center and students learned all about food chains in Alaska's oceans.

Our Strings Orchestra is travelling down to Aniak for the Talent Show to represent Sleetmute and to show off all the hard work that they have put in this year learning the violins, cellos, and drums.

Finally, we are still full steam ahead planning and preparing for our Colorado/Yellowstone/ Idaho Trip in May. We held our parent meeting on Monday March 26. We discussed our itinerary, travel plans, and waivers. Only 5 weeks until take off, the students are counting down.

