

Upriver Schools Board Report  
Steven Porter – Principal  
3 December 2018

K-12 Attendance (As of 3 December 2018)

CVSS: 25      JJSS: 19      JESS: 18      GMS: 13

The major story for the upriver schools is that we've been trying to hold our annual Science Fair but have now postponed 3 times. The fourth time, next week, might be a charm. The problems have been the same, mostly weather holds. Today, though, RAVN's planes were in need of repair so were not available for charter.

GMS in Stony has had five school closures due to furnace issues and diesel fuel spills, but have already made up three of the days.

JESS has only 2 ½ weeks to go until Sheree Smith returns from her maternity leave. Angela Hayden has done a remarkable job running the school this semester, but I know she will welcome Sheree's return!

The staff at CVSS are teaching dance to the students. Marie Sakar and company are doing this as part of a cultural class time after roll call. Joanne Sakar has been teaching students different songs that she hopes to have them performing to the village soon.

This quarter and semester are close to being over. I have spent the bulk of my time in CKD with the secondary students. It has been worthwhile as I so thoroughly enjoy working with the students, but I do miss the students from the other three schools as well as the staff at each school. I sure thank them for handling this situation of being shorthanded this semester.

We are all set up for Toys for Tots for all the upriver schools. Hopefully all toys are received before the school ends for winter break. If not, there will be Slavik celebration when we return!

Other than that, it's been a quiet month with a nice restful break over the Thanksgiving holiday.

From all of us upriver, we wish everyone a Happy Holiday Season!

Steve Porter  
Upriver Principal, KSD

Minutes for Sleetmute SAC Meeting  
Tuesday, October 2, 2018, 4:30 PM

1. Welcome
2. Call to order/Roll Call  
  
Present: Bertha Yako (Chair), Agnes Sanford (Vice Chair), Alfreda Gregory (Student Body President), Honey Andreanoff (Student Body Vice President), Angela Hayden  
  
Absent: Andrea John
3. Minutes—skipped the reading of old minutes because it was from last year.
4. Principal and Staff Reports: Angela Hayden reported about the new School Counselor Sharon Lemmert, First weeks of school, Cross Country, Doug Molyneaux-MSE Challenge/Simulation.
5. New business
  - a. SAC Board Policy—skipped because all in attendance were familiar with policy.
  - b. Officers—Chair (Bertha Yako), Vice Chair (Agnes Sanford), Secretary (vacant)  
  
Discussion followed about how to recruit more parent involvement and increase attendance for SAC meetings. Agnes suggested posting a sign at the community building to recruit.
  - c. Gym Nights—Rules were reviewed and revised and scheduled for Wednesdays 4:30-6:30PM. Rules are attached below.
  - d. STEPP goals—Discussion followed about what areas need improvement. Agnes suggested reading be a focus since many of our students seem to be struggling with their reading abilities. We discussed possibly doing family reading nights and Alfreda suggested she could help do some tutoring during the school day to help with the little ones.
  - e. Community Events/ fundraisers:  
  
Picnic in the Park Friday, October 5, 6:00PM at the playground.  
  
Halloween Carnival planned for Friday, October 26 starting at 6:00PM. Discussion followed about games and food and a flyer will be posted.  
  
Community Basketball Tournament planned for November 2-3. Discussion followed about food and getting help from community members to run the event.
6. Public Participation: non-agenda items  
  
Bertha asked about the sale of the old school four wheeler. Angela said she'd talk to administration about the details and a sign will be posted.
7. Items for next agenda: Fundraisers and community events including a family reading night.
8. Next Meeting: Tuesday, November 6
9. Adjourn @ 5:14PM

## **GYM Night RULES**

- 1) Children under the age of 18, must be enrolled and in school all day to attend.
- 2) No ineligible students are allowed in the building for any reason (student store or showers) during gym night.
- 3) All schoolwork and homework must be done and turned in.
- 4) All play must be in the gym. No playing in hallway or bathrooms.
- 5) All balls, skates, and jump ropes must stay in the gym.
- 6) NO drugs or alcohol are allowed in the school.
- 7) You must be sober and drug free the day of gym.
- 8) NO fighting or rude behavior.
- 9) Help clean up and sweep. If gym and library are not clean, it will be closed the next Gym Night.
- 10) Follow all rules and listen to the Chaperones, or you will be asked to leave.
- 11) Anyone coming to gym night who is ineligible and tries to get in, or harasses kids, chaperones, or teachers, will be banned from the next four gym nights. If you break the rule a 2<sup>nd</sup> time, you will be excluded for the next 2 months.
- 12) Anyone breaking the above rules can be reported by anyone in attendance and they will be banned from the next four gym nights.

## **CHAPERONE RULES**

- 1) Chaperones must be 18 years or older, sober, and drug free the day of Gym.
- 2) Two chaperones must be present before opening the gym, and both will stay until it's over (one can be a teacher). If chaperone leaves the gym closes
- 3) One chaperone may be playing ball, while the other is supervising. Both may not play ball at one time.
- 4) Chaperones will make sure all doors to the outside are closed and locked at the end.
- 5) Chaperones must agree to oversee that all gym night rules are followed by all in attendance and will send home anyone not following them.
- 6) Chaperones will enlist others to help them clean the building (gym, hall, library, and bathrooms) and turn off all lights and water before they leave.
- 7) Teachers will spot check to see if the rules are being followed. If the chaperones are not doing their job, gym night will be closed.