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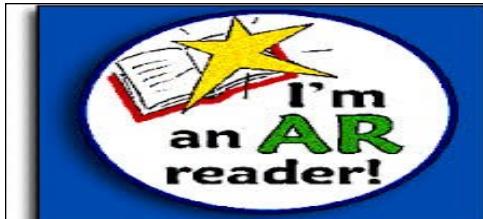
**Thursday 7:30 PM
Friday 6:00 PM
Saturday 10:30 AM
@
Unalaska**

**We 
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Librarian**

**KEEP
CALM
AND
ASK A
LIBRARIAN**

**Lady Eagle
Basketball**

**Thursday 7:00 PM
Friday 7:00 PM
Saturday 10:30 AM
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THE EAGLE EYE

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*From the
Principal's Pen*

Staff Spotlight

You may have heard the parable about the five seagulls sitting on a pier. If one decides to fly away, how many seagulls are left? The answer is five. Why five and not four. Because deciding is not doing. You have to act on your decision to make something happen.

Apollo 13 was one of the greatest triumphs of the NASA space program since the manned landing on the moon. Nobody remembers the successful and almost perfect launch. As a matter of fact the national television networks didn't even televise the launch because it had become routine. The event that caused the spacecraft to abort the mission is noteworthy, but what made the story memorable? What people remember is the extraordinary effort that never diminished until the astronauts splashed down in the Pacific Ocean. They had a 5% chance of making it to earth safely.

It's natural to be unmotivated when you are failing. Pick yourself up by your bootstraps because you are still well positioned for success... really!

This week's Staff Spotlight is on Melinda Johnson, the third grade long term sub. Sand Point School is very fortunate to have found someone willing to tackle this job. She has improved third grade classroom life immensely by staying on with us. Mrs. Johnson moved to Sand Point six months ago from Nelson Lagoon. She said although the move was hard she is happy her daughter, Felicia, is going to a good school and everyone in Sand Point has been friendly and welcoming. Melinda loves hiking the hills in Sand Point and traveling. If she could live anywhere else it would be Hawaii. She has no singular favorite student, they are all her favorite! She is a great addition to Sand Point School and we are glad to have her.



Picture this: Good readers form mental pictures as they read. To improve your child's comprehension, read a book without letting him see it. Then, ask him to guess what the illustrations look like. Examples: How are the characters dressed? Is the setting bright or gloomy?

Be there: Regular attendance in elementary school sets up good patterns for youngster's entire school career. Show your child that school comes first by trying to keep days off for illness and family emergencies. Also, schedule routine doctor appointments For after school or over school breaks.

March 14

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Answers to the Oscar Trivia Quiz on Page 6

1. Harold Larsen, a disabled WWI Veteran. The best supporting actor and special Oscar for bringing hope and courage to his fellow veterans.
2. Katharine Hepburn (1967 "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner" and 1968 "The Lion in Winter"), Jason Robards (1976 "All the President's Men" and 1977 "Julia") and Tom Hanks (1993 "Philadelphia" and 1994 "Forrest Gump") followed.
3. "Gone with the Wind" (1939) was awarded eight Academy Awards® including Best Picture, Best Actress (Vivien Leigh) and Best Director (David O. Selznick).
4. Linda Hunt, in 1983, as Best Supporting Actress for her role as photographer Billy Kwan in "The Year of Living Dangerously."
5. "A Streetcar Named Desire" (1951) and "Network" (1976). Kim Hunter won for Best Supporting Actress, Vivien Leigh for Best Actress, and Karl Malden won for Best Supporting Actor in "A Streetcar Named Desire." Marlon Brando was nominated for Best Actor for his role as Stanley Kowalski, but lost to Humphrey Bogart in "The African Queen."
6. "The Godfather" trilogy in 1972, 1974 and 1990, and "The Lord of the Rings" trilogy in 2001, 2002 and 2003.
7. Lionel Barrymore, 1931/32, Best Actor for "A Free Soul," and Ethel Barrymore, 1944, Supporting Actress in "None but the Lonely Heart."
8. Liza Minnelli, who won as Best Actress in 1972 for "Cabaret." Her mother, Judy Garland, received a Special Juvenile Award (a miniature Oscar® statuette) in 1939, and her father, Vincente Minnelli, won Best Direction in 1958 for "Gigi." Judy Garland's special award was for her outstanding performances as a screen juvenile during 1939.
9. "Ben-Hur" (1959), "Titanic" (1997) and "Lord of the Rings: Return of the King" (2003) each earned 11 Oscars.
10. Katharine Hepburn has won 4 times - "Morning Glory" (1933), "Guess Who's Coming to Dinner" (1967), "The Lion in Winter" (1968), and "On Golden Pond" (1981). But Meryl Streep is the most nominated actor with 14 nominations and two wins.



Kleyvin Wayne Larsen is an 18 year old Sand Point High School senior. Mr. Larsen is extremely excited to graduate in May 2015. After graduation, he plans to go to AVTEC which is a training type of college in Seward. AK. If Kleyvin could be any type of animal, he would be a tundra jack. Mr. Larsen's favorite hobby is playing video games while wearing his favorite green socks. His favorite color is green. When Kleyvin is not playing video games, he is munching on tacos, which are his favorite food. Kleyvin recently started a job working for the City of Sand Point. He works at the water treatment faculty. He really enjoys it so far...



Pool OPEN

Sunday — Pool Closed
Tuesday Thru Saturday
6:30-7:30 PM Open Swim
Monday Thru Friday
9:00 - 10:00 AM Water Aerobics
Tues, Thurs, Saturday
5:30 PM-6:30 PM Family Swim
Monday, Wednesday ,Friday
5:30 - 6:30 PM Water Aerobics



From Page 5 Answer B

In the spring of 1971, the first Native Youth Olympic Games (NYO) are held in the hope that by sharing traditional Native games, participants will connect with their heritage and keep the traditions of their ancestors alive. Teams from 12 schools participate, including teams from Mt. Edgecombe, Sitka and Nome, and a team of Anchorage boarding school students.

OPEN GYM

Sunday—Gym Closed
Monday —Thursday
6:30-8:00 K-6th Grade Open Gym
8:00-9:30 7th Grade-Adult Open Gym
Friday— Gym Closed
Saturday
6:30 PM-8:00 PM K-6th Grade Open
8:00 PM-9:30 PM 7th Grade-Adult Open Gym



BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS

Open Every Day - After School
Monday - Thursday, 3:30 - 5:30 pm
Friday, 1:30 - 4:00 pm

**Library
Hours**

Open Mon - Sat
6PM - 8PM
Closed Sunday



How are the AMP tests scored?

The Alaska Measures of Progress are not pass/fail tests. Students' scores will place them in one of four levels of performance defined by Alaska educators. The third highest level represents meeting the standards, but no level represents failure.

Students' scores on AMP in 2015 will serve as a baseline. As students take AMP tests in future years, we can see whether they are growing in their English language arts and math skills.

We need a new baseline because we have a new goal: Students will graduate with the English language arts and math skills to succeed in the workplace or postsecondary training of their choice.

Because the Alaska Measures of Progress are so different from our old tests, we can't compare results from the two tests. AMP is a new beginning.

Parents and educators will receive reports about their students' results. No data about individual students will be released to the federal government. Alaska has never done so. Each school's test results will help its district and the state decide if the school needs to make improvements and what those should be.

Watch for additional information on AMP, in the future.



Test your Trivia Knowledge on the Oscars.

- 1) Name the only person to win two Oscars® in the same year for the same performance in the same film.
- 2) Who was the first performer to win consecutive Awards?
- 3) What was the first movie in color to win a Best Picture Oscar®?
- 4) Who is the only performer to win an Oscar® for playing a member of the opposite sex?
- 5) What were the only two films to win three out of four acting Awards.
- 6) Name the two motion picture trilogies that have received Best Picture nominations for each installment.
- 7) Who are the only brother and sister to win acting awards?
- 8) Who is the only Oscar® winner with parents who were both Oscar® winners as well?
- 9) What three movies are tied for the most honored motion pictures in Academy Awards® history?
- 10) Which performer has won the most Oscars® and who has the most acting nominations?

Look For "Oscar Answers" on Page 2 of this edition of the Eagle Eye.



Su-Valley Sportsmanship Award, 2nd Place Finish

And, don't forget Paula Cabot and Carla Chebetnoy who donated art for the silent auction to benefit Cancer Victims. Thank You!!!

Breakfast & Lunches are **FREE** for all students.

The fee for adults & staff is \$5.00.

JH/HS Breakfast Served 7:50 AM-8:05 AM
ELEM. Breakfast Served 8:15-8:30 AM
JH/HS Lunch Served 11:50 AM-12:20 PM
ELEM. Lunch Served 11:00-11:30 AM

Wanted: Actors

Who: High School Students

What: Actors for a Melodrama Performance/Dinner Theater on April 17th and 18th

Where: Mrs. Krause's Room 166

When: 3:00 PM on Tuesday, February 17 and Wednesday, February 18

Why: You have always wanted to be involved in a theatrical production

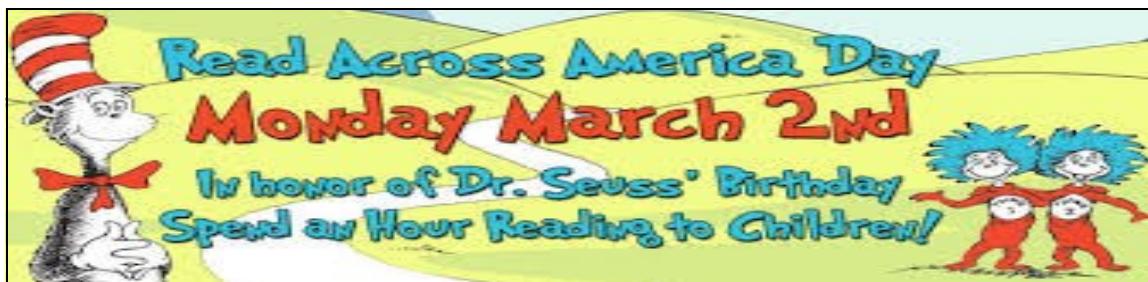
Please come prepared to read for a variety of roles and to sing a brief and universally familiar tune or a tune of your choice. No prior experience is necessary, however, enthusiasm and a positive attitude is greatly appreciated.



The Youth Advocacy Institute (YAI) and Legislative Fly-In to Juneau were both a success. The YAI prepared youth to meet their representatives and senators at the Capitol building. Among the numerous things learned at YAI was how to read a bill, which will be beneficial to me in the future when I have the opportunity to vote. We also received the privilege of a tour around the Capitol building and learned some of its rich history. In the days following YAI I teamed up with AEBSD Board Members, Hillary Smith and Tiffany Jackson along with Superintendent Mike Seifert to meet with our senators and representatives at the Capitol building. It was very interesting to see behind the scenes of education. We had several fascinating meetings with our legislators. This was a valuable and informing experience that I would recommend to every student. It was also a laugh riot.

Naomi Krause



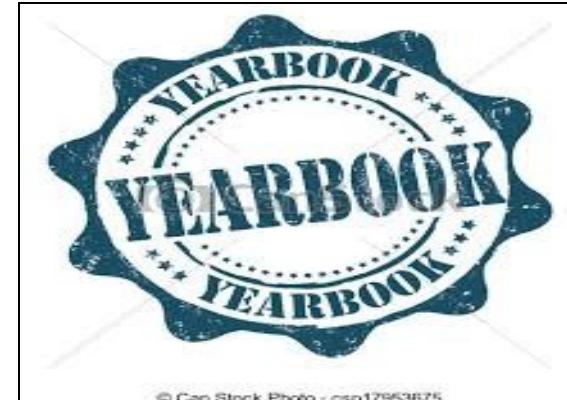
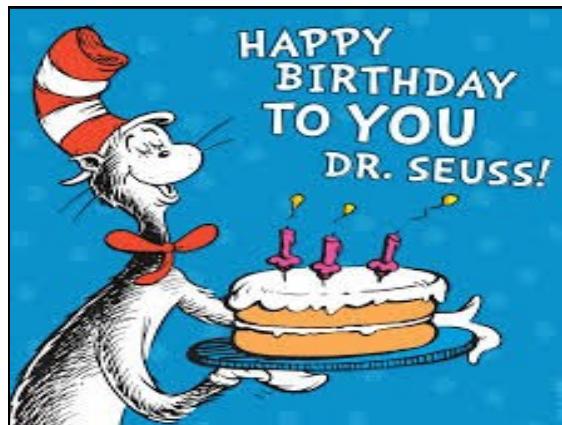


March 2 is **Dr. Seuss Day**, a full twenty-four hours to make a mess with the Cat in the Hat, dance around with the Fox in Sox, hear a Who with Horton, count the red and blue fish, help the Grinch see the error of his ways, and listen to Sam I Am's friend complain about his dish of green eggs and ham, the ungrateful hairball!

Theodor Seuss Geisel, commonly known by his pen name Dr. Seuss, was a writer, poet and cartoonist. Though best known as a children's author (he released a whopping forty-six books for tykes), his career also saw him work as an illustrator for advertising campaigns and a political cartoonist during the Second World War. He was also a true perfectionist, known to discard 95% of his material before settling on a theme for a new book, sometimes spending up to a year writing a single story, and preferring payment upon completion, rather than in advance.

March 2nd is a celebration of his life and works, as it was on this day in 1904 that he entered the world. Having lived eighty-seven years and made an incredible impact on numerous generations, he died in 1991 at his home in La Jolla, California. His many bizarre, colorful and zany tales are still cherished by young and old alike, and, having been translated into more than twenty languages, are read all across the world every single day. If you fancy paying a fitting tribute, we recommend dressing up with a friend as Thing 1 and Thing 2. All you need are blue wigs and red jumpsuits. Oh, and boundless energy!

At Sand Point School, each teacher plans to read a book and conduct an activity in their classrooms. The students are divided into groups (using their reading buddies) with an average of 10-12 students per group. They then proceed to each room at a given time so that by the end of the day, they have visited each teacher's room. The time periods for each group in each room is about 30-40



Yearbook Ads

The yearbook class is selling ads to raise money for the new 2014-15 yearbooks. You can buy:

Full Page Ad -- \$40.00

Half Page Ad -- \$20.00

Wallet Size Ad -- \$10.00

If you are interested in buying an AD, please contact Marcela Suter at msuter@aebsd.org, or 383-2393, extension 6017

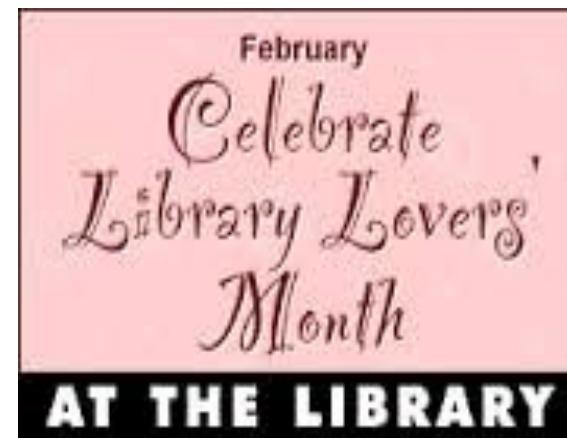


Each year, more than 2,000 students from more than 50 communities across the state of Alaska participate in the NYO and JNYO Games.

Youth strive for their personal best while competing in traditional contests including the Alaskan High Kick, Seal Hop and many more.

NYO is open to youth from all backgrounds, and fosters important values including teamwork, leadership, respect, and healthy lifestyles.

Sand Point School will be starting to practice NYO events at the conclusion of basketball season -- watch for the time and date to be announced at that time.



Trivia Question

1. Native Youth Olympics Games (NYO) was formed in:

- A. 1973 B. 1971 C. 1975

Answer can be found on page: 7