# To: Superintendent Ty Mase, Kasie Luke, Dir of Personnel & LPSD School Board

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# Outstanding Activities and Events

Pilot Point celebrated Halloween Friday afternoon. We wore costumes, played games, had snacks that were provided by parents, and watched a movie together. A good time was had by all.

Pilot Point School is excited to be able to start night gym this month. We will open the gym to only students for one hour each evening. Victor Seybert will be our night gym supervisor.

Pilot Point School is also grateful to be able to start a transportation program for students to and from school. The first day for the program will be Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup>. This is a long-anticipated program that will have a positive impact on student attendance.

Michael Janacek was a guest and teacher to our school this month. Mr. Janacek and Mr. K. instructed students on building a smokehouse. This was a project that was in the planning stages last year but was delayed due to the March shutdown. Engagement was high and students learned some very relevant life skills.

#### Personnel

Staff is healthy and working hard. We have two new staff members this month. Victor Seybert will be the night gym supervisor. To support our transportation program, Douglas Hughes will be picking students up and taking them home.

# Standards Based System/Curriculum Progress

Students are progressing nicely through their standards. Mrs. Hughes elementary students are making gains in all areas. They recently completed a Then and Now Social Studies unit. To culminate the unit, students did a presentation of their sod house models and performed a mock trading post. They just started a new Science unit on animal adaptations. Mrs. Hughes met with parents to discuss their student's progress in first quarter.

Mr. Kirchner's students are diligently working in online classes. The CTE courses are also underway. Two students put in extra time last week on their small engine repair assignment. Another project they are involved in is the smokehouse construction as mentioned above.

Ms. Jenna's PreK class has enjoyed some Alaska cultural lessons on winter weather and clothing.

# **Technology Progress**

Our technology is doing well. Some of Mr.K's students received their laptops recently and are glad to have the upgrade.

# **Facility Update**

The facility is in great condition! A recent flu shot team from the Bristol Bay Health Corp commented on what a nice facility we have. They mentioned how clean, inviting, and well-kept our rooms were. They also noticed our new furniture in the commons area and our newly covered bleacher seats in the gym.

## **LSAC Activity**

We did hold an LSAC in October. We discussed our plans for the beginning of this year, school rules, student concerns, attendance, and the playground. We hope to hold our next meeting November 20.

# Volunteer Report

# **Professional Development**

Our professional development has been centered around literacy, swivl, and using class pages in Powerschool.

# **Pupil Attendance**

We continue to encourage students to come to school daily and on time. We are hopeful that our new transportation program will make it easier for students to get to school on time.

#### Student and Staff Safety

Students safety lately has been about anti-bullying and how to show respect to others, and care for our school environment.

#### Subsistence Calendar





# **School Transportation**

Pilot Point School will begin providing transportation

#### Students will now have a ride to and from school each day.

We are proud to announce the beginning of our school transportation program! LPSD has recently purchased a new vehicle that will be used to provide our students with rides to school each morning and home each afternoon. This new vehicle will arrive soon. However, we want to get our program started right away!

We want to start our first route on Monday, November 9 in the afternoon. On Monday at 3:30PM, students will load up in the Suburban and be delivered safely home after school.

On Tuesday morning, the route will begin at 8:00AM at the Abyo-Phillips house and proceed to the north to the Matsons house and the other houses on that road. The route will then circle around to the Kalmakoff house. The last stop before school will be the Wise house at approximately 8:20AM.

This service will be provided each morning and afternoon that school is in session. Please be ready and watching for the Blue Suburban as we start our route.

Feel free to contact Mrs. Hughes or Mr. Kirchner with any questions or concerns.



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