

Site Report – TANALIAN SCHOOL – November 2024

To: Superintendent Kasie Luke
and LPSD School Board Members

From: Nate Davis, Principal

Photos & Description of Activities and Events

Tanalian Lynx had four students run at State Cross Country this fall!



Harvesting veggies with the K-2 class!



We hosted a VB Tournament mid-month. Bristol Bay, Kalskag, Tikigak and Newhalen came to play. There were two trips out of the village for games: Unalakleet and Bristol Bay.



Lynx 50/50 Cafe's first night was a success! Lots of the community came to support the Student Government and Lunch Bank fundraiser Roast Night dinner. Community-donated rolls and desserts complemented the roast beef and veggies for a mouth-watering event. Student government and the Lunch bank split the profits 50/50.



Two students went to CTE: Silas for Plumbing, Ray for Welding. Heard positive remarks upon their return. PSAT Test was on Oct 28.

Personnel Update

- Student Teacher Thea Miller returned to Pennsylvania after investing in our students for the first quarter.
- Kacy Lou has been traveling to nearly all LPSS villages in her role as counselor and CPI Trainer.
- Becca Stenson and Kumi Rattenbury came to do the Child Find evaluations.
- Carl Adams spent several days at Tanalian School, catching up on a bunch of fixits.

Classroom Highlights

Brandey Voran's 3rd-5th grade students are doing projects of famous early Americans. Several students have chosen to use their legos to create a scene of their chosen American in action.



LSAC Activity

Our last LSAC meeting was Oct 2nd and already reported. Our November LSAC meeting was moved to November 20 to accommodate election scheduling.

Community Engagement

Potential new clinic Physician Assistant and his wife visited the school, candidating for SCF. They have three school age children and would be moving from Florida around Christmas break.

Professional Development

Our teachers attended a productive teacher Inservice, organized by Curriculum Director, Nicole Metzgar, Oct 16-21.

Pupil % Attendance K-12

Tanalian students had 86% attendance in October.

Student and Staff Safety

We have put out notices for bear sightings, encouraging rides for people to/from school until bears go to sleep.

Other

Some staff showed up in matching outfits on Halloween!



Little Lynx in Big Uniforms, showing their basketball stuff in PE