



LAKE AND PENINSULA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Date: February 8, 2018
To: Lake and Peninsula School Board
From: Ty Mase
Re: Superintendent's Report – February 2018

I. **Attendance:** Looking back...

	9/10 Fall Semester Attendance	17/18 Fall Semester Attendance
Chignik Bay	89.460%	94.480%
Igiugig	92.962%	98.061%
Kokhanok	90.387%	95.683%
Chignik Lagoon	84.408%	97.345%
Chignik Lake	75.482%	86.517%
Levelock	88.210%	96.363%
Newhalen	91.098%	96.610%
Nondalton	87.561%	96.767%
Pilot Point	86.224%	87.557%
Port Alsworth	87.259%	98.361%
Port Heiden	71.591%	91.958%
Perryville	92.691%	93.500%

I am also happy to report that Lake and Pen's January attendance numbers topped those of Bristol Bay and we won the attendance challenge for this school year! A Huge Congratulations goes out to Bristol Bay who also posted an impressive attendance rate!

Attendance Rate, January 2018

BAY 96.799%
IGI 96.130%
KHK 96.962%
LAG 96.970%
LAK 98.429%
LEV 98.512%
NEW 98.640%
NON 98.089%
PIP 93.805%
PTA 99.513%
PTH 95.667%
PVL 97.738%
LPSD 97.271%!!!!!!

II. Subsistence Calendar: As we enter into the second semester my thoughts are starting to move towards reflection and reporting to Commissioner Johnson on our Subsistence Calendar. While it has been a bit hectic, I think the first year has been going fairly well. Our attendance numbers are up and community participation/understanding seems to have increased. The April PEAK testing will be one of the greatest indicators and I predict an upward swing in student test scores. The ANE Grant awarded to Igiugig will be an excellent way to transition into summer, knowing that our students will have programs focused on keeping them engaged.

III. Bristol Bay Regional Career and Technical Education Program: We are currently working with Jeff Selvey (formerly of NACTEC) to help us organize our governing board and program in general. In addition, we are looking for a new director and have a posting out statewide. It is our hope that we come together again as a governing board on March 14 for our next meeting and director interviews.

III. Playground Fundraiser: The Southwest Alaska Sportsmen's Banquet provides a way for fishermen, hunters, lodges, guides and outfitters to help the Lake and Peninsula School District in their quest to provide the best education possible for the region's children. 100% of the Banquet's net proceeds will be used in support of rebuilding area playgrounds (three are condemned at this time) and early literacy programs in the district's schools. The fundraiser will take place in Anchorage during the Spring of 2019.

IV. Negotiations: While our tentative agreement has yet to be ratified by LPEA (at the time of this report), I am optimistic that LPEA and the District developed a proposal that is a win-win for LPSD and it's certified staff. A huge thanks to the LPEA negotiating team for their long hours of work and the professional dialogue. While other districts and unions remain in gridlock, we seem to have come to a mutual agreement on what is best for everyone.

V. Pedro Bay School: Currently we have separate requests from the Pedro Bay Corporation and the Pedro Bay Village Council to sub lease our school. During the discussion it was brought to the State's attention that the Village Council is currently utilizing the generation facility that is on the school property. In order to comply with our current lease language, we will be subleasing the power generation building to PBVC.

The Pedro Bay Corporation has also approached LPSD on the concept of a district-run summer program in Pedro. While they pledged financial support, such an effort looks to be beyond what our current staffing is capable of.

VI. Student Safety and Well Being: In a single week we had -60 wind chill temperatures in some parts of the north and a Tsunami warning for our villages in the deep south. Our sites have been asked to familiarize themselves with and review our emergency procedures document. It is also a great resource for LSAC discussions.

There are steps without railings to prevent a recurrence the effects of emergency exits. It is intended the effect emergency is achieved and ensure that exits to the emergency stairs that it is also changing the behavior to complete needed opening provisions to ensure and control access to outside of the building.

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