

Site Report – Kokhanok School – December, 2017

**To: Superintendent Ty Mase
and LPSD School Board Members**

**From: Name, Position
Jerry Fisher, Principal**

Outstanding Activities and Events

The school received a batch of salmon eggs in November and they have nearly all hatched. Mr. Davis class has been working on a salmon project for his science class and sharing their finding with the community.

We held our Christmas Program on the 18th. We had a great turnout. Each class had a small part to perform and then we had whole school performances. Moses and Linda really worked hard with the students teaching them folk dances.

Personnel

Our personal are doing great! We are all looking forward to the break and coming back recharged.

Standards Based System/Curriculum Progress

The teachers are still doing their best to make their lessons culturally relevant for our students.

Technology Progress

The new iPads have been a successful addition to our school. The students have used them in different classes and have been enjoying what they can do.

Facility Update

The facility is in good repair. Ron fixed the refrigerators we were having problems with and it is working properly now.

LSAC Activity

We did not hold an LSAC meetings this month: we held two last month getting ready for Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Volunteer Report

John Gust visited Mr. Davis's class and taught them how to count in Yupik.

Professional Development

Our professional development has been centered around learning about PowerSchool, Ivisions, site planning, and staff relations/team building.

Pupil Attendance

We have been having fairly good attendance (90+%). Although 90% sounds good, we would like to have 100%, 100% of the time.

Student and Staff Safety

Students safety lately has been about ATV safety.

Subsistence Calendar

This year has been progressing very well. Students have been eager and ready to learn. The community has expressed some concerns regarding holiday events. Academics and class time are our primary focus. We have been working with the LSAC and we have been trying to promote whole community events where we can have the students volunteer after school rather than spend class time getting ready for these holiday events. Although the subsistence calendar, student population and funding do play a role in our decisions, academics, standards, and class time take priority in our planning. The LSAC and staff agreed, in order to make community events happen, teachers, students and community need to volunteer and work together, after the school day, to host events such as Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas Potlucks. This approach will help save class time for academics and foster a stronger learning community for our students.

Other

