

Site Report – Igiugig School – February, 2023

To: Superintendent Kasie Luke
and LPSD School Board Members

From: Kristin Henke, Igiugig

Outstanding Activities and Events

Two of our No-See-Ums received ribbons from the art they submitted for the Bird Calendar Contest last school year. Mavrik Salmon-Anelon and Mackenzie Nicolai are the proud winners.



Personnel

Mr. Tim Hammell is our new middle and high school teacher. Mr Hammell is an experienced teacher who has taught in rural Alaska before. He is a strong Science and Math teacher and also plays guitar and writes songs. Mr. Hammell's experience and enthusiasm is positively pushing our students with their learning.



Our second student teacher this year was Ms Shannon from New York. She taught both Ms Kristin's students and Ms Gabbie's students. We loved her! What a great future she has as a teacher!

Standards Based System/Curriculum Progress

Upper level students are covering Social Studies and Science standards using active learning strategies with their new teacher Mr. Hammell.

Technology Progress

We received chargers for our upper level students' laptops - hooray!!

Facility Update

We are still tackling a clogged sewer system, but the village is keeping it pumped so we don't have backups and can continue schooling. Teachers and students are conserving water until it can be fixed. We are so very grateful for the work Maintenance Men Marc and Carl put in here trying to fix the sewer issue and fixing and cleaning above and beyond all around our school

LSAC Activity

LSAC is working with our Student Government to have our school store open on Fridays after school. They also continue to support our Student Government Coffee Shop at the hanger.

Volunteer Report

The Igiugig Village Council purchased over \$2000 worth of new PE play equipment. Students are having great fun with a new parachute, soft dodgeballs, floor puzzles and games, more scooters, hula hoops, bean bags, and a balance beam.



Two students put together a floor puzzle during All-school PE.

Professional Development

Kristin is taking an ASDN class, The Science of Reading. Gabbie is in the last semester of her Master's Program.

Pupil Attendance

A number of families were in Hawaii for a week or two during February so those students at school received more enriched individual instruction. Our Hawaiian travelers learned a lot about the culture, climate, and customs of Kona.

Student and Staff Safety

Ms Betsy is back! We are so happy she is able to be our teacher aide once again following serious back surgery.



Subsistence Calendar



Karl Hill and Randy Alvarez talked to our primary students about animal adaptations in a variety of animal skulls.



Other