



Highlighted School Report: Harold Kaveolook School

We are off to a great start here at Harold Kaveolook School. Attendance has been great and students are happy to be back in school. We have an awesome staff, and they have had a wonderful welcome to the community of Kaktovik

New Staff:

1. Jonathan Woldeit - k/1
2. Elise Barrett - 2/3
3. Rose Morris - 4/5
4. Jonathan Rodriguez - 6-12 Math/Science
5. Matthew Conlon - Counselor

Activities:

**NO Gym presents challenges and the children of Kaktovik are in desperate need of a gymnasium for social, emotional and physical health.

Cultural Learning:

Cultural Learning is incorporated into daily lessons in every classroom, in addition we do an Inupiaq Value each month and an Inupiaq word of the day.

Inupiaq Day Celebration is tentatively scheduled for mid-November. Last spring, we had a fantastic Inupiaq Day Celebration. This year we are planning a Fall and Spring Inupiaq Day Celebration. Planned activities last year included Inupiaq Dancing, Beading, NYO Games, Ulu Making, Traditional Snow Goggle Making, Donut Making to name a few.

Building Report:

Last year we had 2 meetings with architect for the new school design. The plan as it now stands is to clean up the old burn site and prepare the sight for new construction, this summer 2022. New construction on Phase 1 would start summer of 2023. Phase 1 will include the Gym, Kitchen, and the shop area.

Activities:

Cross Country Running has started, Coach Frances Mongoyak has the team working hard. The UAF Riffle team will be here Sept 2-5. They will be doing a free clinic on gun safety and shooting. We are very fortunate to have been able to develop this relationship with UAF. Big Thank You to Coach Will Anti and the 8 athletes for providing this opportunity for our students.