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Ninth Annual Port Graham Celebration of Life– by Jim Miller/PGRS



This year’s celebration of life was a great success due to the wonderful support of the sponsors who made this event possible. We gratefully acknowledge the contributions made by the North Pacific Rim Housing Authority, Chugach Alaska Corporation, the Pratt Museum, Chugachmiut, Spenard Builder’s Supply, The Fresh Sourdough Express Bakery & Café, Grant Aviation, A Memorable Experience Bed & Breakfast, Port Graham Corporation and the Port Graham Village Council.

The summer youth workers, council staff and community resident volunteers all came together to insure that everything worked smoothly, setting up, cleaning up and helping in the kitchen.

This year we enjoyed the local musical talents of Bert, Mack Jr., Sherry and “Mister”. Aleut baseball went late into the night with young children, teens and adults all having a great time. Fran Norman was voted “Worlds Best Native Food Cook” at the cook-off and potluck. There was so much scrumptious Native food that you just *had* to go back for more. The men were finally able to win the “men vs. women tug o war” this year. Ricky Yeaton turned out to be the master of the atlatl and hunting spear competition by striking the target perfectly. John Anahonak is now the champion at the “Indian Stick Pull”. When it came to prizes, all of the young people were winners. After the potluck we honored and presented awards to outstanding individuals in the community, there were so many nominations and many who are due respect.



More pictures of "9th Annual Celebration of Life"



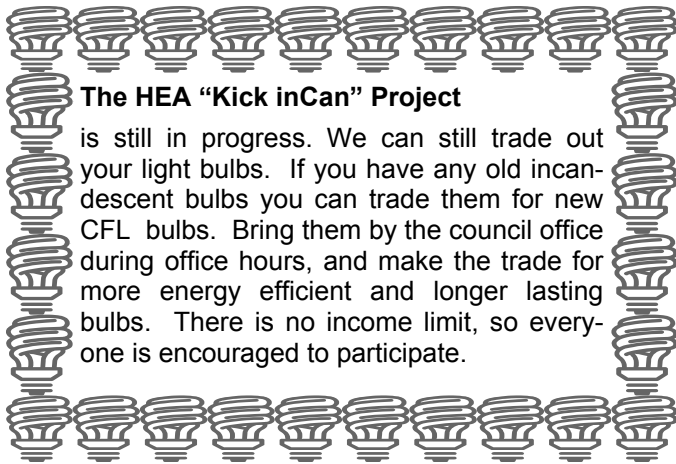
2010 Windy Bay Clean Up

We received the memo from Rachel Lord of Cook Inlet Keeper regarding the "2nd Annual Kachemak Bay Clean Harbors Day, Summer 2010". We contacted her and discussed the project and let her know we would like to participate again this year. We set the clean up date for August 4th. We arranged to use the PGVC vehicle, the VPSO vehicle and Billy Meganack's vehicle to transport us to Windy Bay. Reuben Norman, VPSO has been supervising the youth group this summer, came along to help with this project. The youth group consisted of seven: Michael Anahonak, Kimber Moonin, Jonathan Anahonak, Andrew Norman, Nikalai Norman, William Miller and Ricky Yeaton.

We left the village around 10:15 a.m. The tide was still a little high so we cleaned the beach around the LTF area. Then we went down the road further to the beach access road and continued to clean the beach in that area. We finished cleaning the beach around 1:30 p.m. and then weighed and loaded the trash into the vehicles. We picked up about 297 pounds of trash! Most of the trash was plastic bottles, etc., ropes, some glass, some lumber pieces; nothing major "big ticket" or unusual. We headed back around 2:15 p.m. and stopped at the "airport" by mile 16 to try to call the office with the satellite phone and were able to get a signal and talk with Fran at the PGVC office. We got back to the village around 3:15 p.m. and put all the trash in the landfill before we returned to the office.

Other than the weather, the project was a great success and we did not run into any problems. We did see a lot (at least 5) of adult black bears on our way back and forth on the road.

Thank you to all that participated in this project and Cook Inletkeeper, Port Graham Village Council, Homer Air Service and the Port Graham Corporation!



The HEA "Kick inCan" Project

is still in progress. We can still trade out your light bulbs. If you have any old incandescent bulbs you can trade them for new CFL bulbs. Bring them by the council office during office hours, and make the trade for more energy efficient and longer lasting bulbs. There is no income limit, so everyone is encouraged to participate.



Owned by those we serve.

"KICK inCan"



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Port Graham Library

Chatter...



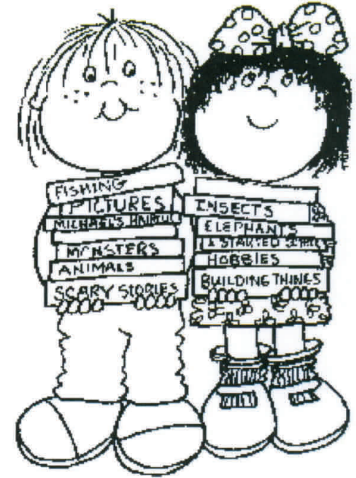
Hello, it's me, Christalina Jager, Librarian for Port Graham Village Council. I am happy to be back in Port Graham Village Council's Library again, after all these years. I remember labeling and gluing in envelopes and library cards back in 1981, after graduating from high school. A Funny thing is, after going through some of the books in the library just recently...I've found

some of the same books I fixed with envelopes and library cards!! Books are books though, huh? They're just here to be read, no worries about when they came out. Some of them are very entertaining, really!

In my new position, I have been inputting names of books and authors (amongst other book information) into a data-base. I keep track of how many books we have, and what books people are looking for these days so we can order more of them. I was able to order new shelves and have the new shelves marked with titles of the same type books, for instance: Alaskan, American Indian, Children's Books, Craft/Hobby books, Cookbooks, Drama/Adventure, Education, Recovery, Self Help, Suspense/Thriller, and Teen Books along with some reference books from the Village Council's past meetings and interest's. There is also a spot where we've gathered information on available scholarships for students, minorities and women too!

As I mentioned earlier, we are interested in ordering more books for the library and would like input from the community members. Please stop by the library and let me know what sort of books you like, or give me the specific title and author of a book you would like to see in our library and we'll try to get it for you.

Although a book is a book and can be read (like I said) regardless of when they came out, eventually, some of the books in the library will need to be phased out of our library if for no other reason than to make room for new ones. I have a few boxes of books (most copy written before 1980, and mostly from the 'romance' section of the library) that are ready to be passed on to someone who will put them to good use. I will be sending the old books to Sally Ann's across the bay so please stop in at the library and I will talk to you about them if you want them.

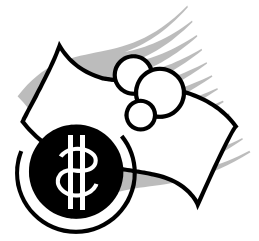


I have been getting more information about a program called Inter-library loan. As Port Graham now has a library of our own, we qualify to take part in inter-library loans. With this program I, as librarian, can order a library book or reference book that we don't have in our library and the main branch in Anchorage will either send us their copy, or find it for us at one of the other libraries in the state, and the 'lending library' will send it to us to 'borrow' for a limited time. The Inter-library Loan program requires a small payment of \$3 for each request, the charge may be higher for multipart items or multivolume works, or if the lender has higher costs and the consumer (you) have agreed to pay them. The reason for this charge is to recoup some postage fees for mailing the books. There will also be a charge to mail the said library or reference books back to the lending library. (this charge will be minimal as there is a special 'library rate' to send library books in the mail.)



MONEY-SAVING TIPS

(for around the house)



REMOVE CARPET STAINS: To remove a stubborn carpet stain try this: Combine 1 tablespoon vinegar with 1 tablespoon cornstarch. Work it into the spot with a soft cloth and leave it for 2 days, then vacuum. It works like magic!

HOMEMADE CARPET FRESHENER: To freshen up carpets, mix baking soda with ground cinnamon or cloves. Sprinkle the mixture onto the carpet, wait about 15 minutes, then vacuum. The room will be filled with a comforting and cozy aroma. Note: First test a small hidden area of the carpet for color fastness before you apply the mixture to the entire area.

MAKE FURNITURE NEW AGAIN: Need to repair a scratch or blemish on varnished furniture? Rub the area with cooking oil and a soft cloth. To color in nicks or scratches in wood-stained furniture, cabinets and trim, rub the area with a pecan nut. The oil of the nut will "re-stain" the wood. If your wood furniture has a water stain, simply rub mayonnaise on the stain and let it sit overnight. Wipe off the mayonnaise in the morning and the finish will be restored.

SHARPEN SCISSORS: To sharpen a dull pair of scissors, cut through a sheet of sandpaper a couple of times. They'll be like new!

REATTACH LOOSE KNOBS: When putting loose knobs back on drawers, dip the screws in clear fingernail polish or shellac before resetting them. This will help the knobs stay tight much longer.

SPARKLING CLEAN MIRRORS: Your bathroom mirror won't fog up if you clean it with canned shaving cream ... and it will be streak free!

NO MORE REFRIGERATOR ODOR: To remove odors caused by spoiled food in your refrigerator, place a few crumpled brown paper bags into the back of the refrigerator, changing them with fresh ones whenever the bags begin to smell. In no time, the bags will have absorbed all of the odor.

INSTANT AIR FRESHENER: To freshen rooms in your home, boil some water, cloves and orange peel in a pan and set the hot pan of liquid in the room for a while. The wonderful citrus scent will permeate through the air.

EASILY REMOVE HARD WATER BUILDUP: Pour some white distilled vinegar in a plastic bag and place the bag around the shower head so the head is completely submerged. Tie the bag around the pipe and let the shower head soak overnight. Come morning, the shower head will spray like new again.

SPARKLING WINDOWS: To clean windows inexpensively, add a small handful of cornstarch to 3 to 4 quarts of water. Wash the windows with this solution and dry with a paper towel. It cleans and dries them faster than the store bought cleaning solutions.

RESTORE STAINLESS STEEL: Has your stainless steel lost its luster? Place your flatware in a pan and cover it with carbonated water, soda water, seltzer or club soda. Let set; after a few minutes, it will shine like new!

CLEAN BLINDS EASILY: To clean mini blinds, use a clean paintbrush. It's a lot cheaper than buying expensive blind-cleaning tools and works just as well.

WINE AND FRUIT STAINS: Salt is great for removing stubborn fruit and wine stains from your tablecloth or towels and napkins. Cover the stain immediately with salt. Let it stand a short time and then wash in cool water.

REMOVE MARKS FROM FLOORS: Remove black heel marks on hardwood floors by applying a little toothpaste to an old toothbrush, scrubbing the area and wiping it with a damp cloth. The heel marks will disappear and the floors will have a nice shine.

SQUEAKY CLEAN SHOWER CURTAINS: To remove the soap and hard water film that accumulates on plastic shower curtains and curtain liners, try this handy hint. Take down the curtain and place it on a flat surface. Wash it with a solution of 1/2 cup ammonia to 1 quart warm water. The film will vanish.

SHINY SHOWER DOORS: Keep shower doors shiny and clear by using a soft cloth moistened with baby oil. The baby oil prevents buildup from dirt and soap, and keeps hard water spots from forming for several months.

HOMEMADE WINDOW CLEANER: Make your own window cleaner by mixing equal parts of vinegar, ammonia and water. Put the mixture in a clean spray bottle, squirt on windows and wipe off with a newspaper or coffee filter.

STICKY SITUATIONS: Remove sticky price tags and stickers from glass by spraying the surface with WD-40 that you likely have in the garage. The residue rubs right off.

REMOVE CANDLE WAX: If candle wax drips onto the carpeting, don't worry! Remove the wax by placing a brown paper bag over the area and gently running a warm iron over the bag.

**WELCOME BACK TO SCHOOL
FAMILY NIGHT PRESENTATION**

Project GRAD hosted Presentation
With Guest Speaker

FATHER MICHAEL OLEKSA

"Father Michael Oleksa is a leader in the development of cross-cultural education in Alaska, and educator of Alaskan teachers, and a student of Alaska Native languages and culture. He is also a gifted speaker and writer." (*Another Culture/Another World*; AASB:2005)

**Port Graham School Gym
Tuesday, August 31, 2010**

*(Time and potluck plans are still in progress
and will be available later this month)*

Project GRAD encourages ALL community youth and family to attend this exciting family night presentation.



For more information please contact: Bonnie Pierce, Project GRAD Campus Family Support, 907-235-5612, ext. 9

Father Oleksa Presentation is made possible through Department of Education Native Education Grant Funds.

EXTRA! EXTRA!

Read All About it!

If you have an announcement, news or an upcoming event you would to include in the

KALIKAHPET,
submit your article
to the council office

NOTICE OF HOURS

Chugachmniut

Domestic Violence Advocate

Jean Huntsman

Monday—Friday

9:30 am—1:30 pm

284-2258

STATE OF ALASKA

**PRIMARY ELECTION
DAY**

AUGUST 24, 2010

**GENERAL ELECTION
DAY**

NOVEMBER 2, 2010

On the Primary and General Election Ballots:

U. S. Senator

U. S. Representative

Governor

Lieutenant Governor

State Senate (Seats B, D, F, H, J, L, N, P, R, S)

State House (all 40 districts)

Ballot Measures

Judicial Retention

Voter Registration is

Available at the

PGVC office

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

AUGUST

- 4 Angelina Sawden
- 5 David Malchoff
- 10 Alta Malchoff
- 10 Derenty Tabios, Sr.
- 10 Nathan J. Tanape
- 11 Thomas Yeaton, Sr.
- 11 Basil Meganack
- 13 David Swenson, Jr.
- 14 Pete Elvsaas, Jr.
- 16 Demetrie Tanape
- 17 Johnathan Tanape
- 18 Devon Tanape
- 20 Ben Meganack, Sr.
- 21 Shurina Wilkins
- 21 Larry Bonfiglio
- 27 Carl McClarrinon
- 29 Carl Carlough
- 29 Ben Meganack, Jr.
- 29 Jackie Rodgers
- 30 Susan LaBelle
- 30 Lenny V. Urena
- 31 Olga Fomin
- 31 Venture McGee

SEPTEMBER

- 2 Tatiana Dodge
- 3 Raymond Fomin
- 5 Caleb McMullen
- 5 Sabrina Malchoff
- 5 Nelson Childers
- 9 Tatiana Moonin-Thiele
- 10 Daryl Kruen
- 11 Alexander Moonin
- 16 Natasha Sajave
- 17 Michael Anahonak
- 20 Dana McMullen
- 21 Patrick Norman
- 22 Tania McMullen
- 22 Ralph Moonin
- 24 Gordon Norman
- 24 Ashlen Malchoff
- 24 Seraphim Meganack
- 25 Peter Anahonak, Jr.
- 26 Teresa Green
- 28 Brandon Moonin
- 28 Victor Carlough
- 30 Jeffrey Manook

TAUNTON - MASSACHUSETTS

Tom & Violet Yeaton
August 11th

R.J. & Christine Carlough
August 13th

Jim & Agnes Miller
August 19th

Ephim & Darlene Anahonak
September 9th

Mickey & Alice Anahonak
September 21st



Special Deliveries...

Anesia & Carl
March 4th
Baby Boy

Kirsten & Travis
June 21st
Baby Girl

Kendra Moonin
July 7th
Baby Girl

Alicia & Blaine Wise
July 9th
Baby Girl

Tania & Gabe
July 22nd
Baby Girl

MASSACHUSETTS

Just Married...



Karl & Polly
Thiele
July 25th

David & Camilla
Malchoff
August 5th



Community Events and Information

“TAMAMTA KATURLLUTA”

(gathering in Homer)

September 3 & 4, 2010

For more information contact:

The Pratt Museum 235-8638

www.prattmuseum.org

**PLEASE DO NOT PUT
ANIMAL CARCASSES**

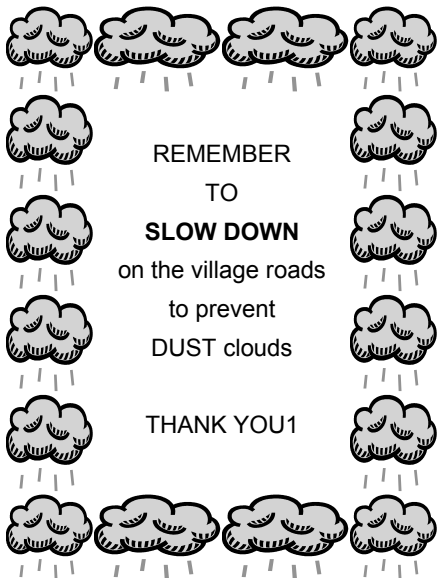
IN THE LANDFILL

and **PLEASE**

remember

to remove plastic/wrapping, etc.
from waste before disposing

of it on the back beach



REMEMBER
TO
SLOW DOWN
on the village roads
to prevent
DUST clouds

THANK YOU!

STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP
SPEED LIMIT
15 MPH on all roads,
except for the back
road starting from
Wayne Norman's inter-
section to the first street
light before Duncan
Heights Subdivision is
20 MPH. REMEMBER-
Pedestrians have the
right of way!
STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP STOP

PG LIBRARY COMPUTER
is available to find jobs with the
State of Alaska Jobs site and to en-
roll in the State of Alaska Library
system, and also to check emails
and general research. If any of the
rules are broken you will lose your
privilege to use the computer.
Hours of Operation are:
9:00 am –12:00pm
1:00pm-4:00pm

PROVIDERS SCHEDULE

- Jim Henkleman**, Behavioral Health 907-235-0735/230-6693
- Michelle Hosford**, Social Worker/ Chugachmiut 800-478-4155
- Mercedes Harkness**, SP Haven House 907-235-7712
- Meg McKinney**, DV Counselor/Chugachmiut 907-255-6342
- Jean Huntsman**, PG DV Advocate 907-284-2258

If you have questions or need to schedule an appoint-
ment with these providers you can contact **Mary**
Malchoff at the PG Council Office 284-2227

REMINDER!

please remember to pay
your water and sewer bill

outstanding accounts will be
scheduled for shut-off

PORT GRAHAM VILLAGE COUNCIL

P.O. Box 5510

Port Graham, AK 99603

See us on the Web at:
www.portgraham.net

LOCAL BOX HOLDER

P.O. Box 55__

Port Graham, AK 99603

PORT GRAHAM VILLAGE COUNCIL MEMBERS:

- **Patrick Norman,**
First Chief
- **Martin Norman,**
Second Chief
- **Agnes Miller,**
Secretary
- **Debbie McMullen,**
Treasurer
- **Stella Meganack,**
Member
- **Walter Meganack Jr.,**
Member
- **Melvin Malchoff,**
Member

PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING YOUR
CLOTH/CANVAS BAGS WHEN YOU SHOP!



Thank You!

HEY! if you have any extra cloth bags, you can donate them to the stores (and they, in turn, can loan them out when needed, instead of using paper bags)