

## Port Graham Site Base Committee Meeting

February 9, 2015

Call meeting to order @ 6:06 pm

Roll call of members- Devin, Colby, Heather, Nancy, Pam, Tania, Daryl out for medical, Charlemagne excused

Community members present- Rita

Pledge of Allegiance

Reading of last meeting minutes- Tania makes a motion to accept the minutes

Reports –

Jane Beck from Project Grad- career institute just got done with numerous students in the district. All went well. Phlight club is coming up March 11-13 in Kenai @ Grace Brethren Church. Project Grad also works closely with the Voyage to Excellence Program. Jane welcomes all questions & concerns also any suggestions are welcome to her.

Nancy's report- the calendar is official for next year. The ipads for next year last week Nancy sent a letter to Chugach Alaska she has not heard back yet. Nancy will seek funds to make this happen in Port Graham. The cost of these will be roughly \$14,000. The district requires all sites to write a story for their school Nancy suggests a story about the rabbits. The students will be involved in the writing process. Eddie Wood is back here at Port Graham School coming once a month to teach dancing. PG Village Council brought him in to teach. Nancy will do May Day again here. Sea week the center for Alaskan coastal studies is willing to come here to Port Graham. Graduation is coming fast with 1 graduate Kelsey Meganack. There is a new district 9 member for the school district but cannot remember his name. Staff for next year the district is currently in a budget crisis. There will be no cuts of teachers for here we will remain a 2 teacher staff. Early release 90 minutes six times a year for staff collaboration Nancy will like input how this is going. Rita thinks it is beneficial for teachers. Drills every month there are fire drills, earthquake 2 times a year, tsunami drill once a year & lockdown drill (ALICE). School board presentation for next year what focus should we lean towards? The family aspect of the whole school, the rabbit project Colby has

going for his high school students, geography of Port Graham, all native school population, technology, sugtstun class. March, Nancy will request this to be presented. Nancy has talked with Michael Hansen the benchmark test will be moved in December. This will be the last year for the AMP test. Devin has never done AMP tests before she taught kindergarten last yr. Nancy will find somebody to come help Devin. The girls will leave to Seldovia this wk. and regionals will be in Homer next month in March. The 3<sup>rd</sup> and final yr. of their grant for sugtstun. Timothy Malchoff- was recently hired on, Mia will continue teaching. The first wk. of March will be sugtstun assessments with Rhoda Moonin.

Colby asks to put in place our own eligibility for basketball to put in place for next year. This means if students travel at a "D" it means they can't travel. Nancy is in favor for this action. Hold students to a higher standard! This will be more beneficial for students. All members present tonight have no problems with this. Colby sees with basketball practice with our numbers in students that it is not beneficial for everyone he would like to do a workout kind of night instead of basketball practice. Spring cross country to be up again after basketball season is over. Hoodies \$535 for 12 hooded sweatshirts Colby will look into ordering them. If money gets taken out from the booster club then it needs to be put back into the same account.

March 8<sup>th</sup> will be the next meeting

Meeting adjourn at 7:34 pm Pam makes a motion to adjourn, Tania 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.