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"Building Self Esteem Through Academic Excellence"

Administrator Report

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To: Academic Policy Committee

There were four students who were placed on Academic Contracts this quarter. One of those students completed their contract and the other three had to have their contract extended another 15 days.

We completed our PEAK testing in April and had 100% participation. We won't get the scores back until next fall. We still have not received our Terra Nova scores for this year yet due to the fact that they changed who processed the test scores.

Students have gone on numerous field trips including: 3rd Grade Seward, 4th Seward, 7&8 Homer Camping. There are still a few more field trips left for this year including: 6th Palm Beach, 5th Seward trip. We had seven teams that qualified for the Alaska State Future Problem Solving Bowl in Cordova. We ended up with two 2nd place finishes and one 3rd place finish.

Most teachers will be doing summer school this year. They will be contacting parents and students to let them know when they will be doing it. Also, we are going to meet as a staff May 30 & 31 to review some of our curriculum and create some committees to review math, reading, writing, and science. We are also looking into using some on-line personalized learning tools like IXL that allow students to practice skills at their level and on their own pacing scale. Some of these options may be utilized as part of our summer school program.

The Parent Teacher Committee (PTC) conducted their elections in April and since there was only one candidate for each officer position the voting was done by the Board instead of a mail-out ballot.

Mr. O'Brian will be here today to discuss principal evaluations with charter schools.

Important dates: May 18 School Awards at 1:45, May 19 Promotion at 6, May 24 School Picnic at the school.

Cody McCanna
Administrative Leader