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UP TO NO GOOD—Some of Nome’s shadier characters make their way down Front Street June 19 on their way to rob the bank as part of Nome’s Midnight Sun Festival.

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There are strange things done in the midnight sun

INTO THE DRINK (above)—Nomeites and visitors take the chilly plunge into the Bering Sea during the 2010 Polar Bear Swim at East Beach June 19.

FIREPOWER (right)—Matt Tomter directs a stream of water at spectators on the Nome River bridge on the Kougarok Road while a bucket is dumped at his team’s raft June 20 during the annual Nome River Raft Race. More photos from Nome’s Midnight Sun Festival start on page 6.



Photo by Nadja Roessek

Michels steps off the campaign trail

By Tyler Rhodes

Citing the need to dedicate her attention to her job at Kawerak Inc. and her duties as mayor of Nome, Denise Michels abandoned her bid for the Democratic nomination for the lieutenant governor’s seat June 18.

“It was a very difficult decision to make, it felt like my heart sunk into my stomach,” she said later in the day after she had made

her announcement.

Michels, indeed, sounded weary and saddened during a June 18 interview. She said the challenges of jumping into the campaign late, along with issues surrounding travel and fundraising became overwhelming. “New stuff is always popping up constantly, and they are equally important, and I just wanted to do a good job,” she said.

Michels announced her candidacy in late April, but little noise was heard from the campaign until Friday’s announcement. Michels was playing the roles of both candidate and campaign team all on her own. “Trying to fundraise and be effective is very time-consuming,” she said.

The issue of travel also worked as a double-edged sword for Michels. To be able to attend

debates, forums and simply get her name out around the larger population centers in the state, Michels needed to get out of Nome and largely onto the state’s road system—which does not come cheap. “I wanted to go to the Fairbanks debate their chamber had, but to go to a one-hour meeting, it would have taken me two days

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School board fills ranks with Osborne, Amarok

By Tyler Rhodes

The Nome Board of Education filled its ranks Tuesday night by selecting Wilma Osborne and Barb Amarok to fill the seats of two members recalled

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by voters earlier in the month.

Amarok and Osborne, along with a third candidate, Jennifer Reader, were asked eight questions by Nome Public Schools Superintendent Jon Wehde in a public form at a special board meeting held at the elementary school June 22. Osborne and Amarok were sworn immediately to fill the seats formerly held by Heather Payenna and Albert McComas.

Both Amarok and Osborne are pursuing doctoral degrees in education-related fields. In her introduction, Amarok said she previously had worked for Nome Public Schools for 20 years, serving as a classroom teacher, the Native programs coordinator and the assistant principal at Nome-Beltz. She currently works at

the University of Alaska Fairbanks Northwest Campus. Osborne currently works at the recently established Nome Native Arts Center. Reader said she had recently retired from the Alaska Army National Guard after 20 years of service and has worked at both the Nome Public Schools district office and the elementary school.

The process had all three prospective members in the room at once, each taking turns at being the first to answer the successive questions. Osborne and Amarok both held the advantage of having worked on the large committee that formed the district’s new strategic plan, which is to be implemented as a guiding philosophy of how the district will move forward. The two new members re-

ferred to the plan heavily in nearly all of their responses, and one question specifically targeted the plan.

Immediately after being sworn in, the first task at hand for the new members was the approval of contracts for a new assistant principal at the junior high/high school complex, a principal for the elementary school and a new junior high social studies teacher.

By a 4-1 vote, the board approved the hiring of Carmen Russo for the assistant principal’s position at Nome-Beltz. Russo, who will receive her administrative credentials this summer, received the “No” vote from board member Barb Nickels, who has been an adamant supporter of Doug Boyer, the assistant principal who the board voted to not bring back for the

coming school year. Earlier in the meeting Boyer signaled that he would appeal Board’s decision to the courts.

Dave Keller will be the district’s new special education director and principal at Nome Elementary School. Wehde announced before presenting the contracts to the board that last year’s principal, Shari Biscotti, had turned in her resignation. Biscotti had been placed on administrative leave in April after it was discovered her credentials were revoked in California, where she last worked before coming to Nome.

The third hire approved was new junior high social studies teacher Joshua Vaughn, who last taught in Illinois. Both Keller and Vaughn’s hires were unanimously approved by the board.

Letters

Hey there,

Just got back from playing out a little bit ago. Wow—it's amazing how everything turns green just about overnight. One day we went riding and it was mostly brown, then I go again a couple of days later and its all green. The ice keeps persisting though.

It is truly disappointing to go to the store and see something like a can of milk for \$2.15 or \$2.20 and fresh fruit, such as apples and oranges costing \$15 for a bag. That is just crazy. How do they expect us to get ahead that way, much less feed our children a healthy meal?

I know we are lucky here in Alaska that we are able to get help with the school lunch program, and I am grateful, but it has nothing to do with the prices that we face.

The government expects all of us to go out and get jobs. So where are all those jobs? Just because people do not qualify for unemployment does not mean that there are more people who have jobs, it just means they are less able to support their families. Shame on this government of ours.

Then again they are allowing more immigrants into the U.S. So tell me, how are we supposed to feed them when sometimes we can't even feed ourselves? I hate to seem calous but I would like to see them go back to where they came from and fight for their own rights, just as we do for ours. We do not need to worry about more mouths to feed or have to deal with the hassle that might come from some of them in the form of crimes.

Instead, we need to try to find solutions to help our people, so that

things like crime (stealing) do not happen because someone thinks they need to do so to feed their family.

Oh, and the price for 12 rolls of tissue it is over \$15. Are they trying to make us go back to using catalogs as tissue or what?

I hope all of you have a great summer. At the moment I'm trying to get my kids going so we could plant the garden. Take care all.

As always,
Karen Nanouk
Unalakleet, AK

A Look at the Past



Courtesy the by Carrie M. McLain Memorial Museum

READY, AIM, FIRE! — “Nome Gun Club’s Midnight Handicap Shoot June 23, 1915. The marksman is Scotty Allan, winner of the 1909, 1911 and 1912 All Alaska Sweepstakes.”

Letters to the editor must be signed and include an address and phone number. Thank yous and political endorsements are considered ads.

Editorial

Renaissance

We need a make over for the city of Nome. We need to get rid of the derelict buildings. We have a lot of them, but the one that gives Nome the biggest black eyesore is the old Wein Building on Front Street and Hunter Way, just across the street from City Hall. We need to have owners clean up vacant lots. We need to tear down the health hazards and firetraps. This means get rid of them, not wait for aristocrats to assume the responsibility. Nome’s Front Street /downtown area needs to be revitalized.

Nomeites need to think outside the box— the “big box” look for the design of new buildings like the proposed new state office building is not something we would want to encourage. A whole bunch of money would surely spur us onward for a Nome Renaissance. Our only problem is the absence of funds. However, it doesn’t take money to make plans and it doesn’t take big bucks to generate civic pride, pick up the trash, plant some flowers and get rid of the junk. We could set out a few park benches so Nomeites and visitors could rest their weary feet. It’s a wonder we don’t have a major infestation of rats nesting in our old trash heaps.

Our seawall and waterfront areas have a great deal of potential. They could be made very visitor friendly. Renaissance takes initiative and leadership. We can’t afford to let our town stagnate into indifference. Let’s get involved and encourage our city leaders to take command of Nome’s Renaissance. — N.L.M.—

Summer gets a sunny and smoky start in Nome

As if on cue, the thermometer in Nome pushed the mercury on past 70°F for the first time in 2010 on the official start of summer Monday.

The June 21 high of 70°F, hit just after 10 p.m., and was the first time since Aug. 4, 2009 that Nome experienced such warmth. Only four days in 2009 were 70°F or warmer. Nome was expected to reach at least 70°F on Tuesday and Wednesday, and possibly again on Thursday, according to the National Weather Service.

Nome saw the most days over 70°F in 1977 at 19. In 2001, the temperature never climbed above 69°F.

Nome averages four days a year above 70°F.

The start of summer also got a bit smoky late Monday night and early Tuesday morning as winds from the north drove smoke that likely came from the center of the Seward Peninsula toward Nome. A smoky haze covered the countryside around 1 a.m. Tuesday just north of Nome.

According to the Alaska Interagency Coordination Center, an approximately 30-acre fire near Birch Creek was burning uncontrolled as of Tuesday morning. The center reported the fire as being located approximately 14 miles east of the Kougarak Road where it crosses the Kuzitrin River. A status report from the center said the fire was reported by flight services and was burning in flat tundra. The center said it would continue to monitor the fire.

Another fire was reported at the Paragon River, approximately 12 miles due north of Council. The Alaska Interagency Coordination Center said the fire was initially reported by flight services. The center said a subsequent check of the area did not encounter any smoke or black spots.

Nome Norton Sound Tide Predictions (High & Low Waters) — June 24 - 30, 2010

Day	Date	Time	Height	Time	Height	Time	Height	Time	Height
Th	06/24	05:07 a.m. LDT	1.1H	08:56 a.m. LDT	0.9L	02:58 p.m. LDT	1.5H	10:46 p.m. LDT	-0.1L
F	06/25	06:27 a.m. LDT	1.2H	09:51 a.m. LDT	1.0L	03:39 p.m. LDT	1.4H	11:36 p.m. LDT	-0.2L
Sa	06/26	07:34 a.m. LDT	1.2H	10:50 a.m. LDT	1.1L	04:27 p.m. LDT	1.4H		
Su	06/27	12:24 a.m. LDT	-0.2L	08:27 a.m. LDT	1.3H	11:50 a.m. LDT	1.1L	05:20 p.m. LDT	1.3H
M	06/28	01:09 a.m. LDT	-0.2L	09:08 a.m. LDT	1.3H	12:51 p.m. LDT	1.1L	06:16 p.m. LDT	1.3H
Tu	06/29	01:51 a.m. LDT	-0.1L	09:42 a.m. LDT	1.3H	01:52 p.m. LDT	1.0L	07:13 p.m. LDT	1.3H
W	06/30	02:30 a.m. LDT	-0.1L	10:09 a.m. LDT	1.3H	02:51 p.m. LDT	1.0L	08:08 p.m. LDT	1.2H

All times are listed in Local Standard Time(LST) or, Local Daylight Time (LDT) (when applicable). All heights are in feet referenced to Mean Lower Low Water (MLLW).

Weather Statistics

Sunrise	06/24/10	04:20 a.m.	High Temp	70° 6/21/10	National Weather Service Nome, Alaska (907) 443-2321 1-800-472-0391
	06/30/10	04:28 a.m.	Low Temp	35° 6/7/10	
			Peak Wind	33 mph, ESE, 6/17/10	
			Precip. to Date	2.96"	
Sunset	06/24/10	01:48 a.m.	Normal	4.38"	
	06/30/10	01:42 a.m.			

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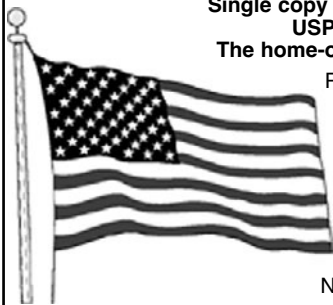
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Alaska News Briefs

Compiled by Diana Haecker

Gulf oil spill impacts Alaska

Alaska Senator Mark Begich on Monday introduced a bill that would require oil companies to set aside funding for damages in the event of a spill. The Guaranteed Oil Spill Compensation Act of 2010 is co-sponsored by Sen. Ron Wyden (D-OR) and Sen. Amy Klobuchar (D-MN). It would require BP or any other company interested in future development of federal oil and gas leases to deposit into an escrow account held by the U.S. government enough money to compensate those affected by a spill.

BP said it would set up a \$20 billion escrow account over the next four years to compensate victims of the Gulf of Mexico oil disaster. The proposed bill says that in the event of a spill, the Secretary of Interior makes an assessment of outstanding liability under provisions of the federal legislation passed after the Exxon Valdez disaster, the Oil Pollution Act of 1990. The spiller must then deposit funds into a separate fund equal to the total liability minus the liability established for the incident by the 1990 bill. The Secretary would then administer the fund for claims and costs related to that spill. Unexpended funds would be returned to the spiller five years after the date of deposit or the date the Secretary determines all federal, state, and civil claims have been satisfied.

The measure would have no affect on other liability. The *Anchorage Daily News* reports that Begich has forwarded the legislation to Sen. Lisa Murkowski for review, but that she hasn't signed onto it. She is working on her own oil spill legislation that would allow the administration to set liability on offshore oil and gas projects on a case-by-case basis.

While lawmakers work on laws to set up spill funds, the Center for Biological Diversity sued BP and Transocean Ltd., for illegally spewing more than 100 million gallons of oil and other toxic pollutants into the Gulf of Mexico. The suit was filed in federal court in New Orleans. The environmental non-profit says it is the largest citizen lawsuit action ever

taken under the Clean Water Act. The Center is seeking the maximum possible penalty against BP. At a fine of \$4,300 per barrel spilled, the Center says, BP is already liable for approximately \$11 billion in Clean Water Act penalties. If the spill continues through August 1, BP's liability will be approximately \$19 billion.

While the drill moratorium in all waters of the U.S. is still in place, Shell Alaska had to cancel its plans to explore for oil and gas in the Chukchi and Beaufort Sea. After BP announced it would set up a \$100 million compensation fund for laid-off oil workers, Governor Sean Parnell was quick to direct Labor and Workforce Development Commissioner Click Bishop to make sure that Alaskans are included in compensation.



AIDEA partners with federal program for renewable energy loans

The Alaska Industrial Development and Export Authority teamed up with the Department of Energy to offer loan guarantees of up to 80 percent of the cost of qualifying renewable energy projects in Alaska. These can include wind farms, geothermal projects and hydroelectric projects. Loan guarantees may also be used for constructing interties that connect newly-developed renewable energy to the grid. There are about \$6 billion in this DOE program, which was funded by the American Reinvestment and Recovery Act in 2009. According to the Alaska Energy Authority, there is no allocation by state. Funds for qualified projects are available by application submitted through AIDEA.

Bills signed into law

The 26th Legislature's centerpiece in form of House and Senate bills that now establish a statewide energy policy were signed into law last week. Governor Parnell signed the bills in a ceremony in Anchorage. The House Energy Committee sponsored **House Bill 306** and hailed it as a unique piece of legislation. The bill was not drafted by legislators but a group of Alaskans with decades of experience in energy issues. The State Energy Policy lays out five main goals: establishing a statewide energy policy; working toward energy efficiency and conservation; encouraging economic development in Alaska; supporting energy research, education and workforce development; and coordinating governmental functions to support these actions. **HB 306** sets the goal for Alaska to generate 50 percent of its electricity through renewable resources by 2025, primarily through hydroelectric projects.

Parnell also signed Senate **Bill 220**, the Omnibus Energy Bill or the Alaska Sustainable Energy Act, into law. The senate bill pushes for development of Alaska's fossil fuel resources but also incorporates renewable energy potential. **SB 220** creates the energy efficiency revolving loan fund and directs the DOT to evaluate state buildings for energy efficiency. The bill also established the Emerging Energy Technology fund, to make grants for demonstration projects of technology that will be commercially viable within five years.

In the past week, Parnell also signed education bills. **House Bill 424** places a general obligation bond package on the November ballot. If approved by voters, projects funded by the bonds include University of Alaska facilities, student housing, state library archives and museum, three rural school replacements or renovations and an aquatic facility for Mount Edgecumbe High School. Parnell also signed **Senate Bill 237**, which extends the 70/30 state/local school construction reimbursement program in urban areas of the state.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

June 24 - June 30, 2010

EVENT	PLACE	TIME
Thursday, June 24		
*Tennis	Nome Rec Center	5:30 a.m. - 7 a.m.
*High School Practice	Pool	6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m.
*NACTEC Classes	Pool	8 a.m. - 10 a.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	7 a.m. - noon
*Children's Library Hour	Kegoayah Library	10 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Crafts and Activities (ages 6-13)		
Real Estate Auction	204 Fore and Aft Drive	11 a.m.
*Lap Swim	Pool	11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
*Summerise	Nome Rec Center	noon - 5 p.m.
*Discipline: Teaching with Love video	Prematernal Home	1:30 p.m.
*Strength Training with Robin	Nome Rec Center	4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.
*The Middle Years video	Prematernal Home	4:30 p.m.
*Lap Swim	Pool	5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
*Kripalu Yoga with Kelly K.	Nome Rec Center	5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.
*Nome Food Bank	Bering & Seppala	5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.
*Water Aerobics	Pool	6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
*Swing Dancing with Seiji	Nome Rec Center	7 p.m. - 8 p.m.
*Thrift Shop	Methodist Church	7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. ONLY
Pool closed until July		

Friday, June 25

*Pick-up Basketball	Nome Rec Center	5:30 a.m. - 7 a.m.
*Lap Swim	Pool	6 a.m. - 7:15 a.m.
*NACTEC Classes	Pool	8 a.m. - 10 a.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	7 a.m. - 10 a.m.
*Quiet time (ages 3 - 13)	Kegoayah Library	10 a.m.
*Kindergym	Nome Rec Center	10 a.m. - noon
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	noon - 8 p.m.
*Medicaid/Denali Kid Care video	Prematernal Home	2 p.m.
*Beginning Ballet 5-9 years old	Nome Rec Center	3 p.m. - 4 p.m.
*Sacred Trust video	Prematernal Home	4:30 p.m.
*Arms and Abs	Nome Rec Center	5:30 p.m. - 6:20 p.m.
*Tae Kwon Do with Master Dan	Nome Rec Center	6:45 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.
*AA Meeting	Lutheran Church (rear)	8 p.m.
*Adult Drop-In Soccer	Nome Rec Center	8 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Saturday, June 26

*UMW Thrift Shop	Methodist Church	11 a.m. - 1 p.m.
*Water Aerobics	Pool	1 p.m. - 2 p.m.
*The Joys of Stress video	Prematernal Home	1:30 p.m.
*Family Swim	Pool	2 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
*Open Swim	Pool	3:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.
*Close to the Heart video	Prematernal Home	4:30 p.m.
*Lap Swim	Pool	5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Sunday, June 27

*14 Steps to Better Breastfeeding video	Prematernal Home	1:30 p.m.
*AIDS & Women: Greatest Gamble video	Prematernal Home	4:30 p.m.

Monday, June 28

*Pick-up Basketball	Nome Rec Center	5:30 a.m. - 7 a.m.
*Lap Swim	Pool	6 a.m. - 7:15 a.m.
*NACTEC Classes	Pool	8 a.m. - 10 a.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	7 a.m. - 10 a.m.
*Kindergym	Nome Rec Center	10 a.m. - noon
*Summerise	Nome Rec Center	noon - 5 p.m.
*Social Services class	Prematernal Home	1:30 p.m.
*Vaccines video	Prematernal Home	4:30 p.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	5 p.m. - 8 p.m.
Total Body Toning	Nome Rec Center	5:30 p.m. - 6:20 p.m.
*Water Aerobics	Pool	6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
*Tae Kwon Do with Master Dan	Nome Rec Center	6:45 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.
Nome Common Council Reg Mtg	Council Chambers	7:30 p.m.
*Adult Drop-In Volleyball	Nome Rec Center	8 p.m. - 10 p.m.
*AA Meeting	Lutheran Church (rear)	8 p.m.

Tuesday, June 29

*Tennis	Nome Rec Center	5:30 a.m. - 7 a.m.
*NACTEC Classes	Pool	8 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	7 a.m. - noon
*Children's Library Hour	Kegoayah Library	10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Storytime and Crafts (ages 3-5)		
*Lap Swim	Pool	11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.
*Summerise	Nome Rec Center	noon - 5 p.m.
*Labor and Delivery for Teens video	Prematernal Home	1:30 p.m.
*Junior Lifeguard	Pool	4 p.m. - 5 p.m.
*Strength Training with Robin	Nome Rec Center	4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.
*Circumcision video	Prematernal Home	4:30 p.m.
*Lap Swim	Pool	5 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
*Kripalu Yoga with Kelly K.	Nome Rec Center	5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	5 p.m. - 8 p.m.
*Nome Food Bank	Bering & Seppala	5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m.
*Open Swim	Pool	6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.
*AA Teleconference: 1-800-914-3396	(CODE: 3534534#)	7 p.m.
*Thrift Shop	Methodist Church	7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. ONLY
*Adult Drop-In Volleyball	Nome Rec Center	8 p.m. - 10 p.m.

Wednesday, June 30

*Pick-up Basketball	Nome Rec Center	5:30 a.m. - 7 a.m.
*Lap Swim	Pool	6 a.m. - 7:15 a.m.
*NACTEC Classes	Pool	8 a.m. - 10 a.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	7 a.m. - 10 a.m.
*Kindergym	Nome Rec Center	10 a.m. - noon
*Summerise	Nome Rec Center	noon - 5 p.m.
*Rotary Club	Airport Pizza	noon - 5 p.m.
*ACSA Swimming	Pool	noon - 3 p.m.
*Audiology Class	Prematernal Home	1:30 p.m.
*Making a Difference: Prenatal Care video	Prematernal Home	4:30 p.m.
*Baton with Jay	Nome Rec Center	4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.
*Open Gym	Nome Rec Center	5 p.m. - 10 p.m.
*Butts and Guts	Nome Rec Center	5:30 p.m. - 6:20 p.m.
*Family Swim	Pool	6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.
*Tae Kwon Do with Master Dan	Nome Rec Center	6:45 p.m. - 8:45 p.m.
*Hello Central (also on Channel 98)	Nome Visitors Center	7:30 p.m.

Community points of interest hours of operation:		
Carrie McLain Memorial Museum	Front Street	10 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. (M - F) 10 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Sa) 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. (S)
Library Hours	Kegoayah Library	additional hours by appointment noon - 8 p.m. (M - Th) noon - 6 p.m. (F - Sa)
Nome Visitor Center	Front Street	9 a.m. - 5 p.m. (M - F)
Northwest Campus Library	Northwest Campus	2 p.m. - 9 p.m. (M - Th) 1 p.m. - 5 p.m. (Sa)
XYZ Center	Center Street	8 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Tu - F)
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Coast Guard markers will guide mariners to Nome harbor

By Laurie McNicholas

U.S. Coast Guard personnel will build and install two range marker lights this week for safe navigation of the entrance to the Nome harbor, reports Harbormaster Joy Baker. She said she has tried to obtain them since 2005.

The Nome Common Council cleared the way for installation of the range markers at a special meeting on Monday by approving an amended ordinance authorizing disposal of a portion of the city's interest in lot 64A, block 57 containing about 400 square feet under a lease agreement with the Coast Guard. The front range marker light will be placed at this

beach location.

The lease agreement gives the Coast Guard possessory interest in the site for one year with an option to renew the lease for 19 successive one-year periods. The Coast Guard will pay no rent on the property, which is valued at about \$25,000, for the entire term of the lease.

The rear range marker light will stand on high ground owned by the city next to the Nome Cemetery. The city granted an easement encroachment license for the navigation aid on a 400-square-foot parcel adjacent to West "I" Street between the cemetery and Blocks 102 and 134.

Coast Guardsman Mike Thommasson, USCG damage control specialist second class, answered questions about the range markers at a council meeting on June 14. He said the towers are 7 feet square and 15 feet tall, and the lanterns are 12 to 14 inches in diameter.

Councilman Stan Andersen asked whether the lights would shine directly into residences along the Snake River. "They will not shine directly into residences," Thommasson replied. "The lantern has an eight degree range, so off its center, it shines only 4 degrees."

"Why are there two lights?" Andersen asked. Thommasson said when the lights are

lined up one on top of the other, they show dead center to mariners at night. In the daytime the towers' red day boards with a vertical white line at center serve the same purpose, he added.

"Can you see them from a mile out?" Andersen asked.

"Yes, sir; they are set up for a 10- to 15-mile range, and you can use the lights as beacons so you know where you are," Thommasson said. He said the Coast Guard services navigational aids at Nome, Unalakleet and as far north as Kotzebue. Nomeites may see tower structures suspended beneath helicopters en route to various sites, he noted, adding that many of them get damaged.

Code variance helps NEC give an elder a lift in lifestyle

By Sandra L. Medearis

The Nome Planning Commission has granted a code variance to allow Nome Eskimo Community to remodel Harriet Simpson's home that sits very close to the property line separating her lot from that of her next-door neighbor, Duffy Halliday.

To avoid a possible illegal decision to let one person build on another person's property, the planning group traded the requested variance for another effective when the house was moved over.

Glen Pardy, NEC housing director, requested the variance so a renovation crew could enlarge the north side of the house where the building does meet the set-back law. The house at 415 Division St. does not meet the five-foot set-back require-

ment on the south side. The work on that side would involve only painting, the installation of vinyl clad windows, and fire retardant material that could put the side of the house an inch or so over the line.

Neighbor Halladay, away in Fairbanks, sent a letter supporting the request. Halladay urged the planners to approve the variance on set-back that would permit a possible encroachment so that the house would not have to be moved, but expressed a concern that there could be an issue with title insurance.

However, after some discussion, the commission decided it could not approve a variance that would allow a house to encroach on another's property.

"I don't think we have the author-

ity to give a variance to build on another person's lot," Commissioner Charlie Weiss said.

Pardy told the commission he had an estimate of \$1,500 for getting the house moved over a bit.

Move the house, the commission told Pardy, and voted to allow variances on set-backs so the firewall protection could stay inside Simp-

son's lot.

The project will make the 553-square-foot home larger, safer and warmer. Funded by grant money, the 7-foot by 17-foot addition will allow a second bedroom and a modern kitchen and bathroom. The interior plywood walls and paneled ceiling will be gutted and recovered with gypsum wall board, fire-taped and painted. Electri-

cal upgrades will include new wiring and light fixtures, while plumbing upgrades will put in an on-demand water heater, and washer and dryer drain and hookups. New doors will be installed after leveling.

The budget for the project is \$150,000, comprising grants from four agencies. Pardy expected the project to be finished in September.

• Michels

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and \$900 to get there," she said.

On a second front, travel for work and other commitments has effectively kept Michels off the campaign trail. Michels said she was to be in South Dakota this week for her job as transportation director for Kawerak, which was to be followed by another week in Greenland for a conference on Arctic issues. Such a travel schedule leaves little time for campaigning. "I thought, those are two weeks where I really need to be out campaigning and getting my name out there," she said.

Her other commitments notwithstanding, Michels also faced a largely uphill battle in getting her name out to a broad state audience. Her main competition in the race was Diane Benson, a candidate who had already battled through a few statewide races, including a run for governor and two campaigns for the U.S. House of Representatives. In 2006 she garnered an impressive 40 percent of the vote in an effort to unseat Alaska's longtime congressman Don Young.

While a late May poll conducted by Strategies 360/DRM Market Research showed most of the polled voters saying they were undecided regarding the Democratic primary for lieutenant governor, Benson

gained far more favorable numbers than Michels. Out of 375 likely primary voters polled, 47 said they were undecided, 45 said they would vote for Benson, five said they would vote for Michels and three voiced support for another candidate.

Now that her candidacy is dropped, Michels said she is not yet endorsing any one candidate for either the lieutenant governor's or the governor's race. She said both Democratic candidates for governor, Ethan Berkowitz and Hollis French could serve the state well. "For governor, Ethan and Hollis are very capable. In the couple of debates I've listened to, I think Ethan has a more solid grip on rural issues and solutions, but I think they're both honorable," she said.

Michels' step off the campaign trail mirrors the move made by Bob Poe, a former state commissioner who dropped out of the Democratic race for governor about a week before Michels' departure. That leaves Berkowitz and French as the only two Democratic candidates for the governor's race. Benson is joined in the Democratic lieutenant governor's race by late filers—and largely unknown candidates—Lynette Moreno-Hinz and J.J. "Jack" Powers, both of Anchorage.



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Caution urged as musk ox move into yards, trails

By Tyler Rhodes

Those who live or travel around the outskirts of Nome are likely to have encountered summer visitors who have descended from the hills after the long, cold winter.

Now that the area's musk ox—and humans, for that matter—are on the move in the countryside, Alaska Department of Fish and Game officials are asking that people maintain a heightened awareness of our shaggy neighbors for the safety of both man and musk ox.

The neighborhoods around Anvil Mountain and the flanks of Newton Peak have seen an abundance of musk oxen this summer, browsing and generally hanging out near homes; and more than one car has had to wait out a musk ox traffic jam on the Kougarok Road just a few

miles out of town.

The proximity of man and beast has already resulted in one musk ox calf meeting an untimely end this year, according to Fish and Game wildlife biologist Letty Hughes. The calf didn't die of any trauma as a result of a car or gun, but by a more indirect connection to humans. "It turns out it got into your everyday plastic bag," Hughes said.

Hughes said Fish and Game was first alerted by a homeowner on the side of Anvil Mountain who called to report the dead calf, and its agitated mother, in their yard. Fish and Game sent the calf off to Fairbanks for a necropsy where it was determined that it had suffocated when a plastic bag became lodged in its throat.

Hughes said the incident provides a couple of good reminders for the

public. She noted that with more musk ox closer to homes and the area's population center, people need to be more conscious of the animals' presence. She also expressed her appreciation for the homeowner calling the department to let them know of the dead animal. "Had this not been called in, we would not have known," she said.

With Anvil Mountain popular with hikers, Hughes cautions people to be on the lookout for the animals. With willows currently in full bloom, the musk oxen may be hidden from view until people walk right up on them. When the musk oxen are encountered, they tend to hold their ground. "Basically musk ox are like stubborn goats," Fish and Game biologist Tony Gorn said. "They're not going to respond to you sticking your chest out."

Hughes said when the animals be-

come stressed they tend to shake their heads or paw the ground. Other signs of stressed musk ox include their tendency to group in a circle or line when approached or when bulls begin butting heads. Gorn recommends giving the animals their space and even running away if they appear agitated. "It's kind of the opposite rules of bears," he said. "Just give them room. Moving away quickly or walking away is completely acceptable with a musk ox where you wouldn't want to run away from a bear."

While the musk oxen may appear to be habituated to humans due to their reluctance to scatter far and wide at our approach, Hughes warns that the animals are prone to sudden mood shifts. "They're very temperamental," she said.

Gorn said people and musk ox

have largely interacted well in the area with few reported clashes. One young bull musk ox was shot a few years ago in the Tripple Creek area just north of Nome after it had been charging dogs, cars and people for days. There have also been reports of a few encounters between dogs and musk ox.

Gorn and Hughes recommend using a sprinkler to help keep the musk ox out of yards and away from houses. A "water wall" seems to deter the animals from approaching, they said. Otherwise, they recommend patience. "If they're on the road or your favorite trail, you're just going to have to wait them out," Hughes said.

Hughes encourages people to report any concerns, observations or questions they may have regarding the area's musk ox population to Fish and Game's Nome office at 443-2271.

Herring harvest posts record high roe recovery

By Laurie McNicholas

Approximately 30 fishermen delivered 622 tons of herring averaging 13.6 percent ripe eggs by weight during this year's Norton Sound herring sac roe fishery, according to preliminary catch figures provided Monday by Jim Menard, Alaska Department of Fish and Game area

manager for Norton Sound and Kotzebue.

"The roe recovery was a record, easily surpassing the previous record of 12.3 percent in 2001," Menard said. "Although there were over 8,000 tons of herring on the quota, the large amounts of ice this year created problems for the fishing fleet being able to catch the 1,000 tons of herring the market

was willing to buy. The department thanks the cooperative effort of Norton Sound Economic Development Corp. with Icicle Seafoods in bringing back the first sac roe herring fishery since 2006. The department also thanks NSEDC biologists for their huge assistance in flying most of the herring aerial surveys and their assistance to the fishing fleet."

NSEDC set sac roe herring prices on a sliding scale from \$140 for 7 percent roe, the minimum accepted for the roe market, to \$260 per ton for 13 percent roe.

Menard said Icicle Seafoods' processor and four tenders left Norton Sound Sunday morning for Bristol Bay.

Small fires keep crews hopping

By Tyler Rhodes

Nome's firefighters were kept busy late last week by an old fuel tank that erupted in flames June 17 and a structure fire on Saturday on the north end of Steadman Street. No one was injured in either incident and no major damage occurred.

The fire department was called out to the area adjacent to Nome's softball fields between the city center and high school around 3 p.m. June 17. According to Nome Volunteer Fire Department Chief Matt Johnson, scrap metal collectors working at the site were using a plasma cutter to dismantle the tanks when a residue within the tanks likely ignited. "I think it scared them pretty good," Johnson said.

The demolition of the tanks was part of an Alaska Gold Co. initiative to clean old and unused equip-

ment from its property in and around Nome, according to the company's land manager Nikolai Ivanoff. The tanks are on Alaska Gold land.

After setting up at the site and assessing the situation, firefighters quickly extinguished the fire. From afar, only smoke was visible rising from the tank. Johnson said the department approaches fires of an unknown substance in an enclosed structure like a fuel tank with extreme caution. "Our biggest concern when we arrive on the scene like that is to protect our own people," Johnson said.

Saturday's fire response came early when crews were called out to 605 Steadman Street at Darlene Milligrock's house. Johnson said little about the incident, noting that as of June 21 it was still under investiga-

tion by local police and the state fire marshal. Johnson said the house sustained limited damage.

Milligrock said the fire occurred in her bedroom near her bed sometime around 5:30 a.m. "I have no idea how it started," she said. Milligrock said the fire started near the corner of her bed where there was no ignition source, such as an outlet or other electrical device.

Milligrock said she was not home at the time of the fire, noting her two boys and their cousin were at the house at the time. She said the cousin put out the fire before the fire department arrived. "They just had to make sure it was out," she said.

Milligrock, who was home Monday cleaning up the soot and mess in her room left by the fire, said the fire department took her bed and rug for the investigation.



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Everyone loves a parade

PIRATES LOVE TO READ (above)—Tad Crowe, with a little help from a parrot, leads the Nome library's float down Front Street for the annual Midnight Sun Festival Parade June 19.

BEST BIKE (above right)—Marsha Sloan pedals her bike, dressed as a hungry-bear, down Front Street for the parade. The bike was awarded the best of the parade.

A CANDIED MOOSE (right)—The CAMP Department's moose hands out treats at the parade.

ROYALTY (below)—Miss Arctic Native Brotherhood Marjorie Tahbone gives a wave to the crowd.



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Taking the plunge

REPRESENTING THE CRAZY (above left)—Rep. Neal Foster, clad in Roman warrior garb, leads the rest of the crowd with loose screws into the frigid Bering Sea June 19 for the annual Polar Bear Swim. Flanking Foster are Rotary Club members Leo Rasmussen and Danielle Sylvester who helped promote the plunge as a Rotary Club fundraiser to raise money for renovations to Nome's East End Park.

NO BULLHORN NEEDED (below)—Danielle Sylvester gives a shout as she makes her way back to shore after her saltwater bath off East Beach.

A RETURN TO LAND (below left)—Polar Bear swimmers shiver their way back to the beach after their dunking. Just a few yards inland a large pallette-fed bonfire awaited for a rapid warming.



Photos by Tyler Rhodes

Payenna again tops Gold Dust Dash field

Nearly 50 runners got an early start to the longest Saturday of the year in a chase for paydirt during the 2010 Gold Dust Dash.

With gold nuggets up for grabs for the top two finishers and a third nugget that gets raffled off, there was plenty of motivation to get runners out of bed for the 8 a.m. start. High school runner Teddy Payenna once again set the pace and lined his pockets, taking first by a mere second with a time of 24 minutes, two seconds. Elim cross country coach Nick Schollmeier finished right on Payenna's shoulder at 24:03 in the 3.6-mile race to earn that second gold nugget.

The race takes place on the beach, forcing runners to work their way along, trying to find the firmest sand while avoiding a complete dousing by the incoming waves. The race starts at East Beach, runs to the mouth of the Nome River and returns to the start. Visiting CAMP Summercise intern Christina DiMaria took top honors for the women, finishing in 33:54. Student Rosa Schmidt was the second woman to cross the line at 35 minutes flat.

The third gold nugget given away Saturday morning went to Wilson Hoogendorn in a raffle.

The yearly race held on the Saturday of Nome's Midnight Sun Festival weekend is sponsored by the Norton Sound Health Corp. CAMP Department.

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1) Teddy Payenna, 24:02; 2) Nick Schollmeier, 24:03; 3) Jeremy Head, 25:12; 4) Jeff Collins, 26:32; 5) Jun-ior Erickson, 29:48; 6) Graham

Becherer, 30:47; 7) Bob Lawrence, 32:14; 8) Leif Erickson, 33:12; 9) Jeremy Morris, 33:24; 10) Christina DiMaria, 33:54 (first woman finisher); 11) Corey Erickson, 34:11; 12) Cody Galipeau, 34:46; 13) Oliver Hoogendorn, 34:58; 14) Rosa Schmidt, 35:00; 15) Kelcii Peck, 35:25; 16) Crystal

Tobuk, 36:11; 17) Troy Walker, 37:58; 18) Kelly Keyes, 38:6; 19) Amber Bradley, 38:49; 20) Wilson Hoogendorn, 39:39; 21) Jessilyn Dunkelberger, 40:00; 22) Darcy Perkins, 40:05; 23) Joseph Fiskeaux, 40:47; 24) Nikki Scherer, 41:07; 25) Danielle Sylvester, 41:10; 26) Kendra Baggett,

41:48; 27) Bridgett Watkins, 41:55; 28) Mary David, 44:59; 29) Elizabeth Korenek-Johnson, 47:33; 30) Christine Schultz, 48:23; 31) Nicholas Morgan, 48:24; 32) Terrie Perkins, 49:20; 33) Roben Jack, 51:29; 34) Jennifer Goslin, 54:33; 35) Audrey Lawrence, 55:55; 36) Dawyn Sawyer, 57:20; 37)

Meredith Ahmasuk, 59:37; 38) Nancy Fiskeaux, 1:03:35; 39) Linda Carlson, 1:05:36; 40) Ada Lawrence, 1:06:02; 40) Adria Lawrence, 1:06:02; 40) Laura Lawrence, 1:06:02; 41) Christy Fiskeaux, 1:09:52; 42) Abby Huggins, 1:11:20; 42) Linda Maack, 1:11:20; 42) Ben Matheson, 1:11:20.

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Battle on the river

THEY'RE OFF (above)—Despite the rain the Bering Sea Lions Club Nome River Raft Race fielded at least a dozen teams June 20. The Howling Dawgs (far left) received first place for the second year in a row, finishing the race in an hour and 48 minutes. The race starts at Mile 13 of the Kougatok Road and ends in Dexter.

SCENIC FLOAT (left)—Teams make their way around one of the river's sweeping corners during the event.

RAIN DOESN'T MATTER (below right)—A little drizzle doesn't mean much when teams take every opportunity to soak each other.

SOAKED (below left)—The Peelin' Royalty team is doused from the bridge.

DRESSED UP (bottom left)—The Class of 1990 team dresses up for the occasion.

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Bering Sea Lions Club Nome River Raft Race top five

1) **Howling Dawgs**, 1:48: Barnaby Longley, Truman Johnson, Landis Bjorgen, Steffan Cox, Willis Pate, Kyle Griemsmann, Frank Krier; 2) **River Rats**, 2:15: Nicholas Reader, Ramon, David Larsen, Chelsea Reader; 3) **Class 1990**, 2:26: Robby Thrun, Jerry Verdin, Irv Itchoak, John Bahnke III; 4) **Peelin' Royalty**, 2:40: Scott Dixon, John Park, Krysta Kauer, Brenda Green; 5) **Team No Tobacco**, 2:50: Ron Horner, Matt Tomter, Katie Tomter, Elizabeth Tomter, June Baker, Tori Thomas, James and Nolen Horner, Leaf Erickson, Judith Jessup. (This team also won the Nome Community Center tobacco-free theme contest.)

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JOIN HANDS (far left)—Dancers move to the calls of Bob Metcalf and the sounds of Landbridge Tollbooth during the Midnight Sun Folk Fest Big Barn Dance June 15 at Old St. Joe's Hall.

CROWD APPEAL (above)—Greg Liszt shows kids at Nome Elementary the ins and outs of his banjo June 18. Liszt was visiting town as part of the 2010 Folk Fest guest band Crooked Still.

GIVE IT A TRY (left)—Crooked Still cello player Tristan Claridge lets a young player give bowing a try during the kids concert June 18.



SWING YOUR PARTNER—Mother-daughter team Kacey (right) and Maggie Miller make their way across the floor at Nome Elementary School as Crooked Still plays a kids' concert June 18 for the Nome Midnight Sun Folk Fest.

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Music to Nome's ears



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WITH FEELING (top left)—Lance Johnson lets it all hang out during his performance of a John Prine tune at the Nome Midnight Sun Folk Fest's Main Stage event at Nome Elementary School Saturday afternoon. Johnson was one of 26 acts to take the stage performing everything from folk music to heavy metal.

HOMETOWN GIRL (top right)—Naomi Jorgensen strums an original tune for the crowd during her set to warm up the stage before the 2010 Folk Fest guest band takes the stage.

ON STAGE FAR FROM HOME (above)—Crooked Still's Aoife O'Donovan sings a song from the band's new album while Corey Di-Mario plays the double bass in the background. Hailing from Boston, the 2010 guest band seemingly played nonstop during their three-day visit to Nome, wowing audiences at a kids' concert, a show at the elementary school, radio appearances, a Main Stage appearance, during the parade and a late-night show at the Board of Trade Saloon.

OZZY'S NOME AMBASSADOR (left)—Andrew Cooper lets his fingers fly during his Main Stage set, playing Black Sabbath tunes on his Flying V Gibson guitar.



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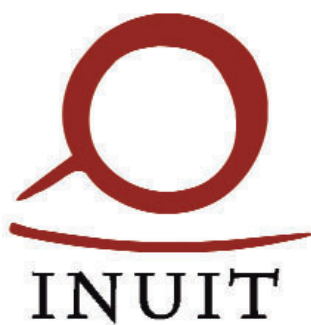
DYNAMITE! (above left)—Ken Shapiro, playing a bad guy, pulls out his “key” to the bank door during Saturday’s annual re-enactment of the bank robbery during the 2010 Nome Midnight Sun Festival.

WAITING FOR THE BOOM (above right)—Young spectators cue off bad guys Seiji Heck (left) and Andrew James as they wait for the dynamite to do its work. This year’s dynamite proved to be a dud, sparing ears and windows. The robbers found the bank door unlocked anyway.

STAND-OFF (bottom left)—Wyatt Earp (a.k.a. Arlo Hannigan) stares down Shapiro and his gang.

THE CAST (bottom right)—Some actors let a few rounds fly as the performers pose for photos.

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Posts will appear regularly on Mr. Hess's blog. A link to the blog and further information regarding the Assembly can be found at: <http://www.iccalaska.org>



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Initiative backers drop out, but Measure One still on ballot

By Diana Haecker

Clean Team Alaska has withdrawn from actively backing a measure that would ban the use of public funds for political campaigns and lobbying, after Lt. Governor Craig Campbell had changed the wording of the measure’s title. It now reads that the measure is “(An) initiative prohibiting the use of public funds to lobby or campaign; and prohibiting holders of government contracts and family members from making political contributions.” The original ballot measure was titled, “(An) initiative prohibiting public funds for election campaigns; also prohibiting campaign contributions by holders of government contracts.” Initiative proponents with Clean Team Alaska said that Lt. Gov. Craig Campbell “unilaterally and capriciously” changed the ballot language to unfairly bias voters against the initiative. In reaction, Clean Team Alaska Chairman and former state legislator Dick Randolph said in a prepared statement, “The current attorney general and lieutenant governor are clearly not acting within the law, and

the only course of action we have is a lengthy and costly legal fight with very little expectation of a favorable ruling from a court system that embraces the same culture of corruption as the attorney general and lieutenant governor.” Supporters like to call it an anti-corruption measure, but opponents, mostly found in municipal government and union organizations, call it a “gag measure.” According to a legal review by the attorney general, the bill would ban the use of public funds for political campaigns and lobbying. Funds could not be used to support or oppose a ballot measure. The bill would limit political involvement in government contracts. It would ban political contributions by holders of government contracts and their families and it would ban legislators and their staff from being employed by holders of government contracts for two years after leaving state service. The bill has criminal and civil penalties. In a legal opinion, AG Dan Sullivan said that the initiative consists of two sections. Section 1 is a prohibition on use of public funds for elec-

tioning, a prohibition that is already in place by Alaska Statute, but adds on a prohibition against the use of public funds to advocate in ballot measure campaigns. Section 1 also prohibits the use of tax revenues or public resources for campaign, lobbying or partisan purposes. Sullivan said that the law now permits the use of public funds in a ballot measure campaign if the legislature or local legislative body appropriates funds for that purpose but prohibits public spending in candidate campaigns. Section 2 prohibits contractors on public works construction projects from making contributions to candidates. Sullivan noted that a potential conflict could come about – if the measure passes – as the legislature can appropriate money for ballot measures. “Thus, it is conceivable that if this ballot measure were enacted, the legislature could, consistent with the constitution, appropriate funds in violation of this provision. We doubt that the courts would enforce against the legislature a statute that restricts the constitutional power of appropriation. Ac-

ceptance of such appropriated funds, however, could expose the recipient to criminal and civil sanctions,” wrote Sullivan. Opponents of the measure argue that the bill would limit the ability of families, non-profits, businesses and communities to take part in the political process. The opposition has formed a counter campaign called “Stop The Gag Law” and manager Josh Applebee said that including family members of state contract holders would exponentially increase the number of people potentially affected by this initiative. Applebee said although the backers of ballot initiative 1 withdrew from the active fight for votes, “Stop the Gag Law” coalition would continue to fight against it. The coalition is made up of a number of Alaska employee associations, business and industry organizations, non-profits and unions. The Alaska State Employee Association, the Alaska Municipal League, AFL-CIO and others have thrown their weight behind the “Stop the Gag” law coalition. Resolutions passed against measure 1 came from 33 or-

ganizations and governmental bodies including the Alaska Village Electric Cooperative, Kawerak, the City of Nome, and the villages of Teller, Buckland and Brevig Mission.

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It also establishes for the first time a rural school construction fund. Also signed into law were bills relating to alcohol abuse. Senate Bill 194 increases civil damages for purchasing alcohol for minors. The governor signed two bills affecting the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board. **Senate Bill 261**, sponsored by Senator Donny Olson, adds a rural seat to the board. **Senate Bill 234** extends the board to June 30, 2011. **House Bill 98** brings bootlegging penalties in line with DUI penalties and ensures that those convicted for repeat minor consuming will receive increased penalties.

Postal Service mulls reduction of mail delivery

In order to cut costs, the U.S. Postal Service proposed to reduce mail delivery to five days a week. The Postal Regulatory Commission said it would hold field hearings in eight cities in the Lower 48. This prompted Alaska Senators Mark Begich and Lisa Murkowski in addition to the two Hawaiian Senators to request field hearings in Alaska and Hawaii as well. They said in a letter to the commission that mail delivery is different in Alaska and Hawaii, as residents there depend on the post office for basic and necessary items. The commission has said that the nationwide elimination of Saturday mail delivery service is one of the most significant changes ever proposed for the Postal Service.

Supporting literacy, one baby at a time

Submitted by the Nome Literacy Council

On May 28, the Nome Literacy Council delivered 100 book bags to the Outpatient Clinic at the Norton Sound Regional Hospital. The book bags will be given to new mothers at the hospital for their new baby. The bags include literature from the National Institute on Literacy about why literacy is so important and guidelines for parents. The project also teamed with the Bering Straits Foundation. The foundation approved funding for the purchase of 100 copies of the book “Baby Beluga,” selected by the foundation’s board. They were happy to be supporting

this literacy project and happy to give a book to the new babies born in the Norton Sound region. The bags also include magnetic letters and a local brochure filled with literacy tips and information on the Imagination Library. The Nome Literacy Council is in charge of raising money for the Imagination Library and signing students up for the program. The Imagination Library provides books to children in Nome ages 0-5. They receive one book a month until they “graduate” from the program at 5 years of age. The program began with grant money and is now locally funded with donations and fundraisers with the Nome Literacy Council. While not all children in the region can

sign up for the Imagination Library program, they will still receive a free book thanks to the Bering Straits Foundation in the book bags. Aside from the new baby book bags, the Nome Literacy Council also helps provide books for the bookrack in the hospital waiting room. Children are able to go over to the bookrack and select a book while they wait for their appointment. Reading is such an important activity. This summer remember to support young readers, take books to camp, read before bed or try to read a book together before playing a game or watching TV. We can all help to support literacy one baby at a time.

Emergency Preparedness Information

Week 1

Set aside these items:

- ☐ 1 gallon of water*
- ☐ 1 jar peanut butter
- ☐ 2 large cans juice*
- ☐ 2 cans meat*
- ☐ 1 hand-operated can opener
- ☐ Permanent marker
- ☐ Pet food
- ☐ Diapers
- ☐ Baby food

*This amount for each family member

Do these things:

- ☐ For perishable foods, write the date on the can or box when you stored the item so that it could be rotated later.
- ☐ Decide who your out-of-area contact person will be so that this person could be the contact person for the family in case of an emergency. This person is who everyone will contact in case you become separated. Call this person to explain your emergency preparedness.

You can prepare for an emergency by setting aside enough food, water, and other necessities to last for seven days. Guidelines will be shared over a 24-week period to “stretch out” the cost over six months.

Instructions over the next few weeks will tell you when to rotate food. To rotate food, use the food you set aside in a previous week to prepare a meal and then set aside a fresh item in its place.

Week 2

Set aside these items:

- ☐ Heavy cotton or hemp rope
- ☐ Duct tape
- ☐ 2 flashlights with spare batteries
- ☐ Waterproof matches for outside use ONLY with appropriate stove or grill
- ☐ Leash or pet carrier
- ☐ Extra set of I.D. tags

Do these things:

- ☐ Sign up for a CPR/Basic First Aid class. There may be a class scheduled soon. Check with your employer or with the City of Nome **443-7823**.

All Around the Sound

New Arrivals

Madeline C. Omiak of Nome announces the birth of her son **Jeremy Nayalran Tall**, born June 7 at 11:41 a.m. He weighed 7 pounds, 2.8 ounces and was 19 1/2" in length. Maternal grandparents are Evelyn Omiak of Nome and Patrick Omiak, Sr. of Little Diomed.

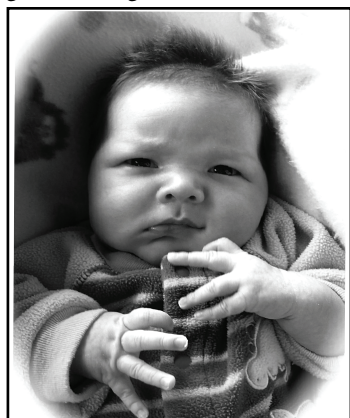
Karlene Huhn and Roger Manuel are proud to announce the arrival of their little princess **Zoey Kendall Manuel**, born June 7 at 5:30 p.m. She weighed 7 lbs., 3 ozs. and was 20 inches long. She joins her cool teen uncle John, big sisters Brittany and Madison and her big brother Ira. Welcome Zoey!

Candy Pete and Drew Larrabee of Naknek, formerly of the Norton Sound/Bering Strait Region, proudly announce the birth of their son, **Sawyer Reeve Larrabee**. His Yup'ik names are Mancuaq, after Alice Pete of Stebbins, and Uyangqulia, after Allen "AJ" Atchak Jr. of Stebbins. He was born May 23 at 9:05 a.m. at the Alaska Native Medical Center. He weighed 9 lbs., 7 oz., and measured 21 inches

long. He joins his siblings, twin sisters Skylar Marcia and Adriana Noelle, and brother Lucas Alexander. Maternal grandparents are Marcia and Fred Pete Sr., of Stebbins. Paternal grandparents are Linda and Jeffery Larrabee of Stacey, Minnesota.

Graduated

Melissa Bell graduated from the Portland Community College in Portland, Oregon on June 5, earning her Associate's degree in dental hygiene. Bell graduated with honors,



Sawyer Reeve Larrabee

and was named to the honors list for her academic achievements throughout the duration of the program.

Bell is the daughter of Paul and Betty Bell, granddaughter of the late Tommy and Grace Teayoumeak, and mother to Athena Hall and Michael Bell. Bell is a 1998 graduate from Nome Beltz High School.

Bell would like to share her special thanks to the following organizations for their assistance and support through the program: Nome Eskimo Community, Norton Sound Economic Development Corporation, Sitnasuak, Bering Straits Foundation, and Norton Sound Health Corporation.

AWARDED DEGREE— to r: Betty Bell, Melissa Bell, Joel Ingersoll, Ailene Ingersoll and Theresa Ingersol. Melissa is now a dental hygienist.



Traveling? Moving? Leaving for college? What you should know about contract health services

Indian Health Services provides a limited amount of funding to Norton Sound Health Corporation for the medical care you receive within our region. NSHC does not have funds available to pay for the medical care you may receive while traveling or moving outside of our service unit.

Travelers/Movers:

While traveling, getting sick/hurt is probably the last thing you would like or expect to happen to you. Should you end up in the Emergency Room at a hospital, chances are, you will receive a bill for the medical care you received. In this case, the Alaska Native Medical Center (ANMC) Contract Health Services (CHS) program may be able to provide assistance.

The ANMC CHS Traveler/Mover Program grants approval of payment for the emergency medical care you may receive while traveling or moving out-of-state. However, CHS funds are limited. You must follow these requirements for ANMC CHS to authorize payment:

- You or a family member must provide notification to ANMC CHS at 1-800-478-1636 within 72 hours of being treated. After hours, please leave a message stating your full name, date of birth and a contact number.

- An IHS hospital ("Native Hospital") must be used if available. Visit the Indian Health Services website at <http://www.ihs.gov/index.cfm?module=AreaOffices> to review the list of

facilities.

- If you are moving outside the State of Alaska, ANMC CHS will provide authorization for emergency medical services for 180 days. Please keep all airline tickets, boarding passes, ferry system tickets, and/or gas receipts for proof of the date you left and returned.

- ANMC CHS will need your medical records from the hospital where you were treated. You must submit a request for medical records from that hospital and have them sent to ANMC CHS.

- You will be required to apply for and use all alternate resources that are available and which you may be













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Photo by Janice Doherty
CHECKING THE BEANS— Former Nomeites Bob and Mae Nelson at their coffee plantation in Hawaii.

HOROSCOPES

June 24 - 30, 2010

 <p>CAPRICORN December 22–January 19</p> <p>Half-hearted efforts will get you nowhere, Capricorn. Dig in and do your best. A financial risk pays off in more ways than one. Celebrate with old friends.</p>	 <p>ARIES March 21–April 19</p> <p>You don't have to always be in control, Aries. Scoot over and let someone else into the driver's seat. They know what they are doing.</p>	 <p>CANCER June 22–July 22</p> <p>Want to make a break with the past, Cancer? This is your chance. Do it and don't look back. An acquaintance makes a sage suggestion. Heed it.</p>	 <p>LIBRA September 23–October 22</p> <p>You're in the mood to have some fun. Don't let anyone spoil that, Libra. A check of your finances reveals you have taken a step in the right direction.</p>
 <p>AQUARIUS January 20–February 18</p> <p>Health woes ease and may even disappear entirely with some work. Make a plan, Aquarius, and stick to it. Matters of the heart require your attention.</p>	 <p>TAURUS April 20–May 20</p> <p>The gossip mill kicks into high gear. Steer clear of it, Taurus, or prepare to be sucked in. The door of opportunity knocks. Answer it with bravado.</p>	 <p>LEO July 23–August 22</p> <p>Passion ignites, and you remember the qualities that made you fall in love with that special someone. Work to maintain the magic, Leo. A conversation is revealing.</p>	 <p>SCORPIO October 23–November 21</p> <p>Life is what you make of it, Scorpio, so get out there and show the world you're a force to be reckoned with. A home improvement project wraps up beautifully.</p>
 <p>PISCES February 19–March 20</p> <p>You're in a rut. Time to shake things up a bit. Pisces. Enroll in a class, take up a hobby or join a club. An invitation arrives to the social event of the year.</p>	 <p>GEMINI May 21–June 21</p> <p>Thinking about flying solo, Gemini? Don't. Share your burdens with others. Two heads are always better than one. An auto repair is made.</p>	 <p>VIRGO August 23–September 22</p> <p>You are far too busy to get bogged down in the details of a friend's love life, Virgo. Be polite but firm. They will understand. A gift is ready.</p>	 <p>SAGITTARIUS November 22–December 21</p> <p>Problems at home come to a head, Sagittarius. Resolve them once and for all. Rumors fly at work. Remember they are only that—rumors.</p>

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Mosquito Bites: How to avoid and treat this common summer-time annoyance

By Bob Lawrence, MD
Alaska Family Doctor

It is time to prepare for the annual invasion of our summer-time winged adversary, the mosquito. Knowing a little more about the mosquito may help reduce the number of bites dur-



ing the summer and relieve the symptoms quickly when prevention fails.

Did you know that the mosquito, one of the world's smallest insects, is also one of the world's deadliest killers? Worldwide millions of people die every year from diseases carried by the mosquito like malaria, dengue fever, yellow fever, and encephalitis.

Mosquito-borne diseases are rare in Alaska, although cases of malaria and encephalitis appear sporadically in people who have returned to Alaska from endemic areas.

Parasites and viruses are transmitted from the mosquito at the time of

a bite. Therefore, prevention of bites is considered the most important way to prevent mosquito-borne illnesses whether from a serious viral encephalitis, parasite infestation, or just an annoying itchy rash.

In rural Alaska, the mosquito bite is more a source of annoyance than a source of serious medical problems, but prevention remains an important means of avoiding allergic reactions. Allergic reactions to mosquito bites are caused by proteins, literally digestive enzymes, injected at the time of a bite. The reaction tends to be localized and rarely lasts more than a few hours. In very rare cases, the mosquito bite can lead to a severe anaphylactic reaction resulting in a medical emergency causing difficulty breathing. People in this rare situation should seek immediate medical intervention.

Interestingly, allergic reactions to mosquito bites tend to lessen in strength over a lifetime. Adults exposed to many bites generally react with less severity than children or infants who have had only limited bites. In this way, each mosquito bite is like a small allergy shot that desensitizes the body to future attacks.

Mosquitoes are not too choosy. However, experts say mosquitoes are more attracted to males, people with type-O blood, and obese indi-

viduals. Conversely, there is some evidence that people who take a B-vitamin called thiamine are less attractive to mosquitoes. So if you find yourself in the outdoors in a crowd where the mosquito has a choice, consider standing next to thin females with type A or B blood who have been taking vitamins (of course this is not official medical advice). Mosquitoes are also attracted to exhaled carbon dioxide, certain perfumes, and body heat.

Mosquito repellents come in three forms: topical repellants, fabric repellents, and physical barriers.

Topical repellents work by interfering with the ability of a mosquito to recognize open skin. DEET in concentrations up to 35 percent may be used on anyone over 2 months old. In general, use the lowest concentration needed for the duration of possible exposure. DEET 10 percent will last about two hours. DEET should not be applied to the hands of children who may transfer the chemical to sensitive tissue in the eyes or mouth. Caution should be used during application because DEET may degrade certain plastics and fabrics.

A newer chemical called Picaridin, or KBR 3023, is nearly odorless and better tolerated by people who have trouble using DEET, though it is just as effective at similar doses.

Oil of Lemon Eucalyptus is comparable to DEET at low concentrations but should not be used on children under 3 years old because it has a strong sedating effect and has been associated with many adverse effects in young children.

Products containing Permethrin are available for treating physical barriers like clothing, shoes, tents, and bed nets. Permethrin should not be applied directly to the skin.

If prevention fails, bites may be treated with hydrocortisone cream or calamine lotion to ease the itch. Experts from the Mayo Clinic describe a homemade topical paste that can be made by mixing equal parts water and powdered meat tenderizer. Another old dermatology trick is to apply very warm water (hot enough to feel uncomfortable but not hot enough to burn the skin) to the bite

for a few seconds. Some people find the opposite approach works better and recommend applying ice to the affected area to reduce inflammation.

Stronger reactions can be treated with an antihistamine like diphenhydramine (Benadryl), chlorpheniramine maleate (Chlor-Trimeton, Actifed), loratadine (Claritin) or cetirizine (Zyrtec).

It is not a bad idea to stock the cabin or camp first aid kit with one or more of these treatments. Preventing, or when necessary, properly treating the common mosquito bite will make summer-life more enjoyable for everyone.

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eligible for, such as Medicaid.

Students:

The ANMC CHS program may also grant financial assistance for medical care you receive while attending school outside the State of Alaska. In addition to the conditions listed above, some things to keep in mind include:

- You need to maintain your Alaska residency

- You need to be a full-time student attending a vocational, technical or academic program; a letter of verification from the school is required

- You will not be covered by ANMC CHS during summer break

- ANMC CHS will not cover routine care (i.e. physicals, vision, dental)

For detailed information on ANMC's Traveler/Mover and Student Programs and requirements, please call Contract Health Services at 1-800-478-1636 or your NSHC Patient Advocate at 907-443-4212. Additional information can

be obtained from their website at www.anthc.org/ps/contractthealthsv/.



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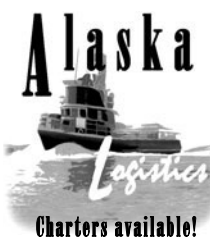
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Obituaries

Lester Hadley, Sr.

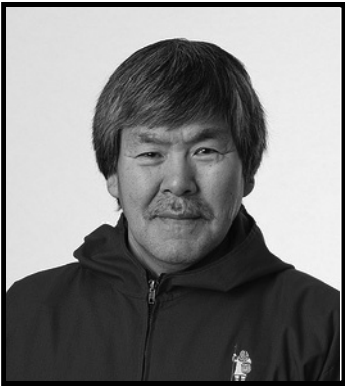
On June 21, 2010, Lester Hadley, Sr., one of two NANA Regional Corporation, Inc.'s (NANA) board members from Buckland, Alaska, died peacefully in his home from natural causes.

"Lester lived a life of service to his people," said Donald G. Sheldon, NANA's board chair. "As a member of the NANA board, he worked tirelessly to create a better tomorrow for future generations of NANA shareholders. His leadership, his thoughtful comments, his laughter and his smile will be greatly missed. This is a great loss for us all. Our thoughts

and prayers go out to his family and loved ones."

Hadley served NANA as a board member since 1986, holding many leadership positions throughout his three decades of service to the corporation. At the time of his death, he was the current chair of both the Ethics and Rules and the Buckland/Deering Land committees, and was a member of the Land and Resources committee. Hadley also served as the vice chairman of the NANA Development Corporation Board of Directors.

During his life, Hadley worked seasonally as a crew boss for Alaska's Bureau of Land Manage-



Lester Hadley, Sr.

ment in Galena, Alaska, and leant his expertise to the Northwest Arctic Borough's Planning Commission. He was also a trustee of the Robert Aqqaluk Newlin Sr. Memorial Trust.

first year of their marriage for income and continued to make them as a supplement for household expenses. She was an avid seamstress, skin sewer, and tirelessly made parkas for all her family members. She never refused to offer her assistance to help make parkas for anyone in the village.

In her early years, she was appointed by the boat owners to sew walrus hides for the bow of the skin boats. They knew she had the talent to sew together the hides for this difficult task.

Mom was a traditional subsistence provider and gatherer for her family. She loved to prepare the oogruks at springtime and she had a passion for salmonberry picking during the summer, which was her favorite time of the season. Her favorite camping sites were at Inaugruk, Nasvarruk, and Igloo. Each summer, she was sure to travel to our camps.

In the early years, she was the first bilingual instructor and taught skin sewing of slippers, beaver hats, and mittens. She also taught her students to 'kupchuk' seals. She continued to share her sewing and subsistence skills for her family and friends until her last days. Her recent project was to teach local women to crimp hard soles for mukluks or slippers. She enjoyed this project very much and would often tell of the success of the program to others.

Molly assisted Vincent in the making of the Eskimo Pie commercial and the Alaska Discovery Film for ELCA. She also traveled with Dad to Greenland to represent the Bering Strait Region at ICC. She never for-

got the experience of this trop and often would reminiscence whenever she saw any documentary of Greenland on TV. She was the first elected woman chairperson for the Elder's Advisory Committee and represented Shishmaref until she was not able to attend meetings. She was also elected Elder of the Year for the Bering Strait Regional Corporation and the Shishmaref Native Corporation. She also assisted BLM and her Native Allotments and set boundaries for them.

Mom enjoyed cooking her traditional Native food and especially baking bread, doughnuts and cinnamon rolls. She would cook and bake almost daily to feed her family and for anyone who visited her home.

Mom was looking forward to meeting all of her loved ones and was very restless her last few days. Mother was ready to leave this world and gave notice to her family. She is now at rest to see her family and friends in Heaven. We are so blessed to have had her an additional 27 years, health-wise.

She is survived by her husband, Vincent Tocktoo, Sr., brothers Davis Kiyutelluk, Steven Kiyutelluk, Morris Kiyutelluk and sister Agnes Magby; children James Sinnok, Florina Snell, Darlene Turner, Karen Tocktoo, and Vincent Tocktoo, Jr.

She was preceded in death by parents Alfred and Dolly Kiyutelluk, children John Sinnok (twin brother of James), Kakaruk, Hannah Tocktoo, and Benny Wayne Tocktoo; brothers Clayton, Amos, and John Kiyutelluk.

Saying it Sincerely

Pastor Mike Christian, River of Life Assembly of God for the Nome Ministerial Society

"You are more precious than the lilies!"

God knows where you are and what you're going through! There are times when we feel all alone. Times when we feel as though even our best friend has forsaken us, left us to deal with our problems or difficulties all by ourselves. These moments can be overwhelming to say the least. However, we must understand and know that there is always someone to turn to when we find ourselves in circumstances or situations that seem to be beyond our control. We can turn to Jesus!

God sent his son, Jesus to this earth to provide salvation for us from our sins. His desire for each and every person on this planet is that they be saved and cleansed by the blood of Jesus. Once we enter into a personal relationship with Jesus, we become his people, his children. In that relationship, we now have the opportunity and privilege of receiving all that he has for us. His healing, his deliverance and his provision are ours as needed. All he asks is that we love and serve him with all our hearts, our minds, our souls and our strength. Whereas he came to this earth and died for us, is this not a most reasonable request from him? If you and I have received such a wonderful gift as the salvation of God through the blood of his only son, then shouldn't we be willing to love, trust and serve him all the days of our lives?

Jesus said in Luke 12, verses 27 through 31...

"Consider how the lilies grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you, not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today, and tomorrow, is thrown into the fire, how much more will he clothe you? O you of little faith! And do not set your heart on what you will eat or drink; do not worry about it. For the pagan world runs after all such things, and your father knows that you need them. But seek his kingdom, and these things will be given you as well."

Once again, the Lord God is totally aware of where you are and what you're going through right at this very moment. I would encourage you today, if you are struggling, if you feel all alone; I want you to know that Jesus loves you and he is with you at this very moment. Regardless of the difficulty you may be experiencing, he wants you to know that he is there for you. All you need to do is call out his name, reach out to him and he will touch you, he will minister to you. The Lord promised his people:

"And surely I am with always, to the very end of the age."

Matthew 28:20b

May the blessings of the Lord be yours as you reach out to him with all your heart!

Molly Anigiina Tocktoo

My beloved wife, Molly A. Tocktoo, died peacefully at the Norton Sound Regional Hospital in Nome, Alaska at 10 p.m. April 17 surrounded by family.

Molly was born to Alfred and Dolly Kiyutelluk at Shishmaref on December 23, 1925. She married Vincent Tocktoo, Sr. on May 14, 1950 in Shishmaref. Together, they had eight children, 25 grandchildren, 36 great-grandchildren, and 11 foster children from the surrounding villages of Wales, Brevig Mission and Teller. Molly and Vincent took very good care of all their children, including their grandchildren and great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She always encouraged her children to honor the Sabbath Day and attend regular church services. Molly had great faith in the Lord and prayed daily. They were to celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary May 14. She looked forward to celebrating it with her husband and family at the Community Hall.

Mom was vastly known for sewing garments for horn dolls carved by Dad, at statewide, nationwide and international levels. Together, they began making the horn dolls at the

Dear Friends and Loved Ones,

Our son and beloved has gone! My son Richard Slwooko is no longer with us! I thank everyone who helped us. May the Creator of all bless you. Praise the Lord!

Sincerely yours, Grace Slwooko

To All the Supporters and Volunteers,

Richard Slwooko and family express a heart felt thank you to the Village people of Gambell, especially to Gambell I.R.A., Job and June Koonooka, Ellen Kulukhon and family, Joseph Slwooko and family, Quinn, Jeffrey, Nupokahak Family, Apatiki Family, David, Archie, Amos, Thomas, Chris, Alaska Airlines, Bering Air, Evergreen Memorial Chapel, and last but not least to the Volunteers at Hope, and Alaska Native Medical Center.

Sincerely, Carol

Thank you!

Church Services Directory

Bible Baptist Church Service Schedule, 443-2144
Sunday School 10 a.m./Worship Hour 11 a.m.

Community Baptist Church-SBC
108 West Third, **443-5448 • Pastor Bruce Landry**
Small Group Bible Study 10 a.m.
Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Community United Methodist
2nd Ave. West, **443-2865**
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m. - 8 p.m.

Thrift Shop — Tuesday & Thursday 7 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Nome Covenant Church
101 Bering St. **443-2565 • Pastor Harvey**
Sunday School 10 a.m./Worship 11 a.m.
Wednesday Youth Group 7 p.m. (call **443-7218** for location)
Friday Community Soup Kitchen 6 p.m. - 7 p.m.

Our Savior Lutheran Church
5th & Bering, **443-5295**
Sunday Worship 11 a.m.

River of Life Assembly of God, 443-5333
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship Service 11 a.m.
Wednesday Night Service 6:30 p.m.

St. Joseph Catholic Church, 443-5527
Corner of Steadman & King Place

Mass Schedule: Saturday 5:30 p.m./**Sunday** 10:30 a.m.

Seventh-Day Adventist
(Icy View), **443-5137**
Saturday Sabbath School 10 a.m.
Saturday Morning Worship 11 a.m.

Nome Church of Nazarene
3rd & Division, **443-2805**
Sunday Prayer Meeting 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m. & Worship Service 11 a.m.

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I am searching for the two daughters of late Misha L. Tucker, my first cousin, of Unalakleet, AK, formerly of St. Michael, AK. Please contact me via e-mail at nctucker@hughes.net or by mail to: Nick

Tucker, Sr., P.O. Box 178, Emmonak, AK 99581. 6/10-17-24; 7/1

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Employment

Shishmaref Native Corporation JOB OPENING Executive Director

•Determine and formulate policies and provide the overall direction of companies or private and public sector organization within the guidelines set up by the Board of Directors.

•Plan, direct, or coordinate operational activities at the highest level of management with the help of subordinate executive staff managers and investment advisors.

Qualification: High school graduate or GED, knowledge of computer usage with Microsoft Word, Excel, Internet and QuickBooks. Accounting training preferred. No criminal history. Two letters of recommendations required.

Other Qualification: Top executives must have highly developed personal skills. An analytical mind able to quickly assess large amounts of information and data is very important, as is the ability to consider and evaluate the relationships between numerous factors. Top executives also must be able to communicate clearly and persuasively. For managers to succeed they need other important qualities as well, including leadership, self-confidence, motivation, decisiveness, flexibility, sound business judgment and determination.

Preferable Education and training: Have a bachelor's or graduate degree in Business Administration, Liberal Arts, or a more specialized discipline. Needs a strong background in securities and finance.

Salaries: \$18/hr. min. D.O.E.

Deadline to Apply: Open until filled

Applications are available at the Shishmaref Native Corporation Office, between the hours of 9:00 a.m.—12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m.—5:00 p.m. Monday—Friday.
6/3-10-17-24

NOME ESKIMO COMMUNITY

is recruiting for the position of
Executive Assistant
DEPARTMENT: Administration
REPORTS TO: Executive Director
STATUS: REGULAR, FULL TIME
SALARY \$21.15 – 25.24/hr. DOE
For a job description and application contact:

Josie Stiles Human Resources Manager

NOME ESKIMO COMMUNITY

P.O. Box 1090
Nome, AK 99762
phone: (907) 443-2246 fax: (907) 443-3539
e-mail: jstiles@gci.net
6/17-24

JOB OPENING

Department:Police

Salary: Range 15/16 (\$24.16 – \$26.14/hr.

DOE, plus full benefit package)

Hours: Full time—40 hrs/week

Special Notes:

Applicants can qualify for employment under any of the following:

1. As a currently certified Alaska peace officer or officer from a reciprocal agency; or
2. As an entry level, non-certified applicant.

Qualifications:

Applicants must be able to meet all qualifications of a peace officer under Alaska Law (13AAC 85.101): must be 21 years of age; have no disqualifiers from law enforcement service; and be willing to submit to all required applicant screening necessary for employment to include a physical examination, psychological examination, and polygraph.

Closing Date: Open until filled.

The City of Nome is an equal opportunity employer.

Applications may be obtained from City Hall 443-6663, Nome Job Service or through our website at www.nomealaska.org. Fax completed applications to 443-5349 or deliver to City Hall. For additional information, contact Chief John Papasodora at 443-5262 or by email at jpapasodora@nomealaska.org. 6/24-7/1

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Legals

CITY OF NOME

PUBLIC NOTICE

O-10-06-01 An Ordinance Approving and Adopting the FY2011 General Fund Municipal Budget for the City of Nome, Alaska Exercising the Power to Assess, and Authorizing the Levy of a General Property Tax

O-10-06-02 An Ordinance to Establish, Approve and Adopt the FY2011 City of Nome Capital Projects Fund Budget

O-10-06-03 An Ordinance to Establish, Approve and Adopt the FY2011 City of Nome Special Revenue Fund Budget

O-10-06-04 An Ordinance to Establish, Approve and Adopt the FY2011 City of Nome Port of Nome Fund Budget

O-10-06-05 An Ordinance to Establish, Approve and Adopt the City of Nome FY2011 Construction Capital Projects Fund Budget

These ordinances had first reading at the regular meeting of the Nome City Council on June 14, 2010 at 7:30 PM and were passed to second reading, public hearing and final passage at a regular meeting of the Council scheduled for June 28th at 7:30 PM in City Council Chambers of City Hall located at 102 Division Street. Copies of the ordinances are available in the office of the City Clerk. 6/17-24

NOTICE OF DEFAULT — SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

A foreclosure sale will be held **August 19, 2010, at 9:30 a.m.** outside the Clerk's Office, Nome Superior Court, 113 Front Street, Room 230, Nome, AK of the Deed of Trust recorded October 31, 1985, in Book 314 Page 110, Cape Nome Recording District, Second Judicial District, State of Alaska, as a lien against real property described as: Lot 2B, Block 54, NOME, according to Plat No. 83-7, filed June 3, 1983, Records of the Cape Nome Recording District, Second Judicial District, State of Alaska; which has a street address of 508 W. 3rd Avenue (aka 182 W. "D" Street), Nome, AK 99762. Trustors/Record Owners Ralph Olanna, Jr. and Belinda A. Olanna, husband and wife, have breached the obligation for which the Deed of Trust is security: failure to make payments when due under the Deed of Trust. Present Beneficiary, State of Alaska-Dept. of Community & Regional Affairs, Housing Assistance Division, by Assignment recorded October 31, 1985 in Book 314 Page 116, is owed the principal amount of \$31,736.72 plus interest from December 1, 2009 at the rate of 8.0% per annum, plus costs, fees, and other charges incurred or advanced thereafter. The Trustee elects to sell the property and to apply the proceeds against the obligation. Trustee reserves the right to postpone the sale, set a minimum bid, submit an offset bid, and establish other bidding procedures at the sale. Questions should be directed to the Law Offices of GROH EGGERS, LLC, 2600 Cordova Street, Suite 110, Anchorage, AK 99503, phone (907) 562-6474. Dated: May 12, 2010 Fidelity Title of Alaska, LLC, Trustee By: Leslie Plikat, Agent 6/17-24; 7/1-8

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PUBLIC NOTICE STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION

An application for a new oil discharge prevention and contingency plan, under Alaska Statute

46.04.03 and in accordance with 18 AAC 75, has been received by the Department of Environmental Conservation. The details are as follows:

Applicant: Bering Marine Corporation

Proposed Activity: The applicant will conduct oil transfer operations using the

ARCTIC SEAL, a freight vessel landing craft and mini-bulk-oiltanker. The vessel will transport diesel #2 or heating oil. The vessel will carry a maximum of 19,572 gallons of refined petroleum product while in state waters. An oil discharge prevention and contingency plan is required that will commit adequate resources to plan for the containment, control and cleanup of petroleum products. The review document consists of the Plan and the supporting document the Alaska Chadux Response Manual.

Potential Results: A potential risk exists of product spills entering the lands or waters of the state as a result of this operation.

Location of Activity: Aleutians Region; Bristol Bay Region; Western Alaska Region; North West Region; North Slope Region

Activity Identified As: Bering Marine Corporation Oil Discharge Prevention and Contingency Plan

Any person wishing to submit a request for additional information (RFAI) or provide comments regarding the application may do so in writing to the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation, 555 Cordova Street Anchorage AK 99501, by facsimile to 907-269-8403, or email at shan-non.miller@alaska.gov. The review schedule for this Plan will begin soon after publication of this public notice. Please check the Department website at http://dec.alaska.gov/public_notices.htm for the comment schedule. It is the responsibility of the commenter to verify e-mail submissions are received by the applicable deadline. Copies of the application are available for review at the Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation An-

chorage office located at 555 Cordova Street. Please call (907) 269-7566 to schedule an appointment.

If determined necessary by public comments received, the Department will announce and hold public hearing(s) on the above referenced plan. Residents in the affected areas or the governing body of an affected municipality may request a public hearing by writing to the Department of Environmental Conservation, at the above address, within 30 days of publication of this notice.

The State of Alaska, Department of Environmental Conservation complies with Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. If you are a person with a disability who may need a special accommodation in order to participate in this public process, please contact Deborah Pock at (907) 269-0291 or TDD Relay Service 1-800-770-8973/TTY or dial 711 within 30 days of publication of this notice to ensure that any necessary accommodations can be provided. 6/17-24

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT NOME

In the Matter of a Change of Name for:

Shirley Mayoagealuk Kugzruk

Current name of Minor.

CASE NO: **2NO-10-00062CI**

ORDER FOR HEARING, PUBLICATION AND POSTING

Notice of Petition to Change Name

A petition has been filed in the Superior Court (Case # **2NO-10-00062CI**) requesting a name change from (current name) **Shirley Mayoagealuk Kugzruk** to **Shirley Darlene Noyakuk**. A hearing on this request will be held on **April 19, 2010 at 1:00 pm at Nome Courthouse, 113 Front Street PO Box 1110 Nome, AK.** 6/24-7/1-8-15

GRANT OPPORTUNITY ALASKA EMERGENCY SHELTER GRANT PROGRAM

The Alaska Housing Finance Corporation (AHFC) invites units of local government and non-profit organizations recognized under IRS code 501(c)(3) operating outside of the Municipality of Anchorage to submit a proposal for funding under AHFC's SFY11 Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG). *Private individuals and families may not apply directly for these funds.* ESG funds must be used to provide temporary assistance to homeless and/or near-homeless persons. The deadline for this competition is Wednesday, **August 4, 2010**. Applications may be obtained through AHFC's web site at www.ahfc.us or by contacting:

Kris Duncan, Planner
Alaska Housing Finance Corporation
P.O. Box 101020
Anchorage, AK 99510

In Anchorage phone 330-8276, outside Anchorage phone toll-free 800-478-2432. 6/24

PUBLIC NOTICE IMPOUNDED AIRCRAFT (TAYLORCRAFT - N44133)

Notice is hereby given that a 1946 Taylorcraft aircraft, registered with the FAA to **Harold K. Horstmann**, under tail number N44133, having been impounded and considered abandoned at the Lake Hood Seaplane Base Airport under Title 17 of the Alaska Administrative Code, Chapter 42.115, due to the owner's failure to respond to either a tag affixed to the aircraft or written notices to the owner's last provided and subsequently identified addresses, will be sold "as is, where is" without log books or other records, by sealed bid, at

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NOW HIRING, Join the crew!

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Construction is underway for the Hospital Replacement Project. We need: **carpenters, electricians, ironworkers, laborers, support staff** and more. This project has an Alaska Native/American Indian hiring preference and pays Davis Bacon wages. Nome Eskimo Community is creating and managing a large labor pool of applicants to support the hiring process throughout construction. You can be a part of this exciting project. Apply today at the following locations:!

- Nome Eskimo Community: 200 West 5th Avenue or www.necalaska.org
- Nome Job Center: 214 Front Street, Suite 130
- Your local IRA Office

For more information contact Dora Davis at 443-9124 or toll-free 1-877-943-2246.

DRUG FREE WORKPLACE: ALL APPLICANTS MUST PASS PRE-EMPLOYMENT DRUG SCREENING

Go on-line to update
your application.
www.necalaska.org

Nome Eskimo Community

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12 noon, Wednesday, July 14, 2010, unless the owner redeems the aircraft by paying the impound and storage fees on or before 5 p.m., Tuesday, July 6, 2010. Contact Andy Hutzal, Manager, Lake

Hood Seaplane Base, to receive a sealed bid packet. To submit a sealed bid, to be paid in cash or cashier's check within 48 hours of bid opening at approximately 12:10 p.m., Wednesday, July 14, 2010 at the Lake Hood Seaplane Base General Aviation Office, 4451 Aircraft Drive, Suite H, An-

chorage, AK 99502 or for the current registered owner to redeem this aircraft on or before 5 p.m., Tuesday, July 6, 2010, you must contact the Airport Manager, Andy Hutzal, at 907.266.2741 or Andy.Hutzal@Alaska.gov. 6/24; 7/1

HEAVY EQUIPMENT FOR SALE BY SEALED BID

ONE JOHN DEERE MODEL 310SJ WHEEL LOADER BACKHOE (850 HOURS)
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THE EQUIPMENT IS IN EXCELLENT SHAPE. THE EQUIPMENT IS LOCATED IN NOME, ALASKA; WILL BE SOLD AS-IS WHERE-IS. THE EQUIPMENT WILL BE SOLD BY SEALED BID TO BE ACCEPTED AT THE DISCRETION OF SELLER. FULL PAYMENT REQUIRED UPON ACCEPTANCE OF BID. SEALED BIDS TO BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE **JULY 16, 2010**. SUBMIT BIDS TO H. CONNER THOMAS AT THE LAW OFFICE OF LEWIS & THOMAS P.C., 107 E. 1ST AVENUE OR, P.O. BOX 61, NOME, ALASKA 99762; TELEPHONE (907)443-5226. ARRANGMENTS CAN BE MADE TO VIEW THE EQUIPMENT. 6/24-7/1-8

The City of Nome
thanks the following organizations
for their involvement in Nome's Recycle
Program

**Crowley Petroleum
Alaska Logistics
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Quality Auto Parts
& the Nome Youth Facility**

We appreciate your support
in keeping Nome recycled!

Remember! The Recycle Center is located directly across from Carquest!

Trooper Beat

On May 29, Alaska State Troopers investigated a report of domestic violence in Stebbins. Investigation revealed that Nimeron Mike, 34, of Stebbins had assaulted his mother, causing multiple injuries to her head, back and foot. Mike will be summonsed to appear in the Unalakleet court.

On June 1, AST responded to Stebbins to investigate a report that Dwayne Thrasher was harassing Pamela Pete. Investigation revealed that Thrasher had verbally assaulted Pamela Pete, and was confrontational. Thrasher was summonsed to appear in the Unalakleet court for the charge of Harassment in the second degree.

On June 1, Unalakleet AST received a report that the Native Village of Unalakleet office had been entered and some money taken. AST investigation is continuing.

On June 2, Unalakleet AST arrested Charlie Johnson, 23, of Unalakleet for DUI after receiving a report he was driving a 4-wheeler while being intoxicated. Johnson was lodged at the Unalakleet Jail pending arraignment on charges of DUI and DWLR.

On June 6, AST responded to Stebbins to investigate an assault. Dwayne Thrasher is alleged to have assaulted Michael Pete, and created a public disturbance in front of the Pete residence. Thrasher was issued a summons to appear in the Unalakleet court for Assault 4, Disorderly Conduct, and Harassment 2nd degree.

On June 15, John Martin, of Nampa, Idaho, was convicted in the Nome Court of Nonresident Taking a Bear Without a Drawing Permit. The conviction followed an investigation by Nome and Fairbanks Wildlife Troopers into a hunt, which took place on April 26, 2010, in the Birch Creek drainage within Game Management Unit 22D, north of Council. Martin was sentenced to a fine of \$250.00.

On June 17, at 1:35 p.m., AST received a report of a theft in Gambell. Investigation shows that a fuel tank, 9 gallons of fuel, and a gas line were stolen from a boat. Approximate value of the items is estimated at \$200. Investigation continues.

On June 17, at 2:00 p.m., AST received a re-

port of a sexual assault in a Western Alaska community. Investigation continues.

Seawall

6/14
Samuel Goodhope, 35, received a citation for Open Container in a Public Place.
Anthony Okpealuk, 43, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violation of Conditions of Release.
Dennis Soolook, 56, received a citation for Open Container in a Public Place.
Brenda Siwooko, 35, received a citation for Open Container in a Public Place.
6/15
Anthony Sebwenwa, 40, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Probation.
Melinda Anowlic, 32, received a citation for Open Container in a Public Place.
6/16
Thelma Ahkvaluk, 22, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Probation.
Joseph Nupowhotuk, 31, was arrested and re-

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TRANSFER WITH SECURITY AGREEMENT

Stan Sobocienski, d/b/a Bering Sea Saloon located at 309 Front Street, Nome, Alaska is applying for a transfer of a Beverage Dispensary License AS 04.11.090 liquor license to Tomter Enterprises, LLC d/b/a Airport Pizza located at 406 Bering Street, Nome, Alaska. The transferor/lessor retains a security interest in the liquor license which is the subject of this conveyance under the terms of AS04.11.360 (4)(B); AS 04.11.670 and 13 AAC 104.107 and may, as a result, be able to obtain a re-transfer of the license without satisfaction of other creditors.

Interested persons should submit written comment to their local governing body, the applicant and to the Alcohol Beverage Control Board at 5858 E Tudor Rd, Anchorage AK 99507.

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KOYUK NATIVE CORPORATION

PO Box 50, Koyuk, Alaska 99753
907-963-3551

NOTICE OF KOYUK NATIVE CORPORATION SPECIAL ELECTIONS MEETING

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Koyuk Native Corporation will hold a Special Meeting on Thursday, August 19, 2010, at 1 p.m. at the KNC Building for the following purpose:

1.) Election of three (3) KNC Board Directors.

Attest: _____ SS# _____
Diane Nassuk, General Manager

6/10-17-24



KOYUK NATIVE CORPORATION

PO Box 50, Koyuk, Alaska 99753
907-963-3551

DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY
KNC Board of Directors

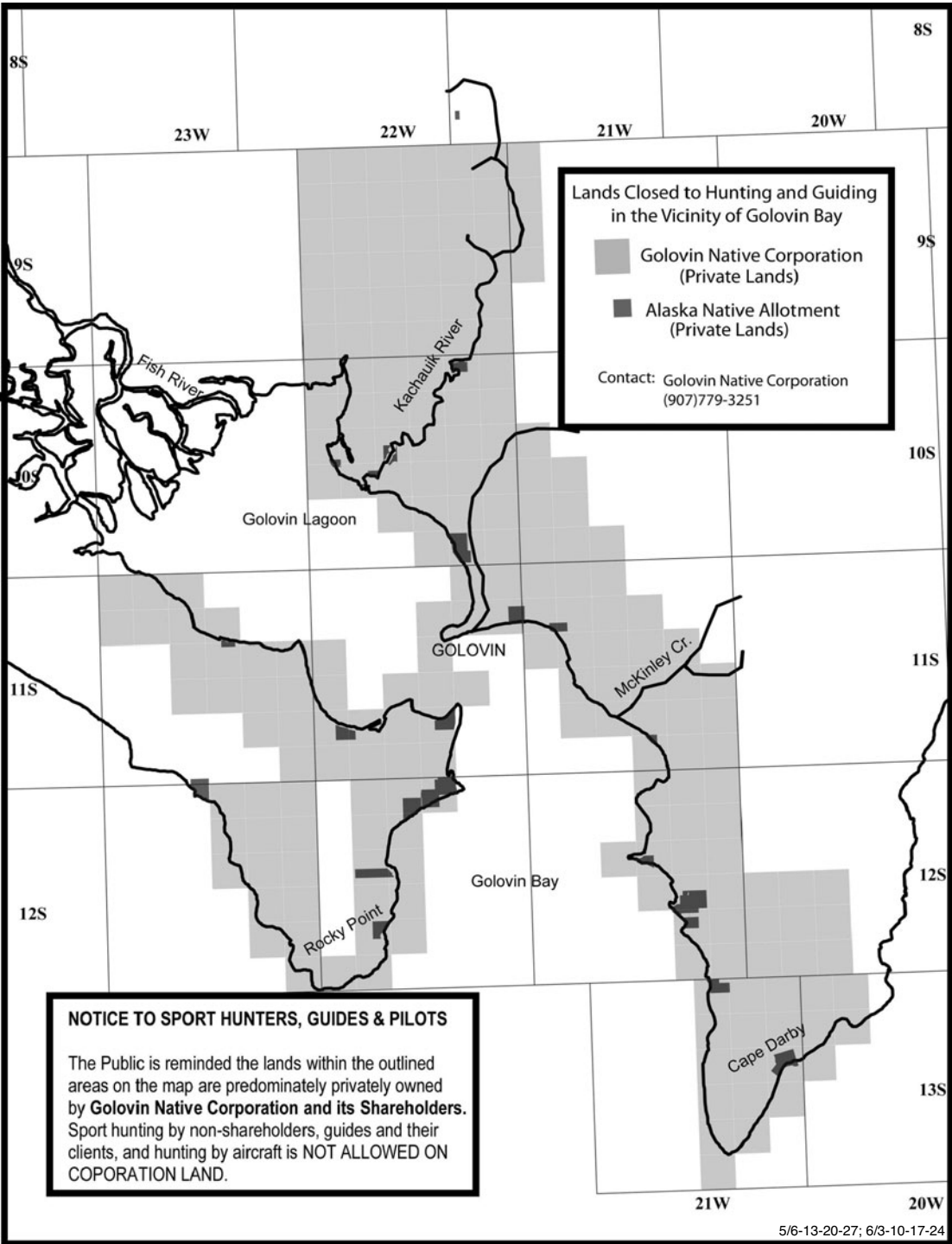
QUALIFICATIONS: Shareholder of the Koyuk Native Corporation (must also be 19 years or older to submit candidacy form.)

FILING DEADLINE: July 5, 2010 (TO BE ON BALLOT)

DECLARATION FORMS ARE AVAILABLE at the Koyuk Native Corporation Office. Monday – Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Attest: _____ SS# _____
Diane Nassuk, General Manager

6/10-17-24



• More Seawall

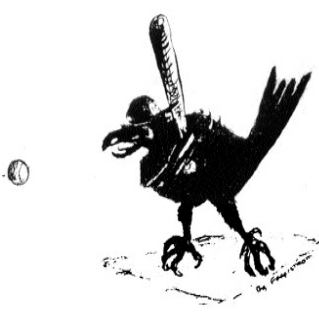
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manded to AMCC for Criminal Trespass 1°. Jackie Amaktoolik, 56, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violation of Conditions of Release. Jackie Amaktoolik, 56, received a citation for Open Container in a Public Place. Dorothy Angusuc, 50, a citation for Open Container in a Public Place. Denise Curtis, 33, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Assault 4°, DV and Resisting Arrest. Lawrence Martin, 23, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Assault 4°, DV and Violating Conditions of Probation. **6/17**

Nicholas Anasogak, 34, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Probation. Derek Moses, 20, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Assault 4°, DV and Violating Conditions of Probation. Derek Moses, 20, received a citation for Minor Consuming Alcohol. Ryan Okleasik, 19, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Harassment, DV. Yvonne Pete, 19, received a citation for Minor Consuming Alcohol. Jamone Cross, 27, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Assault 4°, DV, Probation Violation and MISC VI. **6/18**

Martin Murray, 34, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Probation and Disorderly Conduct. Michael Aukon, 20, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Release. Zachary Nashalook, 26, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Release, Assault 4°, DV, Harassment, DV, and Interfering with Report. Amber Bradley, 24, received a citation for Operating a Vehicle with Expired Registration. **6/19** Jimmy Weyiouanna, 43, was arrested and remanded to AMCC on two Arrest Warrants. Thurston Stiles, 24, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Assault 4°, DV and Violating Condi-

tions of Probation. Xavieria Pete, 25, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Probation. Guy lone, 52, received a citation for Open Container in a Public Place. **6/21** John Nattanguk, 37, was arrested and remanded to AMCC for Violating Conditions of Probation.



Court

Week ending 6/18
Civil

Capital One Bank (USA) N A vs. Seppilu, Levi; Debt - District Court In the Matter of: Stalker, Psymon Traeson Alicum New Name: Stalker, Psymon Mason Alicum; Change of Name of Minor Ailak Sr., Ernest vs. Johnson Bros General Contractors et al; Personal Injury Other - Superior Court Cornerstone Credit Services LLC vs. Matthias-Okitkun, Stacey J.; Debt - District Court In the Matter of: Uisok, Malorie S. New Name: Tom, Malorie S.; Change of Name of Adult Nassuk, Stacy L. vs. Cross, Jamone E.; DV: Both ExParte & Long Term Connors, Vanessa vs. Nashalook, Zachary; DV: Both ExParte & Long Term

Small Claims

Credit Union 1 vs. Vaughan, Alex; Small Claims More than \$2500 Credit Union 1 vs. Vaughan, Alex; Small Claims More than \$2500

Criminal Cases

State of Alaska v. Anthony P. Okpealuk (1/22/67); 2NO-10-655CR Order to Modify or Revoke Probation; ATN: 110704149; Defendant refusing probation; Probation terminated; Suspended jail term revoked and imposed: All remaining time, consecutive to the term in Case No. 2NO-10-340CR. State of Alaska v. Anthony P. Okpealuk (1/22/67); 2NO-10-340CR Violating Release Conditions; Date of offense: 6/14/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 30 days, 0 days suspended; Unsuspended 30 days shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC, consecutive to 2NO-09-655CR; Jail Surcharge: \$50 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days. State of Alaska v. Stephen B. Sherman (12/31/84); 2NO-05-507CR Order to Modify or Revoke Probation; ATN: 109061946; Violated conditions of probation; Suspended jail term revoked and imposed: 60 days, remanded into custody; Remanded into custody; Must pay suspended \$100 jail surcharge to the AGs Office, Anchorage; All other terms and conditions of probation in the original judgment remain in effect. State of Alaska v. Stephen Sherman (12/31/84); 2NO-10-277CR Notice of Dismissal; Charge 001: VOCCR; Filed by the DAs Office 6/14/10. State of Alaska v. Luke W. Savetilik (10/5/75); 2UT-09-75CR Reckless Driving; Date of offense: 9/15/09; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 1 year, 0 years suspended; Unsuspended 1 year shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Jail Surcharge: \$50 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Driver's License, privilege to obtain a license and to operate a motor vehicle are revoked for 30 days concurrent with DMV action; Any license or permit shall be immediately surrendered to the court; Comply with all court orders listed above by the deadlines stated; Other: Bail is exonerated. State of Alaska v. Luke Savetilik (10/5/75); 2UT-09-92CR Notice of Dismissal; Charge 001: Violating Conditions of Release; Filed by the DAs Office 6/14/10. State of Alaska v. Clark Davis (2/12/64) 2NO-10-68CR Count 1: Reckless Driving; Date of offense: 1/26/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Counts (Charges) Dismissed by State: counts 3, 4, (003, 004); Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 360 days, 240 days suspended; Unsuspended 120 days shall be served with defendant reporting to AMCC by 8/1/10—immediate remand for any probation violation; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$50 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Driver's License, privilege to obtain a license and to operate a motor vehicle are revoked for 30 days concurrent with DMV action; Any license or permit shall be immediately surrendered to the court; Probation until 6/16/13; Comply with all court orders listed above by the deadlines stated; Subject to warrantless arrest for violation of probation; No violations of law, including DUI, refusal to submit to breathalyzer, operating motor vehicle while license is canceled, suspended or revoked or in violation of limitation, reckless driving; No operation without insurance; No similar violations; Shall not possess or consume alcohol, nor enter or remain on the premises of any bar or liquor store; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer for a period of 3 years from date of this judgment (6/16/10); Other: Not be where alcohol is present. State of Alaska v. Clark Davis (2/12/64) 2NO-10-68CR Count 2: Action of Operation After Accident; Date of offense: 1/26/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Counts (Charges) Dismissed by State: counts 3, 4, (003, 004); Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 30 days, 30 days suspended; Jail Surcharge: \$100 with \$50 suspended; Restitution: Shall pay restitution as stated in the Restitution Judgment and shall apply for an Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend, if eligible, each year until restitution is paid in full; Amount to be determined within 30 days; Probation until 6/16/13; Comply with all court orders listed above by the deadlines stated; Subject to warrantless arrest for violation of probation; No violations of law, including DUI, refusal to submit to breathalyzer, operating motor vehicle while license is canceled, suspended or revoked or in violation of limitation, reckless driving; Shall not possess or consume alcohol, nor enter or remain on the premises of any bar or liquor store; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer for a period of 3 years from date of this judgment (6/16/10); Other: Not be where alcohol is present. State of Alaska v. Jacqueline Rose Niksik (12/21/90); Count 1: Harassment 1°; Peace Officer is victim; Date of offense: 1/25/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Counts (Charges) Dismissed by State: count 2 (002); Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 60 days, 0 days suspended; Unsuspended 60 days shall be served with defendant reporting to AMCC by 7/1/10; Jail Surcharge: \$50 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days. State of Alaska v. Anthony E. Shelp (3/13/62); 2NO-10-190CR Judgment; Count 001, 002, 003, 004: Lawful Gear for Registration Area Q/King Crab Pot Four Circular Escape Rings; Date of offenses: 4/2/10; Fine: due by 8/31/10; Count 001—004: Fined \$500 each count with \$250 each count suspended; Unsuspended \$250 each count is to be paid by 8/31/10; Police Training Surcharge: Count 001: \$10 (Infra); Probation for 1 year (date of judgment: 6/16/10); Comply with all direct court orders listed above by the deadlines stated; Commit no fish and game violations during the probation period. State of Alaska v. Anthony E. 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Daniel Ahmasuk (3/25/83); Count 2: Interfering with Report of Domestic Violence; Date of offense: 4/22/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Counts (Charges) Dismissed by State: count 1 (001); Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 45 days, 45 days suspended; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Probation until 6/16/11; Shall comply with all court orders by the deadlines stated; Subject to warrantless arrest for any violation of these conditions of probation; Shall commit no violations of law, or domestic violence; Shall not contact, directly or indirectly, J. Ford without consent; Shall not possess or consume alcohol, nor have alcohol in his residence; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer. State of Alaska v. Thomas Cheemuk (1/16/85); Importation of Alcohol; Date of offense: 10/27/09; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 45 days, 42 days suspended; Unsuspended 3 days shall be served with defendant reporting to AMCC by 8/1/10; Fine: \$1,500 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay unsuspended \$1,500 fine through Nome Trial Courts by 6/1/11; Forfeit alcohol to State; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Probation until 6/16/13; Shall comply with all court orders by the deadlines stated; Shall commit no violations of law; Shall not possess or consume alcohol in any dry or damp community; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer in such community; Person and baggage are subject to warrantless search at any airport en route to dry or damp community; Subject to warrantless arrest for any violation of these conditions of probation. State of Alaska v. Janice Rookok (2/27/65); Importation of Alcohol; Date of offense: 6/20/09; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 45 days, 42 days suspended; Unsuspended 3 days shall be served with defendant reporting to AMCC by 7/1/10; Fine: \$1,500 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay unsuspended \$1,500 fine through Nome Trial Courts by 6/1/11; Forfeit alcohol to State; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Probation until 6/16/12; Shall comply with all court orders by the deadlines stated; Shall commit no violations of law; Shall not possess or consume alcohol, nor have alcohol in her residence, nor enter or remain on the premises of any bar or liquor store; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer and warrantless search of residence for alcohol; Person and baggage are subject to warrantless search at any airport en route to local option community; Subject to warrantless arrest for any violation of these conditions of probation. State of Alaska v. David Moore (6/4/83); 2NO-09-89CR Order to Modify or Revoke Probation; ATN: 110700801; Violated conditions of probation; No action taken; All other terms and conditions of probation in the original judgment remain in effect. State of Alaska v. David H. Moore (6/4/83); 2NO-09-788CR Order to Modify or Revoke Probation; ATN: 110012679; Violated conditions of probation; Probation terminated; Suspended jail term revoked and imposed: 27 days, shall report to AMCC by 10/31/10; Release or bail conditions remain in effect until defendant reports to serve sentence; Must pay suspended \$100 jail surcharge to the AGs Office, Anchorage. State of Alaska v. Anthony Sebwenwa (4/15/70); Order to Modify or Revoke Probation; ATN: 110012931; Violated conditions of probation; Suspended jail term revoked and imposed: 60 days, remanded into custody; Remanded into custody; All other terms and conditions of probation in the original judgment remain in effect. State of Alaska v. John D. Martin (2/26/57); Hunting Seasons And Bag Limits For Brown Bear Unit 22(A)(B)(C); Date of offense: 4/26/10; Police Training Surcharge due in 10 days: \$10 (Infra); Fined \$250 with \$0 suspended; Unsuspended \$250 is to be paid by 6/30/10; Comply with all direct court orders listed above by the deadlines stated. State of Alaska v. Thelma Ahkvaluk (3/03/88); Order to Modify or Revoke Probation; ATN: 110006586; Violated conditions of probation; Suspended jail term revoked and imposed: 20 days, remanded into custody; Remanded into custody; All other terms and conditions of probation in the original judgment remain in effect; Order Appointing Counsel at Public Expense; Granted; Public Defender Agency appointed; If convicted, defendant ordered to pay part of the cost of appointed counsel pursuant to CR 39; Ordered to notify court if employment changes or if defendant receives money or other assets not previously reported to the court. State of Alaska v. Tyre Ungott (4/3/62); 2NO-09-454CR Order to Modify or Revoke Probation; ATN: 110128113; Violated conditions of probation; Probation terminated; Suspended jail term revoked and imposed: 27 days, consecutive to the term in Case No. 2NO-10-175CR; Shall report to AMCC by 9/15/10. State of Alaska v. Tyre Ungott (4/3/62); 2NO-10-175CR Assault 4°; DV; Date of offense: 3/31/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 210 days, 90 days suspended; Unsuspended 120 days shall be served with defendant reporting to AMCC by 9/15/10 consecutive to 2NO-09-454CR; Immediate remand for violation of probation; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Probation until 6/16/11; Shall comply with all court orders by the deadlines stated; Subject to warrantless arrest for any violation of these conditions of probation; Shall commit no violations of law, assaultive or disorderly conduct, or domestic violence; Shall not contact, directly or indirectly, P. Roberts without consent; Shall not possess or consume alcohol; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer for alcohol. State of Alaska v. Leah Noyakuk (12/13/88); Dismissal; Count I: Leaving the Scene of an Accident; Count II: No Motor Vehicle Liability Insurance; Count III: Making a False Report; filed by the DAs Office 6/16/10. State of Alaska v. Alfred Kakoona (6/30/78); 2NO-10-230CR Count 1: Criminal Mischief 4°; Date of offense: 4/23/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 180 days, 120 days suspended; Unsuspended 60 days shall be served consecutive to count 2; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Restitution: Shall pay restitution as stated in the Restitution Judgment and shall apply for an Alaska Permanent Fund Dividend, if eligible, each year until restitution is paid in full; Amount to be determined, within 30 days; Probation until 6/16/12; Shall comply with all court orders by the deadlines stated; Subject to warrantless arrest for any violation of these conditions of probation; Shall commit no violations of law; Shall not contact, directly or indirectly, B.O.-M. without consent; Shall not possess or consume alcohol, nor have alcohol in his residence; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer for alcohol. State of Alaska v. Alfred Kakoona (6/30/78); 2NO-10-230CR Count 2: Assault 4°; DV; Date of offense: 4/23/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance

bond is exonerated; 360 days, 240 days suspended; Unsuspended 120 days shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC consecutive to count 1; Jail Surcharge: \$100 with \$100 suspended; Probation until 6/16/12, subject to the following conditions: Same as count 1. State of Alaska v. Alfred Kakoona (6/30/78); 2NO-10-319CR Notice of Dismissal; Charge 001: Violating Conditions of Release; Charge 002: Assault 4°; Filed by the DAs Office 6/16/10. State of Alaska v. Jackie Amaktoolik (6/12/54); 2NO-10-279CR Notice of Dismissal; Charge 001: Disorderly Conduct; Filed by the DAs Office 6/16/10. State of Alaska v. 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Joseph Nupowhotuk (2/8/69); Criminal Trespass 1°; Date of offense: 6/16/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 90 days, 0 days suspended; Unsuspended 90 days shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC; Jail Surcharge: \$50 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Order Appointing Counsel at Public Expense; Granted; The Public Defender Agency is appointed; If convicted, defendant ordered to pay part of the cost of appointed counsel pursuant to CR 39; Ordered to notify court if employment changes or if defendant receives money or other assets not previously reported to the court. State of Alaska v. Geoffrey Milligrock (4/29/84); Assault 4°; Date of offense: 5/21/10; Partial Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 240 days, 120 days suspended; Unsuspended 120 days shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Probation until 6/16/12; Shall comply with all court orders by the deadlines stated; Subject to warrantless arrest for any violation of these conditions of probation; Shall commit no violations of law; Shall not contact, directly or indirectly, Charles Raymond. State of Alaska v. Madeleine Okpealuk (9/14/82); Count 1: Assault 4°; DV; Date of offense: 6/6/10; Partial Plea Agreement; Counts (Charges) Dismissed by State: count 2 (002); Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 180 days, 0 days suspended; Unsuspended 180 days shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC; Seaside recommended 6/26 or after; Jail Surcharge: \$50 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days. State of Alaska v. Elliot Olanna (4/13/75); Assault 4°; DV; Date of offense: 4/24/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 360 days, 210 days suspended; Unsuspended 90 days shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days; Shall comply with all court orders by the deadlines stated; Subject to warrantless arrest for any violation of these conditions of probation; Shall commit no violations of law, assaultive or disorderly conduct, or domestic violence; Shall not contact, directly or indirectly, I. Topkok without consent; Shall not possess or consume alcohol, nor have alcohol in his residence, nor enter or remain on the premises of any bar or liquor store; Subject to warrantless breath testing at request of any peace officer and warrantless search of residence for alcohol; Not be where alcohol is present. State of Alaska v. David Driggs (6/23/90) Habitual Minor Consuming or in Possession or Control of Alcoholic Beverage; Date of offense: 5/15/10; 90 days, 70 days suspended; Unsuspended 20 days shall be served with defendant reporting to AMCC 8/31/10, subject to immediate remand for any violation of probation; Jail Surcharge: \$150 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: \$50 due within 10 days; Pay total of \$50 to Nome Clerk of Court by 10 days; Community Work: Complete 96 hours of community work service and submit proof of completion to the Nome Clerk of Court within 120 days; Driver's License or Permit: Revoked for 6 months, concurrent with any DMV administrative action; Shall immediately surrender license/permit to court; Probation until his 21st birthday; Shall not consume inhalants, or possess or consume controlled substances or alcoholic beverages; Shall surrender any license/permit, pay fine and surcharge, show proof of community work service, and report to jail as ordered; Shall submit to warrantless breath test at request of peace officer and may be arrested without a warrant for probation violation; Failure to comply with community work, evaluation, education or treatment requirements will result in an extra 6 months revocation of driver's license. State of Alaska v. James D.K. Kakoona (5/21/90); Minor Consuming or in Possession of Alcoholic Beverage; Date of offense: 3/18/10; Fined \$300 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$200 to Nome Clerk of Court by 8/1/10; Probation for 1 year (date of judgment: 6/17/10); Shall not consume inhalants or possess or consume controlled substances or alcoholic beverages; Shall pay the fine as ordered. State of Alaska v. Yvonne Pete (9/17/90); Minor Consuming or in Possession or Control of Alcoholic Beverage; Date of offense: 5/13/10; Fined \$600 with \$100 suspended; Shall pay \$500 to Nome Clerk of Court; Probation until 12/17/10; Shall not consume inhalants or possess or consume controlled substances or alcoholic beverages; Shall pay the fine as ordered. State of Alaska v. Randy Lee (8/28/87); Count 2: Promoting Contraband 2°; Date of offense: 4/7/10; Binding Plea Agreement; Any appearance or performance bond is exonerated; 1 year, 0 days suspended; Unsuspended 1 year shall be served with defendant remanded to AMCC; Jail Surcharge: \$50 with \$0 suspended; Shall pay \$50 within 10 days to: AGs Collections Unit, Anchorage; Police Training Surcharge: Shall pay \$50 through this court within 10 days. State of Alaska v. Michael Aukon (3/15/90); Notice of Dismissal; Charge 001: Habitual MCA; Filed by the DAs Office 6/18/10. State of Alaska v. Martin Murray (12/1/75); Notice of Dismissal; Charge 001: Disorderly Conduct; Filed by the DAs Office 6/18/10. State of Alaska v. Alfred Lee Anawrok (4/7/60); 2NO-09-522CR Judgment and Commitment; Felony DUI; Date of offense: 8/14/09; 42 months, 0 months suspended; Any unsuspended time is to be served with defendant remanded to custody; Shall receive credit for any time spent in custody; Fined \$10,000.00 with \$0 suspended; Fine due within 4 years; Police Training Surcharge: pay to the court the following surcharge within 10 days: \$100; Jail Surcharge: immediately pay correctional facility surcharge of \$100 per case to the Department of Law Collections Unit, Anchorage; IT IS URTHER ORDERED that defendant's driver's license is revoked for life; Any appearance or performance bond in this case: is exonerated. State of Alaska v. Alfred Anawrok (4/7/60); 2NO-09-623CR Notice of Dismissal; Charge 001: Violating Conditions of Release; Filed by the DAs Office 6/17/10.

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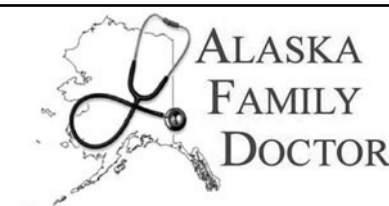
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