

# SHIRLEY GAVIN, WORLD CHAMP!



**SHIRLEY GAVIN, WORLD'S WOMAN DOG MUSHING CHAMPION, IS REWARDED WITH A KISS FROM AN ADMIRING FRIEND.**

**ANCHORAGE:** A dream of five years was realized by Shirley Gavin of Peters Creek last Sunday, when she mushed her team in first to become the Champion Woman Dog Musher of the World.

Shirley won the Woman's race in a total time of 1 hour, 10 minutes and 10 seconds.

On the first day (Saturday) Shirley came in first with a time of 34.03 minutes. This is a record for this ten mile course, beating any time ever made even by the men dog mushers. On the second day, her dogs were spooked in the starting chute, and bolted. By the time she had them under control again she had lost over a minute of precious time. She made most of this up on the trail, but came in second, after Natalie Norris, in a time of 36.07 minutes, only two seconds behind Natalie's 36.09 time.

Last year Shirley came in second behind Natalie Norris in total time, but by winning this year, she receives a special honor, as this is the first year that the race has been designated the "Woman's World Championship Race"; making Shirley the first woman to hold that title.

In addition to an impressive trophy, Shirley won a total of \$350 in prize money.

There were eleven entries in this year's race, including Ann Wing of Millbrook New York, who finished in third place behind Natalie Norris.

Shirley, who lives in the Peters Creek Area of Chugiak, has been training and racing her own team for a number of years. This is the fifth year that she has competed in the woman's championship race. Next year, she plans to compete in the main event, the World Championship, which has been more or less referred to as the "Men's Race." Later this winter she will take her team to Fairbanks to compete in the North American Sled Dog Championship. Last year she came in fourth place over all in this race. Shirley has competed in all the preliminary races in the area this year, finishing in the top ten in every race but one. Her sponsor in last weekend's race was Peters Creek Fuel and Service.

Shirley lives off Four Wheel Drive in Peters Creek. She is married, and is the mother of three children.

Her oldest child, 14 year old Mike is mushing along in his mother's footsteps, having won both the Willow Winter Carnival Race and the race at Big Lake. Mike competed in the five dog class in a course of over 6 miles.

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## DOCTOR TO OPEN LOCAL OFFICE SOON

**EAGLE RIVER:** Dr. Michael Hein presently located in Anchorage, announced that he expects to open an office in Eagle River within the next few weeks.

Dr. Hein will be located in the building formerly occupied by Dr. Marshall Simpson, on Eagle River Road.

Dr. Hein said that initially he will be at his Eagle River Office on specified days of the week, the exact days and time to be announced shortly.

The building has been remodeled, and the office and examining rooms will be located on the upper floor of the building, rather than in the basement as in the past.

Persons who will be wanting to call Dr. Hein either for appointments or information may reach him either at his Eagle River office at 694-2500, or at his office on Northern Lights Blvd. 277-4331.

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## TWO LOCAL MEN NOMINATED FOR MEA BOARD

**CHUGIAK:** Two local men have been nominated to run for directors of the board of the Matanuska Electric Association.

A meeting of the nominating committee was held in Palmer on February 8th. The two local candidates are William H. Stephens of Peters Creek, and Dan C. Bell of Eagle River.

Two local residents served on the nominating committee, Paul Swanson of Old Chugiak and Paul Lentz of Eagle River. Other members of the board, were Harlan Hamilton of Palmer, (acting chairman), Harold Dinkel of Wasilla, Charles Baim of Sutton, Mrs. Lois Knapp of Big Lake, Mike Vasilie of the Butte and on the board but absent at the meeting were Mrs. Alice Powell of Talkeetna and Don Aelmsegger of Willos. Also present, at the request of Mr. Hamilton was Miss Joyce Gislason, who acted as recording secretary for the Committee.

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you figure when the last spring  
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planting in the flat and trans-  
planting in the garden

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Service office or write the Sour-  
dough Gardener, Cooperative  
Extension Service, University of  
Alaska, College. If you have  
questions or you want copies  
of some of these publications.



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spring garden is still piled  
around the countryside in drifts,  
the Sourdough Gardener has  
come out of hibernation, back  
for another gardening season.

Now is the time to do some  
successful gardening around the  
kitchen table with a pencil and  
paper. Before you go to start-  
ing seeds, figure out what you  
need so you don't have to make  
your garden fit your plants  
when transplant time comes.

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planning ahead.

First of all, get hold of a copy  
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tion No. 7, "Vegetable Vari-  
eties." That will tell you the  
best varieties to plant. This  
will give you time to order them  
if they are not available through  
your local seed dealer.

If you wonder how much you  
need of, say, broccoli, a chart  
in Extension Bulletin No. 63,  
"Gardens in Alaska", will tell  
you.

But, after you've worked out  
your garden plan and decided  
how much of everything you  
need, and after you have got  
the seed, then, how and when  
should you start the seeds?

The Old Sourdough Gardener  
has the answer to that one, too!  
Extension Publication No. 9,  
"Transplanting and Seed Start-  
ing," has the answers. For  
example, it starts out this way:

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the time when seeds should be  
started to give best results."

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different plants take from seed-  
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let me stay up and  
watch the late show  
tonight...all the kids  
are going to



Certainly not.  
You know that what  
your friends do is  
completely  
irrelevant.



See...I told you  
she wouldn't let  
me.



Yeah, but she  
could have given  
you a reason  
why not.



She did!



She said that what  
you kids did was  
completely an elephant.



**NEWS AND ACTIVITIES OF THE CHUGIAK SCHOOL**

**GRADE 2** (Mrs. Fleming) On Valentine's Day the three second grades took a field trip to Anchorage. Three teachers, three room mothers and Mr. Powell went too.

The bus took us to Gilman's Bakery first. Here we saw where bread is mixed, baked and wrapped. It was fun to watch the women make donuts. Mr. Gilman was frosting a cake and he put a dab of frosting on our fingers. That was fun to lick! After eating our donuts we went to the Matanuska Dairy. We learned many things here too. What a big batch of chocolate milk was being mixed while we were there. We saw where ice cream was made too. The dairy gave us ice cream bars to eat with our sack lunches on the bus. The teachers gave us milk.

At the ice arena all of us skated and had fun. We came back tired but happy.

**REPORTER:** Lluane Latimer

**GRADE 4** (Mrs. Hildeman) Our class is learning our fives in arithmetic. Terry Simpson and Eddie Cartmill are setting up an oil well. Terry is writing a report and Eddie is setting up the oil well. It is interesting. In Social Studies we are studying Libya in Africa. (Eddie Cartmill, reporter)

In English the children in our room are each making up a puppet show.

The name of some of them are very funny. We will also make a puppet to go with our play. In science we are making a mural of transportation as long as people have moved things. And each person has an experiment and a report. We will get the 25th off for the Fur Rendezvous (Margie Bellringer rep.) In Health we had to draw a picture of an ear and color it. (Valda Oberg)

**GRADE 4-5** (Miss Burke) In Social Studies, our men like Thomas Jefferson, and James Madison are being studied. Our teacher, Miss Burke is in a play until Sunday, February 20th at A.M.U. It is called, "The Time of Your Life."

**REPORTERS** Wally Lassahan and Ariene Phillips

In Social Studies we are working on projects. We are writing about Libya, nomads, Navajo Indians, deserts, and camels.

In Science we have projects. Some people are making latitude finders. Others are drawing ocean currents. Most people are drawing pictures of Longitude lines or Latitude lines. Monday, our class is going to Anchorage to visit the Art Museum, Alaska University and the Fur Rendezvous.

The following students had birthdays this month, Dorothy Underwood Feb. 8th, Russell Ondoal, Feb. 7th, Ricky Fretwell, Feb. 24th.

**REPORTERS:** James Weger and Dorothy Underwood

**SPECIAL EDUCATION** (Mrs. Dudd) We were very happy for Oscar Munson this week. He has been transferred into Central Junior High School Special Ed. Class. We wish him "Good Luck". In science we have been studying "The Earth and Its Neighbor." We have learned that our nearest neighbor is the moon.

We have seen movies filmstrips and read many books. We have found it very interesting.

**REPORTER:** David Chilligan

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**LOOPERS PLAN PROJECT MEETING**

**BIRCHWOOD:** The Birchwood Loopers Homemakers Club are planning a project meeting for February 24th, at 7:30pm.

The meeting will take place at the home of Irene Hildeman. All members are reminded to bring a pair of scissors.

Also to be discussed will be the May Tea, which the group is planning.

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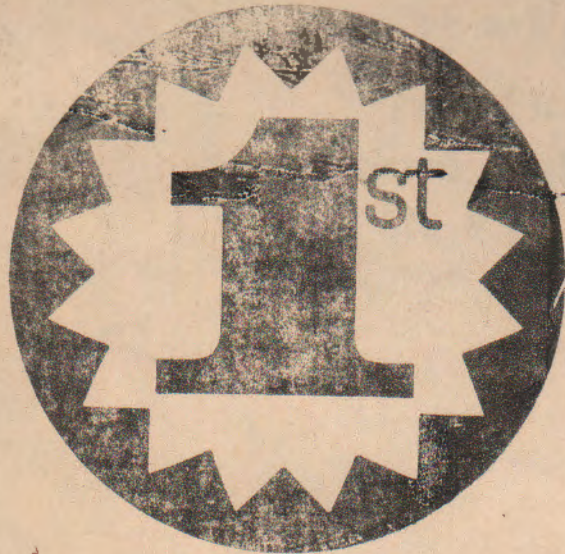
**GREEN THUMB CLUB TO MEET**

**PETERS CREEK:** There will be a meeting of the Green Thumb Homemakers Club on Thursday February 24th.

The meeting will be held at the home of Velma Heigel in Peters Creek, and will begin promptly at 8:00pm.

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Some leftover cooked cobs of corn in the refrigerator? Cut the kernels from the cobs and add them to chili con carne.



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# The Eagle River

## News and Activities of The Eagle River School

### CLASSROOM REPORTS

**GRADE 1** (Mrs. Ruberg) Boys and girls enjoyed the story "If you Lived in Colonial Times"; that Mrs. Ruberg read. We were surprised to hear that some towns had special laws about fun.

"In winter time, coasting down snowy hills on sleds was against the law. Sledding was said to be a waste of time. In the summer, swimming was against the law.

Swimming was said to be a waste of time.

Lee Ann Easterday brought slides about her trip to Mexico and told about each one as it was shown on the screen.

**GRADE 6** (Mrs Kerbow) We have now got two goldfish in our room. Starr Mears was kind enough to bring them to school.

We were going to take a field trip to Elmendorf Air Force Base, but they were unable to have us. We will go later in the year.

We will soon finish our chapter in Science and we will have our test Friday.

In Arithmetic we have been learning about decimals.

REPORTERS: Kathy Fish and Penny Harrison

**GRADE 8** (Mrs. Winningham) Everything's going about the same as

usual this week. We were going to go on a field trip to Elmendorf Air Force Base, but it was called off.

For P.E. we tried a new activity called the merry-go-round and it was lots of fun. In art we each did a few sketches of a cat's head. Some of them turned out very nicely. We're learning about multiplying fractions and it's quite interesting.

For Social Studies we've finished the unit about the United Kingdom and the Republic of Ireland and we're reviewing for the test on it.

Some of the children in our school have been abusing the privilege of being able to skate and we aren't allowed to skate at all for two days.

REPORTER: Beverly Hall

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## HEALTH COUNCIL TO MEET

**EAGLE RIVER:** The monthly meeting of the Chuglak Health and Welfare Council will take place on Monday, February 28th in the Health Center. The Health Center is located in the First Baptist Church of Eagle River. The meeting will begin promptly at 8:00pm.

All organizations are urged to send their representatives, as a quorum is necessary for the election of officers.

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Add grated lemon or orange rind to creamstyle cottage cheese to serve with a summery fresh fruit salad.

## SCHOOL LUNCH



**MONDAY, February 28th**  
 Chiliburger  
 Cheesesticks  
 Buttered peas  
 Chocolate cake w/ divinity icing  
 1/2 pint of milk

**TUESDAY, March 1st**  
 Italian spaghetti  
 Buttered green beans  
 Corn bread  
 Hi-C Fruit punch  
 Spicy cookie  
 1/2 pint of milk

**WEDNESDAY, March 2nd**  
 Hot meatloaf sandwich  
 Mashed potatoes and gravy  
 Celery sticks  
 Apple crisp  
 1/2 pint of milk

**THURSDAY, March 3rd.**  
 Pronto pups - mustard & Catsup  
 1/2 pint of milk  
 Buttered spinach  
 Salad choice  
 Royal rice pudding

**FRIDAY, March 4th**  
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 Cinnamon crispie  
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### LEAGUE SCORES

#### SLEEPYTIME GALS

1st place team- THE NIGHTMARES  
WON 52 1/2 LOST 31 1/2

#### EAGLE RIVER COMMERCIAL

1st place team - BAR-S MEATS  
WON 52 1/2 lost 39 1/2

High series man, Euel Smith 562  
High ser. wom. Zelma Viau 512  
High game man, Euel Smith 213  
High game wom. Zelma Viau 202

#### TEACHERS LEAGUE

1st place team - TEAM #2  
WON 53 LOST 35

High series man, Stu Motter 478  
High ser. wom. Carol Monroe 428  
High game man, Vern Hanson 179  
High game wom. Carol Monroe 179

#### WEDNESDAY TRIO

1st place team- 5th AVE. CHRYSLER  
WON 56 1/2 LOST 19 1/2

#### BREAKFAST LEAGUE

1st place team DOME STRUCTURES  
WON 105 LOST 55

High game Edna Czerski 228  
High series Katheryn COTTEN 515

#### THURSDAY NITE TIGERS

High ser. man Gerald Wilbur 561  
High ser. woman Amy Wilford 473  
High game man, Jack Seaberg 218  
High game wom. Grace Marquis 183

#### BAGS AND BALLS

1st place team THE FOUR ROSES  
WON 94 LOST 50

#### FRIDAY NINERS

1st place team - TEAM #2  
WON 48 1/2 LOST 27 1/2

#### HANGOVER LEAGUE

1st place team - TEAM #2  
WON 14 LOST 5

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### WOMAN BOWLER OF THE MONTH

EAGLE RIVER: The Woman Bowler of the Month for February, is Cretus Darby. Mrs. Darby won the Monthly Tournament held at the Eagle River Bowl with a score of 719. Second place was won by Bobbie Peterkin with 703.

Mrs. Darby will be eligible to compete in the Bowler of the Year Tournament to be held at the Eagle River Bowl in May.

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### MONDAY JACKPOT TOURNAMENT STARTS

EAGLE RIVER: The first of a series of games in a Jackpot Tournament was bowled last Monday night, with Bob Knox coming in first in the men's division with a 617 fol-

lowed closely by Bill Watkins with a 616. In the women's division, the high score was 582, bowled by Edna Czerski.

These tournament games will be played every Monday night for a series of six weeks.

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### BANTAM LEAGUE POSTPONES

EAGLE RIVER: The Bantam Bowling Leagues will postpone their regular games this Saturday, it was announced by Coach Phyllis Stewart.

The reason for the postponement was the participation in a number of the League members in the Fur Rendezvous parade that morning.

The League will resume regular bowling on Saturday, March 5th.

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Sunday, 2:00pm

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#### MONDAY NIGHT JACKPOT TOURNAMENT

Will Run for Six Consecutive Monday Nights

BEGINNING AT 8:00pm - MEN & WOMEN'S DIVISION

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# Church News



**CHUGLAK CHAPEL**  
 Rev. Edgar McElhannon Pastor  
 Mile 21 Old Chuglak  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 9:45am  
 Morning Worship, . . . . . 11:00am  
 Evangelist Service, . . . . . 7:00pm  
 Bible Study and Prayer meeting  
 Wednesday, . . . . . 7:00pm  
 Chirst's Ambassadors (Young  
 People) Friday, . . . . . 7:00pm  
**OUR NURSERY IS OPEN DURING  
 SUNDAY SERVICES**

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**ST. ANDREWS CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
 Mile 14 Eagle River  
 Rev. Robert L. Whalen SJ  
 Rev. Joseph E. Shirey SJ  
 Sunday Confession, . . . . . 8:15am  
 Sunday Mass, . . . . . 9:00am

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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF EAGLE  
 RIVER**  
 Rev. E.C. Chroh Pastor  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 9:45am  
 Morning Worship, . . . . . 11:00am  
 B.T.U. . . . . . 6:00pm  
 Evening Worship, . . . . . 7:00pm  
 Wednesday Prayer meeting 7:00pm  
 W.M.U. 2nd Tuesday, . . . 7:30pm  
 R.A. Boys 1st & 3rd Tues. . . 7:30pm

**NURSERY OPEN DURING  
 SERVICES**

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**VICTORY FRONTIER REVIVAL  
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 Undenominational  
 Rev. Lawrence Bailey Pastor  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 9:45am  
 Morning Workshop, . . . . . 11:00am  
 Evening Workshop, . . . . . 7:30pm  
 Special Prayer for the sick, and  
 broken hearted.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF  
 BIRCHWOOD**  
 Mile 21 Old Chuglak  
 Rev. Bob Chadwick Pastor  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 11:00am  
 Morning Worship, . . . . . 11:00am  
 Training Union, . . . . . 6:30pm  
 Evening Worship, . . . . . 7:30pm  
 Prayer Meeting, Wed. . . . . 7:00pm

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**THE CHURCH ON CORNADO  
 "Church of Christ"**  
 Cornado Road Box 81 Eagle River  
 George Decker Minister  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 9:30am  
 Morning Worship, . . . . . 10:00am  
 Evening Worship, . . . . . 6:30pm  
 Bible Study, Wed. . . . . 7:30pm

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**OUR REDEEMER LUTHERAN  
 CHURCH**  
 Mile 19 1/2 Old Chuglak  
 Rev. Roland Fritz Pastor  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 10:00am  
 Morning Worship, . . . . . 9:00am  
 Ladies Aid, 3rd Tues. . . . . 7:30pm

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**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST**  
 Chuglak Community Hall Mile 21  
 Elder Harvey Sauder Minister  
 Sabbath School, Saturday, . . . 9:30am  
 Worship Service, . . . . . 11:00am  
 Prayer meeting as announced.

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**CHURCH OF THE WILDWOOD  
 Community Church**  
 Mile 14 1/2 Eagle River  
 Theron McGrew Pastor  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 10:00am  
 Morning Worship, . . . . . 11:00am  
 Evening Service, . . . . . 7:00pm  
 Prayer & Bible Study, Wed, 7:00pm

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**CHUGLAK METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Mile 18 Old Chuglak  
 Rev. John Shaffer Pastor  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 9:45am  
 Worship Service, . . . . . 11:00am  
 MYF, Sunday, . . . . . 6:30pm  
 Jr. Choir, . . . Wed. . . . 3:45pm

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**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF  
 LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
 Chuglak Branch  
 Alfred Weger Branch Pres.  
 Mile 19 1/2 Old Chuglak  
 Seminary, 6:30 to 7:30am Weekdays  
 Priesthood, Sunday, . . . . . 9:00am  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 10:30am  
 Sacrament, Sunday, . . . . . 4:30am  
 Primary, Tuesday, . . . 3pm to 4pm  
 M.I.A., 11th & E St. Anchorage  
 Tuesdays, . . . . . 7:30pm  
 Relief Society, Thursday, . . 10:00am

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**ASSEMBLIES OF THE LORD JESUS  
 CHRIST**  
 Birchwood Road Birchwood  
 Loyd Frisby Pastor  
 Sunday School, . . . . . 10:00am  
 Worship Services, . . . . . 11:00am  
 Evangelistic Services, . . . . . 7:30pm  
 Prayer meeting, Wed. . . . . 7:30pm  
 Gospel singing, Saturday, . . 7:30pm

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(Nominations cont page 1 col 2)

Other nominees are; Jack Silfven of Montan Creek, Dewey Welch of Wasilla, Michael Vasile of Bogte, Theodore DeHaze of Bitman, Walter Mayr (Incumbent) of Palmer and Robert L. Tucker (Incumbent) of Jonesville.

Stephens, is the operator of Peters Creek Fuel and Service, Bell is a Homesteader and rancher in Eagle River. The Greater Chuglak Area has one local resident presently serving on the Board of Directors; Jim Ekstedt of Eagle River who is the Board Chairman. The annual election will be held on April 2nd, in Palmer.

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## MARCH 4th TAX PROTEST DEADLINE

**ANCHORAGE:** All 1966 tax assessment notices for Real and Personal Property should by now be in the hands of the taxpayers.

March 4th is the deadline for filing protests to the assessment. If property owners believe an error has been made in the assessment or feels for some reason the property has been over assessed he should by March 4th present his assessment notice to the assessor's office at 104 E. Northern Lights Blvd for an explanation of calculation and possible adjustment.

Prompt consideration will be given each case and adjustment made that time if warranted.

The Assembly will sit as a Board of Equalization on March 26th, hear all cases of those taxpayers who feel their property was over assessed.

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# Tell it to Martha!

By: MARTHA COUNCIL

Dear Martha,

I don't know what to do about a certain thing that happened last week.

Our daughter was invited to a birthday party for a girl who lives down the road from us. On the evening of the party, my husband and I were sitting at home watching

TV when we heard someone at the door. We opened it, and there were the parents of the girl who was having the party. They asked if they could come in and visit with us for a while.

I invited them in, but after a few minutes I felt obliged to ask who was staying with the kids at the party.

The woman said, "Oh, they are big enough to stay by themselves. We couldn't stand all the noise, so we thought we would come over for a little peace and quiet."

My husband didn't say a word, Martha. He just got up and left the room without excusing himself. I thought he had just gone into the kitchen or something. But a few minutes later, here he came marching our daughter through the front door. She was in tears and ran right up to her room. I was stunned and asked him what in the world was the matter. He said loudly that we didn't permit our daughter to go to unchaperoned parties. You can

imagine how this made our guests feel. They were speechless, and of course immediately left. My daughter won't even speak to her father now. She says that she may as well be dead. I feel awful, and told him that he should apologize to those people for the way he acted. He refuses to apologize, and warned me that I had not better apologize either. What can I say to these people to make them forgive his bad behavior?

Humiliated

Dear Humiliated,

I'm afraid that this is a situation that is beyond repairing. While I agree that parties for young people should not be unchaperoned, it was totally unnecessary for your husband to have made such a big production of it.

I would comment further, if I knew how old the young people involved were, and whether or not there were both girls and boys at the party. However, no children are "Big enough" to be left without adult supervision at a party, and your neighbors were very foolish to have tried to escape the revelry by coming to the home of one of the guests' parents.

It's doubtful if even an apology at

this time would mend the damage. However, an apology is in order, not for your husband's feelings on the matter, but for the poor taste he showed in handling it. He could have retrieved your daughter from the party on some simple pretext without humiliating her in front of her friends. You might try to explain to your neighbors that your husband's strong feelings on the subject caused him to act with such a lack of tact, but don't expect them to forgive or forget either.

Sincerely,

Martha Council

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**News and Activities of  
CHUGIAK HIGH  
SCHOOL**

**Editor: Frank Mielke**

The Chugiak Mustang Varsity team lost their last two conference games to the Kenai Cardinals--both by one point!

In the first game, the Cardinals started with a lead that ended the first quarter 15-21. The Mustangs still keeping pace with the Kenai team, fought to a 43-35 halftime score. Again in the third quarter, the peninsula invaders outscored them, this time by 6 points, which left the Mustangs a discouraging 14 points behind. Only a last quarter comeback could make a win for the Mustangs, and they almost did just that. They held the Cardinals down to 3 points while they scored 16 points, but were still one short of the Cardinals when the buzzer sounded. It was Kenai's sharp free-throw shooting (81% to the Mustang's 68%) that won them the game.

The second game against the Kenai team proved to be different in all ways but one; they still lost by one point. They started out six points behind the Cardinals at the end of the first quarter. In the second quarter, they held the Cardinals to a mere 7 points, while their offense seemed to work right, and they scored 21 points, leaving the scoreboard at 34-28 for the Mustangs at the intermission. The Cardinals staged a third quarter rally that came on near the end of the quarter to put them one point from the Mustangs, 47-48. At the beginning of the fourth quarter, the Mustangs started going again and they extended their lead to seven points. But the Kenai cagers soon demolished the Mustang's lead, and were ahead themselves with two minutes remaining. They kept up their defense as Lester Stephens, Louis Doores and Rick Doggett were benched from foul, and went on to win by one point 68-67.

This loss put Chugiak in the cellar, tied with Kodiak, which also has a 13-1 record. Also, West Anchorage and Fairbanks are tied for the lead both with 1-13 records.

Next weekend, the Mustangs play two games with the Wasilla Warriors, which should be another two wins for the Mustangs.

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**CHUGIAK (63)**

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Stephens	8	12-15	0	28
Bill Mielke	0	1-	5	1
Doggett	2	0-0	3	4
Phillips	7	0-1	0	14
Kohring	5	2-4	4	12
McNutt	0	0-0	3	0
Doores	2	0-0	5	4
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>15-22</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>63</b>

**KENAI (64)**

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Arness	10	11-13	3	31
Queen	2	1-0	0	4
Dye	3	6-6	3	12
Rasmusson	0	2-2	1	2
Goff	3	0-0	5	6
Tuff	1	1-2	3	3
Lofstedt	2	2-3	0	4
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22-27</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>64</b>

**SCORE BY QUARTERS:**

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Chugiak	15	35	47	63
Kenai	21	43	61	64

Chugiak	15	20	12	16
Kenai	21	22	18	3

**CHUGIAK (67)**

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Stephens	8	5-7	5	21
Phillips	4	2-3	4	10
Doores	3	4-5	5	10
Bill Mielke	2	6-10	4	10
Kohring	5	3-7	2	13
Doggett	0	1-2	5	1
Werre	1	0-0	0	2
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>21-34</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>67</b>

**KENAI (68)**

Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
Arness	10	2-4	2	22
Queen	4	8-12	4	16
Dye	5	2-4	4	12
Goff	0	1-6	3	1
Tuff	5	4-4	3	14
Lofstedt	0	0-1	4	0
Rasmusson	1	1-1	1	3
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>18-32</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>68</b>

**SCORE BY QUARTERS:**

Chugiak	13	34	48	67
Kenai	19	26	47	68

Chugiak	13	21	14	19
Kenai	19	7	21	19

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**EKLUTNA VILLAGERS  
FORM DEVELOPMENT  
CORPORATION**

EKLUTNA: A general meeting of the people of the village of Eklutna was held Friday, February 18th. A report was presented by Frank Cooper concerning the corporation being formed by Mike Alex, Roy Alex and Cooper.

Articles of incorporation were drawn and approved. By-laws and election of officers for the corporation will be held sometime this week.

The corporation is leasing lands from the people of the village for the purpose of real estate development. Plans include a gas station, gift shop and motel. The people of the village will earn stock in the corporation at the beginning by performing all labor in construction of buildings. This will continue until such time that the corporation will be financially able to pay wages.

There is a possibility of obtaining financial backing from Tyonek Village. The members of the Village Council and the incorporators of the Corporation plan on meeting with the Tyonek Village Council in the near future to discuss the purpose and aims of the corporation with the hope of selling the Tyonek Council on the idea. It is the understanding that the people of Tyonek are interested in the plans of Eklutna Enterprises Inc.

When plans materialize, this corporation will create and provide jobs for those people willing and able to work at the village.

Also at the meeting, by-laws were approved by those present for the Village Council. Election of officers for the council were conducted. Those elected were: Chairman, George Ondola; Vice-Chairman, Herbert Alex; Secretary Virginia Call; Treasurer, Peter Ezi; and Recorder Steve Prokepcoff.

Three trustees were elected to serve with the council. These were Mike Theodore, Roy Alex and Everett Theodore. It was decided by the people to hold council meetings the first Friday of each month, with a general meeting of the people once a year.

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