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CHUGIAK - 10¢

MAN PERISHES IN EKLUTNA HOUSE FIRE

PUBLIC TRANSIT FOR THIS AREA TO BE EXPLORED BY CHAMBER

EAGLE RIVER: Public transportation, which would serve the communities of the Greater Chugiak Area will be explored at the general membership meeting of the local Chamber of Commerce.

A speaker from the Borough Planning Department's Transportation Committee will be at the meeting to explain how transportation for this area would be fitted into the public transportation study which is being made for the borough.

PAT SMITH HAS BEST TIME IN RACE

EAGLE RIVER: Pat Smith driving a Chaparell, made the best time in the Woman's Eagle River 50 Snowmachine race held last Sunday, February 27th.

Pat completed the fifty mile course from the Ice Palace on



EKLUTNA: A man perished in a fire which completely destroyed a cabin at Eklutna Village last night.

The Chugiak Volunteer Fire Company received the call at approximately 5:30pm from a passerby who observed the fire.

The cabin was apparently occupied by several persons when the fire broke out. A spokesman for the Alaska State Troopers said that a party was apparently in progress at the time.

The origin of the fire was not known, although it was believed that it could have been caused by someone attempting to build up the fire in a wood burning stove using a flammable liquid.

The identity of the victim was not immediately known other than that he was an adult male.

study which is being made for the borough.

This meeting is not restricted to Chamber members, but is open to all interested residents of the Greater Chugiak Area.

The views of local residents are being sought in order to determine just what the needs for public transportation for this area are.

The meeting will take place on Monday, March 6th, at 8pm at the Sportsman's Game Preservation Association Hall, at Mile 15 on the Old Glenn Highway.

YOUTHS ROB SERVICE STATION

EAGLE RIVER: A pair of male juveniles were reported to have entered the Tesoro Eagle's Service early last Sunday morning and stolen between sixty and seventy dollars from the cash register.

According to Mrs. Earl Williams, whose husband owns the station, the incident took place at approximately 2pm just as a dance up the road was letting out.

Mrs. Williams said that a woman who had just picked up her daughter at the dance had driven into the station, and had asked the only attendant on duty to put on her tire chains for her.

While he was busy doing this the car with the two juveniles in it drove up. They entered the station, and one pushed a customer in the station against the wall while the other opened the cash register and scooped the con-

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Pat completed the fifty mile course from the Ice Palace on Hiland Road to Paradise Haven and return in 1 hour 7 minutes 6 seconds.

The first five place winners and their times in the classes are as follows:

A STOCK:
1st: Virginia Week. . .1,21,27
2nd: Linda Kvasnikoff 1,25,03
3rd: Ramona Pugh. . .1,32,22
4th: Margaret Clemons 1,35,40
5th: Pat Kareen. . . .1,36,19

B STOCK:
1st Cheryl Harmon. . .1,16,56
2nd: Dixie Vicent. . .1,21,13
3rd.: Bernice Weers. .1,25,49
4th: Doris Zimmerman, 1,28,48
5th: Jean Brooks. . .1,46,55

D STOCK:
1st: Judy Moore. . .1,12,57
2nd: Carol Ann Thomas 1,14,30
3rd: Tana Charles. . .1,14,30
4th: Susan Dashnow. . .1,58
5th: Sally Smith. . .2,17,20

MOD I
1st: Debbie Radie. . .1,54,14
2nd: Glenda Sumner. .1,55,22
3rd: Joanne Ziegler. .1,58,49
4th: Sherry Snyder. . .2,3,48
5th: Jeannie Smith. .2,12,41
Trophies and cash were awarded for the first five places in each class.

The race started at the Ice Palace, a new winter lodge on Hiland Road and proceeded to the Paradise Haven Lodge across Eagle River in the Eagle River Valley and returned to the Ice Palace.

The awards were presented later that evening at Paradise Haven.



NEW ICE PALACE ON HILAND ROAD WAS THE STARTING AND FINISHING POINT OF EAGLE RIVER 50, WOMEN'S SNOWMACHINE RACE (more Ice Palace photos on page 3)

ASPLUND EXPECTS OPPOSITION TO UNIFICATION PLAN

ANCH: Borough Chairman John Asplund indicated that he anticipates some opposition to the new Unification plan when it is presented to the Borough Assembly next Monday night.

No small amount of this objection will come from local Assemblyman Ed Willis, who stated that he will use any legislative tool at his command to insure that the public has a voice before the proposition goes any further.

Asplund had originally asked for an advisory election this spring to feel the pulse of the people, and learn their feelings on the subject. He was apparently overruled in this in favor of an election next summer which would put the matter before the voters of the City and the Anchorage Bowl in two simple propositions. They would be asked if they wished to unify, and if so was it as a first class home rule city or as a second class borough. The residents of the Greater Chugiak Area and of Girdwood would be excluded from this elect-

ion to the point where they would only be able to say that they did or did not wish to be a part of this unified government.

Willis said that the public needs to be made aware of the necessity for the advisory election, and that they should have an opportunity to be heard at the March 6th meeting of the Assembly when the unification proposal is to be presented.

Willis said "It is becoming increasingly apparent that a small group of people is attempting to rush a unification measure to the state legislature without benefit of expression by residents of the areas affected until after the legislation is accomplished."

"On Monday night, I offered two motions which would have directed that the voter have an immediate say in this issue. Both efforts failed to gain assembly support."

"The borough chairman on Feb. 22 indicated that he fav-

ors an advisory election which would ask the voters if they desire to unify certain parts of the Greater Anchorage Area Borough, and if so, do they prefer the new government to be a second class borough or a first class home-rule city. Such an advisory election is the only sensible way this proposal should be pursued.

"An advisory election would give direction to the assembly and to the legislature. It would remove all 'ifs' from the proposed legislation. It would be clear cut in its effect. Time saved in processing the legislation, if unification is desired by a majority of voters, would more than make up for any delay while awaiting election outcome. An advisory election could be held early in April, on the same ballot with the sewer bond issue.

Willis went on to say, "I feel that this effort to solve some of the problems of the Anchorage area is commendable, although I do not agree that it should be conducted in

other than that he was an adult male.

The other occupants of the cabin escaped with only minor burns. One required hospitalization. This man, whose name was only given as Arthur was transported to the ANS Hospital by the Chugiak Volunteer Fire Company Ambulance.

The fire is presently under investigation by the State Fire Marshall and the Alaska State Troopers.

secret meetings. I feel the willingness of city and borough administrations to abide by the wishes of the people is a giant step forward in solving differences. It will settle once and for all whether the people wish to be part of a second class borough with the city as a service district, or whether the Anchorage Bowl is to be annexed to the City of Anchorage. I support any move which would give the people that choice."

"It is vital, however", he continued, "that an advisory election be held before any proposal is forwarded to the legislature. Any proposition without this voter direction would be full of 'ifs' and its final form unpredictable when it completes its round of committees in Juneau. Should the proposition be based on the outcome of an advisory election, those ifs would be removed and its final form difficult to alter."

"It is also important that the three questions proposed by the borough chairman be asked in order, and that the entire borough be considered. I strongly object to any portions of the borough being arbitrarily abandoned and thrown to the wolves with only a take-it or leave-it choice", he concluded.

NONE CITED IN COLLISION

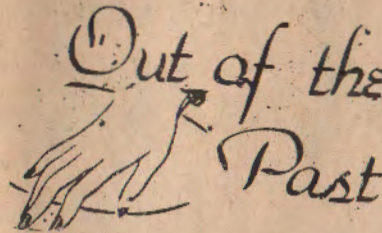
EAGLE RIVER: No citations were issued by the Alaska State Troopers following a two car collision on the Glenn Highway near the Eagle River Inn last Monday night.

According to the troopers, Richard Benson, of Palmer had pulled out onto the highway, and his car immediately stalled.

An approaching car, driven by Beverly Phillips of Eagle River was unable to stop in time and collided with the vehicle.

Damage to Benson's 1966 Ford Pick up was estimated at \$100. Miss Phillip's 1958 Oldsmobile sustained an estimated \$300 damage.

There were no injuries, according to the Alaska State Troopers.



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PETERS CREEK BOROUGH BOUNDARY DENIES: Robert Vroman of Wasilla, spokesman for the Matanuska Susitna Borough Boundary Commission today denied that they plan to petition that the boundary of that borough be set at Peters Creek.

LOCAL BOROUGH STUDY IS FORMED: The second in a series of informational meetings on the subject of the formation of Boroughs was held at the Eagle River School last Thursday.

PISTOL FELS MOOSE: A shot fired from a 44 caliber pistol felled a charging cow moose last Monday morning.

James A. Hayden of the Artillery Road had been walking in the woods photographing moose when an enraged cow charged him.

Hayden managed to dodge the animal and fired point blank at her with the pistol which he had been carrying with him.

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ents from the drawer.

They then ran out jumped in their car and fled. Mrs. William said that the witness reported that there had been a girl in the car also.

The pair did not appear to have been armed. A description of the youths was obtained from the witnesses, and the Alaska State Troopers, who arrived within minutes of being called.

No one recognized the youths as local however, it was reported that several persons had seen them and the car hinging around in the area during the day.

The robbery is still under investigation by the Alaska State Troopers.

This is the second time within a month that the Tesoro station has been robbed. The first instance also occurred when the attendant was outside of the station.

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TWENTY FIVE YEARS OLD

A twenty fifth anniversary is an important event in the life of any community, and it would seem a pity for the 25th anniversary of the Community of Chugiak to pass unnoticed.

Although there has been some talk of a Silver Anniversary celebration for the area; to date, no concrete plans have come forth.

Ten year ago, when the community was a youthful fifteen years old, the Courier published a series of articles by Les Fetrow, one of the few pioneers still living in the area. With Mr. Fetrow's permission we will reprint these articles, telling of the early days in the community and in hopes that it will spark

local residents to make an effort to celebrate this memorable event.

The series will start in the next issue of the Courier...be watching for it!

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 OFFER
 CONCERT**

BIRCHWOOD: The Chugiak Junior High School Concert Band will offer a concert on Wednesday, Mar. 15th, at 8pm. The performance will take place in the multi-purpose room at the high school. Admission will be \$1.25 for adults, \$1.00 for students, (7th through 12th grades) and 75¢ for children. Darrel Daley, Chugiak High music directors, stated "We have never given a concert with this group all by themselves before as they have always appeared with the high school band. Their growth

and improvement this year, though, has made them ready to appear strictly by themselves and on their own behalf". "I would encourage the public to come out and see what these 8th and 9th graders are able to do musically. The program will contain something to fit every musical taste", he concluded.

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Gosh, is that why they call it brainwashing?

Elimination Of Corporal Punishment Considered By School Board

ANCHORAGE: The elimination of all corporal punishment of students at Anchorage Borough Schools will be one of two controversial items of business to be considered by the School Board at their meeting next Tuesday, March 7th.

The second item is the recommendation of grade requirements to students participating in WAHSAA (Western Alaska High School Athletic Association) activities.

Ken Bell, President of the Eagle River Elementary PTA who has been monitoring the school board meeting for the local area feels that either or both of these items should be of considerable concern to parents, and feels that the views of parents should be taken into consideration by the board before they act on either matter.

Bell has asked that all who are interested in the matter try to attend the meeting, or if they are unable to attend in person, let him know their views so he can report these to the School Board.

Persons wishing their op-

inions on either subject to go on record may either call Mr. Bell at his home, Phone number 694-9138, or they may call the Knik Arm Courier at 688-2513.

TOSS TO OFFER GYMNASTICS

BIRCHWOOD: Classes in gymnastics for elementary school aged boys and girls will be offered by TOSS, (Treasurers in Sight and Sound)

These are eight classes to be held at Chugiak High School on Monday nights, beginning on March 6th.

Because of the fact that a limited number can be accommodated in these classes, only those who register at the High School on March 6th will be accepted.

Registration will take place in the school gym from 6:30pm to 8:30pm.

There will be a charge of \$11.00 for the eight week course.

The girls classes will be taught by Roxy Knecht and Vickie Sanders, members of the Chugiak High Girls Gymnastics team. The boys classes will be taught by Mr. Robert Arms.

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GIRL WINS MOD PARKA

BIRCHWOOD: Linda Edwards, of Aurora Parkway in Birchwood was the winner of the velveteen parka, raffled by the local March of Dimes Committee.

Linda is an eighth grade student at Chugiak Junior High, and was present at the High School on Sunday when the drawing was held.

The drawing took place at the close of the Dime Adish Dinner also a March of Dimes fund raiser.

Receipts to date from the various March of Dimes Activities total \$660.00 according to Rose Selk, MOD Chairman. Of this \$150 was the proceeds from the raffle and approximately \$150 from the dinner.

Mrs. Selk said that this is not the final figure as there are still some canisters out, and the mailers are still dribbling in.



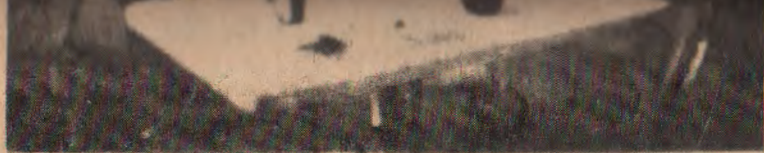
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THE SNACK COUNTER AT THE ICE PALACE WAS A POPULAR SPOT DURING LAST SUNDAY'S RACE.





A VIEW OF THE VALLEY AND INCOMING RACERS IN THE UPSTAIRS BAR AND DINING ROOM OF THE ICE PALACE. POOL TABLES KEPT MANY OF THE VISITORS ENTERTAINED.

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RIDERS TALK OF STYLE SHOW AND TRAIL RIDE

EAGLE RIVER: A Western Style Show and a spring trail ride were the main topics of business discussed at the monthly meeting of the Frontier Riders Saddle Club held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Tom Green last Friday night.

Committees were appointed to set up the style show and to investigate locations for the trail ride. They will report their findings at the next meeting.

A combination trail ride and barbecue were considered as a fund raising project for the club.

Also discussed was the problem with the drivers of snow-machines who often unintentionally and frequently deliberately will spook horses which are being ridden. It was suggested that the local snow-machine club be contacted and their help enlisted in trying to educate snow machine operators of the danger to both the rider and the driver that can result from this practice.

MAN HAS POSSIBLE HEART ATTACK

EAGLE RIVER: A Chuglak man was transported to the 5040th Air Force Hospital last Monday, the victim of a possible heart attack.

The Eagle River ambulance responded to Mile 18 on the Old Glenn Highway and picked up the victim John Trent.

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CHUGIAK JUNIOR - SENIOR
HIGH SCHOOL

WEDNESDAY, March 1, 1972
CLEAN-UP Day, 7th Per-
iod.

THURSDAY, March 2, 1972
Jr. High Boys Wrestling with
Henshaw at Chugiak.

FRIDAY, Varsity Wrestling
Tri-Meet with West and Nin-
lichik at Chugiak

SATURDAY: Varsity Wrest-
ling, Tri-meet with Service
and Seward at Chugiak.

CHILD HURT IN CAR-SLED COLLISION

EAGLE RIVER: A seven year
old Eagle River boy was in-
jured when a car struck the
"Sno-bob" sled he was rid-
ing.

The victim was Ronnie D.
Monica. According to the Al-
aska State Troopers the child

SCHEDULE OF CARNIVAL EVENTS TOLD

OLD CHUGIAK: The follow-
ing schedule of events for the
Chubirgle Winter Sports
Carnival will be as follows:

1. Cross Country Skiing (14
and over bring own skis.)
2. Ice Skating speed race

Putman, of Highland Drive.
The injured boy was taken to
the Anchorage Community
Hospital by the Eagle River
Ambulance, where he was
treated for a broken nose and
missing teeth.

The accident took place on
Highland Drive off of Crest-
view.

No citations were given by
the Alaska State Troopers.

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5. Sled Relay Race (5 and un-
der)
6. Ice Skating speed race (14
and over)
7. Variety Sled Race (12 and
under)
8. Cross Country Skiing (8
and under)
9. Ice skating speed race (11
thru 13 -- A, Girls B, Boys)
10. Variety Sled race (13 thru
13 -- non metal sleds)
- 11 Parent-child 3 legged race
12. Couples Ice skating race
13. Parent-child Ice Skating
and Relay Race
14. Ice Skating Speed Race (7
thru 10 A, Boys, B, Girls)

BALLOON RACE

Registration is at 9:30am,
Events Start at 10:15am.

There will be ribbons for 1st
2nd and 3rd place in each ev-
ent.

Boy and Girl winners in all
events except 11, 12 and 13.
Trophies will be awarded to

PRECINCT 148 DEMOS TO CAUCUS

EAGLE RIVER: There will
be a Democratic Caucus on
Monday, March 6th, for pre-
cinct 148 (Eagle River Pre-
cinct).

The caucus will be held at
the home of Mrs. Lorraine
Shaw, on Coronado Road, be-
ginning at 7:30pm.

All democrats in the prec-
inct are urged to attend.

Persons wishing more in-
formation may call Mrs. Shaw
at 694-2288.

Chugiak High Cheerleaders Take 1st Place

KODIAK: Although the Chu-
giak High Mustangs ended up
in fourth place in the Class A
Basketball Tournament, the
school did not come away
without any honors.

The Chugiak Varsity Cheer-
leaders won first place, and
the team was presented with
the trophy for sportsmanship.

Rod Willis, of the Mustangs
was named to the All Tourn-
ament Basketball team.

First place in the tourna-
ment went to Eilson, with
Kodiak coming in second and
Palmer Third.

The Chugiak High Band, who
accompanied the team to the
tournament performed at both
games in which the Mustangs
participated in.

WINTER CARNIVAL THIS SAT.

OLD CHUGIAK: Chugiak,
Birchwood and Eagle River
PTA's are again presenting
the Annual Winter Carnival
at Chugiak Elementary School
March 4th.

Originally a project of the
Chugiak PTA, the Carnival's
success has drawn in all area
elementary schools.

A seal, called Chubir (Chug-
iak-Birchwood) was adopted
as a mascot for activity. Then
when Eagle River School join-
in as a sponsor, the present
mascot part seal, part eagle
evolved, and was renamed
Chubirgle. He is usually de-
picted as skating, snowshoe-
or skating.

There are sled races (non-
manufactured sleds) snow-
shoe races, ice skating and
skating....all bringing ribbons
to first, second and third place
winners. The boy and girl
winning the most ribbons will
each receive a trophy, con-
tributed by the Knik Arm
Courier.

The school supplies skis for
children 13 and under, but all
other equipment must be sup-
plies by the entrant.

The Carnival's purpose, of
bringing the people of the
community together in a day
of rousing fun, has been well
fulfilled, and the only money
that exchanges hands is at the
Boy Scout Concession trailer
where refreshments pro-
ceeds will be used to buy ad-
ditional camping equipment for
the troop.

SPEECH CONTEST WINNERS TOLD

OLD CHUGIAK: The first
half of the Knik Toastmist-
ress Club speech contest was
held at the Methodist Church
in Chugiak on February 17th.

Contestants were Mrs. Nancy
Lance, Mrs. Gloria Edwards,
Mrs. Pat Mitchell, Mrs. Alice
Bowles and Mrs. Nola Caulk-
ins.

Toastmistress for the night
was Mrs. Evelyn Hite. Guest
judges were Mrs. Selma
Brooks and Mrs. Margaret
Mielke, past poet Laureate of
Alaska

Mrs. Phyllis Thomas,
Toastmistress Council Area 8
Chairman and Mrs. Joyce
Willis were also judges.

Timers were Mrs. Ruth An-
tosh, and Mrs. Marcella Red-
mond. Tellers were Mrs.
Irene Hildeman, Mrs. Gwen
Best and Mrs. Elfriede
Towne.

Speech contest winners were
1st Place and winner of a
trophy, Mrs. Pat Mitchell,
2nd place winner of a certifi-
cate, Mrs. Nancy Lance and
3rd place winner, also of a
certificate, Mrs. Nola Caul-
kins.

The next meeting which will
include the second part of the
speech contest will be held
this Thursday, March 2, at
the Chugiak Methodist Church
at 7:30pm. All interested
persons are invited to be
guests

Monica. According to the Alaska State Troopers the child came sledding out of a driveway into the path of a 1967 Pontiac, driven by Ernest L.

1. Cross Country Skiing (4 and over bring own skis.)
2. Ice Skating speed race (age 6 and under)
3. Variety Sled Race (8 and over - no metal sleds)

events except 11, 12 and 13. Trophies will be awarded to the highest scoring boy and the highest scoring girl in the Carnival.

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HEART SUNDAY MARCH THIS WEEK

CHUGIAK: The "Heart Sunday" march will be held in the Greater Chugiak Area on four separate days this week.

Heart Sunday volunteers can be expected to come knocking at doors at anytime from Thursday, March 2nd, through Sunday, March 5th. The following ladies have

been named as chairmen for the areas of the community; Eagle River Valley, Irene Baranow; Eagle River, Verdia Sorells; Fire Lake, Kay Abrams; Birchwood, Virginia Morton; Old Chugiak, Babe Kamholz, and Peters Creek, May Stapleton.

In addition to accepting contributions to the Heart Fund, the ladies will be giving out pamphlets on mouth to mouth resuscitation.

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JOHN SOMERVILLE
Manager of Purchasing & Stores

Church

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SUNDAY:
Bible Study.10:00am
Worship.11:00am
Evening Service.7:00pm
WEDNESDAY.7:00pm
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CHURCH IN THE WILDWOOD
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Mile 14 1/2 Eagle River
Sunday School.9:45am
Morning Worship11:00am
Evening Service.7:00pm
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Wednesday7:00pm

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Sunday, Public Talk - 10:00am
Watch Tower.11:15am
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Rev. John Bleglow Pastor
Sportsmen's Hall Eagle River
Sunday School.10:00am
Morning Worship.11:00am
Evening family hour.6:30pm

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Sunday School.10:00am
Ladies Aid, 3rd Weds 7:30pm

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and 6:00pm
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Thursday, Friday - 5:30pm
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SR. CENTER & OPAG NEWS

By: Daisy Pelon, Presiden

We older folks wish to thank Amanda L. Struble of Anchorage writing analysis for your visit with us at the Chugial Senior Center. It was a pleasure and a lot of fun and we do hope that Amanda will visit us again soon. We also learned something about ourselves.

Harry Mackey was operated on the 24th of February at Providence Hospital. The operation took three hours and fifteen minutes. At present we do not know all the details but our prayers are with him. There will always be a cup of coffee waiting for him when he gets out of the hospital. Good luck Harry. If you would like to send him a card you can sent it to Providence Hospital Room 302, Anchorage, Alaska

I also hear that Mr. Joe Traversie is ill. His address is Star Route Box 1215, Chugiak. Don't forget the meeting and Birthday Party Friday night, March the 3rd at 6:30 and 7. We hope you all will join us. Those having birthdays are: Howard Shaw, Fred Larson, Jean Rickteroff, Ethel Bowerman, Nickolas Van Kampen, George Smock, Kenneth Johnson, Anna Nentwic.

Happy birthday to all and do come to the Center and enjoy the Birthday cake made

GAME NIGHT AT EAGLE RIVER SCH

EAGLE RIVER: The Chubirgle Committee who are sponsoring the Winter Sports Carnival for the kids at Chugiak Elementary School this Saturday, have come up with something for the parents. Chubirgle Game Night will be held at the Eagle River Elementary School on Friday, March 3rd.

Pinochle and Cribbage will be available for all interested adults.

Cards will be furnished, but players are asked to provide their own cribbage boards and bring their own refreshments if they wish any.

A charge of 25¢ per person will be asked to cover the cost of the cards.

Playing will start at 7:30pm and last until ?

RAMSEY ON MEA COMMITTEE

PALMER: William (Buck) Ramsey of Peters Creek was named as the representative from the Greater Chug'ak Area to the nominating committee for the Matanuska Electric Association.

This appointment was made along with the following from the remaining service areas: Robert Burner, Willow, Randy Frank Palmer, Edna Johnson, Sutton, Minnie Swanda, Tal-

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SCHOOL LUNCH HEALTH CLINIC MENU SCHEDULE IS PUBLISHED



THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1972
Turkey and gravy
Buttered green beans
Sliced peaches
Hot roll and butter
Raisin cookie
1/2 pint of milk

FRIDAY, MARCH 3, 1972
Hamburger with mustard
and catsup
Hash brown potatoes
Chilled apricot
Spice cake with icing
1/2 pint of milk

MONDAY, MARCH 6, 1972
Corn dog
Buttered peas
Chilled pears
Peanut butter bar
1/2 pint of milk

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1972
Cheeseburger

EAGLE RIVER: The schedule for the local Health Center for the month of March has been published.

WEDNESDAY, March 1, 1972
Immunization Clinic, 1:00pm to 4:00pm.

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1972
Immunization Clinic, 2:30pm to 4:30pm.

TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1972
Pap Smear Clinic, 10:00am to 12:00 noon.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1972
Well Child Conference, 10am to 12:00 noon.

No appointments are required for the immunization clinics. For appointments for the Pap Smear Clinic and the Well Child Conference, call 694-2350.

The Health Clinic is located in the GOAL Center on Artillery Road in Eagle River.

Morning Worship... 10:00am
 Y.P.E. 7:00pm
 Evening Worship. 8:00pm
 Paul McLaughlin Pastor
 Phone: 333-5485

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST
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 Ray McCubbins Branch Pres.
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Priesthood, Sunday - 9:00am
 Sunday School. . . . 11:00am
 Sacrament Meeting. . . 5:30pm
 Primary, Tues. 3:45pm
 M.I.A. - Weds. 7:00pm
 Relief Society, Thurs. 10:00am

CHURCH ON CORONADO
 "Church of Christ"
 Coronado Rd. Box 155 Eagle Riv
 Bill Lance Minister
 Sunday School. 9:30am
 Morning Worship. . . 10:30am
 Evening Worship. . . . 6:30pm
 Bible Study, Weds. . . . 8:00pm

CHURCH OF THE NAZERNE
 Pastor Rev. John L. Vaughn
 Al Cross Drive off Artillery
 Road, Eagle River
 Sunday School. 10:00am
 Morning Worship. . . . 11:00am
 Sun. Eve. Worship. . . . 7:00pm
 Prayer Meeting Thurs 7:30pm

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 OF BIRCHWOOD**
 Top of Peters Creek Hill in
 Old Chugiak
 Robert L. Chadwick Pastor
 Sunday School. 10:00am
 Morning Worship. . . . 11:00am
 Evening Worship. . . . 7:00pm
 Sun. Training Union. . . 6:00pm
 Weds. Bible Study . . . 7:00pm
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 OF EAGLE RIVER**
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 Sunday School. 9:45pm
 Morning Worship. . . . 11:00am
 Training Union. 6:00pm
 Evening Worship. . . . 7:00pm
 Weds Bible Study. . . . 7:00pm

Confession. Sat. - 7pm-8pm
 Catechism Classes Tuesday
 evenings 7pm-8pm at Chugiak
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**UNITED METHODIST
 CHURCH OF CHUGIAK**
 Mile 18 Old Glenn Highway
 Eugene Groves Pastor
 Church School. 9:30a.m.
 Worship Service. . . . 11:00a.m.
 Tuesday: Bible Study. . 8:00pm
 Wednesday:
 Junior Choir. 3:00pm
 Senior Choir. 7:30pm

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joy the Birthday cake made
 by Pen Lee.
 We are still working on the
 rugs and hope to have one done
 by the end of the week.
 Now that spring will be here
 soon we are hoping that we
 will be able to start having our
 pot luck dinners and plan other
 activities. We will bring
 this up at the meeting on Mar.
 3rd.
 Mary Lipking will not be with
 us this Monday due to eye
 trouble and Mrs. Florence
 Church will take over as dir-
 ector for the month of March.
 Thanks, Mary, for a good job
 well done for the month
 of February.

If you need help won't you
 please call the Center 688-
 2677, or Roy Charney at 272-
 9317 and we will be glad to
 help you.
 Anyone over 55 or older can
 join us at the Center. We will
 be glad to talk to you. I am
 very happy to report that Mr.
 C.G. Armistead is out of the
 hospital and visited with us at
 the Center. It is very hard for
 him to walk and we hope that
 he will keep improving.

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sutton, Minnie Swanson, Pal-
 keetna; Paul Huppert, Butte;
 Jane Browne, Wasilla and
 Leona Spencer, Big Lake.
 The above will meet on
 March 9th, 1972 at the MEA
 Headquarters in Palmer at
 7:30pm.
 Nominations will be to fill
 the offices of two directors to
 be elected to two year terms.
 Directors whose terms are
 expiring are: Richard J. Mill-
 er Jr, President; and Ben-
 jamin Cottle, Director.
 Members of the Board who
 are not up for reelection this
 year are, Robert A. Douglas,
 (Sec. & Treas), Dale D. Briggs
 of Eagle River, (Vice-Pres)
 and Phil O'Neill, Director.
 In addition to the nominat-
 ions made by the Committee,
 any fifteen or more members
 acting together may make
 other nominations by petition.
 Petitions must be received
 at Matanuska Electric Assoc-
 iation no later than April 7,
 1972. Nominations may also
 be made from the floor.
 Two Directors will be el-
 ected at the Annual Meeting,
 to be held this year On Satur-
 day, April 22nd.

French fries
 Buttered corn
 Ranger cookie
 1/2 pint of milk
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 8, 1972
 Mexican taco with lettuce
 and tomato
 Pineapple cabbage slaw
 Corn bread and butter
 Pumpkin pie with whipped
 topping
 1/2 pint of milk
THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1972
 Spaghetti with meat sauce
 Mixed fruit
 Buttered green beans
 French roll
 Oatmeal cookie
 1/2 pint of milk

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1972
 Sea food patty
 Green salad with dressing
 Hot roll and butter
 Berry cobbler
 1/2 pint of milk

**LADIES CLUB
 TO PLAN
 ART SHOW**
PETERS CREEK: Plans for
 the coming spring Art Show
 will be the main items of bus-
 iness to be discussed at the
 meeting, to be held Thursday
 March 2nd, at the home of
 Margaret Ripley in Peters
 Creek.
 All members who have been
 addressing envelopes are
 asked to bring those which are
 completed to the meeting.

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Tell it to Martha
BY: MARTHA COUNCIL

Dear Martha,
I have something to say to the lady who wrote in last week. She got in hot water because she invited a woman to join her club, and then found out that this woman and one of the regular club members were sworn enemies. I am surprised that they haven't run into that problem before this if any Sarah, Jane

or Mary can come to their meetings without an invitation.
We welcome new members to our club too, but before a member invites a guest, she brings her name up before the rest of the members, and if there is anyone who has a feud with that woman, why then she isn't invited.
Not snobbish, just choosey

CAR SUFFERS MUCH DAMAGE

EKLUTNA: A 1972 Ford Pickup sustained considerable damage following a one car accident at Eklutna Lake Rd. and the Glenn Highway last Sunday.
According to the Alaska State Troopers the car swerved too far to the right, hit the snow berm, bounced off and rolled over.
Damage was estimated at \$2,000.
The driver, Haakon Wehdahl of Anchorage was not injured according to the Alaska State Troopers.

MAN IS HURT IN ACCIDENT

BIRCHWOOD: A local resident was taken to the 5040th Air Force Hospital with a head injury following a one car accident last week at the intersection of South Birchwood Loop and the New Glenn Highway.
The victim was James Phillips, of Birchwood.
According to the Alaska State Troopers, Phillips lost control of his 1969 Pontiac and skidded off the road. Damage was estimated at \$1500.
No citation was issued according to the Alaska State Troopers.

VFW TO SPONSOR POETRY CONTEST

CHUGIAK: The fourth Annual State Poetry Contest on the American Flag will be sponsored by the Department of Alaska, Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign War (V.F.W.) of the United States. There will be three grade groups, with three winners selected from each grade group locally to be forwarded for State judging.
Grade groups are; Grades 1-3, 4-6 and 7-9. Three State winners will be selected with prizes as follows: First prize \$10, Second prize, \$7.50, third prize \$5.00. The remaining State entrants will receive an Honorable Mention certificate.
Any students from the Greater Chugiak Area, grades 1 through 9 may enter the contest.
The entry must be an original poem on the subject of the American Flag, composed solely by the student. The entry must be submitted in his or her own handwriting with no corrections.
The local chairman will select three winners from each grade group to be forwarded for State judging.
The NAME of the student, his GRADE and the name of the SCHOOL he or she attends must be on each entry.
Entries must be mailed before March 15, 1972 to Chugiak VFW Post 9785, Auxiliary, P.O. Box 118, Chugiak Alaska 99567.

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EAGLE RIVER: An Eagle
River woman was taken sud-
denly ill last Thursday, and
was transported to the ANS
Hospital by the Eagle River
Ambulance.

The victim was Betty Gon-
angnah, of the Coronado Ap-
artments on Coronado Road.

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CHUBIRGLE Winter Sports Carnival

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EVENTS START 10:15am

Department awards will be
presented on May 1, 1972.
Winning entries will not be
returned, but will become the
property of Ladies Auxiliary
to VFW, Department of Al-
aska.

The Chugiak VFW Post
9785 will award special
prizes for the three best
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