



VHS Girls Volleyball Team Wins Invitational

ALEUTIAN VILLAGE MEETING TONIGHT IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS

7pm – City Council Chambers

Meeting will be broadcast on 1230AM or
log onto KVAK's streaming link at

www.kvakradio.com.

This meeting provides an opportunity for residents of Aleutian Village to speak with the City Council about their concerns associated with the recent notice of eviction they received from the Aleut Corporation. The residents and council will receive an update from City Administration in response to questions and concerns discussed at the public meeting on September 16th.

CLIMATE & CONNECTEDNESS SURVEY



VALDEZ POLICE AND FIRE REPORT

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to see the latest Valdez Police and Fire Report.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

8/5 - 8/11

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to answer the Question of the Week

Which of these is your favorite one hit wonder:

- * Ice Ice Baby Vanilla Ice
- * Kung Fu Fighting Lipps Inc.
- * Achey Breaky Heart Billy Ray Cyrus
 - * 8-6-7-5-309 Tommy TuTone
 - * Come On Eileen Dexy's Midnight Runners

What are you *most* excited to go hunting for this fall?

64% - Moose

36% - Caribou

0% - Sitka Black Tail Deer

0% - Bear

0% - Sheep



RESULTS RELEASED

Valdez City Schools participated in a survey that provided information on school climate and connectedness. In particular: student risk behaviors; youth involvement and community support. CLICK HERE to read the survey.

VALDEZ COMMUNITY NIGHT THIS THURSDAY AT VALDEZ HIGH

Climate & Connectedness Survey
7pm to 8:30pm at Valdez High School

Valdez City Schools parents and the community are invited to hear what VCS students and staff have to say about their school and community. The 2015 School Climate & Connectedness Survey, taken by 5th through 12 graders and staff, covers such things as learning expectations, peer climate, school safety, student involvement and risk behaviors such as alcohol and drug abuse. On Friday, September 25th the School Board will meet with AASB to discuss the survey results at 1130am In the Superintendent's Conference Room. The public is invited to attend.



COPPER VALLEY TELECOM UPGRADES

ONE HIT WONDER DAY IS FRIDAY

Tune into KVAK Radio 93.3FM or 1230AM and celebrate "One Hit Wonder Day" this Friday at 11:30am. Listen as the KVAK staff broadcasts live and spins records from days gone by. Of course, we will give away prizes for those listeners that can name the artist who sing these one hit wonders, but KVAK might have something up our sleeve for those who can sing a few bars also.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY VALDEZ INSIDERS

9/21 - Paul MacDonald, Mary Ellen
Murphy, Eric Rosenfeld, Roy Hansen,
Meira Pedersen, Jason Hansen
9/22 - Linda Laswell, Susan Lee
9/23 - William Smith, Amanda Thayer,
David Lawrence, Tracia Craig, Jerilyn
Zastrow, Bill Crump
9/24 - Kimberly Dorman, Amy Hillman,
Mollie Clark, Margie Ambrose
9/25 - Brittany Johnston, David Cassino,
Meredith Buchman
9/27 - Justin Werder, Jackie Gunion

KIDS CLUB RECORDING SESSION THURSDAY

3:30pm to 5pm

KVAK Radio will be conducting a recording session and invites students in 4th and 5th grade to the KVAK studio to read announcements. The sign up form to participate can be downloaded by clicking THIS LINK. Forms can be returned to KVAK studios or to valdeznews@gci.net. We need to have a form on file before 3:30pm on

NETWORK

Copper Valley Telecom announced that is has activated a new state-of-the-art network electronics system which will expand capacity, create efficiencies, and allow greater compatibility with interconnecting carriers. "The system we're turning on is one of the most significant network improvements our company has made in recent history," said Dave Dengel, CVTC's Chief Executive Officer. "It sets us up to deliver next generation data services for industry, government, and other telecommunications carriers for the next 15 years."

CLICK HERE to read Copper Valley's Press Release

www.kvakradio.com.

CITY COUNCIL THIS TUESDAY

Tuesday, September 22nd, 2015 in City

Council Chambers

Monday – 7:00pm

Items will include:

- Appointments to Providence Valdez Medical Center Health Advisory Council
- Approval of Award for High School Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning Upgrade
- 3. Discussion Item: Economic

 Diversification and Harbor/Town Center

Thursday.



VALDEZ YOUTH COURT RECRUITING MEMBERS

Valdez Youth Court is now looking for new members. Youth Court is a juvenile justice system that empowers students to serve as defense attorneys, prosecutors and judges in cases involving their peers. There will be a class for those interested in joining Youth Court on September 27th & 28th. For specific times and questions, please contact Sarah Gilmore at vdzyouthcourt@gmail.com.



FAMILY FITNESS NIGHT THIS THURSDAY

5:30pm to 7pm at HHES Gymnasium
This FREE event, sponsored by
Hermon Hutchens PTA, is open to all
families. Mrs. Gilson will have fitness
activities and stations set up. There will
be Zumba with Meira Pedersen.
Smoothies will be available for

Framework Plan

4. Discussion Item: New Boat Harbor
Project

CLICK HERE to read meeting packet

All School Board meetings are held in City

Council Chambers, broadcast live on

1230AM KVAK and streamed LIVE on

www.kvakradio.com.

DOES FREIGHT HOLD ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY FOR VALDEZ

The City of Valdez recently commissioned the McDowell Group to put together a competitive market analysis and long range planning for the Port of Valdez. The survey indicates Anchorage has 84 percent of the estimated market share of Southcentral Non-Petroleum, Non-Coal Freight Volume in the state, followed by Whittier with 11 percent, Seward with 3 percent and Valdez with 2 percent. The study, among other things, predicts an increase in out-bound shipments of salmon with the expansion of Silver Bay Seafoods' expansion of their Valdez seafood processing facility. CLICK HERE to access the study.



FOOTHILLS DENTISTRY OPEN FOR

purchase through PTA (All proceeds from the snacks will go toward the new playground).

VALDEZ SCHOOL DISTRICT HIRING A CUSTODIAN

Valdez City Schools is hiring a Custodian

Required Qualifications include: High School diploma or equivalent; Interest and aptitude for custodial work; Ability to use computer technology; Ability to use custodial equipment; Physical condition and agility necessary to carry out the duties; Ability to relatedly positively and cooperatively with students, other District employees and school patrons in the public education environment: Interested individuals should fill out a Valdez City School District Classified Application. Application can be downloaded from Valdez School District website picked up at District office.

CLICK HERE: to visit School District website



SUPER HUSKY AWARDS AT GMS

BUSINESS ON BREMNER STREET

Seth Jorgensen, DDS and F. Todd
Wortham, DDS are seeing patients at their new office at 509 East Bremner Street.
Foothills dentistry accepts Denali Kid Care and Medicaid and welcomes children as well as adults. In fact, Foothills dentistry likes to see kids by age one or six months after eruption of first tooth to start kids and parents on a healthy path to oral health. Call 907-885-2436 for questions or to make an appointment.



WOMEN OF DISTINCTION NOMINATIONS NOW OPEN

Do you know a woman in Valdez who deserves to receive an award for her significant contribution to our community and to the advancement of women? Then nominate her to be an AVV Woman of Distinction. To be eligible a woman must reside in the Valdez Area. Women may be nominated in one of two categories: Young Woman of Distinction Age 17 to 27 and Women of Distinction Age 28 or older. Nomination packets are available at AVV or click links below. Call AVV for more information. Deadline for nominations are

6th Grade

Katarina Taylor was nominated by Kyra
Meyer. "She is a spirited young
woman", said Meyer. "She always takes
care of her team mates and peers, and
works very hard in the classroom. She
is an emerging leader".



7th Grade

Kipp Norris said he nominated Blue

Dunsworth for the Super Husky award

because of his steadiness as

an outstanding student. "Blue works
tirelessly toward growing in all areas of
his academics" said Norris. "He is
courteous, truthful, honest, and appears
to try his best. I appreciate his example
inside and outside of my classes".



8th Grade

Teresa Huston nominated Jalen Freeman for the Super Husky award. "Jalen Freeman is a quiet, but positive Tuesday, October 13th.

<u>CLICK HERE</u> to access nomination form and information.

presence at GMS", said Huston. "His leadership skills are present throughout the school. He is a pleasure to have in class and a definite team leader".



VHS VOLLEYBALL TEAM WINS INVITATIONAL AT VALDEZ

This weekend, the VHS Buccaneers hosted the Valdez Invitational Volleyball Tournament. The Lady Bucs repeated as tournament champions. VHS outscored their field of competitors 250 to 117. In the Championship game, they beat a scrappy Grace Christian Grizzlies in two games. Coach Ron Langseth said, "This season we are able to demonstrate our depth with consistency and confidence as all players saw playing time". Langseth said "Our rotation that we have established takes us through ten players...that alone keeps us fresh with rest in every set". VHS Senior Setter Madison Fleming was selected the tournament MVP. Fleming converted for over 130 assists. Zoe Langseth, Mesa Rohrer and Madeline Hogarth were named to the All-Tournament Team. Mesa and Zoe lead the team in kills with 43 and 37 respectively. Langseth said his team got



MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Sept 22 (Tue) – Parent Teacher
Conferences
No School for Students

Sept 24 (Thu) – Public Presentation on School Climate & Connectedness Survey - 7pm VHS Library

Sept 26 (Sat) - Football vs Homer

Sept 30 (Wed) –VCS Student
Early Release 2pm
Alaska School Commissioner Meet &
Greet – 4pm @ VHS Library
Interview on KVAK 1230AM & 93.3FMNews Hour

Oct 9-10 – GMS Basketball at Home vs.

Cordova

Oct 16 – End of First Quarter for Valdez Schools strong passing and defensive digs,
from Zoe Langseth, Linnea Langseth,
Kaylee MacDonald and Madeline
Hogarth. Mesa Rohrer, Fleming, Zoe
Langseth and Sidney Hursh all had strong
serving over the course of the weekend.
This weekend the team heads to West
Anchorage for the WEST
SPIKETACKULAR. The Lady Bucs will once
again face 4A competition at Wes.

Parks & Recreation Haunted House Fri/Sat – 7pm to 10pm Oct 16-17, 23-24, 30-31

October 30 - 31 - VHS Volleyball vs Glennallen/Kenny Lake

Nov 6-7 - GMS Basketball Valdez Invite

LADY BUCS HOST RAFFLE FOR PROGRAMS

The VHS Girls Volleyball and Basketball programs are fundraising for both programs. The 1st place prize is \$1,500 cash. Drawing to be held December 12th, 2015.

PORT VALDEZ NORTH GOAT HUNT RG248 WILL NOT OPEN

(Cordova)- Registration permit hunt RG248 for mountain goats in Unit 6D will not open for the 2015 regulatory year on October 1st due to overharvest in 2014. The hunt area includes the mainland drainages of Sheep Creek; north of Port Valdez, Robe Lake, and the Richardson Highway; and east of Shoup Glacier.

CLICK HERE to read complete story on KVAK's Homepage.

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