



CHAPMAN SCHOOL NEWS

Kenai Peninsula Borough School District

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Principal's Corner

Enrollment. It's vital to the day to day operations of a school and comes into play for nearly everything that has to do with funding and the amount of employees at a given school. Many of you are probably tired of me talking about it every chance I get. The truth is, good things happen when enrollment goes up. An increased enrollment is why Chapman has been able to procure one classified position and 2.5 certified positions in my short tenure. We currently benefit from an additional certified special service teacher and an additional .5 intervention position. We were also able to add another teacher in our middle school this year. A certified staff of 14 is the largest at Chapman in recent memory and good things are happening because of it.

It is my goal that when those new to Anchor Point ask about the local school, that responses are unanimous in their support. I also hope that those families that choose to not currently have their students attend Chapman School hear about the neat things that we are offering (the iPod program, a middle school model with middle school electives that include Art, VisCom, Music, Drama, Spanish, and Woodshop, as well as multiple enrichment opportunities-assemblies, math nights, carnivals, etc.). I encourage you all to share these exciting elements of Chapman School with those throughout the community and with parents who send their child(ren) to other schools. It is my hope that with these new and exciting opportunities and honest school/parent communication, that enrollment will continue to increase.

Feel free to stop by and visit with me anytime. If you need to reach me, my email address is cwoodhead@kpbsd.k12.ak.us. My cell number is 907-625-1358. You can also join us on Facebook at *Chapman School Anchor Point Alaska*.

Sincerely,

Conrad A. Woodhead

Conrad Woodhead
Principal, Chapman School

You can contact any staff member at Chapman School via email:
first initial of first name + last name (lower case) @ kpbsd.k12.ak.us i.e. cwoodhead@kpbsd.k12.ak.us

Parent Activation Codes for Power School have been sent home with students. If you did not receive the information please contact the office.

In addition to Chapman School's Facebook Page information is posted on our Blog Page AND the Daily Bulletin in Power School.

BLOG: <http://chapmanschool.blogs.kpbsd.k12.ak.us/wpmu/>



Upcoming Events



September

- 24th Soccer: Homer @ Chapman 4pm
- 26th HEA Community Barbeque 5pm
- 27th 3rd-6th Riders In the Sky Performance in Homer
Family Math / iPod Night—7-8pm

October

- 1st Basketball Starts
- 10th Parent Group Meeting 12:30pm
- 19th NO SCHOOL—In-service
- 27th Halloween Carnival 4-7pm—Chapman Gym

Scholastic Book Fair 10/29-11/2

- 10/29-10/31 8am-3pm
- 11/1 8am-7pm
- 11/2 8am-Noon
- 11/3 10am-3pm

November

- 1st/2nd Parent Teacher Conferences—No School
- 3rd Senior Citizen Craft Bazaar 10am-3pm—Gym
- 22nd/23rd Thanksgiving Break No School

LUNCH MENU 9/24-9/28

- MONDAY—BBQ PORK SANDWICH
- TUESDAY—CHICKEN FAJITA & BEAN QUESADILLA
- WEDNESDAY—RAVIOLI
- THURSDAY—CHICKEN FRIED BEEF
- FRIDAY—TACO FLATBREAD SANDWICH



Help Us Help Your Kids

Join Chapman Parent Group

Rummage Sale: September 22 Chapman Gym 10-3

Dates to Remember:

Next Parent Group Meeting: October 10th @ 12:30

Don't forget to save & send in your

Campbell's Labels for Education & Box Tops

REMINDER

As the days get shorter and mornings begin to get darker watch for students walking to school and those waiting at bus stops. Mornings and afternoons can be hectic in the parking lot, please watch for students exiting or walking to vehicles.



FOR BUSSING INFORMATION
First Student 235-7513

Please send a note to school with your child if there is a change in their regular after school routine. This includes children that are staying after school for activities, riding a different bus, getting off at a stop other than their regular stop, being picked up by a friend's parents or walking. Students are not allowed to use the phone to make after school arrangements. If you forget to send a note with your child and need to call the school, please call before 2:30pm.



Have you read with your child today?

Anchor Point
Imagination Library
Wants YOU!



If you are interested in becoming part of the Anchor Point Imagination Library Team, come to the meeting on September 25th at 3:30 Chapman School Library

Snacks will be provided and children are welcome to play and read quietly!

We are looking for new board members, great ideas, volunteers, etc.

Come and be a part of Anchor Points Imagination Library!