



Ketchikan Gateway Borough School District

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Memo

To: KGBSD School Board Members

From: Melissa Johnson, Interim Superintendent

CC: Kerry Watson, Board Clerk

Date: April 8, 2022

RE: Superintendent Report for April 13, 2022 meeting

Ketchikan High School Principal Position

We have three final candidates for the Kayhi Principal position and will plan to do **in person** interviews on April 15th.

Graham Storey
Richard Dormer
Tom Vail

April 15, 2022

Student question/answer will happen during the day (location TBD)

Kayhi Staff question/answer will happen during the Professional Development time (KHS Library)

Community/Stakeholder group will happen 6:00-7:00 PM (KHS Library)

Community/Stakeholder Meet and Greet will be from 7:00-8:00 PM (KHS Library)

All three candidates will be together and take turns answering questions. The "Staff Responses to Kayhi Principal Search Form" and "Parent/Guardian Responses to Kayhi Principal Search Form" will be used to help develop questions to ask the candidates.

Feedback Forms will be provided to give feedback.

**KETCHIKAN HIGH SCHOOL'S
PRINCIPAL CANDIDATE
IN-PERSON EVENTS
FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 2022**

Interview with Group of Students
During the school day

Interview with Staff Members
During professional development time

Interview with Stakeholders
6pm-7pm in the Kayhi Library

Meet & Greet with Stakeholders
7pm-8pm in the Kayhi Library

You're invited to meet and give your feedback on the three candidates interviewing to be Kayhi's next principal:
Richard Dormer Graham Storey Tom Vail

Please note: Masks are strongly recommended



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State Tournament

- The **Ketchikan Cheer Team took 2nd** in the State of Alaska during the State Championship.
- The **Ketchikan Lady Kings Basketball team took 3rd** in the state of Alaska during the State Championships and also received the **Sportsmanship award**. The Sportsmanship award was only given to one team in the entire tournament.

Curriculum/PD/Assessment:

- AK STAR and AK Science assessments have started and have happened fairly seamlessly.
- The KNEPC is recommending the following budget priorities for Title VI: 100% of the Cultural Coordinator, 50% of each of the Native PreK teacher programs (certified positions only), and the remainder in supplies. The total amount of the grant has not been disclosed yet, but it is estimated to be around \$237,000.
- We have started looking into what professional development will look like this fall: Envision, Karen Karp, and coming back around to PD that only happened virtually during COVID, such as Collaborative Classrooms.

Business Manager

Summer Lunch Program and National School Lunch 2022-2023 Update

The District was notified by Alaska's Child Nutrition unit that the next year