



AKHIOK - KAGUYAK INC NEWS



March 2013

LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Happy Spring,

The Board of Directors are pleased to announce Becky Peratrovich will be AKI's interim President for another year!



The Board of Directors met with Roberta Townsend-Vennel for a three day Strategic Planning work session. As the Board of Directors begin to set forth plans for AKI, we look forward to working a long side Becky with our Strategic Planning goals.

Once again, if you have any information you would like to share in AKI's future newsletters, please submit information to Shawyn Callahan at our AKI office.

Our Annual Meeting will be held in Anchorage on Saturday, May 25th, 2013, at the Embassy Suites, Imagine Ballroom, 600 E. Benson Blvd., Anchorage, Alaska. I encourage you to vote, YOU make a difference! I look forward to seeing you there.

Wishing everyone a Happy Easter,
Phyllis Amodo

Akhiok-Kaguyak, Inc. 2013 Board of Directors

Following are the names and addresses of your current Board of Directors.

Phyllis Amodo, Chairman
P.O. Box 5069
Akhiok, AK 99615

Pauline O'Brien, Vice Chairman
6201 Spruce Meadows Dr.
Anchorage, AK 99507

Elizabeth Peterson, Secretary
2221 Muldoon Rd #137
Anchorage, AK 99504

Gary Rozelle, Treasurer
P.O. Box 5033
Akhiok, AK 99615

Fred Coyle, Director
P.O. Box 2071
Kodiak, AK 99615

David Eluska Sr., Director
P.O. Box 5034
Akhiok, AK 99615

Robert Simeonoff Jr., Director
8441 Berry Patch Drive
Anchorage, AK 99502

AKI Management/Staff
Becky Peratrovich - President
Phone #: 258-0604 Ext. 203

Shawyn Callahan - Admin. Clerk
Phone #: 258-0604 Ext. 202

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AKI ANNUAL MEETING
will be held in Anchorage on Saturday,
May 25th, 2013, at the Embassy Suites,
Imagine Ballroom, 600 E. Benson Blvd.,
Anchorage, Alaska. More information to be
mailed out to shareholders at a later date.

Message from the President

Dear Friends,

I am happy to announce that the installation of the new Shareholder Management System software is complete. Over the next several months Shawyn Callahan will be reviewing each individual file to ensure accuracy. This new system will save time and enable staff to review information, print shareholder forms & letters, produce reports and more, all in a matter of minutes. Very soon all information will be verified and all AKI's forms and letters will be updated and downloaded to the system. As mentioned in the last newsletter, this system was built particularly for managing ANCSA corporation shareholder records and we are grateful to have this system in place for AKI.



Also, the AKI Board of Directors completed their three-day Strategic Planning work session. Roberta Townsend-Vennel proved herself to be a wonderful facilitator and made great use of the full three days. Due to the hard work of your Board, the corporation came away with a solid plan which will provide guidance to staff for the next three years. We expect that you will see many positive changes unfold over the next several months and we look forward to sharing more details of this plan and the goals

for the Corporation at the Annual Meeting of Shareholders to be held in Anchorage on Saturday, May 25th, 2013. Please mark your calendars. We will provide more information about the Annual meeting a little closer to the date.

Two of the AKI commercial owned properties are fully occupied. Bernie Lewis the Property Manager is actively marketing vacancies in the sixth avenue building. The Lobby and lobby doors have been upgraded and the expired nuclear exit signs have been replaced in the 1400 West Benson Property. Soon the 5th Avenue property lobby will undergo much needed upgrades as well. Other than general maintenance there are no upgrades scheduled for the 6th Avenue property at this time.

The Auditors will be in the office this month to complete the Annual Audit. KPMG has also completed the earnings and profits statement to determine the taxability of the 2012 shareholder distributions. It was determined that the dividends are non-taxable and the determination documentation is on the AKI website. 1099's were mailed to shareholders showing this as well. If you did not receive one, please contact the office immediately.

I'd like to encourage you to visit the AKI website often. We will be making some changes and updates soon. We developed a new AKI talent bank form and are currently working on a shareholder survey. We ask that all shareholders complete both forms which will be available

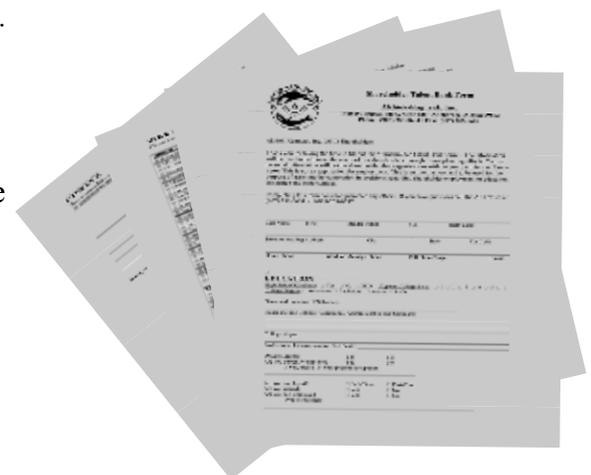


on the website. The information will not be shared with other shareholders or organizations without the permission of the shareholder. The information will be primarily used by the corporation and Board of Directors in determining the needs of the shareholders and in future planning.

I know there are many extremely talented AKI artists and we would like to highlight some of your work in our newsletters and possibly on the website. If you'd like to share your talents with us, please give us a call at the office.

I am very excited to be sharing this year with all of you and I look forward to seeing everyone at the Annual Meeting.

Warmest Regards,
Becky Peratrovich





2013 Strategic Planning Workshop

Fred Coyle



Robert Simeonoff Jr. and Elizabeth Peterson





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Our Shareholders Come First

Happy St. Patricks Day

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

Applications are available at the AKI office and on our website, AKI-Kodiak-com. Scholarships are for registration, tuition and books. Each shareholder is limited to one scholarship per year. Applicants must fill out one application per year and check all of the semesters/quarters they are attending. Continuing students must also submit a completed application.

| | <u>Per Year</u> | <u>Deadline</u> |
|--|-----------------|------------------------------------|
| Academic Achievement/Graduate Scholarships | Up to \$6,000 | One Month Prior to class beginning |
| College/University Basic Scholarship | Up to \$6,000 | One Month Prior to class beginning |
| Vocational Education Grant | Up to \$6,000 | One Month Prior to class beginning |
| Career Development Grant | Up to \$1,000* | One Month Prior to class beginning |
| Cultural Education Grant | Up to \$250 | One Month Prior to class beginning |

*Career development grants of \$1,000 can be awarded twice a year.

Please call if you would like to request an application or have any questions.



Scholarship Awards

Melissa Marvin
 Rianne McDonald
 Amber Peterson
 Tanya Peterson
 Kenneth P. Wolkoff
 John Yakanak

Stephanie Rachelle Brenteson

Daughter of Phyllis &
 Rolin Amodo, will be
 graduating from
 Akhiok High School
 on May 21, 2013 at
 3: 00p.m.



ELDER SHARES

Shareholders shares are distributed when an Alaska Native shareholder turns 65 years of age. The shares that they own at the age of 65 is the number of elder shares that are matched, up to 100 shares. Example: When you turn 65 and you have 22 shares you would received 22 elder shares. If you have 150 shares, you would receive 100 elder shares. The elder shares reflect the shares owned up to 100. We know this can be confusing at times and if you have any questions please give us a call at the office.

NEW YORK LIFE BURIAL INSURANCE

AKI is encouraging all shareholders who have not yet applied for the New York Life insurance policy to contact the Corporate office as soon as possible. Only those shareholders who did not previously apply should request an application. Once a shareholder has applied, regardless of whether they are approved or denied, their beneficiary is eligible for the \$10,000 burial assistance. However, if a shareholder simply does not apply, their beneficiary will only be eligible for \$5,000 in assistance. Benefits are paid to the beneficiary upon receipt of a certified death certificate. If you wish to apply for New York Life Insurance, or you need to know if you currently have a policy please call the office at (907) 258-0604 or 1-888-258-0337 or email to admin.assistant@aki-kodiak.com.

Welcome new Shareholders to Akhiok-Kaguyak, Inc.

Gilbert Andrewvitch
Denis Murillo Jr.
Leilani Murillo
Kenese Parker
Andrea Rozelle

Dillon Rozelle
Robert Rozelle III
Aaron G. Simeonoff
Kenneth P. Wolkoff
Kristopher Wolkoff

Do You Have A Current Will On File?

If you do not have a current will on file with the Corporation, we encourage you to contact the AKI office at 1-888-258-0337 or 907-258-0604 to request a form or you can go to AKI-Kodiak.com for the Will form. This will ensure your shares are transferred to the individuals of your choice.

Direct Deposit and Change of Address

AKI encourages shareholders to take advantage of direct deposit, for future distributions. It is important to keep your address current with AKI even if your checks are direct deposited. Payment receipts are mailed. If you have changed your address or phone number please put in a change of address form or contact the office. These forms are available on AKI-Kodiak.com for your convenience.

**Place your announcements in
the Akhiok-Kaguyak, Inc.
Please contact the office with
any information that you would
like to share. We would love to
know what is happening with
our shareholders!**

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| AKI, SPF, OBI, and Other Meeting Schedules |
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January

February

- 18-20 Strategic Planning Workshop (AKI) (Las Vegas, Nevada)
- 21 Board Quarterly Meeting (AKI, SPF, OBI)

March

- 30 Board Special Meeting (AKI, SPF) (Audit Review & Annual Meeting Resolutions)
(Anchorage)

April

- 27 Board Quarterly Meeting (AKI, SPF, OBI) (Kodiak)

May

- 24 Board Special Meeting (AKI, SPF, OBI) (Anchorage)
- 25 Shareholders Annual Meeting (AKI) (Anchorage)
- 25 Board Organizational Meeting (AKI, SPF, OBI) (Anchorage)

June

July

- 10 Board Quarterly Meeting (AKI, SPF, OBI) (Akhiok)

August

September

October

- 22 Board Quarterly Meeting (AKI, SPF, OBI) (Anchorage)
- 23-27 AFN Convention (Anchorage)

November

December

- 3 Board Special Meeting (AKI) (Anchorage)



Considering a Career in Construction?



Women in the Trades

**Want a job that pays well?
Consider a career in construction!**

Anchorage Construction Academy is offering an introductory course for women interested in a career in construction.

Free Hands-on Training

Carpentry - Sheet Metal

Ironwork - Electrical

Additional training in Health, Safety,
and Career Readiness available.

APPLY TODAY!

**Training Dates: April 15th - 26th
Daytime Class from 8-5**

www.alaskaworks.org

Click "Women in the Trades" to get an applicaiton



Applicants must:

- be 18 or older
- have a resume
- complete Workeys test
- be drug free



**For more information call:
Alaska Works Partnership**

907-569-4729

Applications can also be picked up at:

**161 South Klewin St. Suite 203
Anchorage, AK 99508**





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Akhiok Culture Camp March 25-29, 2013

Lots of activities will be held during the week such as Fur sewing, beading, wood carving and Native language story telling. A Potluck will be held at the High School during the week at 12:00 p.m.

Don't Forget Kodiak Crab Festival

May 23rd - May 27th, 2013

SMS - Shareholder Management System

The New Shareholder Management System will allow for sending of documents such as the Newsletter electronically. To utilize this feature we encourage shareholders who wish to receive the newsletter by email to please contact the office with your information so we can add you to our emailing list. Our aim is to improve communications and this is one of the ways for us to stay connected to you, our shareholders. All of our shareholders will receive a newsletter by email or regular mail.

