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PhotoStory - February 3-6 - Seldovia Sea Otters Basketball

Seldovia, Nikolaevsk, Alak, Meade River



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School News - February 9, 2006

by Joy Smith

Spelling Bee

A Spelling Bee sponsored by the Anchorage Daily News has been rescheduled to Monday, February 13th at 3:30 pm in the school commons.

High School Basketball

High School Basketball Season

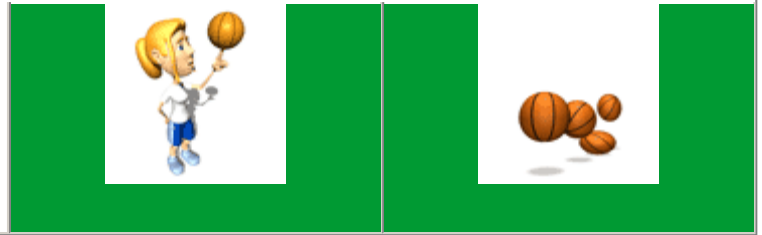
February 9-11	Valdez Tournament
February 17	CIA
February 18	Ninilchik
February 23-25	Nikolaevsk (BB & Lumen Christi)
March TBD	Region Tourney IIA @ Bristol Bay
March 20-25	State IIA



Coach Damara Lorentz



Coach Russ Radliff



The girls' team did very well in their games on February 3rd-6th. In their first game against Nikolaevsk the starters were Emily, Naomi, Stephanie, Jen, and Kate. The Otters won 34 to 30. The starters for Saturday morning's JV game against Nikolaevsk were Kate, Jen, Kristy, Naomi, and Stephanie, and the girls won again 48 to 30. On Sunday the girls lost to Alak 41-49, and the starters were Naomi, Kate, Jen, Emily, and Stephanie. Then on Monday the Otters finished off their home games strong with a 50 to 35 win against Meade River. This game had some interesting twists that the other games lacked. Towards the start of the game the basketball got lodged between the hoop and the backboard. Then in the last quarter of the game one of the Meade River girls, number 15, had an asthma attack while she was playing, but since her coach had no more subs on the bench she decided to stay in the game rather than let her team play short handed.

The boys' team did fairly well in their games on February 3rd-6th, with 2 wins and 2 losses. They won their first game against Nikolaevsk 68 to 41, and the starters were Evan, Colton, Griffin, Levi, and Tim. The starters for the JV game against Nikolaevsk were Dustin, Griffin, Tim, Kyle, and Levi, and the Otters lost 53 to 56. The boys lost to Alak 58- 61 on Sunday, and the starters were Griffin, Tim, Evan, Levi, and Colton. Before the boys' game against Meade river on Monday the seniors and their families' were honored, and the community honored Elaine Giles and Hugh Smith for all of the time and hard work that they had given to the sports program over the years. Colton, Levi, Griffin, Evan, and Tim started in the Meade River game, and the boys won 63 to 46. However, Griffin Swick had to be taken out in the first quarter because he had swept the floor with his chin and gotten a floor burn that had started to bleed, and although he was put back in the game he had to be taken out again, with 3 minutes and 21 seconds left in the game, when he started bleeding again. Griffin ended up having to get stitches on his chin.