

# Bear Tracks

October 2019



## Kodiak High School

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Queen Emma Ellsworth  
King Edgee Ocampo

### Homecoming 2019

Homecoming was a huge success this year. Congratulations to our 2019 Homecoming royalty. Over 150 students attended the annual Homecoming Bonfire at Woody Way Field Friday night. Saturday night 400 students danced the night away at the Homecoming dance.



Princess Alexis Oskolkoff  
Prince Igan Galindez



Students stand around the bonfire Friday.



The senior class poses for a picture at the bonfire.

This was our biggest and hottest bonfire yet! Thank you to KFD and KPD for assisting Friday night.



### Save the Date!

December 14 will be the Kodiak High School Choir Carols and Candlelight Dinner. Make plans to join us for a wonderful evening of fine dining provided by KHS FCCLA and beautiful a cappella music by Kodiak High School Choir students. Seating for dinner will be limited. More details available soon. The concert portion is free!

#### Choir Fall Concert

When: Tuesday, Oct 29  
Where: Gerald C Wilson Auditorium  
Choir student & volunteers call time is 6:22 pm  
Doors open for audience seating at 6:45 pm  
Concert begins promptly at 7:00 pm  
Admission is free!



#### Choir Combined Rehearsals

Monday, Oct 28  
High School Students 4:30-5:45 pm

#### Dance Team

PFD Shopping Bazaar  
Saturday Oct. 5  
7-9pm KHS Foyer

Rummage Sale  
Saturday Oct 19  
The team is looking for donations of household goods.



Contact Coach Sarah Nugent for more information.

#### PTSO

#### (Parent, Teacher, Student Organization)

If you are interested in joining PTSO, please contact the office at 486-7401. PTSO will meet Oct 22 in the KHS Library from 7-8pm. The topic this month will be Graduation Expectations.



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## School Calendar

Oct 1	FAFSA opens
Oct 2	Wrestling Practice starts
Oct 3	SAT Reg. Deadline
Oct 4	Football @ North Pole
Oct 4-5	Swim/Dive vs. Homer
Oct 5	SAT Test
	Dance Team PFD Shopping Bazaar
	Volleyball Sushi Dinner 4:30-7pm
	Cross Country @ State
Oct 9	PSAT Reg. Deadline
Oct 10	Booster Club Meeting
Oct 11	Swim/Dive @ Chugiak
Oct 11-12	Tennis @ State
	Volleyball @ Grace Tournament
Oct 14-15	In-service (No school)
Oct 16	PSAT Test
Oct 18-19	Swim/Dive @ Palmer Invite
	Volleyball @ Palmer
Oct 19	Dance Team Rummage Sale
Oct 21	Picture Retakes
Oct 22	PTSO Meeting
Oct 23-24	Parent/Teacher Conferences
Oct 24	Booster Club Meeting
Oct 25-26	Volleyball @ Dimond Tourney
Oct.26	Kodiak College Scholarship Workshop
	ACT Test
Oct 28	9th Grade Health Screening
	Fall Choir Concert rehearsal
Oct 29	Fall Choir Concert
Oct 31- Nov 2	Swim/Dive @ Regions

### AP CLASSES

All payments for AP exams must be received by **Friday, November 8th**. Checks can be made to Kodiak High School and brought to the KHS counseling office. All students must sign up for their AP exams by **November 8th** with Ms. Jenna Wagner. Please contact Jenna Wagner at 486-7430 with questions.

### Thread Bear

KHS Life Skills is opening a new resale store this month. Thread Bear is not only the hottest clothing store inside KHS but also serves as a way to teach high school students about the world of work. Thread Bear will be open Mondays after school until 4, and Tuesday- Friday at lunch. Donations of gently used teen and men's clothing is always appreciated. Donations can be dropped off during school hours with Ms. Davis.

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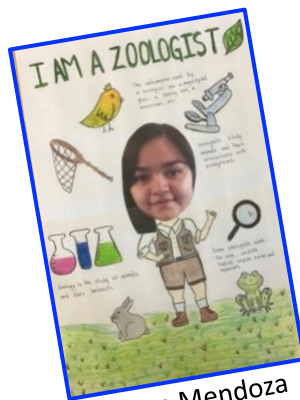
### Kodiak College

Student Services staff from Kodiak College will be in room B236 on Wednesdays from 9:30-11am during October. Students are welcome to drop by anytime.

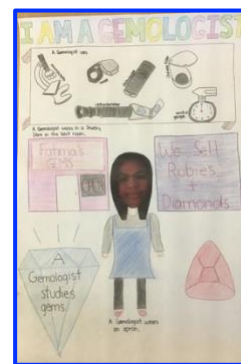
### 9th Grade

Health screenings will be on Monday Oct. 28. Hearing, vision, and growth will be screened. For questions or concerns, please contact the KHS Nurse at 486-7421.

### Mrs. Anderson's "I am a Scientist" Project



Diana Mendoza



Fatima Fernandez



Jurlenis Portillo

### FCCLA

The FCCLA chapter is up and running and off to a busy start. For our 1st meeting we had over 40 people stop by to check us out. The second meeting we had 30 participants. The officer team is strong and ready to take on many challenges for the year. We want to engage all our membership in activities such as community service, leadership development, competitive events and of course team bonding. Our first catering is this weekend and we have five more scheduled. Swag shirts have been designed and more swag ordered to demonstrate our cohesive membership. Keep your eyes peeled for a big event coming up in December.



If you are interested in joining or helping out with Booster Club be sure to find them online at <https://squareup.com/store/kodiak-booster-club>. Booster Club is looking for students who need volunteer hours to help in the Den. Breakfast, Lunch and Weekend shift available.

Booster Club Meetings will be on Oct. 10 and 24 at 5:00pm at KHS \$20 for students, \$60 for one member, \$175 for family/household.



# Bears at Play

## Yoga

Students in Mrs. Gandel's class got a hand in doing some partner yoga.



Boat Pose



Child's Pose and Fish



Chair Pose

## Girls in Engineering

Eight students attended the Girls In Engineering field trip to the Coast Guard base on September 19<sup>th</sup>. They toured the Air Station and met women who have chosen engineering fields for their profession. Look for more opportunities this year to attend a Girls In Engineering event!



## Mrs. Anderson's Alaska History Class

Mrs. Denise Anderson's Alaska History class conducted Alaskan Native cultural interviews with community members Susie Malutin (Alutiiq culture bearer), Georgianna Spear (Yup'ik culture), Susan Patrick (Tlingit culture), and Lois Stover (Sami – Yupik culture)



Georgianna Spear:  
Kurt Siador, Kent Fortaliza,  
Fatima Fernandez



Lois Stover:  
Ronald Paguio, JC  
Tuazon, Theo Concepcion



Susan Patrick:  
Chantell Austria, J Justin Medrano,  
Kent Fortaliza, Harvey Liwag



Susie Malutin:  
Sophia Alanzo, Janezza  
Mateo, Joseph Casabar

## Harry Potter Science

What do Science and Harry Potter have in common? Science of course! Mrs. Harver's Biology students spent the week "Creating Potions" to learn about bases and acids.

