

# Bear Tracks

New Teachers and  
Staff Sept. 2019



Kodiak High School

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## Welcome New Teachers and Staff



**Alyssa  
Haig**

**Grade/subject:** English

**Where are you from:**  
Chagrin Falls, OH

**Interesting fact about yourself:**  
Loves Penguins!



**Forrest  
Gould**

**Grade/ subject:** Auto Shop

**Where are you from:** Kodiak, AK

**Interesting fact about yourself:**  
I am excited to teach Auto this year.



**Lacey  
Harver**

**Grade/ subject** Science

**Where are you from:**  
Oakridge, OR

**Interesting fact about yourself:**  
I love Science Fiction.



**Alicia  
Schuh**

**Grade/ subject:** SPED Teacher

**Where are you from:**  
Texas

**Interesting fact about yourself:**  
I love churros.



**Rachel  
Adams**

**Grade/ subject:** ELAP Teacher

**Where are you from:**  
California

**Interesting fact about  
yourself:** I'm a Christmas baby!



**Megan  
Ivanoff**

**Grade/ subject:** Social Studies  
Teacher

**Where are you from:**  
Kodiak, AK

**Interesting fact about yourself:**  
I love Chihuahuas.

### New Classes

Checkout the new classes being offered at KHS!

For more information, please contact the KHS Counseling Office at 486-7434.



AP Comparative Government  
and Politics  
Auditorium Technology  
Certified Nurse Assistant  
Cosmetology  
Early Childhood Education

Fire Science  
Introduction to Computer Coding  
Introduction to Information  
Technology  
Metal Arts  
Robotics Engineering

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# School Calendar

Sept 3	First Day of School
Sept 6	Football @ Palmer
	SAT Registration
Sept 6-7	Cross Country @ ACS Invite
	Volleyball @ Wasilla
Sept 7	Swim/Dive @ Homer
Sept 12	Booster Club Meeting
Sept 13-14	Football vs. Eagle River
Sept 14	KIBSD Music Dept. Faculty Recital
	Homecoming Dance
Sept 16	Picture Day
Sept 20	Class Election forms Due
Sept 20-21	Cross Country vs. Grace Christian
	Swim/Dive @ SOHI
	Volleyball @ West Spiketacular
Sept 21	Football @ SOHI
Sept 23-24	Tennis @ Regions
Sept 24	PTSO Meeting
Sept 25	ASAA All-State Auditions Due
Sept 27	ACT Registration Due
Sept 27-28	Volleyball @ Colony
	Football @ Kenai
	Swim/Dive @ Chugiak
Sept 24	Cross Country @ Regions



**Ciara Marquis**

**Grade/ subject** Lifeskills Teacher

**Where are you from:** Illinois

**Interesting fact about yourself:** I volunteered with the Peace Corps.



**Domonique Ruiz**

**Grade/ subject:** Registrar

**Where are you from:** Arizona

**Interesting fact about yourself:** I read ten books a month.



**Brendon Conway**

**Grade/ subject:** Business

**Where are you from:** La Crosse, WI

**Interesting fact about yourself:** I was in the U.S. Air Force for six years.



**Rebecca Stewart**

**Grade/ subject:** Aide IV Lifeskills

**Where are you from:** Kodiak, AK

**Interesting fact about yourself:** I love Science Fiction.



**Andy Conway**

**Position:** Aide IV Lifeskills

**Where are you from:** Mobile, AL

**Interesting fact about yourself:** I work with YoungLife.



**Sonia Egdorf**

**Grade/ subject:** Certified Nursing



**Brendon Harrington**

**Grade/ subject:** Student Teacher English/Art



**Deborah Bitanga**

**Grade/ subject:** Aide III ELAP

**Where are you from:** I was born in the Philippines and moved to Kodiak in 2009

**Interesting fact about yourself:** I'm a 2015 KHS graduate and am really excited to be back.

Photo taken by Rafael Bitanga

## New Open Hour Policy

Juniors and Seniors, if you are planning on having an Open Hour this year you MUST complete an Open Hour form found in the counseling office. This form MUST be signed by a parent/guardian and returned no later than September 16th. If this form is not on file, you will be given a full schedule. For questions or concerns, please see Mr. Hecht.