

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #127 (2006-2007)

November 13, 2006

TO: SCHOOL BOARD

FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

SUBJECT: 2006 ALASKA ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL OF THE YEAR

ASD Goal: Establish and maintain a supportive and effective learning environment by continuing to retain, recruit and train highly qualified staff.

PERTINENT FACTS:

Julye Neel was initially hired in the Anchorage School District in 1981. She was a successful high school counselor and a BP Teacher of Excellence. This year, Julye has the distinct honor of being the 2006 Alaska State Assistant Principal of the Year. The award is presented by the Alaska Association of Secondary School Principals.

Dimond High School principal Cheryl Guyette says Julye provides leadership with strength and a smile. Cheryl says the school has prospered with Julye's leadership through a variety of job responsibilities. Her work ethic, compassion, integrity and optimism create lightness and harmony in the serious climate of the school. Through focus, encouragement and collaboration, Julye led Dimond's Freshman House through an outstanding inaugural year.

Julye was named the Region IV Assistant Principal of the Year and is now the state honoree. It is requested that the School Board recognize Julye Neel as the 2006 Alaska State Assistant Principal of the Year. Julye is a candidate for the national award which will be determined in a few months. We appreciate her outstanding and positive leadership in our schools and wish her continued success.

CC/ME/HE

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