

ANCHORAGE SCHOOL DISTRICT  
ANCHORAGE, ALASKA

ASD MEMORANDUM #312 (2008-2009)

May 4, 2009

TO: SCHOOL BOARD

FROM: OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

SUBJECT: RECOGNITION OF ALASKA SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGIST  
ASSOCIATION LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT WINNERS: JOAN  
BOHMANN, CHRIS TOWER ZAFREN, AND LARRY MICHAEL

*ASD Goal: Establish and maintain a supportive and effective learning environment by providing safe, caring, barrier-free schools; promoting health and wellness.*

PERTINENT FACTS:

The Anchorage School District is pleased to announce that the Alaska School Psychologist Association has given a Lifetime Achievement award to Joan Bohmann, Ph.D., NCSP, Chris Tower Zafren, NCSP, and Larry Michael, NCSP.

All three have worked at a number of ASD schools over the years, and helped create an excellent model for the district and for all school psychologists who have come to the district since.

Michael is a former winner of the National Association of School Psychologists School Psychologist of the Year award, and Bohmann was a runner-up for the same prestigious honor. Zafren developed the protocol for Attention Deficit for the Anchorage School District that is still in use today.

This is a request to officially recognize Joan Bohmann, Chris Tower Zafren, and Larry Michael for their exemplary service to the children within the Anchorage School District, as well as to the state and national organizations of school psychologists.

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