



Fish News

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AEB to Send Two AEBSD Students to AYFS

The Aleutians East Borough would like to send two AEBSD high school students to the Alaska Young Fishermen's Summit (AYFS) in Anchorage on December 10 – 12, 2013. Acceptance for AEB funded travel will be competitive, based on scholastic achievement (grades), prior involvement in the fishing industry and a one-page letter of interest to attend the Summit from the student.

As part of the AEB funded trip to the AYFS, the Borough will provide round-trip travel for two students from the home Borough community to Anchorage, lodging and appropriate school-district approved chaperone(s) for the trip.

Interested students should submit a letter of interest, including a summary of fishing industry experience, to the Borough Clerk, Tina Anderson, by **4 p.m. on Friday, November 1, 2013**. Letters of interest should be submitted either in person, by Fax to 907-

383-3496, or by email to tanderson@aeboro.org.



Edwin Gundersen of Sand Point and Nathan Nelson of Nelson Lagoon met with AEB Fisheries Consultant Sam Cotten during AYFS in Juneau in February 2012.

More information on the Alaska Young Fishermen's Summit can be found at <http://seagrants.uaf.edu/map/workshops/2013/ayfs/>

This is the second year the AEB has sponsored students to AYFS. Last year Nathan Nelson of Nelson Lagoon and Edwin Gundersen of Sand Point were selected to travel with AEBSD teacher Chip Sharpe to the AYFS event held in Juneau, February 2012.

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