Happy Holidays Gana-A’Yoo Shareholders!

Wow! The Holiday Season is here so quickly! We have only had two snowfalls this year so far and so our Christmas wish is to get a few more feet so we can start travelling our frozen highway.

We have had a great year with the corporation. We have continued on with some of our contracts in the Lower 48, some of our contracts have run out, and we have had an excellent staff to research in growing our company. We are a small company, but we have actually been achieving our goals since I first got selected to the Board of Directors.

We have had a lot of changes with our board and new members have given us valuable input. Thank you to our former board members for your contribution and dedication to Gana-A’Yoo and good luck with your new adventures!

Alaska has been focusing on Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency. This is the topic of almost every conversation. We have dedicated a good amount of time researching ways to help conserve and find programs and projects to help our own villages, and also look into policies that may help. With the rising prices of fuel, we have to take all actions to cut our costs. It affects our fishing, hunting, gathering. Our Board of Directors and staff have kept up with what our State is addressing on Energy Efficiency. This topic is not new, and it won’t be our last time addressing it. Gana-A’Yoo feels it is important and will be important for a long time to come.

The Gana-A’Yoo Foundation has done an exceptional job at working to fund our students that are attending post secondary education.

Annual Shareholder Meeting to be held Galena, June 2013

The meetings rotate between each of our four villages. The next Annual Shareholder Meeting is scheduled in Galena on Saturday, June 2, 2013. Based on the current schedule, future meeting locations include: Koyukuk 2014, Kaltag 2015 and Nulato 2016.

Mark Your Calendar

Bobby and Erica Frankson on their wedding day in Galena. Photo by Erica.

Have a blessed holiday season and Happy New Year!

Erica L. Frankson, Director
**Gana-A'Yoo, Limited 2013 Annual Meeting Election**

Gana-A'Yoo, Limited Board of Directors is seeking to fill three open seats on the board. Current Directors terms expire in June 2013. All Shareholders are highly encouraged to consider running for the three open seats on the board. In order to be listed on the proxy, a shareholder must submit a Director’s Questionnaire by Monday, February 11th, 2013.

The form must be mailed or e-mailed to csommer@ganaayoo.com

Gana-A'Yoo, Limited

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**Director Eligibility Requirements:**
- Must be a shareholder of Gana-A'Yoo, Limited, holding voting stock
- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Must hold the required class of stock and meet residency requirements for that class of stock, if any.

To obtain a Director’s Questionnaire, contact Crystal Sommer.

**STOCK TRANSFER CHANGES:**

The Board passed a fractional shares policy at its October 2012 meeting. Gana-A'Yoo recognizes that as the result of an increase in the number of fractional shares and the decrease in the size of each fractional share, there is a disproportionate increase in the administrative cost to the corporation, while providing limited benefits to shareholders. All shares must be transferred in whole shares and can no longer be broken down into decimal portions. The policy still follows Alaska Intestate laws and the policies and procedures set forth by the corporation. We encourage shareholders to call or e-mail Crystal Sommer for further clarification as needed.

**ANCHORAGE SHAREHOLDER RECEPTION**

The Shareholder Relations Committee hosted a reception prior to AFN convention in Anchorage. It is their intention to provide outreach to as many shareholders as possible. There were presentations to more than forty visitors, there was lots of laughter, visiting and good food to go around.

The highlight of the evening was the connections made and sharing of information. Our shareholder receptions epitomizes our Native values of sharing and caring. We look forward to seeing you next year.

**Thank for your support.**

**CAREER OPPORTUNITY**

Gana-A'Yoo, Limited is recruiting a senior level candidate for a new Vice President of Business Capabilities and Special Assistant to the CEO. This position is part of the Senior Management staff for Gana-A'Yoo and a strategic initiative to create senior leadership opportunities for shareholders or descendants. The initial duties will entail carrying out special projects for the CEO such as organizational studies and evaluations of markets for business development, assisting in the designs of systems and procedures, conducting work simplifications and measurement studies and preparing operations and procedure manuals. The ideal candidate after completing an executive development program and working with the senior management team, CEO and Board will be in the secession plan for an executive position within the company.

Minimum requirements: Bachelor Degree, Master degree (preferred) 5 years of supervisory experience with increased responsibility, strong business & financial reporting skills Board level preferred. To request complete job description, minimum requirements, and for an application email resume and request to: csommer@ganaayoo.com

Shown here are board director Monica Riedel, her mother Regina Clock and board director Violet Burnham


GANA-A’YOO FOUNDATION

STUDENT OF THE YEAR:
The Foundation Board of Directors will be recognizing one of our students at the June 2013 Annual Shareholder Meeting in Galena. If you know a student ranging from the 7th grade through college, please consider nominating him or her for Gana-A’Yoo 2012 Student of the Year by February 11, 2013. The candidate will be selected based on his or her leadership qualities, cultural/community involvement and educational goals. Nominees must be either a Gana-A’Yoo shareholder or a descendant of an original shareholder. Masee’

BOARD MEMBER ISSUE CHALLENGE:
Gana-A’Yoo, Limited Board Director, Linda Fleury issued a challenge to all readers to make a personal donation of any amount to the Foundation. Although, she donated $2,000, she does not expect anyone to match that amount. The purpose of the program is to raise money through donations to support the Gana-A’Yoo Foundation. We’d like to recognize those who have met the challenge with donations to date: William Dayton, Erica Frankson, and Betty Huntington.

If you would like to make a charitable gift to the Foundation’s educational scholarship programs, your donation will be featured here and on our company web page. Your donation is also tax deductible. To find out more about the Foundation, please visit our website at www.ganaayoo.com or e-mail or call Crystal Sommer at 907-569-9599. Again, we extend our deep appreciation.

FOUNDATION RECIPIENT THANKFUL
Jennessa Pitka originally of Galena a past recipient of Gana-A’Yoo Foundation Scholarships shared her appreciation recently: I am a Koyukon Athabascan from the beautiful village of Galena, Alaska. I am the oldest daughter to Nancy and Terrance Pitka. My maternal grandparents are Patrick Yaska and the late Wilhelmina Yaska. My paternal grandparents are Laura Pitka and the late Edward Pitka. In April, 2012 I graduated from Fort Lewis College in Durango, Colorado with a B.A. in Art: Graphic Design. Gana-A’Yoo Foundation has supported me throughout the years as I continued to further my education, thank you for contributing to my success. I would also like to thank my support system for the never ending love and encouragement: My parents for guiding me towards choosing the right path, my brother Clifton and sister Lorena for inspiring me to be myself, my boyfriend Cory James Miller for always giving me a positive outlook for the future. To my cousins for always sharing their advice, meeting up for vacations, and giving me so many good memories. A special thanks to my cousins Larissa, Crystal, Joyelyn, Leann, Heather, Stephanie, and Jolene for the daily e-mails and proof reading my art work. To my aunts and uncles for teaching me to maintain a sense of humor with life, work, and friendships. Also to many members of Galena for the gifts of celebration when I returned home. Thank you all for always believing in me and being a part of a chapter in my book.

SHAREHOLDER OF THE YEAR
At the 2011 Annual Shareholder Meeting, the Shareholder Relations Committee recommended that the Board recognize a Gana-A’Yoo shareholder at future annual meetings. Susan Paskvan was our 1st ‘shareholder of the year’, please send in your nomination by February 11, 2013. Nominee must be a Gana-A’Yoo shareholder who is involved in community service and whose confidence has directly affected Alaska Natives. The person should show a strong commitment, sensitivity in the areas of helping others in order to make a community a healthier and safer place to live. Please mail your nomination to: ‘Shareholder of the Year 2013’ Gana-A’Yoo, Limited 6927 Old Seward Hwy, Ste 101 Anchorage, AK 99518 or email to csomer@ganaayoo.com

FUNDATION ELECTION UPDATE:
The Board welcomed re-elected director Anne Esmailka originally of Kaltag back to the Foundation. Other board members are Erica Frankson of Galena and Larissa Sommer originally of Galena. We would like to thank all who have showed an interest in serving on the Foundation board.

Photo by Anne
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The Board & Staff
Wish you
a Happy Holiday Season
&
a Great 2013 Year!

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**Gana-A’Yoo CONDOLENCES/CORPORATION FACTS**

**Condolences**

Our most sincere condolences to the family & friends of:

**Ann J. Agnes, 38** is survived by her partner Mike Winkleman; her children Mikayla and Wink Winkleman; her mother Rosemary Agnes; her siblings Pauline, Barb, Agnes, Ida and Vicky. She is preceded in death by her father Victor Agnes. Ann was a shareholder with Nulato class stock.

**George P. McGinty, 54** is survived by his son, Louis, his companion Vicky Thomas; siblings Maurice, Coonie, Ruth Ann, Julia, Colleen, Catherine and Georgia. He was preceded in death by his mother Ethel Brush; Brothers, Oliver and Clarence. George was a shareholder with Nulato class stock.

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**Gilbert Semaken, Sr., 86** is survived by his children Gloria and Rueben. He was preceded in death by his wife Margaret and children Gilbert, Jr, and Mathew. Gilbert was a shareholder with Kaltag class stock.

**Irene K. Solomon, 77** is survived by her husband, Alexander Solomon Jr. of Kaltag; her children, Eleanor Maillele, Gabe Solomon, Mike Solomon, Veronica Miller, Herbert Solomon, Susan Erickson, and Daniel Solomon. She was preceded in death by her parents Martha Elizabeth and Eugene Nickoli and her children, Martha Elizabeth Solomon, Archie, and Alvin. Irene was a shareholder with Kaltag class stock.

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**Where Are You?**

Current addresses are needed for these shareholders. If you have any information regarding the whereabouts or how we may contact any of them, please call our office.

- Lisa Bismark
- Darlene L. Blumer
- Vienna L Boe
- Christopher Carl Chase
- Alice Dang
- Earl J Dutchman
- Hobart Huffman
- Juliet Huffman
- Kevelina Huffman
- Lynette Huffman
- Tolovana Huffman
- Tortella J Huffman
- Shannon J Jenkins
- Daphne M Jensen
- Raymoni W Langton
- Jeffrey L Logan
- Clyde Malemute
- Betty L Maness
- Virginia McCarty
- Terrence R McLean
- Jordan L Neglaska
- Carl R Noble, Jr.
- Jason Nollner
- Debra Jean Parker
- Allen J Solomon
- Elsie M Thurmond
- Gary W Thurmond
- Tammy L Thurmond
- Twila L Wholecheese

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**DENADOLALE’**

**“Our Voice”**

**2012/2013 Look Ahead**

**December 2012**

- 25 Christmas

**January 2013**

- 1 Happy New Year!!!
- 1 Gana-A’Yoo Office Closed

**February 2013**

- 2 Yukon Quest Begins
- 15 Iron Dog Begins
- 11 Shareholder of the Year Nominations Due
- 11 Board of Director Questionnaires Due
- 11 Student of the Year Nominations Due
- 16 Gana-A’Yoo Meeting-Anchorage (@ 9 am)
- 22 Fur Rhondy-Anchorage