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<b>SUNDAY</b> Our Day of Rest	<b>MONDAY</b> Check out this week's sales & happenings.	<b>TUESDAY</b> Plan a garage sale for weekend after next & advertise it FREE in The Local Paper	<b>WEDNESDAY</b> New The Local Paper available for FREE!	<b>THURSDAY</b> 4:30PM Display Ad Deadline	<b>FRIDAY</b> 4:30PM Classified Deadline	<b>SATURDAY</b> Check out all the weekly specials & garage sales in The Local Paper
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750 ML Rosé

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1.5 Ltr Bottled Wine, All Varieties

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**Irish Death. \$22<sup>99</sup>**  
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# the LOCAL Paper

## CLASSIFIED AD FORM

Classified ads are **FREE** for all-non-commercial uses.

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\*Free ads limited to 40 words. Additional words are 45¢ per word.

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T.A.G. MEETING (Teen Advisory Group) Wednesday March 11, 3:30pm at the Ketchikan Public Library. (3/11)

ADVANCE CARE PLANNING WORKSHOP; Wednesday March 11 - The Ketchikan Public Library and Courageous Conversations will be hold an Advance Care Planning workshop at 5:30 pm. Participants will have the opportunity to fill out forms to identify who will make healthcare decisions for them if they are unable to do so themselves. This workshop is free, call Lisa at 228-2304 for more info. (3/11)

MOVE 'N' GROOVE - Thursday March 12, 10:30am. Move & Groove a high-energy early literacy program at the Ketchikan Public Library, designed for children who need to get their wiggles out. Caregivers are encouraged to arrive ready to play! (3/11)

STORYTIME at the Ketchikan Public Library; Friday March 13 at 10:30am! (3/11)

LEGO DAY at the Ketchikan Public Library, Friday March 13 - LEGO Building at 4pm. (3/11)

DROP-IN CHESS at the Ketchikan Public Library, Saturday March 14, 2 to 5:30pm. (3/11)

CRAFT AND CONNECT at the Ketchikan Public Library; Saturday March 14, 2-4pm. This month, with spring in mind, we are making wind chimes and/or silly creatures for the garden. This could be a little messy, we are using paints, markers and glue. (3/11)

# KETCHIKAN SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

**COED MEN'S 2026 SEASON!**  
**WOMEN'S**

April 18: Team Rosters and Waivers Due  
 May 8-9: Coed One-Pitch Games  
 May 15-16: Men's One-Pitch Games  
 May 22-23: No Games Memorial Weekend  
 May 29-30: Coed Regular Season Begins!

- Each coed team MUST have at least 4 women on the roster.
- Must be 16+ to play
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**FIRST DRAWING MARCH 13TH**

AK Permit #115

VISIT THE CHILDREN'S LIBRARY during spring break to be entered to win a flamingo pool floatie! March 13 through March 21. (3/11)

I am attending the shenani-gans. I shall return presently!

NEW TO THE AREA? New to gardening? Learn how to successfully grow flowers in our challenging climate. Local experts Martha Jacobson and Jill Lindgren will be sharing their tips and tricks for beginning flower gardeners Sunday March 15, 3pm at the Ketchikan Public Library. This class is free, call Lisa at 228-2304 for more information. (3/11)

CHAIR YOGA at the Ketchikan Public Library, Tuesday March 17 at 10:30am. (3/11)

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

COME SAY OR SING A PRAYER for Peace and Unity. 1-2 PM, Tuesday's at 2441 First Ave. Ste.A Baha'i Center. (c)

ATTENTION GRADUATING high school and finishing GED students. Scholarship funds are available from Ketchikan Pioneers of Alaska. Go to [ketchikanpioneersofalaska.org](http://ketchikanpioneersofalaska.org) or the Counselor offices at Kayhi, Revilla and U of A Southeast campus for an application. Completed applications must be postmarked by April 17th and mailed to the Pioneers of Alaska. We hope our community's young people who wish to continue their education will apply. Good Luck! (4/15)

MINDFULNESS YOGA; Wednesdays at 12pm, This 1-hour vinyasa session is led by Charley Murray-Young at the Ketchikan Public Library and will focus on overall wellness through simple yoga positions. All the library programs are free to attend. Please wear comfortable clothing and bring a yoga mat. Mats will also be available for use. OFF UNTIL MARCH 25 (c)

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**OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS MEETS** at 10am every Saturday at the Ketchikan Pioneer's Home, 141 Bryant Street. Please call/text 907-617-7778 with questions or visit oa.org. (c)

**KETCHIKAN PUBLIC LIBRARY HOURS:** Open 7 days a week. Sun: Noon-6pm. Mon: 10am-6pm. Tues/Wed: 10am-7pm. Thurs/Fri/Sat: 10am-6pm. (c)

**STORYTIME** - Fridays, 10:30am at the Ketchikan Public Library! Special (c)

**MOVE 'N' GROOVE** - Please join us at the Ketchikan Public Library for a Little's Literacy program featuring a short rhyme-time, brief songs, & free play. Thursdays at 10:30am. (c)

**CHAIR YOGA** at the Ketchikan Public Library; Tuesdays at 10:30am - Participants will practice restorative breathing, relaxing stretches and easy movements that will help improve your mind and body. (c)

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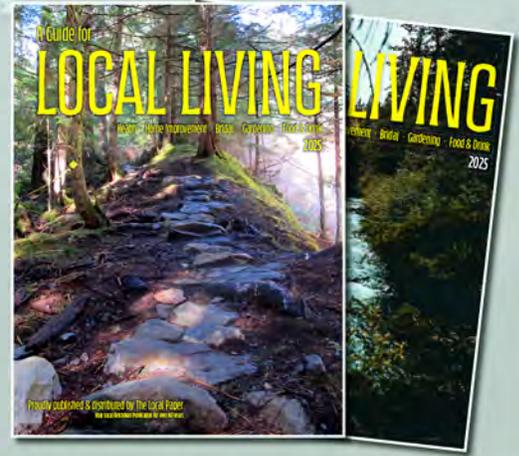
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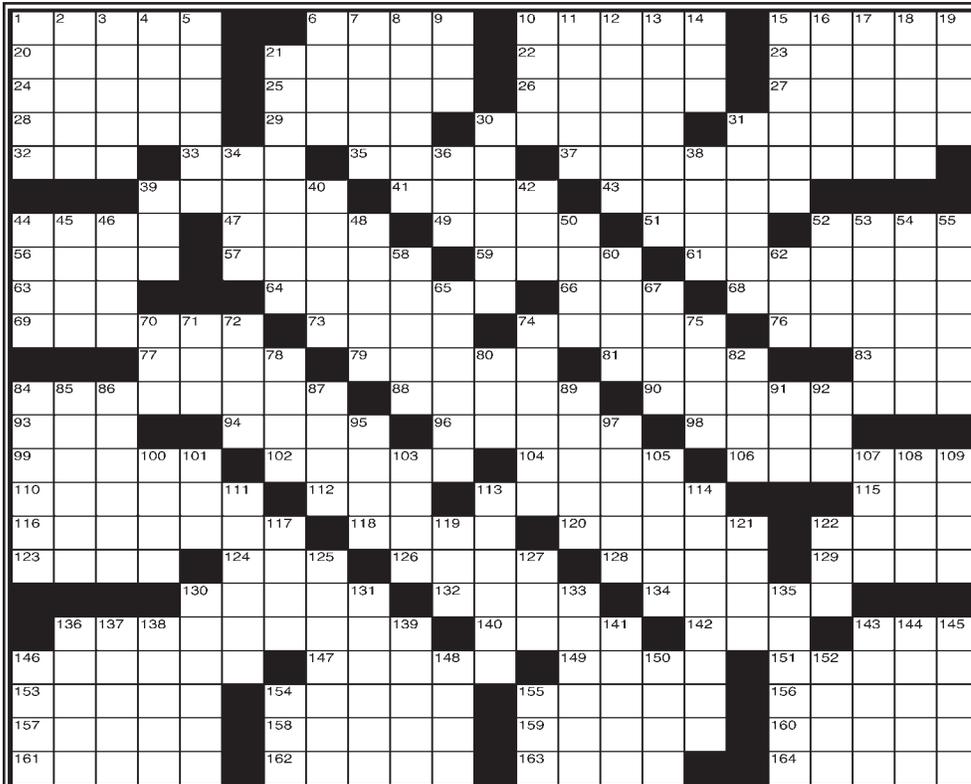
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151 Like Amundsen  
153 Vocal group  
154 Audio complement  
155 Mr. Spock's father  
156 Upriver spawner  
157 A crowd, maybe  
158 Improve upon  
159 Heavy rainfall  
160 Commencement  
161 Panache  
162 Concise  
163 Takes home  
164 Young girl
- DOWN**
- 1 Stereotypically masculine  
2 Better trained  
3 Outback cutie  
4 Fiendish  
5 Shark tagalong  
6 Nothing but  
7 Overact  
8 Clotheshorses  
9 Countdown number  
10 Jog  
11 Propelled a boat  
12 Zonked out  
13 -- -- fishing  
14 '80s self-help group  
15 Traffic circle  
16 Go to the polls  
17 "Tyger, Tyger ..." poet  
18 Buenos --  
19 Crash, so to speak  
21 Bodyguard  
30 Grab  
31 Inmate's hope  
34 Rarely rained on  
36 One -- -- time  
38 Nursery item  
39 Aurora, to Socrates  
40 Pleiades number  
42 Princess Di's niece  
44 Had bills to pay  
45 Two-star (hyph.)  
46 Inferior  
48 Rural structures  
50 Moscow turndown  
52 First course  
53 Outlet  
54 Parka
- 55 Tomorrow, to Juan  
58 Mispronounces  
60 Cut  
62 August kid, maybe  
65 Conches  
67 Click-on item  
70 This -- -- test  
71 Telegraph signal  
72 Waikiki's island  
74 Shish kebab holder  
75 "Fish Magic" artist  
78 Rock's "cushion"  
80 Corporate exec  
82 Recedes  
84 Bog  
85 49th state  
86 Sale label (2 wds.)  
87 Simon or Armstrong  
89 "Home Alone" kid  
91 Like crudites  
92 Yes, to Angus  
95 Trounce  
97 Impressionist painter  
100 Music and sculpture  
101 French monarch  
103 Freud's concerns  
105 "The Pink Panther" actor  
107 Pistol fight  
108 Thus  
109 Wild plum  
111 Large noses  
113 Prized statuettes  
114 Son, often  
117 Indiana port  
119 Actor -- Brynner  
121 Fish-story teller  
125 Bitter fruit (2 wds.)  
127 Ground breaker  
130 Couch  
131 Viking, maybe  
133 Mexican shawl  
135 Kidnappers' demand  
136 Ritzy pleasure boat  
137 Cowboy Gene --  
138 Pay homage  
139 Waits  
141 Jeweler's unit  
143 Journalists, collectively  
144 Archipelago dots  
145 J. Paul --  
146 3-year-olds  
148 Bump or knot  
150 Jumbo planes  
152 Prefix for "all"  
154 Wine cask  
155 Form 1040 info

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- 1 Manufacturer  
6 Reminder  
10 Commerce  
15 Steel rod  
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22 Romantic offering  
23 Dragon puppet  
24 Assert  
25 Crumble away  
26 Young raptor  
27 Garment flaws  
28 Phone response  
29 Fancy party  
30 Precipitous  
31 Bundle  
32 Zoologists' mouths
- 33 Charlotte of "Bananas"  
35 High spirits  
37 French math man  
39 Merits  
41 Wild guess  
43 Mason or Como  
44 Scandinavian city  
47 Fateful date  
49 Ra's symbol  
51 Help  
52 Thin stratum  
56 Hardships  
57 Very wicked person  
59 Coral islets  
61 Deli staple  
63 Double curve  
64 Chutney, e.g.  
66 Bulldogs backer
- 68 Nerve cell  
69 Square dance call (hyph.)  
73 Quick bite  
74 Pilot's control  
76 "Tosca," e.g.  
77 Where Anna taught  
79 Mote  
81 Painted tinware  
83 Kyoto honorific  
84 Long-distance race  
88 Well-fed  
90 Omaha's state  
93 "Grand -- Opry"  
94 Drew on  
96 Mooed  
98 Online auction site  
99 Speed gun
- 102 Names on pedigrees  
104 Roulette bet  
106 Nobel and Garbo  
110 Houston team  
112 Clumsy person  
113 Roots  
115 Website  
116 Enjoying the rink  
118 Young men  
120 Part of USNA  
122 Toy building block  
123 Droops  
124 Durable wood  
126 There's no -- thing!  
128 Big rig  
129 Burn soother  
130 More confident  
132 Vietnam neighbor

# WELCOME TO CALLIE'S CORNER BOOK NOOK!

Do you like to read? Callie does too! Since I read roughly a book a week (more or less) I thought I'd share what I'm reading, and when I'm done I'll share how I feel about it. No long reviews, just a nifty Star Rating system:



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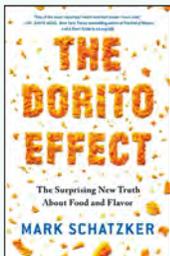


I can see why people like it. I'm just not people.



My goodness. This was awful.

## Read this week:



The Dorito Effect by Mark Schatzker.



This is all in good fun, so please share what you're reading on our social media accounts!

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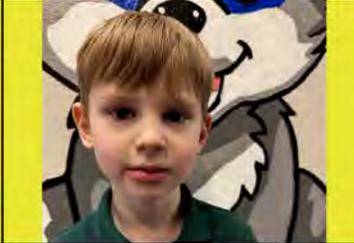
# Ketchikan Charter School

## FEBRUARY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Special Thanks to our Student of the Month sponsor



**KINDERGARTEN** -Cora is active, happy, and friendly. She works hard at anything we ask her to try. She is helpful to the staff and friendly to everyone. Our kindergarten student of the month for February is Cora Avila -Ms. Becky King



**1ST GRADE**- Finley Epler is being recognized this month for stepping outside of his comfort zone. His willingness to try new things in and out of the classroom, even when he feels uncertain, is a testament to his growth mindset. Watching him gain confidence in the classroom has been a joy. - Ms. Bekah Beckett



**2ND GRADE**- Andres Estacio is being recognized for being a thoughtful and caring friend to everyone in the classroom. He takes the time to cheer on his classmates, make sure everyone is included, and offer words of encouragement. Andres is quick to notice when someone needs help and is always willing to offer a kind word or a helping hand. - Mrs. Katy Ostrovskain



**3RD GRADE**- Eli Debuque is our 3rd-grade student of the month. He's very focused and tries his best. He's learned and memorized his multiplication facts all the way through his 12s. Eli loves to play games with his classmates. -Ms. Joelle Gefre



**4TH GRADE**- Evelyn is being recognized for her kindness. She has a sweet disposition and is always respectful to classmates, staff, and everyone else she meets. She makes beautiful and thoughtful crafts for others and maintains a positive attitude even when things get challenging. We appreciate Evelyn Danskin - Mrs. Elizabeth Avila



**5TH GRADE**- Brody is a model of courage in the classroom. At the beginning of the year, math seemed like a mountain that couldn't be overcome. But through tremendous hard work, multiplying decimals is easy according to him, and he is also dividing them with confidence! He is also a loyal friend who is always there for those Brody Morrison cares about!-Mr. Jacob Alguire



**6TH GRADE**- Rory Brooks takes her learning seriously and makes an effort to complete all classwork and homework assignments. She has a positive attitude and a fun sense of humor that draws in her classmates and keeps the mood light. Rory is a caring friend to all of her classmates. She works hard and is always willing to help her classmates out.- Middle School Staff



**7TH GRADE**- Cloud Mackie brings positivity and creativity to class. His joking and happy mood always brightens the classroom. Cloud's ability to sing along with any and every pop song brings a lot of joy to the classroom! -Middle School Staff



**8TH GRADE**- Molly Holten always comes to class with a positive attitude and is ready to learn. She is always listening for directions, and she gives 100% every day. Molly gave an excellent performance of a poem at our poetry festival and has improved her public speaking skills. She handles frustrating situations maturely and appropriately and has been an active participant in class discussions.- Middle School Staff

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## MARKET MINUTE

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### SPRING ACTIVITY IS EARLIER THAN USUAL

As we move toward spring, early signs suggest that the Ketchikan housing market is beginning to wake up sooner than many expected. We're seeing more buyers actively watching the market and preparing financing before new listings arrive. In smaller markets like ours, that preparation matters — because inventory can change quickly.

#### WHAT THIS MEANS FOR SELLERS

When buyers are already positioned and ready, well-priced homes tend to attract attention quickly. Even a small shift in available inventory can create strong interest in properties that show well and are priced realistically. Sellers considering a move this year may benefit from listing before the traditional spring rush, when competition is still limited.

#### WHAT THIS MEANS FOR BUYERS

Preparation continues to be the key advantage.

Buyers who: Have financing lined up, understand local price ranges, and are ready to act when the right property appears are best positioned to secure a home in a market where opportunities can appear — and disappear — quickly.



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