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On August 20, 2015 Yuut Elitnaurviat became the only Rural Alaskan Driving School certified by the nationally recognized Professional Truck Driver Institute (PTDI). This is a project that Lead Driving Instructor Gerry Graves has been working on since the Fall of 2013. Pictured below are all of the students and instructors who made this possible. A big thank you to everyone!



Adult Basic Education

Ronnie Paul of Pilot Station became the first GED graduate of Fiscal Year 2015 (which runs from July 1, 2015 until June 30, 2016). Ronnie has been working on completing the new version of the GED Test since it changed in January 2014. His great attitude and unwillingness to give up have made him a pleasure to have at Yuut Elitnaurviat and an excellent success story to recount to the YK Delta. He is currently employed by RurAL CAP in Pilot Station.

Upcoming ABE Training

ABE Classes happen Monday through Friday in Bethel from 9:00 AM to 3:30 PM. People interested in working on their GED should contact the ABE Program at (907) 543-0950.



Class A CDL Training

Becoming certified by the Professional Truck Driver Institute (PTDI) has been the culmination of two years of hard work by Lead Driving Instructor Gerry Graves. Being certified allows the Yuut Driving Academy to be formally approved by the State of Alaska to teach Commercial Driving. In the future this should also allow our students to take out State Education Loans or use the Montgomery G.I. Bill to pay for the program.

Upcoming CDL Training

There will be Six Week CDL Classes starting Oct. 5, 2015; Feb. 8, 2016; March 21, 2016; and May 16, 2016. People interested in applying should contact Gerry Graves at (907) 543-0978.



GED Works RFMT 100 Training

Yuut Elitnaurviat held a ten day Rural Facility Maintenance Technician (RFMT) 100 training this quarter for students who qualified under the GED Works grant. David Chief of Bethel, Alex Gregory of Chefnak, Luke Isaac of Bethel, and Teddy Moses of Toksook Bay completed the training and earned their NCCER Core cards. The training also counts for credit at both AVTEC in Seward and at UAF.

Upcoming Construction Training

There will be another RFMT 100 training starting in April of 2016. Students who have received their HS Diploma or GED since 2012 should call the GED Works Program Coordinator at (907) 543-0955.



GED Works Driver Education

Students who have received their HS Diploma after May 2012 or their GED after July 2012 qualify for free Driving Lessons and Road Tests under Yuut Elitnaurviat's GED Works Grant. Having a Driver License is a huge asset when looking for a job in the YK Delta. Thirty five people took advantage of this during this quarter and used it to get their Alaska Learners Permits and Alaska Driver Licenses.

Upcoming Driver Training

GED Works Driver Training for qualified students is ongoing. Students who have received their HS Diploma or GED since 2012 should call the GED Works Program Coordinator at (907) 543-0955.



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