

# Tradition Recesses Head Start 30 Days

A period of a month-long recess for the Head Start tots of Point Hope is now in effect in that village.

The pre-school concept of modern times has given way to the ancient, exciting, sometimes dangerous, tradition of bowhead whaling for 30 days.

The staff of the Point Hope Community Action Program is being allowed by the city fathers to help hunt whales for that length of time.

Pt. Hope News recounted the unique arrangement in the following manner:

“PHCAP will be temporarily halt for whaling season sometimes in April. The period of hunting for the staff of PHCAP will be for one month.

“This whaling season is one of the biggest events of the year at Pt. Hope.”

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