Rural education discussed

Village residents and educators from throughout Alaska will meet Sept. 29-Oct. 1, in Anchorage to discuss the kind of education that should be provided in rural high schools and the programs and services that must be developed to guarantee that education to village young people.

Teacher training, the role of the community in curriculum development, the relationship of the high school program to the student's life outside the classroom, and methods of providing a variety of courses and training within a small secondary program will also be discussed.

Funded by a grant from the Alaska Humanities Forum, the meeting is cosponsored by the State Department of Education, the Kodiak Island Borough School District, the North Slope Borough Schools, and the Center for Northern Educational Research.

Sessions will be held at Holiday Inn. Additional information on the Forum can be obtained through the Kodiak Island School District offices, P.O. Box 886, Kodiak, Alaska 99615. Or by calling (907) 486-3131.