

ChalleNGe program now accepting applications

The Alaska National Guard Youth Corps ChalleNGe Program is now accepting applications for its fall 1995 class.

For 22 weeks ChalleNGe Program "Corpsmembers" live at the Alaska Army National Guard's Camp Carroll Training Site on Ft. Richardson. In addition to academic, vocational, and life-skills training, Corps members are involved in vigorous physical fitness activities and adventure-based confidence and leadership training.

The next session is scheduled to

begin September 11.

Students who complete the residential phase of the ChalleNGe Program are eligible for a \$2,200 stipend which can be used for further academic or skills training, or to secure employment.

Applicants must be 16-18 years old at the time they enter the program, out of school, willing to commit to a drug, alcohol and tobacco-free life while in the program, have no current legal entanglements, and, most importantly, want to turn their lives around.

For application information, or for more information about the Alaska National Guard Youth Corps, please contact Ed Wicher at the ChalleNGe Program by calling 384-6015. Outside the Anchorage area, call toll-free 800-797-2267.
