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Juneau Sixth-Graders HIT the Bullseye

The Alaska Department of Fish & Game (ADF&G) Hunter Information Training (HIT) Program is a model collaborative effort between government agencies, volunteers, and schools. The HIT Program offers instruction in firearm safety, hunting ethics, and wildlife conservation to all sixth graders in the Juneau School District.

Youth involved in the HIT program learn foundational interest, skills, and ethics for a lifetime of safe and enjoyable involvement in hunting and shooting sports. Success in the program provides students with lifetime certification that is recognized by all 50 states, Canada, and Mexico.

The Alaskan lifestyle affords many incredible opportunities to enjoy hunting and wildlife. “Congratulations to Floyd Dryden and Dzantik’i Heeni Middle Schools, the 4-H Outdoor Skills Club, ADF&G, the Taku River Sportsman’s Association, and the dozens of volunteers who have worked hard to make this valuable program available for sixth graders in Juneau,” said Lieutenant Governor Parnell.

For more information, call the ADF&G HIT office at (907) 267-2187.