Ria Fandel Employee Recognition

Ria Fandel has been employed by the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District for twelve years. During her employment, Ria has delighted central peninsula staff and students with her scrumptious baked goods and in 1999, Ria accepted the position of Soldotna High School Kitchen Manager.

Ria is a positive role model for both students and coworkers. She treats everyone with the utmost respect, patience and understanding. In addition to her daily tasks, Ria frequently finds time to volunteer her services for numerous school functions and fundraisers. Soldotna High principal, Syvia Reynolds, says of Ria, "She is an important part of Soldotna High School. . .she shows an interest in our students and the students respond to Ria."

Tonight's recognition of Ria is well deserved and, we, the school board members of the Kenai Peninsula Borough School District are proud to present Ria Fandel with a Golden Apple Award to acknowledge her outstanding service to the school district and its students.