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Local business closing, seeking new home.

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### SLAM DUNK:

A Q&A with Bayfield hoopster Keith Bressette

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Redington, in his signature lime green coat, on the first day of the race. He would cross the finish line in first place eight days, 21 hours, 12 minutes and 58 seconds later.

## BORN TO RUN: Brule musher conquers Iditarod a year after crash

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Ryan Redington described it as just a brief trip with 14 of his closest friends.

What it really was was a

1,000-mile trek across glaciers and frozen rivers, down the sides of mountains and through blinding ground blizzards with temperatures of 25 below zero.

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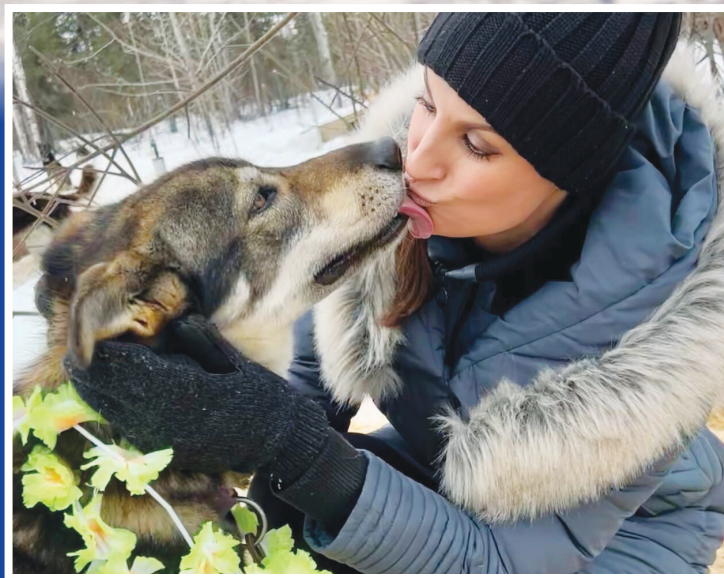
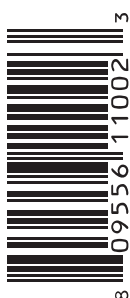


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Veterinary surgeon Heather Hadley, who operated on Wildfire when his leg was shattered, gets a smooch from her patient at the Iditarod finish line.

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**CLARK,** Roberta-Dee (Bobbe)  
**REYNOLDS,** Donald S.

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