

## **Iditarod Trail Sled Dog Race®**

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## **2014 JR. IDITAROD WINNER- CONWAY SEAVEY**

Wasilla, Alaska – (Sunday February 23, 2014) – Jr. Iditarod Musher Conway Seavey, Bib # 4, of Sterling, Alaska, crossed the finish line at Happy Trails Kennel in Big Lake, Alaska, at 7:50 a.m. Alaska Time with 10 dogs on his team claiming his second Jr. Iditarod Championship.

Seavey was closely followed by Ben Harper, Bib # 10, from Wasilla, Alaska, who finished 2 minutes later.

Seavey, 17, started mushing when he was four, following the example set by his three brothers, his father and his grandfather. He has now finished the Jr. Iditarod four times. His main focus is singing and songwriting but he says while he doesn't plan to run dogs professionally in the future, he will always do it for fun.

As of 9:13 this morning, four teams had crossed the finish line. Kevin Harper, Bib #8 of Wasilla was third and Jimmy Lanier, Bib #2 of Chugiak was fourth. Check for more recent standings at <a href="http://www.jr.iditarod.com/">http://www.jr.iditarod.com/</a>