

"Kvorum" Organizes A Record Library

A Komsomol and youth organization of an unusual kind has begun to function at the base camp of the "Sevstroimekhanizatsiya" Trust.

The Trust is laying down a mainline railroad track across the Yamal peninsula--from the station of Obskaya to the Bovanenko Gas-Condensate Deposit. Having established the "Kvorum" [Quorum], twelve young enthusiasts have taken on the task of organizing leisure time activities for all the young boys and girls at this Arctic construction project.

Here we can find discussions of controversial contemporary issues, a fashion modeling show, the "Buratino" Animated Film Café [Buratino's Adventures is the title of Aleksei Tolstoy's 1936 Russian adaptation of Pinocchio--Tr.], and a studio for recording popular music... The "Kvorum" cooperative has been initiating valuable, active recreation for young people on the spot at sites along the future northern railroad, in every shift camp and railroad settlement.

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