

April 2021 Nome Child Abuse Prevention Activities for Children and Families

We want all kids to participate and to have fun! There will be prizes for winners but also participation prizes. For each activity a child participates in they will receive a raffle ticket making them eligible for fun drawings at the end of the month. **Prizes include an Ipad, wireless ipod headphones, bikes, art kits, wireless speakers, fishing poles, and more! Find all details at kawerak.org/events.**

2nd: Wear Blue Day

National Wear Blue Day is a national day of significance in support of child abuse and sexual assault prevention efforts. Take a picture wearing blue and post it to the Kawerak facebook post with [#goblueAK](#) [#BeringStrait](#) for the opportunity at winning one of several great prizes. Open to All! Free blue masks, stickers, and pins will be available in the Post Office.

2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th : Kindergym The Nome Rec Center hosts kindergym every Friday. Fridays are free admittance for preschool aged children and their guardians. 10 am- noon.

3rd: Cornhole Tournament

Play in a cornhole tournament in the parking lot of the VFW at 108 East 3rd Street across from the ice rink beginning at 1:00 p.m. Lots of prizes including Easter Baskets, movie passes, and more.

4th: Eggsersize Ski Race

1pm – Mini Loop Scramble for littles
1:15pm - 1.5 mile Race for all ages

Park behind ACSA (opposite of the pool) and follow trail. *will be done before the Community egg hunt! Borrow skis w/ icollins@nomeschools.com by Saturday.

4th: Easter Egg Hunt

Annual Egg Hunt for all youth at the youth softball fields (next to the rec center) from 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Hosted by Alaska Native Brotherhood.

10th: Field Day

Good old-fashioned Field Day beginning at 1 p.m. at the softball fields next to the rec center. Football target throw, tug of war, and a few other fun stations of friendly competitive fun.

16th – 23rd: B&G Easter Egg Hunt

Find the hidden GIANT GOLDEN EGGS around town. Open to all youth only. If found return them to Ryan at B&G.

17th: First Responders Ice Cream Social

From 1 p.m.-3 p.m. at the firehall on Bering Street Nome's first responders including the NVFD, NPD, AST, and NVAD will be hosting kids of the region. They will be showing children the ambulances, law

enforcement vehicles, and of course will be passing out ice cream treats!

24th: Amazing Race

All Nome youth are invited to solve clues, complete challenges and prove their strength in NOME'S AMAZING RACE! Pick up your passport and starting clue at the Nome Elementary School from 1:45-3:30pm. Challenge booths will be around town, and will be open from 2-4pm.

25th: Honoring our Children

This event is to honor the children of our region. This year, Nome will hold its event in Old St. Joe's Park from 3 p.m.-6 p.m. and will include speakers, activities, and gift bags for all children in attendance.

30th: Children's March

Annual march open to ALL to bring awareness to the cause of child abuse. Begins at 1 p.m. at the Nome Elementary School, left down K street, down front street, around N street to end at NSHC parking lot to raffle off prizes for all the children who participated in events throughout the month.

**For safety, all of our activities will occur outside per COVID-19 recommendations. This means we are subject to weather however we are Alaskans so unless its bitterly cold or impossible to continue we proceed with events as scheduled. We do ask that masks be worn whenever possible as well.*