



Join Frontier  
for fun in the  
community!

# AUGUST 2026

## Children's Happenings Calendar

### Ongoing August Events



#### Mondays

##### Turf for Tots

9:00am-12:00pm | Soldotna Field House  
Come hang out on the turf with mats, toys, and space for little ones to play and move. (5 and under, 5\$)

##### Storytime in the Cultural Center

11:00am | Kenai Visitor Center  
Alaska-themed stories with a simple activity to follow.

##### Lego Club

4pm- 5pm | Kenai Library  
Each week a new theme and challenge will help spark your imagination.

#### Tuesdays

##### Toddler Story Time

10:30am- 11:00am | Soldotna library  
We will sing, rhyme, read stories, and color as we encourage early literacy skills!

##### Wee Read

10:30am- 11:00am | Kenai Library  
focuses on early language and social skills through fun stories, songs, and play time.

##### Stay and Play

11:00am- 11:30am | Kenai Library  
The toy bin will be available, along with coloring sheets and sensory bins!

##### Lego Club

4:00pm- 5:00pm | Soldotna Library  
All ages are welcome to come and build!

##### Summer Food Service Program

4:00 PM–6:00 PM | Kenai Library  
Free weekly meal distribution for children and teens ages 18 and under. Each child receives 7 pre-packaged meals to take home for the week. No registration required, but children must be present to pick up meals.

#### Wednesdays

##### Turf for Tots

9:00am-12:00pm | Soldotna Field House  
Come hang out on the turf with mats, toys, and space for little ones to play and move. (5 and under, 5\$)

##### Bouncing Babies

10:30am- 11:00am | Soldotna Library  
Babies will learn by song, repetition, rhyme, and movements.

##### Pre-school Story Time

10:30am- 11:00am | Kenai Library  
This Story Time is for preschoolers, ages 3 to 5.

##### Stay and Play

11:00am- 11:30am | Kenai Library  
The toy bin will be available, along with coloring sheets and sensory bins!

##### Wednesday Market

11:00AM–6:00PM | Soldotna Creek Park  
Shop local vendors, enjoy food, and explore handmade and locally produced goods. Stay for the free evening concert series beginning at 6:00 PM.



#### Thursdays

##### Preschool Story Time

10:30am- 11:00am | Soldotna Library  
We will sing, read stories, do fun activities and color as we encourage early literacy skills!

##### Alaska Gold Rush Experience

11:00 AM | Diamond M Ranch Resort  
Try gold panning, learn about Alaska's gold rush history, and take home a golden keepsake. 14\$

##### Early Readers Book Club

11:00am- 11:30am | Kenai Library  
Join us for word exercises and a chapter book read-aloud.

#### Saturdays

##### Soldotna Saturday Market

10:00 AM | 193 E Corral St, Soldotna  
Browse vendors offering locally made products. A great way to support small businesses in our community!



#### Missing an event?

907-513-6408

Call or Text Aleea Faulkner to get  
an event added to our calendar!

QR code to our  
website and  
digital calendar



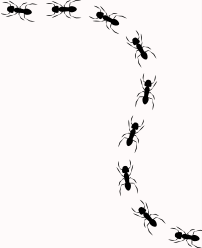
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| <p>2 FREE<br/>ADAPTIVE PLAY DAY<br/>PLAYTOWN CAFE<br/>12AM-4PM</p>  | <p>3 TURF FOR TOTS<br/>FIELD HOUSE<br/>9AM-12PM (5\$)</p> <p>STORYTIME AT<br/>FARNSWORTH PARK<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p>STORYTIME IN THE<br/>CULTURAL CENTER<br/>KENAI VISITORS<br/>CENTER<br/>11:00AM</p> <p>LITTLE CRAFTS: SILLY<br/>PUTTY<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11AM-12PM</p> <p>LEGO CLUB<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-5PM</p>  | <p>4 CAMP MEND-A-<br/>HEART<br/>SOLID ROCK<br/>9:00AM-3:30PM<br/>REGISTRATION<br/>REQUIRED</p> <p>TODDLER STORYTIME<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p>WEE READ<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p>STAY AND PLAY<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p>LEGO CLUB<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>4:00PM-5:00PM</p> <p>SUMMER FOOD<br/>SERVICE PROGRAM<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-6PM</p> | <p>5 CAMP MEND-A-<br/>HEART<br/>SOLID ROCK<br/>9:00AM-3:30PM<br/>REGISTRATION<br/>REQUIRED</p> <p>TURF FOR TOTS<br/>FIELD HOUSE<br/>9AM-12PM (5\$)</p> <p>BOUNCING BABIES<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p>PRESCHOOL<br/>STORYTIME<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p>STAY AND PLAY<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p>KIDFEST<br/>230 E. MARYDALE<br/>AVE. OR 805<br/>FRONTAGE RD.<br/>12PM-1PM</p> <p>DOG DAYS OF<br/>SUMMER<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>12PM-2PM</p> | <p>6 CAMP MEND-A-<br/>HEART<br/>SOLID ROCK<br/>9:00AM-3:30PM<br/>REGISTRATION<br/>REQUIRED</p> <p>PRESCHOOL<br/>STORYTIME<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30-11:00AM</p> <p>GOLD RUSH<br/>EXPERIENCE<br/>DIAMOND M RANCH<br/>11AM (14\$)</p> <p>EARLY READERS<br/>BOOK CLUB<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> | <p>7 COOL KID CRAFTS!:<br/>FIRE BREATHING<br/>DRAGON<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:30AM<br/>(REGISTRATION<br/>REQUIRED 2-5 YRS)</p>                                     | <p>8 SATURDAY MARKET<br/>193 E CORRAL ST,<br/>SOLDOTNA<br/>10AM</p> <p>SUMMER FUN FEST<br/>FARNSWORTH PARK<br/>11AM</p> <p>SATURDAY MARKET<br/>THE GOODS<br/>12PM</p>                                                                                   |
| <p>9</p>                                                                                                                                             | <p>10 TURF FOR TOTS<br/>FIELD HOUSE<br/>9AM-12PM (5\$)</p> <p>STORYTIME IN THE<br/>CULTURAL CENTER<br/>KENAI VISITORS<br/>CENTER<br/>11:00AM</p> <p>READING DOGS<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>1PM-2PM<br/>(REGISTRATION<br/>REQUIRED)</p> <p>LEGO CLUB<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-5PM</p>                                                 | <p>11 TODDLER STORYTIME<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p>WEE READ<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p>STAY AND PLAY<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p>LEGO CLUB<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>4:00PM-5:00PM</p> <p>SUMMER FOOD<br/>SERVICE PROGRAM<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-6PM</p>                                                                                             | <p>12 TURF FOR TOTS<br/>FIELD HOUSE<br/>9AM-12PM</p> <p>BOUNCING BABIES<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p>PRESCHOOL<br/>STORYTIME<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p>STAY AND PLAY<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p>WEDNESDAY<br/>MARKET<br/>SOLDOTNA CREEK<br/>PARK<br/>11AM-6PM</p> <p>TWEEN &amp; TEEN SEW:<br/>EMOTIONAL<br/>SUPPORT CHICKENS<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-5PM (8-18YRS)</p>                                                                       | <p>13 LITTLE PEEPS<br/>KENAI WILDLIFE<br/>REFUGE<br/>9AM-10AM AND<br/>10:30AM-11:30AM</p> <p>PRESCHOOL<br/>STORYTIME<br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30-11:00AM</p> <p>GOLD RUSH<br/>EXPERIENCE<br/>DIAMOND M RANCH<br/>11AM (14\$)</p> <p>EARLY READERS<br/>BOOK CLUB<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p>      | <p>14 NINTENDO SWITCH<br/>CLUB<br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>3PM-5PM<br/>(8-18YRS)</p> <p>KENAI PENINSULA<br/>FAIR<br/>16200 STERLING<br/>HWY, NINILCHIK<br/>12:00PM-8:00PM</p>  | <p>15 SATURDAY MARKET<br/>193 E CORRAL ST,<br/>SOLDOTNA<br/>10AM</p> <p>ALYESKA<br/>BLUEBERRY<br/>FESTIVAL<br/>1000 ARLBERG AVE<br/>GIRDWOOD<br/>10AM-6PM</p> <p>KENAI PENINSULA<br/>FAIR<br/>16200 STERLING<br/>HWY, NINILCHIK<br/>10:00AM-8:00PM</p>  |

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| <p>16</p> <p><b>ALYESKA BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL</b><br/>1000 ARLBERG AVE<br/>GIRDWOOD<br/>10AM-6PM</p> <p><b>KENAI PENINSULA FAIR</b><br/>16200 STERLING HWY. NINILCHIK<br/>12:00PM-5:00PM</p>  | <p>17</p> <p><b>TURF FOR TOTS FIELD HOUSE</b><br/>9AM-12PM (5\$)</p> <p><b>STORYTIME IN THE CULTURAL CENTER</b><br/>KENAI VISITORS CENTER<br/>11:00AM</p> <p><b>LEGO CLUB</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-5PM</p> <p><b>K-BEACH ELEMENTARY'S MEET YOUR TEACHER NIGHT</b><br/>K-BEACH EL.<br/>5:30PM-6:30PM</p>  | <p>18</p> <p><b>TODDLER STORYTIME</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p><b>WEE READ</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p><b>STAY AND PLAY</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p><b>PAPER ROCKET PIZZA PARTY</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>3PM-4PM<br/>(REGISTRATION REQUIRED)</p> <p><b>LEGO CLUB</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>4:00PM-5:00PM</p> <p><b>UPCYCLE TIE DYE THE GOODS</b><br/>5PM-7PM<br/>(BYO T-SHIRT)</p> | <p>19</p> <p><b>TURF FOR TOTS FIELD HOUSE</b><br/>9AM-12PM</p> <p><b>BOUNCING BABIES:</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p><b>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p><b>STAY AND PLAY</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY MARKET</b><br/>SOLDOTNA CREEK PARK 11AM-6PM</p> <p><b>COMICS CLUB</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-5PM</p>  | <p>20</p> <p><b>LITTLE PEEPS KENAI WILDLIFE REFUGE VISITOR CENTER</b><br/>9AM-10AM<br/>AND<br/>10:30AM-11:30A</p> <p><b>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30-11:00AM</p> <p><b>GOLD RUSH EXPERIENCE</b><br/>DIAMOND M RANCH<br/>11AM (14\$)</p> <p><b>EARLY READERS BOOK CLUB</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p><b>STEAM STUDIO</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-5PM<br/>(REGISTRATION REQUIRED 8-12YRS)</p> | <p>21</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <p>22</p> <p><b>SATURDAY MARKET</b><br/>193 E CORRAL ST,<br/>SOLDOTNA<br/>10AM</p> <p><b>SATURDAY MARKET THE GOODS</b><br/>12PM</p> <p><b>INDUSTRY APPRECIATION DAY</b><br/>KENAI PARK STRIP<br/>12PM-4PM</p>  |
| <p>23</p>                                                                                                                                                                                 | <p>24</p> <p><b>TURF FOR TOTS FIELD HOUSE</b><br/>9AM-12PM (5\$)</p> <p><b>STORYTIME IN THE CULTURAL CENTER</b><br/>KENAI VISITORS CENTER<br/>11:00AM</p> <p><b>LEGO CLUB</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>4PM-5PM</p>                                                                                                                                                                                | <p>25</p> <p><b>TODDLER STORYTIME</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p><b>WEE READ</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p><b>STAY AND PLAY</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p><b>LEGO CLUB</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>4:00PM-5:00PM</p>                                                                                                                                                                        | <p>26</p> <p><b>TURF FOR TOTS FIELD HOUSE</b><br/>9AM-12PM</p> <p><b>BOUNCING BABIES:</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM-11:00AM</p> <p><b>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>10:30AM- 11:00AM</p> <p><b>STAY AND PLAY</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p><b>WEDNESDAY MARKET</b><br/>SOLDOTNA CREEK PARK<br/>11AM-6PM</p>                                                                                                                                       | <p>27</p> <p><b>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30-11:00AM</p> <p><b>GOLD RUSH EXPERIENCE</b><br/>DIAMOND M RANCH<br/>11AM (14\$)</p> <p><b>EARLY READERS BOOK CLUB</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p><b>USED BOOK AND ART SALE</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>1PM-5PM</p>                                                                                                                                | <p>28</p> <p><b>PRESCHOOL STORYTIME</b><br/>SOLDOTNA LIBRARY<br/>10:30-11:00AM</p> <p><b>GOLD RUSH EXPERIENCE</b><br/>DIAMOND M RANCH<br/>11AM (14\$)</p> <p><b>EARLY READERS BOOK CLUB</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>11:00AM-11:30AM</p> <p><b>BLUEY PARTY!</b><br/>KENAI LIBRARY<br/>3PM-4PM</p> | <p>29</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

## August Event Highlights



### Nikiski Days – Industrial Days (August 1st)

11am | Nikiski High School

Celebrate one of the Kenai Peninsula's biggest annual community events! The day kicks off with a community parade and continues with a free community lunch, classic car show, family-friendly games, and local vendors. Try your luck at Chicken Poop Bingo, nominate your favorite grump for the Grumpiest Neighbor competition, and enjoy activities for all ages!

### KidFest Back-to-School Backpack Giveaway (August 5th)

12:00 PM – 1:00 PM | 230 E. Marydale Ave., Soldotna and 805 Frontage Rd., Kenai.

Start the school year with a free backpack and school supplies at this drive-thru giveaway, open to the public while supplies last. Pickup locations are located in both Soldotna and Kenai. Please remain in your vehicle; backpacks will be distributed on a first-come, first-served basis.

### Industry Appreciation Day (August 22nd)

12pm-4pm | Kenai Park Strip

Bring the whole family for a free day of community fun while celebrating the industries that help keep the Kenai Peninsula strong. Meet local businesses, explore hands-on activities, enjoy family-friendly entertainment, and learn about the people who work in healthcare, commercial fishing, tourism, and the oil and gas industry.