MARCH EVENTS

NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS: FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP— NAMI FAMILY SUPPORT GROUPS ARE FREE, CONFIDENTIAL, AND SAFE GATHERINGS WHERE FAMILIES SUPPORTING LOVED ONES WITH MENTAL HEALTH CHALLENGES CAN SHARE EXPERIENCES, GAIN WISDOM, AND FIND HOPE TOGETHER. JOIN A CARING COMMUNITY AT CENTRAL PENINSULA HOSPITAL, BOREALIS ROOM (NEXT TO THE CAFETERIA), ON MARCH 1ST FROM 9:00—10:30 AM.

CHILI COOK OFF- THIS IS A 21+ EVENT WITH A CASH BAR. \$10 TO ATTEND AND JUDGE, \$20 TO ENTER THE COOK-OFF. TO ENTER THE COOK-OFF, RESERVE A TABLE, OR DONATE AUCTION ITEMS, PLEASE EMAIL RACHEL HALDERMAN AT ADMINIMIKRBBEARS.COM. HELD AT THE SOLDOTNA SPORTS CENTER MARCH 1ST FROM 5PM TO 8PM.

TRIVIA NIGHT * OUTPOST PIZZA- JOIN US FOR A FUN, FAMILY-FRIENDLY TRIVIA NIGHT AT THE GOODS! WITH QUESTIONS ON POP CULTURE, LITERATURE, ALASKAN, MUSIC, HISTORY, AND MORE, IT'S SURE TO BE A GREAT TIME. TEAMS OF 4 ARE \$5, AND TEAMS OF 5 ARE \$10.9 ROUNDS OF 10 QUESTIONS, WITH THE WINNING TEAM TAKING THE POT. MARCH 5TH, 6-8 PM!

INFUSION: CALL FOR ART+ BEER LAUNCH- JOIN US FOR THE 2025 INFUSION BEER LAUNCH EXHIBITION AND FUNDRAISER AT THE KENAI ART CENTER! ENJOY ORIGINAL ARTWORK FROM LOCAL ARTISTS, WITH LIVE MUSIC BY TUNEWEAVERS. THE FIRST FRIDAY OPENING RECEPTION IS ON MARCH 7TH AT 5 PM. THIS FREE EVENT IS OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, SO COME OUT AND CELEBRATE ART, COMMUNITY, AND A GREAT CAUSE!

CENTRAL PENINSULA GARDEN CLUB MARCH ROUND TABLE PROGRAM— JOIN THE CENTRAL PENINSULA GARDEN CLUB'S ROUND TABLE EVENT FOR AN AFTERNOON OF INTERACTIVE Q&A SESSIONS WITH LOCAL GARDENING EXPERTS, NETWORKING, AND A CHANCE TO WIN DOOR PRIZES. WHETHER YOU'RE A SEASONED GARDENER OR JUST STARTING OUT, THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN AND CONNECT WITH THE GARDENING COMMUNITY. VISIT CENPENGARDENCLUB.ORG/EVENTS FOR DETAILS. MARCH 15TH, 12:00—2:30 PM.

ADAPTIVE SKATE- SOLDOTNA PARKS & REC HAS PARTNERED WITH SPECIAL OLYMPICS ALASKA TO BRING YOU OUR FIRST ADAPTIVE SKATE! WE'RE EXCITED TO WELCOME COMMUNITY MEMBERS WITH DISABILITIES AND THEIR FAMILIES ONTO THE ICE WITH ISI-CERTIFIED FIGURE SKATING INSTRUCTORS, SKATE SLEDS, PUSHERS, ICE SKATES, AND LIGHT REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE. HELMETS ARE STRONGLY ENCOURAGED FOR ANYONE SKATING, THOUGH NOT REQUIRED. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, CALL US AT 907-262-3151. JOIN US ON MARCH 22 FROM 3:15 — 5:15 PM AT 538 ARENA AVE, SOLDOTNA, AK 99669 FOR THIS INCLUSIVE AND FUN EVENT!

PROPHETIC ART EVENING-BRING YOUR OWN ART MATERIALS AND ENJOY A PEACEFUL PAINTING SESSION SET TO WORSHIP MUSIC, LETTING THE LORD GUIDE YOUR CREATIVITY. HOSTED AT ARTZY JUNKIN, THIS EVENT IS \$10 PER PERSON. RESERVE YOUR SPOT BY TEXTING 907-398-9162. JOIN US ON MARCH 21 AT 6 PM!

SWEENY'S ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE-JOIN US FOR SWEENEY'S ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE IN SOLDOTNA ON MONDAY, MARCH 17TH, 2025! WEAR YOUR BEST GREEN AND GET READY FOR A FESTIVE CELEBRATION. LINE-UP BEGINS AT 4:00 PM ON PARK AVENUE, ALONG PARKER PARK—NO SIGN-UP NEEDED, JUST SHOW UP! THE PARADE WILL START AT 4:30 PM, TRAVELING DOWN FIREWEED STREET, E. REDOUBT AVENUE, AND ENDING AT SWEENEY'S ALLEY.

ONGOING MONTHLY EVENTS

COMMUNITY VOLLEYBALL (CO-ED): COMMUNITY ALL-LEVEL/CO-ED VOLLEYBALL FOR AGES 14 AND UP! FREE FOR SCC MEMBERS, 5 DOLLARS FOR ADULTS, 3 DOLLARS FOR AGES UNDER 18. 6PM-8PM AT THE STERLING COMMUNITY CENTER. TUESDAYS FROM 6:00PM-8:00PM.

TACO TUESDAY: JOIN US AT HOPE COMMUNITY RESOURCES EVERY TUESDAY FOR DELICIOUS TACOS, NOW AT EVEN MORE ACCESSIBLE PRICES! TACOS ARE \$2 EACH (A LA CARTE), AND RICE AND BEANS ARE JUST \$2. CUSTOMIZE YOUR MEAL WITH ALL THE FIXINGS AND CHOOSE BETWEEN HARD OR SOFT SHELLS. 11:30AM- 12:20PM

CHAIR EXTERCISES WITH CAROL: JOIN CAROL FOR FREE CHAIR EXERCISES AT HOPE COMMUNITY RESOURCES, A FUN AND ACCESSIBLE WAY TO STAY ACTIVE IN A SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT. MONDAYS, 1:00—2:00 PM.

BINGO THURSDAYS: GET READY TO SHOUT "BINGO!" AT HOPE COMMUNITY RESOURCES EVERY THURSDAY FROM 1—2 PM. THIS FREE EVENT IS A FUN WAY TO CONNECT WITH OTHERS, AND WINNERS WILL TAKE HOME SOME GREAT PRIZES, INCLUDING HOPE SWAG! THURSDAYS 1PM-2PM

GYM COURT WALKING + CIRCUIT STYLE WORKOUT: GET MOVING AT THE KENAI REC CENTER WITH PERIMETER GYM COURT WALKING + CIRCUIT-STYLE WORKOUT STATIONS! WALK AT YOUR OWN PACE, TACKLE WORKOUT STATIONS WITH MODIFICATIONS FOR ALL LEVELS, AND ENJOY A FUN, FLEXIBLE WORKOUT. ONLY \$5 INCLUDES FULL GYM ACCESS FOR THE DAY. JOIN US EVERY TUESDAY FROM 9:30 TO 10:30 AM.

<u>PING PONG-</u> JOIN US FOR OPEN PING PONG AT THE SOLDOTNA SPORTS COMPLEX CONFERENCE ROOMS! ENJOY SOME FUN ON CHILLY WINTER NIGHTS — BRING YOUR OWN PADDLE IF YOU HAVE ONE. \$2 PER PERSON. MONDAYS & WEDNESDAYS, 6:00–8:00 PM

HISTORICAL FENCING: JOIN US FOR HISTORICAL FENCING AT THE SOLDOTNA SPORTS COMPLEX! IN PARTNERSHIP WITH OUR LOCAL FENCING COMMUNITY, THESE DROP-IN LESSONS COVER TERMINOLOGY, FOOTWORK, COSTUMING, AND DRILLS—NO PRE-REGISTRATION NEEDED. OPEN TO AGES 12+. \$3 PER PERSON. WEDNESDAYS, 4:00-6:30 PM. CALL OUR OFFICE WITH QUESTIONS!

<u>PICKLEBALL:</u> JOIN US FOR PICKLEBALL NIGHTS AT THE KENAI RECREATION CENTER! ALL SKILL LEVELS ARE WELCOME, AND OUR THREE COURTS ARE OPEN FOR PLAY. DON'T HAVE GEAR? NO PROBLEM—WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED. \$5 PER PERSON. MONDAYS, 6:30—9:30 PM, THROUGH THE END OF MARCH.

RESIN ART SERIES: JOIN US FOR A 4-WEEK RESIN ART SERIES AT THE SOLDOTNA LIBRARY, HELD ON WEDNESDAYS FROM 1:00 — 2:30 PM, STARTING MARCH 5TH AT 235 N. BINKLEY STREET. LEARN RESIN POURING TECHNIQUES FROM DAYNE WARD OF DW LASER WORKS TO CREATE STUNNING FAUX STAINED GLASS ART, AND SHOWCASE YOUR WORK AT THE RESIN ART SHOW ON APRIL 2ND. ALL SUPPLIES PROVIDED! AGES 50+. REGISTER ONLINE OR CALL 907-262-4227—SPACE IS LIMITED!

MARCH 2025



COMMUNITY HAPPENINGS CALENDAR



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NUMBERS YOU MAY NEED

KENAI COMMUNITY PUBLIC LIBRARY: 907-283-4378 SOLDOTNA PUBLIC LIBRARY: 907-262-4227 SOLDOTNA REGIONAL SPORTS COMPLEX: 907-262-3151 NIKISKI RECREATION CENTER & POOL: 907-776-8800 KENAI NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE: 907-260-2820

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 MADLYKRAFTY'S CARD MAKING GATHERING 10767 KENAI SPUR HWY 4PM-6PM (\$15) CHILI COOK OFF SOLDOTNA SPORT CENTER 5PM-8PM WOW LUAU FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES 3525 3PM-8PM (50\$) NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS - FAMILY SUPPORT GROUP CPH 9:00AM-10:30AM
OIL PAINTING WITH NITA YOUNG 37775 MACKEY LAKE RD. 2PM (\$55)	3	4 POSTPARTUM SUPPORT GROUP CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH 9:30AM-10:45AM AUTHOR TALK &BOOK SIGNING SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 6:00PM-7:30PM	5 FROZEN FOSSILS POP-UP EVENT THE GOODS 12PM-5PM (\$5) TRIVIA NIGHT + OUTPOST PIZZA THE GOODS 6PM-8PM (\$5-\$10)	6 OPEN MIC NIGHT THE GOODS 6PM-8PM	FREE OPEN FAMILY SKATE 9775 KENAI SPUR HWY 1PM-3PM INFUSION: CALL FOR ART+ BEER LAUNCH 816 COOK DRIVE KENAI 5PM-7PM DEREK POPPIN LIVE THE GOODS 6PM-8PM	8 MURDER MYSTERY: MARDI GRAS DINNER SOLDOTNA SENIOR CENTER 8PM (\$25)
9	10 LIVE ACTION MARIO PARTY SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 12PM-4PM MARIO CRAFT KENAI LIBARARY COMMUNITY WRITING CENTER SESSION SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 3:30PM-4:30PM	11	12 OUTPOST PIZZA POP UP THE GOODS 4PM-8PM	13 CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP 156 COLLEGE RD. 3:00PM- 4:30PM MAKE A CAT SCRATCHER KENAL LIBRARY 3PM LIVE ACTION MARIO PARTY SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 4PM-7:30PM	14 DEREK POPPIN LIVE THE GOODS 6PM-8PM HOT MESS THE BACKDOOR LOUNGE 9PM	15 LIVE ACTION MARIO PARTY SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 10AM-5PM CENTRAL PENINSULA GARDEN CLUB MARCH ROUND TABLE PROGRAM 156 COLLEGE RD. 12:00AM-2:30PM HOT MESS 4 ROYLE PARKERS BAR 10PM
16	17 HOT MESS-ST. PATRICK DAY PARTY THE DUCK INN BAR 6PM SWEENY'S ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE PARK AVENUE, ALONG PARKER PARK, SOLDOTNA, AK 4:30PM-5:30PM	18 BLIND DATE WITH A BOOK 35222 KENAI SPUR HWY 10AM-6PM UPCYCLE TIE DYE WITH JEN THE GOODS 5PM	19 OUTPOST PIZZA POP UP THE GOODS 4PM-8PM	CREATIVE WRITING WORKSHOP 156 COLLEGE RD. SOLDOTNA 3:00PM-4:30PM OPEN MIC NIGHT WITH KENAI COLLABORATIVE THE GOODS 6PM-8PM	21 ALL ABILITIES CLUB SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 2PM-3PM PROPHETIC ART EVENING 37775 MACKEY LAKE RD. 6PM (\$10) DEREK POPPIN LIVE THE GOODS 6PM-8PM	ADAPTIVE SKATE 538 ARENA AVE SOLDOTNA 3:15PM-5:15PM
23 WATERCOLOR WITH MELINDA 37775 MACKEY LAKE RD. 2PM (\$45)	24 COMMUNITY WRITING CENTER SESSION SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 3:30PM-4:30PM 31 COZY CRAFTERS: WATERCOLOR LUMINARIES SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 1PM-3PM	25	26 DISABILITY PRIDE PLANNING MEETING 47255 PRINCETON AVE #8, SOLDOTNA 3PM-4PM OUTPOST PIZZA POP UP THE GOODS 4PM-8PM	27 SEW FUN: ROLL UP BAG SOLDOTNA LIBRARY 4:00PM-5:30PM LECTURE: ALASKAN HISTORY KENAI LIBRARY 5:30PM-6:30PM HEALTHY LIFESTYLES COURSE THE GOODS 6:00PM-7:30PM	DEREK POPPIN LIVE THE GOODS 6PM-8PM FREE FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT GHOSTBUSTERS: FROZEN EMPIRE SOLDOTNA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE 6PM	29