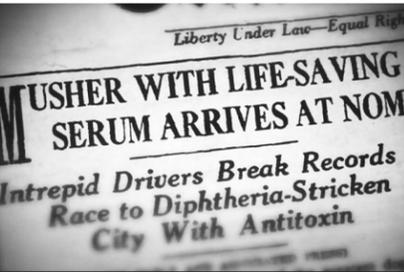


Iditarod Events Calendar 2026

March 2026 • Nome, Alaska • There's No Place Like Nome!

SUNDAY, MARCH 8	MONDAY, MARCH 9	TUESDAY, MARCH 10	WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11	THURSDAY, MARCH 12	FRIDAY, MARCH 13	SATURDAY, MARCH 14
<p>9a-2p Iditassage</p> <p>Facility Info Nome Convention & Visitors Bureau 301 Front Street • 907-443-6555 Mar9-15: 9a-5p • Mar16-22: 9a-7p + for first musher</p> <p>Iditarod Headquarters Mini Convention Center, 409 River Street 907-443-MUSH (6874) • 8a-8p + when a musher is close to finishing</p> <p>Richard Foster Building 100 W. 7th Ave (north end of Steadman Ave.)</p> <p>Carrie M. McLain Memorial Museum 907-443-6630 • Mon-Sat 11a-5p</p> <p>Kegoayah Kozga Public Library 907-443-6628 • Mon-Thur 12-7p; Fri-Sat 12-6p</p> <p>Katirvik Cultural Center 907-443-4342 • Mon-Fri 10a-3p</p> <p>National Park Service Bering Land Bridge Heritage Center, Sitnasuak Building, 214 Front Street 907-434-2263 • Mar16-20: 10a-5p</p> <p>Nome Recreation Center 208 E. 6th Ave • 443-6645 • Weight room, showers & sauna only. No bowling or classes Mar15: 10a-10p • Mar16-20: 5:30a-10p Mar21: 10a-6p • Mar22 closed</p>	<p>4-5p United Methodist Women's Thrift Shop 5p Billy Trigg Iditarod Billiard Classic 7p Iditarod Poker Tournament</p> 	<p>5p Billy Trigg Iditarod Billiard Classic 7p Iditarod Poker Tournament 7-8:30p United Methodist Women's Thrift Shop</p> 	<p>5p Billy Trigg Iditarod Billiard Classic 7p AA Meeting 7p Iditarod Poker Tournament</p> 	<p>9a-2p Iditassage 2p Gold Rush History Tour (Walking) 5p Billy Trigg Iditarod Billiard Classic 7p Iditarod Poker Tournament (final table) 7-8:30p United Methodist Women's Thrift Shop</p> 	<p>9a Gold Rush History Tour (Sunrise/Driving) 9a-2p Iditassage 2p Gold Rush History Tour (Walking) 5p Billy Trigg Iditarod Billiard Classic 5-7p Arctiq Horizon Snowmobile Excursions 7p AA Meeting 7p Spring Square Dance 7p Iditarod Open (Dart Tournament)</p> <p>TO BE ANNOUNCED: 🐾 Iditarod Movie Hours 🐾 Waiting for the Winner</p>	<p>Safety Roadhouse Opens 9a Gold Rush History Tour (Sunrise/Driving) 9a-5p Iditassage 12p Nome-Golovin 200 Snowmachine Race 1p Iditarod Open (Dart Tournament) 1-4p Snow Sculpting Competition 2p Gold Rush History Tour (Walking) 4p Snow Sculpting Competition - vote for fave 5p Arctiq Horizon Snowmobile Excursions 5-7:30p Spaghetti Dinner & Dessert Auction 7p Iditarod Open (Dart Tournament) 7p Live Music: Emily Love, Landbridge Tollbooth 7p Nome-Golovin 200 Awards Banquet</p>
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Events

AA Meeting Nazarene Church, 7p Wednesdays and Fridays. Natasha 907-310-9347

Annual VFW Chili Contest & Dessert Auction VFW Mar20 6p. Dessert donations appreciated. We take our chili seriously and so should you! Judges blind taste test every chili, vote for top 3. Guests vote for coveted People’s Choice Award. A flaming hot time! Cash only. Peggy 907-434-2050

Arctiq Horizon Snowmobile Excursions Mar13-21 5-7p. Experience Iditarod trail, crabbing, sightseeing, or Safety Roadhouse by snowmachine. Call, text or visit www.tinyurl.com/ArctiqHorizon to book. David or Pierce 907-434-2427 or 907-230-8921

Arts & Crafts Fair OSJ Mar16-20 10a-6p; Mar21 10-4p. 24th annual arts & crafts bazaar. Cheryl 907-304-1669

Billy Trigg Iditarod Billiard Classic – 5th Annual BOT Mar9-13 5-6:30p signup each night. Mar9: 8-ball singles. Mar10: 8-ball doubles. Mar11: 9-ball singles. Mar12: 8-ball blind draw Dutch doubles. Mar13: Broomstick 9ball. Sign-up fee \$25 per person per tournament. Purse \$300 + all entry fees + trophy. Hosted by Nome Pool League. Dom 907-434-0280

Bob Beardsley Memorial Mini-Mukluk Marathon NRC Mar15 1:30p registration, 2p marathon starts. \$20 entry fee. Nome Rotary Club’s 43rd annual ~5K fun run/walk to Swanberg Dredge and back. All welcome. Pets must be leashed. Free T-shirt for human finishers. Lew 907-443-5549

BSLC Eliot Staples Ice Golf Classic Breakers Bar Mar 21. First tee time 11a, then every 15 minutes until 4p. \$50 per person includes hat, t-shirt, golf ball, button, certificate. Four people/team. Awards at Breakers Bar 6p. 41st annual. Great Alaskan Bowl Co. trophies for top 3. Text Lion Pam at 907-434-1357

BOT Corn Hole Tournament BOT Mar16 7p. BOT 907-443-2611

Buffalo Tundra Riders BOT Mar17 & 19 8p-12a. Live music. Ian 907-434-0455

CAMP Health Screenings NRC Mar17-20 9-11a. Walk-in fasting blood pressure, blood sugar & cholesterol screenings. Must fast for 12 hours before, drink plenty of water and take all medications. Ages 18 & up. CAMP 907-443-3365

CAMP NSHC Injury Prevention & Tobacco Cessation NRC Mar16-20 9a-4p. Helmets, ice cleats, gloves, reflective gear, safety information. Nicotine Replacement Therapy available for those wanting to quit smoking/vaping. CAMP 907-443-3365

Costume Kickball Mar15, times TBA. Bring a costume or borrow from us. See ANB Facebook page for time, place, etc. Weather permitting. ANB 907-443-2666

Dog Sled Rides & Kennel Tours Mar16-18 & 20-21 12p & 2p. Learn to mush! Visit a kennel of racing Alaskan huskies and experience the magic of Nome by dog sled. Reservations required. Located 6 miles from town. Transportation available. Visit www.dejavusleddogs.com for availability or text Sarah 907-202-6424

Film – Uiksaringitara (Wrong Husband) KCC/RFB Mar17 1-3p. Kaujak and Sapa are separated despite being promised to each other at birth. With help of spirit guides, efforts are made to restore harmony in this Arctic fairy tale set in an Inuit community. Ataasiaq 907-443-4342

Free Haircuts NRC bowling alley Mar16-18 1-5p. Sponsored by Alaska Missions. Brenda 907-351-5654

Gold Rush History Tours Most days Mar12-23. Running Fox Tour Co. is offering 3-hour Sunrise + History Driving Tour (minimum 2, max 4) and 2-hour Historical Walking Tour (minimum 3, max 15). Sunrise tours start 8:30/9a. Walking tours begin at Old St. Joe’s at 2p. See calendar page of this document for dates. Must book in advance. Get all the details at runningfoxtourco.com! Carol Hobbs 907-434-2210

Hannigan’s Feckin’ Bash – 4th Annual BOT Mar21 9p. Live music. BOT 907-443-2611

Iditarod Awards Banquet NRC Mar22 5p, doors open 4p. Tickets available at MCC 8a-7p Mar16-20 and 8a-5p Mar21. 907-443-MUSH (6874)

Iditarod Fine Art Show OSJ Mar17-20 10a-6p. Mar21 10a-4p. Drop off entries Mar16 10a-4p. \$10 entry fee per item; under age 18 entry fee \$5. Awards reception Mar20 5-6p. 25th annual Nome Arts Council event. Angela 907-466-8448

Iditarod Frisbee Golf Tournament ANB Mar21 1:30p shotgun start. Sign up at ANB all week. Teams of three (age 21+ only), \$75 fee/team. Space limited. More details at sign up and ANB Facebook page. ANB membership not required. ANB 907-443-2666

Iditarod Kids Club Nome Covenant Church Mar16-18 2-4p. Games, Bible stories, snacks for grades K-4. Free. Host: Alaska Missions. Brenda 907-351-5654

Iditarod Movie Hours MCC Mar16-20. Schedule TBA and will be posted at MCC. Several 2007-2025 Iditarod race documentaries shown daily on big-screen TVs at the Mini. 907-443-MUSH (6874)

Iditarod Open (Dart Tournament) ANB. Mar13: 7p Draw doubles 501. Mar14: 1p open cricket singles; 1:45p women’s cricket singles; 7p open doubles 301. Mar15: 1p open 301 singles; 1:45p women’s cricket singles; 7p draw doubles cricket. Each event \$20 per darter. Must be ANB member (\$20 fee). Register 15-60min before each event. nomedarts68@gmail.com

Iditarod Open Mic Night NES Mar19 7p. \$5 cover or perform. Nome Arts Council event. Music, poetry, comedy, dance. Sign up at door. Recorded accompaniment slots limited, no headphones. Richard 413-252-9853.

Iditarod Poker Tournament ANB Mar9-12. Sign up by 7p each night. Nightly winners compete in final table Mar12. Must be current ANB member to participate (\$20 fee). ANB 907-443-2666

Iditassage Terry’s Therapeutic Massage for Humans & Pets Mar1-31 Thursdays thru Sundays 9a-2p. By appointment only. Book online at www.terrystherapeuticmassage.abmp.com

Inupiaq Story Hour KCC/RFB Mar19 11a. An hour of immersive Inupiaq songs, games, stories aimed at our littlest mushers ages birth-6yrs old. Ataasiaq 907-443-4342

Karaoke Contest ANB Mar18 sign up before 9p. Rock the crowd and earn bragging rights for a year! Cash prizes. Must be ANB member (\$20 annual) or with a member to buy drinks. ANB 907-443-2666

King Crab Bloody Marys ANB Mar16 6p. Have a Bloody Mary with Norton Sound-caught king crab—in an Iditarod pint glass to keep. Must be ANB member (\$20 annual) or with a member to buy drinks. ANB 907-443-2666

Landbridge Tollbooth – Live Music ANB Mar21 7p. Cap off Iditarod week with lively local old-time tunes and your last chance to bust out dancing shoes. DJ Dave starts by 10p to keep party rolling. Must be ANB member (\$20 annual) or with a member to buy drinks. ANB 907-443-2666

Learn Inupiaq Language NWC Education Center Mar19 3:30p. Learn basic Inupiaq words and phrases from Nome residents Meghan Sigvanna Tapqaq and Annie Conger. Introduction of the Inupiaq alphabet and common Inupiaq phrases in an informal workshop environment. NWC 907-443-2201

Live Music: Emily Love, Landbridge Tollbooth VFW Mar14 7p. Emily Love from Juneau plays original country and some covers, followed by local old-time stringband. No cover; bring cash for dinner, drinks, and to tip the bands. Matt 512-431-2278

Lonnie O’Connor Iditarod Basketball Classic NRC Mar15-20 9a-9p & Mar21 9a-5p. Schedules at NRC starting Mar15; see Facebook for schedule, updates

The Loose Dogs at ANB ANB Mar17 8p. Celebrate St. Patrick’s day while The Loose Dogs get their jam on. \$10 cover. Must be ANB member (\$20 annual) or with a member to buy drinks. ANB 907-443-2666

The Loose Dogs at BOT BOT Mar18 & 20 7:30p. Providing go-to bar music with flavors from the past 50 years, sure to fill the dance floor. BOT 907-443-2611

Make Your Own Bikini Contest ANB Mar19, sign up by 9p. Live auction while contestants get ready. Bikinis must be homemade. This event open to the public. \$10 cover. ANB 907-443-2666

Matanuska Beer Tasting ANB Mar18 6p. Check out beers on tap. Buy a Matanuska beer for a chance to win great prizes! Must be current ANB member to participate (\$20 fee). ANB 907-443-2666

Meet the Mushers MCC Mar21 2p. Mushers sign autographs and meet the public. Bring your own markers/pens. 907-443-MUSH (6874)

Museum Film, Talks, Tours CMM/RFB Mar16-20. Visit Carrie M. McLain Memorial Museum for free daily 11:30a tour, 2p film or talk. Museum 907-443-6630

Museum Film – Icebound: The Greatest Dog Story Ever Told Mar19 2p. Film documenting events of 1925, when dogs and mushers delivered diphtheria antitoxin following outbreak in Nome.

Museum Talk – Bering Strait Odyssey Mar22 11a. Adventurer Troy Henkels describes a winter attempt to walk across the Bering Strait from Alaska to Russia.

Museum Talk – The Discovery Saloon: A Link to Nome’s Gold Rush Past Mar16 2p. Trace Nome history as Carol Gales tells story of 1899 Discovery Saloon building, Nome’s oldest surviving gold rush structure, with photos, documents, clippings.

Museum Talk – Salmon Canneries and Fishing in Bristol Bay Mar18 2p. Mary Nelson Dinon, author of *The Winter Watchman’s Daughter: Memoirs of Life on the Nushagak*, describes early salmon canneries and commercial fishing in Bristol Bay with slideshow.

Museum Talk – Quarantine! 1918 Spanish Flu & 1925 Diphtheria in Nome Mar17 2p. Two health crises slammed remote Nome within six years. Carol Gales discusses the outbreaks and responses with historic photos, documents and news clippings.

Museum Talk – Tales from the Trail Mar20 2p. Iditarod veteran and Nome native Aaron Burmeister and friends share stories of dog mushing adventures.

Museum Tour Mar16-20 11:30a. Join staff on a guided tour of the galleries.

Nome-Golovin 200 Snowmachine Race Mar14 12noon race start across from Swanberg Dredge. Nome to Golovin and back, weather permitting. Racers register online Mar1-10 (see BSLC Facebook page). Awards & raffle drawing BOT Mar14 7p. Sponsored by Bering Sea Lions Club. Jessica 907-304-2668

NPS Snowshoe Hike NPS Mar16 & 20 3p. Free. Hike on the tundra! Snowshoes provided. Transport courtesy NSHC CAMP. Youth under 16 must have adult. Sign up at bela_information@nps.gov, or stop by NPS starting Mar13. Katie 907-434-2263

NPS Films, Talks, Workshop NPS Mar 16-20. Come to the newly renovated Bering Land Bridge Heritage Center for 10a film, 1p talk or workshop, 3p talk, workshop or hike. Free! Coffee & refreshments. NPS 907-434-2263 • facebook.com/BeringLandNPS

NPS Film – Bering Family Reunion Mar20 10a. Follow Etta Tall across the Bering Strait to reunite with relatives after decades of Cold War separation (90min)

NPS Film – Healing Across the Waters & Sanctuary for the Future Mar17 10a. Short films explore healing, partnership between NPS and Hoonah Indian Association in Glacier Bay, and creation of Xunaa Shuká Hit (Huna Ancestors House) by Lingit craftsmen (50min)

NPS Film – K’etniyi: The Land Is Speaking To Us Mar18 10a. Indigenous elders and scientists share the land’s wisdom in Lake Clark National Park (60min)

NPS Film – Siulipta Paitaat, Our Ancestor’s Heritage Mar16 10a. Explore the cultural and geographic history of Bering Land Bridge through time, featuring Gideon K. Barr and Bessie Barr Cross (30min)

NPS Film – Traditional Qayaq Build & What Are We Gonna Do If We Don’t Live Off The Land Mar19 10a. Two shorts highlight traditional Supgiaq qayaq building near Kenai Fjords National Park and explore what subsistence living means (40min)

NPS Talk – Archaeology in Bering Land Bridge: Past Research and Future Directions Mar19 1p. Archaeologist Justin Junge shares an overview of research throughout time. Learn what the archaeological record reveals and how NPS partners with local communities to shape future studies.

NPS Talk – Geese, Beavers, and Mammoths: What Sediment Cores Reveal about Ancient Beringian Landscapes Mar18 1p. Dr. Beth Caissie (USGS) shares sediment core research and new insights into what ecosystems on the land bridge may have looked like.

NPS Talk – Muskox on the Seward Peninsula Mar17 1p. Wildlife biologist Letty Hughes discusses the iconic Ice Age animal that still roams this area.

NPS Talk – “The Old Nome Spirit”: A History of Nome’s Battle with the Sea Mar18 3p. With historic photos and clippings, Carol Gales reviews severe storms that have hit Nome since 1900.

NPS Talk – Virtual Tour of Bering Land Bridge Mar16 & 20 1p. Explore diverse landscapes and rich history of Bering Land Bridge National Preserve from the comfort of the Heritage Center with Ranger Katie.

NPS Workshop – Paint Your Team with Ranger Ava Mar17 & 19 3p. Design your own sled dog inspired by Arctic landscapes and wildlife. Add it to our Heritage Center display or take it home.

Our Savior’s Lutheran Church Soup Supper Lutheran Church (507 Bering St.) Mar16 5-7p. \$25 for up to three bowls of soup, dinner roll, and a dessert. Pastor Amanda Snyder 907-434-1617

Patriots Party VFW Mar18 8p. Nothing more patriotic than ridiculously silly games to claim your title as champion! Beverages, camaraderie, no-cost laughs. Ages 21 plus. Cash only. Peggy 907-443-9569

Poorboy Hide & Fur Drawing 229 W. Front St. (next to Golden China) Mar15-21 9a-6p. Daily drawing at Nome’s premier garment manufacturer and retail fur seller. One entry/person/day. Bonus \$200 gift certificate drawing for item purchasers. Lora 907-304-0350

Reindeer Dog Grill Out Outside the Visitors Center Mar18 11a until sold out. Enjoy an Arctic grilled reindeer dog with fixings, soda or water, and bag of chips for \$15. Fundraiser for Nome Rotary Club local projects. Lew 907-443-5549

Reindeer in the Circumpolar North NWC Nagozruk Conference Room Mar16 10-11:30a. Learn about reindeer husbandry with Dr. Jackie Hrabok and the Indigenous herding communities around the circumpolar north via a photographic PowerPoint presentation. Free. nwc.info@alaska.edu

Safety Roadhouse Last checkpoint, 21 miles from Nome. Open Mar14 till last musher comes through. Perfect viewing for Nome-Golovin Race and hot bowl of chili. Daily menu includes reindeer dogs & burgers with your favorite drink. Julie 907-720-3006

Safety Roadhouse Live Music Mar17 1p. Live music at final checkpoint! Nome’s Arlo Hannigan performs country, folk, Irish, originals. Arlo 907-434-1119

Safety Roadhouse Side-by-Side Tours Mar16-22, weather permitting. Call/text for pricing and to arrange time/pickup. Ride in enclosed track vehicle to last Iditarod checkpoint. Minimum 2, space for 4. Travel ~40min mostly along Iditarod trail, 30min-1hr stop at Safety Roadhouse. Gary 907-434-6080

Saint Patrick’s Day Parade Mar17 5:30p. Parade participants meet at Golden Goose lot (Front Street across from Subway) by 5:30p. Robert 907-434-1016

Scooter McGavain and the Shrimp Shack Shooters BOT Mar22 7:30p. Live music. BOT 907-443-2611

Seals, Sea Lions & Walruses NWC Nagozruk Conference Room Mar19 1p. Marine biologist Gay Sheffield shares overview of the seals, sea lions, and walruses found in the Bering Strait region, including their natural history and regional issues that may affect them in the future. nwc.info@alaska.edu

Sled Dog Story Hour KKPL/RFB Mar17 10:30a-12noon. Sled dog stories and a sled dog craft (ages 3-7). Janet 907-443-6628

Slow Roasted Pulled Pork Sammies VFW Mar18 6p. Mouthwatering pulled pork sandwiches served with coleslaw. Yum! Cash only. Peggy 907-443-9569

Snow Sculpting Competition Anvil City Square Mar14, 1-4p. Eight teams of 4 people have 3 hours to sculpt 4-foot blocks of snow into masterpieces. Entry fee \$25/team. Cash prizes for top 3 teams \$100/\$75/\$50. Vote for your favorite at 4p. Nome Arts Council event. Info/sign up: text/call Jen 907-240-1257

Spaghetti Dinner and Dessert Auction Fundraiser XYZ Mar14 5-7:30p or when sold out. Support XYZ Senior Center/Nome Community Center while enjoying a delicious, hot meal and dessert! To pre-order, call at least one day before to reserve a meal. NCC 907-443-5259

Spring Square Dance NES Mar13 7p. Free! Family friendly. Lively tunes from Nome old-time stringband Landbridge Tollbooth. All dances taught by caller Spencer Douthit; no experience needed! Come listen, watch, dance-if-you-wanna. Matt 512-431-2278

Key to Venues

ANB	Arctic Native Brotherhood Club
BSLC	Bering Sea Lions Club
CMM	Carrie M. McLain Memorial Museum
KCC	Katirvik Cultural Center
KKPL	Ketgoayah Kozga Public Library
MCC	Mini Convention Center
NES	Nome Elementary School
NPS	National Park Service
NRC	Nome Recreation Center
NWC	Northwest Campus
OSJ	Old St. Joe’s
RFB	Richard Foster Building
VFW	Veterans of Foreign Wars Club
XYZ	Senior Citizen Center

United Methodist Women’s Thrift Shop 507 W. 3rd Ave. Every Monday 4-5p; Tuesdays & Thursdays 7-8:30p. Cash only. Come find the clothing you wished you’d packed for Nome! Mary 907-434-1373

VFW & Auxiliary Membership Drive & Nome Youth Peace Corps Fundraiser VFW Mar19 6-9p. Ribs, mashed potatoes & a brownie. Cash only. Peggy 907-443-9569

Victory Feast & Red Lantern Margaritas VFW Mar21 6p till gone. Prime rib sandwiches with macaroni salad. Eat, drink and mush on! Cash only. Peggy 907-443-9569

Waiting for the Winner Nome Covenant Church. Open when first musher leaves Safety. Warm place to wait; free coffee, cocoa, snacks. Carlee 907-304-1248

Wet Buns (Men’s) Contest Polar Bar Mar21 10p signup, event starts 12midnight. \$20 admission. Snacks available for purchase. Larry 907-434-6064

Wet T-Shirt (Women’s) Contest Polar Bar Mar20 10p signup, event starts 12midnight. \$20 admission. Snacks available for purchase. Larry 907-434-6064

Women’s Bible Study Training XYZ Mar16 & 17 6-9p. Alaska Missions event. Brenda 907-351-5654

The Year of the Muskox NWC Education Center Mar18 1:30p. Biology professor Claudia Ihl presents findings from her research into the social life and courtship behaviors of muskox. Potential field trip to see muskoxen, depending on location of herd and weather. NWC 907-443-2201 or nwc.info@alaska.edu

Yeehaw! Husky Hoedown ANB Mar 20 7p. Boot scootin’ til the sun comes up or bartenders call it a night! DJ Dave continues dance party 10p. Must be ANB member (\$20 annual) or with a member to buy drinks. ANB 907-443-2666

Youth Fundraising Concessions at MCC Mar17 8a-8p Nome ski team. Mar 18 8a-8p 7th grade class trip. Mar19 TBA. Mar20 8a-8p Girl Scouts. Mar21 8a-5p Checkpoint Youth Center. Meals, snacks, and home-baked goods for sale at Iditarod Headquarters. Come on down and show your support!

Youth Snowmachine Race Small boat harbor Mar22 12noon. Ages 4-12. Must be with parent/legal guardian and have winter gear, helmet, goggles, snowmachine (200cc max). No entry fee. Check BSLC Facebook page for online registration.