Acaska Runner's Cacendar



2015



5k run, open to all ages. Timed and untimed events. At the UAF Experimental Farms.

Also, potato sack race for kids Food, drinks, lawn games, farm animals.

Sat, 9/26/15

Check www.friendsofthefarm.org
For race times, registration and updates.

Registration fee includes free drinks, tshirt and lunch.

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BACKCOUNTRY PEDIATRICS The running community is extremely proud to have selected this outstanding candidate for the cover of the 2015 Alaska Runner's Calendar. (Photo courtesy of Anchorage Running Club)

Flip and Patti Foldager

Hiking along a trail on the Kenai Peninsula, in the Anchorage Bowl or somewhere in the Mat-Su Valley, it would not be unheard of to suddenly be passed by Flip and Patti Foldager out for one of their trail runs. For more than 35 years, the Foldagers have been an inspirational and active force within Alaska's running community – in particular, mountain running. Not only are they highly accomplished athletes but they have given much of their time to create, support and promote numerous running events and activities.

When referring to the Foldagers enduring athletes, it becomes clear when you look at the events they have participated in. Flip has competed in Mount Marathon 35 times; Patti only 32 (but she did win it twice and took second five times). Basically, if there is a trail run somewhere between Homer and Talkeetna, chances are the Foldagers have done it. Events they have tackled are: Mat Peak, Lazy Mountain, Crow-Pass Crossing, Bird Ridge, Alyeska Classic Mountain Run, Hope Wagon Run, Lost Lake, Dip Sea Race,...the list goes on and on. They also assisted with and participate in the Exit Glacier Run.

Of course, their true impact has been in how they have given back to the running community. Living in Seward, Flip is a volunteer for Mount Marathon Race and Safety committee. Patti was the Seward High School cross country coach for 19 years and track distance team for three. And of course then there is the Lost Lake Run. Over two decades ago, Flip had already been running the Lost Lake trail for years during training runs. Then when a local charity mentioned to Patti that their bowling event was not generating the revenue they would like, the Foldagers spawned the idea for the Lost Lake Race. Now, in its 23rd running, it is a highly successful event and Flip can still be found working as a volunteer pouring beers for the adult finishers.

This is just an example of their continued effort and support of Running is Alaska. They are wonderful examples for runners everywhere and assets to the Alaska community.

RUNNING TIPS

- The race calendar is a good starting point for planning your personal race schedule. Race directors reserve the right to change dates, locations or cancel races. Use the race calendar for preliminary planning purposes only.
- To find out whether a race is still on, check with the race director and/or be on the alert for any newspaper announcements. Race directors can help by having an announcement in the local newspaper(s), usually a few days before race. Some races may require more lead time, especially if there is an entry deadline.
- If you fill out a racing form, please read the instructions before asking questions.
- When you arrive at race start, be careful where you park. Observe all traffic regulations and do not park too close to the start.
- Allow ample time for check-in and warm-up.
- Pay close attention to all pre-race instructions.
- Use only your assigned running number and display it proudly.
- Run on the side of the road facing traffic unless race course directs you otherwise.
- You are responsible for your warm-up clothes & personal items.
- Leave your pets at home unless race allows them!
- Slower runners please start behind the faster runners.
- Be at least two strides ahead before cutting in front of another runner.
- No pacing by non-race participants.
- Follow instructions after your cross the line.
- Unofficial runners <u>do</u> <u>not</u> cross the finish line. Do not hassle race officials – wait patiently for posted results!

Brad Cooke, Editor

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e-mail: runnerscalendar@muni.org
webpage: www.muni.org/parks

Jan Fahrenheit Be Darned Winter Training Run – Fairbanks

Wed 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: various

Contact: Ed Debevec 978-8961

George Berry 687-8769 Sponsored by: RCN

Sponsored by: RCN Regardless of temperature

Jan 3 Moose Mountain Snowshoe Challenge - Fairbanks

Sat Time 12:00 pm, Location – 2809 Waldheim Drive (Last left off Jones Road), Distance: 6K and 9K

Contact: Erika Burr 978-4481

Dan Bishop

Sponsored by: RCN

Challenging 1000-ft climb in first two miles.

Limited parking, carpool from Ivory Jacks. Free snacks.

Extra snowshoes available.

Jan 4 Full Moon Run - Fairbanks

Sun Time 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: 4 miles

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN Regardless of temperature

Jan 10 35th Annual Airport Run – Fairbanks

Sat Time 11 am, Location – Pike's Landing

Distance: 4 or 8 Miles

Contact: Bob Vitale 322-0117

Sponsored by: RCN

No entry fee; regardless of temperature. Flat out & back.

Jan 17 Polar Bear 5K Run – Anchorage

Sat Meet time 9:30 am, Race time 10 am, location – Alaska Zoo

5K – trails and pavement, some hills

Entry fee: \$40/\$45 Contact: Eileen Floyd 341-6431

efloyd@alaskazoo.org www.alaskazoo.org

Sponsored by: Healthy Futures, Alaska Spine Institute, USI

Jan 17 Nunatag Snowshoe Series #1 – Palmer

Sat Meet time 8 am, Race time 9 am,

Location – Hatcher Pass Recreation Area 1K, 5K, 10K – 1k kids, 5k, 10k some hills

Entry fee: \$25, 1k Kids Race is free (no snowshoes needed)

Contact: Kate Arnold 907-746-0722

kevans.arnold@gmail.com alaskasnowshoechallenge.com

OR Activesoles.net

Sponsored by: Active Soles Performance Footwear

5k & 10k requires snowshoes, at 9:00 am before race starts, there are Mens & Women's 50 yd dash for cash. Fastest

runners get \$50 cash.

Free pizza, electrolite drinks at finish.

Jan 19 Martin Luther King Jr. Day Mon



Jan 24 Neon Northern Lights Snowshoe Race – Valdez Sat Meet 4:30 pm – Civic Center Overlook Trail

Meet 4:30 pm – Civic Center Overlook Trail 1 Mile – snowshoe race (hilly), Race time 5 pm

Entry fee: \$5/individual or \$20/family

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

Sponsored by: Valdez Parks & Rec Proceeds benefit Valdez Race Series

This glow-in-the-dark style snowshoe race begins after dark,

glow sticks and neon paint to guide your way.

Snowshoes available for FREE rental with PWSCC "Ski for Free" program-limited quantities, must pick up at PWSCC before race.

before face.

Sun

Jan 24 Chilly Buns Mid-Winter Run – Fairbanks

Sat Time 11 am, Location – UAF Bus Center across from Patty Ctr

Distance: 6.5 Miles Hilly

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN

Free. Miller Hill loop. Regardless of temperature!

Jan 25 Emily-Oliver Snowshoe Race - Fairbanks

Sun Time 12:00 pm, Location – Oboe Ct

(1st left off Isberg from Cripple Creek)

Distance: 5K and 10K

Contact: Ariana Graf 451-0817

Sponsored by: RCN

Extra snowshoes available. Hot chocolate & more.

Regardless of temperature

Jan 25 Half Marathon at the Dome – Anchorage

Meet time: 10 am, Race time: 11 am, Location – The Dome Distance: 13.1, 49-51 laps around the track, Entry fee: \$50

Contact: Mark Iverson 274-7222 <u>timing@skinnyraven.com</u> Erin Philips 274-7222

www.skinnyraven.com/races/dome-half

Sponsored by: Skinny Raven Sports

The Dome and Skinny Raven introduce Alaska's first indoor Half-Marathon. Ready for a fast surface and warm temps?

Jan 31 RCN Members Winter Social – Fairbanks

Sat Location – Goldstream Sports

Contact: George Berry 6887-8769 Sponsored by: RCN and Goldstream Sports See www.runningclubnorth.org for information

Feb Fahrenheit Be Darned Winter Training Run – Fairbanks

Weds Time 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: Various

Contact: Ed Debevec 978-8961

George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN

Regardless of temperature

Feb Trail of Remembrance 5K Early Registration – Wasilla

Wed Bike, run or walk – April 25

Contact: Kim Carney 352-0150

kimberly.carney@matsuk12.us http://matsuk12.us/domain/2880

Sponsored by: American Charter Academy, multiple

community organizations

Start Training Now! Cash prizes, medals and BBQ

Feb 2 Why Not Tri & Why Not Tri Kids - Wasilla

Mon Registration opens

Contact: <u>www.whynottriwasilla.net</u>

Feb 3 Full Moon Run - Fairbanks

Tue Time 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: 4 miles

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN Regardless of temperature

Feb 7 Sweetheart Snowshoe Sprint & Ski – Valdez

Sat Meet 10 am – West Dike Mineral Creek Trail, Egan Drive SC Ski Race at 11 am, Snowshoe & Run Race at 11:15 am 5K – snowshoes, XC ski, winter trail running (groomed trail), Entry fee: \$5/individual, \$7/couple, or \$20/family

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

Sponsored by: Valdez Parks & Rec Proceeds benefit Valdez Race Series

Bring your sweetheart to this race! First sweetheart "couple" to cross the finish line wins a gift for two. Snowshoes and XC Skis are available for FREE rental with PWSCC "Ski for Free" program-limited. Quantities, pick up at PWSCC before race.

Feb 7 Fairbanks Snowshoe Classic – Fairbanks

Sat Time 12:00 pm, Location – Goldstream Sports

711 Sheep Creek Road Distance: 5K and 10K

Contact: Erika Burr 978-4481

Sponsored by: RCN

Regional Qualifier for US Natl Snowshoe. Extra snowshoes.

No entry fee. Prizes.

Feb 7 Nunataq Snowshoe Series #2 – Palmer

Sat Meet time 8 am, Race time 9 am

Location – Independence Mine, Hatcher Pass 1K, 5K, 10K – 1k kids,5k,10k some hills

Entry fee: \$25, 1k Kids Race is free (no snowshoes needed)

Contact: Kate Arnold 907-746-0722 kevans.arnold@gmail.com

alaskasnowshoechallenge.com OR Activesoles.net

Sponsored by: Active Soles Performance Footwear

Spike & 10k requires snowshoes, at 9 am before race starts, there are Mens & Women's 50 yd dash for cash. Fastest runners get \$50 cash. Free pizza, electrolite drinks at finish.



RUNNING SERIES

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- 2/14 Valentine's Day Chocolate Run
- 3/14 Bear Tooth & Skinny Raven Shamrock Shuffle
- 4/11 Super Hero Throwdown
- 6/5 Twilight 12K and Skinny Mini 6K
- 7/19 Her Tern Women's Half Marathon
- 8/8 Alaska 10K Classic
- 10/31 The Frightening 4K
- 11/26 Skinny Raven Turkey Trot
- 12/31 Northern Lights Resolution Run

Registration and information for all races at:

www.skinnyraven.com

Feb 14 Valentines Day Sat



Feb 14 Snow Run - Fairbanks

Sat Time 11:00 am, Location – Patty Center

Distance: 4.1 Miles & 7.2 Miles, Hilly Contact: Mary Brunner 699-1496

Sponsored by: RCN

Sign up at bus shelter across from Patty Center, free! Cookies!

Feb 14 Valentine's Day Chocolate Run - Anchorage

Sat Meet time: 9 am, Race time: 10 am

Location – Ship Creek by Ulu factory

Distance: 5K, roads and bike path, Entry fee: \$30

Contact: Mark Iverson 274-7222

timing@skinnyraven.com Erin Philips 274-7222

www.skinnyraven.com/races/valentines-day-5K

Sponsored by: Skinny Raven Sports

Running, Chocolate, and Love. Join us for all of them along Ship Creek. Let cupid chase you along the creek and through

the Tunnel of Love! There is a couples team event.

Feb 14 Little Su 50K - Big Lake

Sat Meet 9:30 am – Big Lake Area, Happy Trails Kennels

Race time 11 am, Entry fee: Check website

Pam Richter 346-1220 info@susitna100.com Kim Kittredge

www.susitna100.com

1 checkpoint with warm water, check website for required gear. T-shirt, finisher award & post-race pizza party.

12 hour cutoff.

Feb 14 Susitna 100 – Big Lake

Sat Meet 7:30 am – Big Lake Area, Happy Trails Kennels

100 miles – XC across rivers & woodlands Race time 9 am, Entry fee: Check website

Contact: Kim & Erin Kittredge

info@susitna100.com Pam Richter 346-1220 www.susitna100.com

Loop course. 5 checkpoints with warm water available 15# of survival gear & food required to be carried over entire course. T-shirt, finisher award & post-race pizza party

Feb 16 Presidents' Day Mon



Feb 20 Trail of Remembrance 5K Early Registration Ends – Wasilla

Fri Bike, run or walk – April 25

Contact: Kim Carney 352-0150

kimberly.carney@matsuk12.us http://matsuk12.us/domain/2880

Sponsored by: American Charter Academy, multiple

community organizations

Start Training Now! Cash prizes, medals and BBQ

Feb 21 Walk for Warmth - Anchorage

Sat Meet 9 am, Location – First United Methodist Church

1 mile & 5K – Downtown Route, Entry fee: \$40/timed,Free/untimed

Contact: Aimee Chauvot 263-3831

achauvot@ak.org

http://bit.ly/2015WalkforWarmth

Help keep Anchorage families warm & financially stable! To celebrate our 5th anniversary, we are adding a 5k!

Feb 21 16th Ballaine Ridge Snowshoe Trail Run – Fairbanks

Sat Time 12:00 pm, Location – Keith Pollock's House 834 Goldfinch

Distance: 3,6 & 9K

Contact: Keith Pollock 479-0779

Sponsored by: RCN

Regardless of temperature. Extra snowshoes available.

Hot drinks & munchies.

Feb 26 Frostbite Footrace Reg/Bib Pick Up - Anchorage

Thu 3:30 - 7:30 pm – Glacier BrewHouse

Entry fee: \$27/\$10 youth/\$150 team Feb 2 thru Feb 26

\$25 Feb 2 thru Feb 26 if adult runner in 2014 \$30/\$15/\$175 race day registration 7:30 – 9 am Contact: Fur Rondy Headquarters 274-1177

info@furrondv.net

Sponsored by: Fur Rondy, Glacier BrewHouse, Imaging Assoc. Timing & registration supported by Skinny Raven Sports

Register on-line @ www.furrondy.net T-shirts to first 700 runners to pick up bibs

Feb 28 Frostbite Footrace & Costume Fun Run - Anchorage

Sat Race time 9:30 am – Glacier BrewHouse

* Entry fee: \$27/\$10 youth/\$150 team Feb 2 thru Feb 26

\$25 Feb 2 thru Feb 28 if adult runner in 2014 \$30/\$15/\$175 race day, registration 7:30 – 9 am

2.5 & 5K – Downtown Parade Route

Contact: Fur Rondy Headquarters 274-1177

info@furrondy.net

Sponsored by: Fur Rondy & Glacier BrewHouse

Timing & registration supported by Skinny Raven Sports

Register on-line @ www.furrondy.net

T-shirts to first 700 runners to pick up bibs

Cash prizes (\$25-\$100) for the costume contest

A Healthy Futures Series Event – www.healthyfuturesak.org

Feb 28 Fur Rondy Outhouse Race - Anchorage

Sat Meet 3 pm – Downtown, 4th Avenue between E & F

100' - down & back pushing an outhouse on skis

Entry fee: \$100/team - 10 person teams, 5 at time on course Contact: AEclubUAA@gmail.com

www.AEclubUAA.com

Sponsored by: AE Club at UAA

Double elimination tournament brackets with 3 races

guaranteed, trophies for top finishers



IT'S A RONDY TRADITION

Frostbite Footrace & Costume Fun Run

9:30am, Saturday, February 28th Register at www.furrondy.net

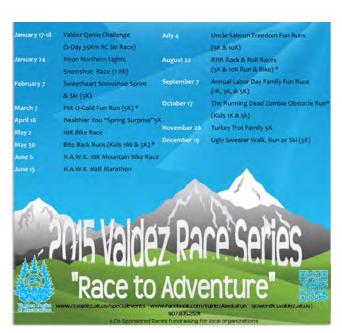


5K or 2.5K Fun Run Grab the entire family and join the fun!

"Studies show participating in the Frostbite Footrace while wearing a costume may lead to a prolonged sense of contentment and satisfaction. This effect may be exaggerated when participating in groups. If this feeling persists, contact your local Rondy office and sign up for next year!"

DON'T MISS THE COSTUME CONTEST

GREAT FUN & PRIZES!



Mar Fahrenheit Be Darned Winter Training Run – Fairbanks

Time 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: Various

Contact: Ed Debevec 978-8961

George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN Regardless of temperature

Mar Trail of Remembrance 5K Pre-registration – Wasilla

Bike, run or walk – April 25

Contact: Kim Carney 352-0150

kimberly.carney@matsuk12.us http://matsuk12.us/domain/2880

Sponsored by: American Charter Academy, multiple

community organizations

Start Training Now! Cash prizes, medals and BBQ

Mar 5 Full Moon Run - Fairbanks

Thu Time 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: 4 miles

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN

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Regardless of temperature

Mar 7 8th Annual Running of the Reindeer - Anchorage

Sat Race time 4 pm -4^{th} Avenue at H Street

3 blocks – city streets, Entry fee: \$30 includes t-shirt

Contact: Fur Rondy Headquarters 274-1177

info@furrondv.net

Sponsored by: Fur Rondy, KWHL 106.5, Bob & Mark Show

Register on-line @ www.furrondv.net

Come out for some whacky, Alaskan-style fun! See if you can outrun the reindeer. Must be 18 yrs or older to participate. Proceeds benefit Toys for Tots

*Children's age groups/ability levels available



Mar 7 3rd Annual Troth Yeddha' Snow Show Scramble – Fairbanks

Time 12:00 pm, Location – Troth Yeddha Park @ UAF, Yukon Dr

Distance: ¼ Mile Loop

Sat

Entry fee: \$20,FREE for UAF students with ID

Contact: Pete Pinney 978-0425

Sponsored by: RCN, College of R&CD UAF

Mar 7 Pot-O-Gold Fun Run – Valdez

Sat Meet 10 am – Location TBD

5K-run through town, Race time 11 am

Entry fee: TBD

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

Sponsored by: SnowTown FOOLS and Valdez Parks & Rec

Proceeds benefit St. Baldrick's Organization

Dress in St. Patty-themed attire, supports St. Baldrick's.

Mar 8 6th Annual Kidney Walk - Anchorage

Sun Meet 1 pm, Race time 2 pm, Location – Sullivan Arena (inside)

5K – mezzanine level, Entry fee: None

Contact: Kristie Lemmon 907-333-2257

kristie@alaskakidney.org www.alaskakidney.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Kidney Patients Association (AKPA) Fun, non-competitive for all ages and abilities, walk a lap or walk the 5K. Proceeds benefit AKPA programs to prevent kidney disease and promote organ donation.

Daylight Saving Time Begins Mar 8

Sun Don't be late to your race!



Mar 14 St. Patrick's Run - Fairbanks

Time 11:30 am, Location – Goldstream Sports Sat

Distance: 7.1 Miles

Contact: Bruce Sackinger 385-7792 Sponsored by: RCN and Goldstream Sports

Free. Leprechaun chase and prizes! www.trickyraven.com

Mar 14 Crazy Lazy - Palmer

Sat Meet 9:30 am. Race time 11 am

Location – Lazy Mountain Trailhead

7.0 mi – mountain race, loop course, Entry fee: \$25

Contact: Dane Crowley 907-354-8461

moosejv@hotmail.com John Clark 907-982-9001

Sponsored by: Lazy Mountain Foothills Running Club Up and down, 3000 gain/loss. Winter event, ice and snow, cleats or spikes highly recommended. Proceeds benefit girls athletics. Register same day, Shirts for first 50.

Mar 14 Bear Tooth & Skinny Raven Shamrock Shuffle - Anchorage

Sat Meet 8:30 am – Bear Tooth Theatrepub

5K - loop course, some hills, Race time 9:30 am

Contact: timing@skinnyraven.com www.skinnyraven.com

Sponsored by: Bear Tooth Theatrepub, Mizuno, Skinny Raven Free Mizuno t-shirt & free pint glass filled once with beer or soda on race dav

Mini Mukluk Marathon - Nome Mar 15

Meet 1:30 pm – Nome Recreation Center Sun

> 5K – road race, Race time 2 pm Entry fee: \$10, t-shirts included Contact: Lew Tobin 443-5549

lew@kawerak.org Adam Lust 443-2865 www.nomerotary.org

Sponsored by: Nome Rotary Club

Run/walk with your dogs, kids & neighbors Race is timed, but walkers encouraged

Mar 28 Eldorado Hill Challenge – Fairbanks

Sat Time 11:30 am, Location - 1369 Molly Road

(Log Cabin at Southwest Corner of Clifden and Molly Roads)

Distance: One hour time limit. Entry Fee: FREE

Contact: Bruce Sackinger 385-7792 Sponsored by: RCN and Goldstream Sports

One hour out & back distance challenge on road & packed snowmachine trail, 40 person limit. Prizes. More information

at: trickvraven.com

Mar 28 Nunatag Snowshoe Series #3 – Palmer

Sat Meet time 8 am, Race time 9 am

> Location – Independence Mine, Hatcher Pass 1K, 5K, 10K – 1k kids, 5k, 10k some hills

Entry fee: \$25, 1k Kids Race is free (no snowshoes needed)

Kate Arnold 907-746-0722 Contact: kevans.arnold@gmail.com

alaskasnowshoechallenge.com OR Activesoles.net

Sponsored by: Active Soles Performance Footwear

5k & 10k requires snowshoes, at 9 am before race starts, there are Mens & Women's 50 yd dash for cash.

Fastest runners get \$50 cash.

Free pizza, electrolite drinks at finish.

Mar 30 Seward's Day Mon



Trail of Remembrance 5K Pre-Registration - Wasilla Apr Wed

Bike, run or walk – April 25 Contact: Kim Carney 352-0150

kimberly.carney@matsuk12.us http://matsuk12.us/domain/2880

Sponsored by: American Charter Academy, multiple community organizations Start Training Now! Cash prizes, medals and BBQ

Peak Performers Track Club - Anchorage Apr –

Aug Tue

6 pm – APU Moseley Sports Center thru mid April

Central Jr High Track late April thru Aug -

APU – paved roads, Central – track

Membership fee: \$65, \$110 family (2)/\$160 3 or more

Contact: Jason Hofacker 240-6982

Kim Baldwin 274-1061 and in spirit. Chester Franz

Sponsored by: Peak Performers Track Club Training & conditioning program led by coaches

Exceed Women's Running Team - Anchorage Apr Tue

Meet 6 pm – Various locations

Coached workouts, track with some trail runs

Membership: \$100

Contact: Kayse Hinrichsen 717-9939

kaysehinrichsen@gmail.com Paola Banchero 223-5102

www.runexceed.org

Sponsored by: Exceed Women's Running Team

Every Tuesday April through August

Check website for location and planned workout

All levels of runners welcome

Race organizers and sponsors interested in advertising in the 2016 Alaska Runner's Calendar should contact runnerscalendar@muni.org

pril 22, 2015 @ 5:30-8p

Don't make a fuss, let's run in the slush! Bring out your rubber boots and go for a run in Russian Jack Springs Park in this family friendly untimed event for all ages.



RUBBER BOOT RUN

www.muni.org/Active

Apr Tue & Thu Valley Women's Running Team - Palmer

Meet 6 pm – Colony High School Tue track work out, Thu trail runs – various locations around the valley Contact: Rhonda Knopp 355-6258

rhondaknopp@hotmail.com Norm Rousey

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coachrousey@hotmail.com

https://sites.google.com/site/valleywomensrunningteam
Sponsored by: Valley Women's Running Team
Runners of all ability levels welcome

Coached training held each week thru mid-August with trail runs thru September

Apr 4 Sat Spring Fling – Fairbanks

Time 11 am, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: 5K

Contact: Jeff Hebard 322-5450

Sponsored by: RCN

Fundraiser for Lathrop HS XC Running. No entry fee, donations gladly accepted.

Apr 5 Sun Easter



Apr 6 Mon Beat Beethoven 5K Early Bib Pick Up - Fairbanks

Time 5 to 7 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center Contact: Dorli McWayne 474-5733 Sponsored by: Fairbanks Symphony \$20 early bird, \$30 late, and \$40 race day.

Apr 11 Sat * 21st Beat Beethoven 5K - Fairbanks

Race time 11 am – UAF Patty Center Contact: Dorli McWayne 479-6701 Steve Bainbridge 726-7521

www.FairbanksSymphony.org

Sponsored by: Fairbanks Symphony Orchestra Beat Beethoven & get a free concert ticket T-shirts with registration.

Apr 11 Super Hero Throwdown - Anchorage

Sat Meet time: 9 am, Race time: 10 am, Location – The Dome

Distance: 5K, Entry fee: \$35-45 Contact: Mark Iverson 274-7222

timing@skinnyraven.com Erin Philips 274-7222 www.skinnyraven.com

Sponsored by: Skinny Raven Sports

Who is the fastest band of super heroes? Avengers, X-Men, Justice League, The Defenders, Fantastic Four, or another?

Apr 18 Healthier You "Spring Surprise" 5K – Valdez Sat Meet 9:30 am – Woody Woodman Teen Center

Meet 9:30 am – Woody Woodman Teen Center 5K-run in town with stations, Race time 10 am Entry fee: FREE for Healthier You Participants;

\$5/Individual or \$20/Family

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

Sponsored by: SWAN, PWSCC, Providence Valdez Medical

Center, and Valdez Parks & Rec Proceeds benefit Valdez Race Series

A surprise theme for this race that celebrates the end of our 12 week Healthier You program. Come ready to party-this Spring Surprise will bring the fun while raising your heart rate.

COME JOIN US!

Orienteering is a fun and challenging activity for all ages and abilities.

Weekly meets throughout the summer.



http://www.oalaska.org



Who Let The Girls Out 5K

Women only Race/Walk Event Friday, April 24th 6:30 pm Downtown Palmer

Fair Day 5K Tater Trot

Men, Women and Families Friday, August 28th 6:30 pm Alaska Club Palmer

Our club meets on Tuesdays for coached track workouts and Thursdays for trail runs starting early April through mid August.

For club info: rhondaknopp@hotmail.com

Events: valleywomensrunningteam@gmail.com or check us out on Facebook.

The purpose of Valley Women's Running Team is to provide an educational and recreational running program for the women of the Mat-Su Valley. It is the responsibility of the organization to provide a healthy and fun running program for women of all abilities.

Apr 18 35th Annual Tok Trot – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 1 pm – Tok Visitors Center

10K walk/run

Contact: Paul Kelley 883-5393

Corky Hebard

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Ribbons & prizes, picnic at Kelley's afterwards

Apr 22 Rubber Boot Run – Anchorage

Thu Check in time 5:30 pm – Russian Jack Park

Race Time 6:30 pm

Entry fee \$10/family, \$5/adult, \$2/youth

Contact: Margaret Timmerman – 907-343-4217

timmermanma@muni.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks and Recreation

Don't make a fuss, lets run in the slush! Register online at www.muni.org/active

Apr 24 Who Let The Girls Out 5K – Palmer

Fri Meet 4 -6 pm, Race time 6:30 pm –Downtown Palmer

Contact: Vera Hershey 355-0222

Sponsored by: Valley Women's Running Team

Visit https://sites.google.com/site/valleywomensrunningteam/or FB for updates. A fun, women only, run/walk event

Apr 25 Alaska Heart Run – Anchorage

Sat 3 & 5K – City Streets

Entry fee: varies, check the website for race day details

Contact: Kristin Luby 865-5304

kristin.luby@heart.org Alaina Burton 865-5300 alaina.burton@heart.org www.AlaskaHeartRun.org

Sponsored by: American Heart Association

NEW COURSE! Starting at the Alaska Airlines Center.

Register online! Late fees apply April 4th.

Bib Pickups at King's Career Center on April 18, 22, 24 –

Please see website for details www.AlaskaHeartRun.org

Apr 25 Trail of Remembrance (Run, Bike, Walk) – Wasilla

Sat Meet 9:30 am – Mile 52 Parks Highway

5K – paved bike trails, Race time 11 am, Entry fee: \$35

Contact: Becky Huggins 354-4885 becky.huggins@matsuk12.us Kim Carney 352-0150 www.matsuk12.us/domain/2880

Sponsored by: American Charter Academy students & staff CASH prizes!! Medals & t-shirts. Sign honoring your Veteran is placed along trail. 'The Trail' honors & remembers our US Veterans & Active Duty members of all US military branches. BBQ after event.

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org



2015 Usibelli Cup Series

Races in this Fairbanks' eight race series include:

May 2nd

34th Annual Chena River Run 5K June 20th

34th Annual Midnight Sun Run 10K June 25th

Jim Loftus Mile

July 18th

Run of the Valkyries 8K

July 26th

50th Annual Gold Discovery Run 16.5 Mile August 8th

Flint Hills 22nd Santa Claus Half-Marathon

August 22nd

8th Annual Golden Heart Trail Run

September 19th

53rd Annual Equinox Marathon & 7th Annual 40 Mile Ultra Marathon

Visit the RCN website at www.runningclubnorth.org



Earn your patch on the most challenging race in Alaska!

53rd Annual Equinox Marathon & 7th Annual 40 Mile Ultra Marathon

Saturday, September 19, 2015

Considered one of the toughest marathons in the country, the Equinox takes runners over a scenic rolling trail course up to the top of Ester Dome. There is also a relay division, and hikers/walkers are encouraged to participate as well.

Thursday, September 17th

Bib pick-up and spaghetti feed at the Pump House Restaurant from 5-8 pm. Last chance for early registration fee.

Friday, September 18th

Equinox eve bib pick-up and spaghetti feed at the Pump House Restaurant 5-8 pm.

September 19th

RACE DAY! 8 am at the UAF Patty Center.

For race info. contact Race Directors Susan Kramer at 907.590.5086 or John Estle at 907.347.1061 or visit the **Equinox Website:**

www.equinoxmarathon.org Registration online!

Apr 25 6th Annual Run for Relief – Fairbanks

Sat Time 2 pm, Location – Pioneer Park Distance: 5K fun run/walk, \$20 entry Contact: Kathy Petersen 388-6830 Keith Petersen 388-6628

friendsofpartners@gmail.com

Sponsored by: RCN, FOP T-shirts to first 300.

Apr 29 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage Wed Meet time: Mass start 6:30 pm

Meet time: Mass start 6:30 pm Location – APU Mosley parking lot Score-O, Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

Contact: www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

May Exceed Women's Running Team - Anchorage

Tue Meet 6 pm – Various locations

Coached workouts, track with some trail runs

Membership: \$100

Contact: Kayse Hinrichsen 717-9939

kaysehinrichsen@gmail.com Paola Banchero 223-5102

www.runexceed.org

Sponsored by: Exceed Women's Running Team Every Tuesday April through August Check website for location and planned workout

All levels of runners welcome

May Women's Training – Fairbanks

Tues Meet 5:30 pm – West Valley HS Track

Track & Intervals – all levels welcome, Free Contact: Bruce Miller 479-5585

www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

May Men's Training – Fairbanks

Thu

Tues Meet 6 pm – West Valley HS Track

Track & Intervals – all levels welcome, Free Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8353 Sponsored by: Running Club North Interval workouts. All abilities welcome.

May Valley Women's Running Team – Palmer Tue & Meet 6 pm – Colony High School

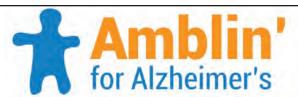
Meet 6 pm – Colony High School Tue track work out, Thu trail runs – various locations around the valley Contact: Rhonda Knopp 355-6258

rhondaknopp@hotmail.com Norm Rousev

coachrousey@hotmail.com

https://sites.google.com/site/valleywomensrunningteam

Sponsored by: Valley Women's Running Team Runners of all ability levels welcome Coached training held each week thru mid-August with trail runs thru September



Walk, run or amble to support Alaska's frail elders and those with Alzheimer's or a related dementia until a cure is found.

May 9th, 2015 at Anchorage Golf Course Visit www.AlzAlaska.org for info

May - Peak Performers Track Club - Anchorage

Aug Central Jr High Track late April thru Aug
Tue APU – paved roads, Central – track

Membership fee: \$65, \$110 family (2)/\$160 3 or more

Contact: Jason Hofacker 240-6982

Kim Baldwin 274-1061 and in spirit, Chester Franz

Sponsored by: Peak Performers Track Club Training & conditioning program led by coaches

May 1 Race Judicata Reg/Bib PU - Anchorage

Fri 4 - 7 pm at Skinny Raven

Contact: Bonnie Calhoun 264-0679 Sponsored by: Young Lawyers Section of the Anchorage Bar Association

May 2 Alaska Zoo Kids Fun Run – Anchorage

Sat Race time 9:30 am 3-4 yrs, 9:45 am 5-6 yrs

10 am 7-8 vrs. 10:15 am 9-10 vrs

Entry fee: \$15 - Alaska Zoo, 4731 O'Malley Road

5-1mile – gravel trails, hill, animals

Contact: Jill Myer 341-6435

jmyer@alaskazoo.org Eileen Floyd 341-6431 www.alaskazoo.org

Sponsored by: McDonalds of Alaska and Healthy Futures

May 2 Salmon Run – Anchorage

Sat Meet 9 am – Inlet View Elementary School 2, 5 & 10K – begins & ends at Inlet View

Elementary School, out & back on Coastal Trail

Race time 10 am, Entry fee: \$35 Contact: Cathy Opinsky 223-7184

info@anchoragesalmonrun.com

Wendy Shem 742-7630

www.anchoragesalmonrun.com

Sponsored by: Inlet View PTA

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

May 2 Polar Bear Pink Cheeks Triathlon – Seward

Sat Meet 9 am – Seward High School

5K run, 10K bike, 900Y swim – varied terrain Race time 10 am, Entry fee: See website

Contact: Casey Wright 224-4054

<u>cwright@cityofseward.net</u> www.cityofseward.us

Sponsored by: Polar Bear Fest & Seward Parks & Recreation Recommend off-road bike, helmets required Registration remains open, space permitting

Annual pass, family, volunteer & military discounts

May 2 34th Annual Chena River Run #1 Usibelli Cup- Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – Woodriver Elementary School 5K – school to Princess Hotel, certified course

(No parking at either location!)

Entry fee: \$25/\$20 youth,\$30/\$25 race day, t-shirts

Contact: Travis Lewis 479-3831 Steve Haagensen

Sponsored by: Rotary Club of Fairbanks

May 3 Mat-Su Rotary 5K (aka Menard Run) - Palmer

Sun Meet 12 pm – Colony High School,

5K – mostly flat, some hills, loop Race time 2 pm, Entry fee: \$25 Contact: Joni Gerharz 354-3382

joni@travelservicesinc.com Daryl Lowe 351-0829 www.matsurotary.org

Sponsored by: Mat-Su Rotary Clubs Proceeds benefit Rotary High School Scholarships Program

May 3 Race Judicata – Anchorage

Sun Race start: 10 am, Location – Westchester Lagoon 5K, Entry fee: \$20/\$20 canines/\$30 race day Contact: Bonnie Calhoun 264-0679 Sponsored by: Young Lawyers Section of

the Anchorage Bar Association

May 3 The Breakup Tri – Fairbanks

Sun Race time TBD – UAF Patty Center

500 yd pool swim, 13.1 mile bike, 3.1 mile run

Entry fee: \$30 + \$12 USAT one day membership Contact: Tyson Flaharty Amber Barlow

thebreakuptri@hotmail.com

T-shirt & swim cap included, 99 max participants

May 5 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage

Tue Mass start 6:30 pm, Location – Kincaid Chalet

Score-O, Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

Contact: www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

May 6 Do Run-Run – Anchorage Wed Meet 5:30 pm – Check website

* 4 miles – Ship Creek Trail

Race time 6:30 pm, Entry fee: ARC Membership Contact: www.anchoragerunningclub.org

Contact: www.anchoragerunningclub.org Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club

May 6 24th Annual GHU Water Walk & Run 5K - Fairbanks

Wed Race time 6:30 pm – Golden Heart Water Plant, 1304 1st Ave

Distance: 5K

Contact: Steve Offenborn 479-3118 Sponsored by: Golden Heart Utilities T-shirts for first 350. Follow the bike path!

May 9 Moose River Hustle – Sterling

Sat Meet 8:30 am – Sterling Senior Center, MP 83.5

1 mile, 5 & 10K – mostly flat, out & back

Race time 10 am, Entry fee: \$20/adult, \$10/youth, \$50/family

Contact: Kurt Strausbaugh 262-1721 wrestle@acsalaska.net

Tammy Strausbaugh 252-2959

Sponsored by: Sterling Senior Center
Awards, drawing for door prizes.

Benefits Sterling Senior Center's Meals on Wheels Program

May 9 O'Malley Fun Run – Anchorage

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 11 am, Location – O'Malley Elementary 2K - 11 am, 5K - 11:30 am – trail run, flat to hilly

Entry fee: \$20

Contact: Gretchen Kiskaddon

omalleypta@gmail.com

omalleypta.org Sponsored by: Healthy Futures

May 9 7th Annual Alaska Walk/Run for Autism – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 11 am – Pioneer Park

Distance: 5K

Contact: Brandy Ruby 374-4421

Heidi Haas

www.asagoldenheart.org

Sponsored by: Autism Society of Alaska T-shirt, see website for entry fees

May 10 18th Annual Murphy Dome Roam – Fairbanks

Sun Time 9 am, Location – Gravel Pit 8 Mile Murphy Dome Rd

Distance: 11 Miles, hilly back roads Contact: Jane Lanford 687-0769 Donna Hawkins 455-9017

Sponsored by: RCN

May 10 Migration Run – Homer

Sun Race time 9 am – Fishing Lagoon/Homer Spit

5K – flat, point to point along Homer Spit. Entry fee: TBA

Contact: Bill Steyer 399-1078 steyerbill@yahoo.com

www.kachemakbayrunningclub.org

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May 10 Mother's Day Sun



May 12 Turnagain Arm Trail Run – Anchorage Tue Meet 5:30 pm – McHugh Creek (4 miles

Meet 5:30 pm – McHugh Creek (4 miles) or Potter Trailhead (8 miles), a point to point race Rolling terrain with roots, rock & mud

Both races finish at Rainbow Trailhead

Race time 6:30 pm, Entry fee: \$25 Contact: Sara Studebaker 786-6104

ssstudebaker@uaa.alaska.edu Julie-Pierre Leclerc 830-9623

Sponsored by: UAA Ski Team

Register on-line @ www.signmeup.com Proceeds benefit UAA Ski Team Scholarships No Race Day Registration - 200 person limit

May 13 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage

Wed Meet time: starts from 5 pm to 7 pm Location – Mirror Lake Middle School

Traditional meet, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

May 14 Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run

Thu Bib Pick-up - Fairbanks

Time 4-6 pm, Location – Anytime Fitness Contact: Robert Hall 378-2568 Sponsored by: Special Olympics \$25 donation includes t-shirt (while they last)

May 16 Armed Forces Day

Sat

Sat

May 16 Special Olympics Law Enforcement Torch Run – Fairbanks

Sat Time 10 am, Location – UAF Campus Police Station

Distance: 5K

Contact: Robert Hall 378-2568 Sponsored by: Special Olympics

\$25 donation includes t-shirt (while they last)

Picnic after event!

May 16 Trailside Kids/Triathlon - Anchorage

Race time 11 am, Location – Trailside Elementary

Distance – various, Service HS and trails

Entry fee: \$20

Contact: Carleen Ulbrich 742-5500

ulbrich carleen@asdk12.org

trailsidepta.org

Sponsored by: Trailside PTA

Service pool swim, bike loops around Service High School,

run trails behind school

May 16 Fairbanks Heart Walk - Fairbanks

Sat Meet 9 am – Veteran's Memorial Park 1 & 2.75 miles – start & finish at park

Walk start 10 am, Entry fee: \$25 min donation

Contact: Janet Bartels 456-3659

Janet.bartels@heart.org

Wendie MacNaughton 374-2927 Wendie.macnaughton@heart.org www.fairbanksheartwalk.org

Sponsored by: American Heart Association, Fairbanks

Memorial Hospital & ConocoPhillips

Fun, non-competitive event for all age & abilities

Proceeds benefit the American Heart Association

Please see website for more details.

May 16 Alaska Law Enforcement Torch Run - Statewide

Sat Race 10 am – Various cities (see below)

5K – fun run format

Entry fee: \$35, + pledges encouraged Contact: Jessica 222-7625 ext 605

SO-AK State Office 1-888-499-7625 x609

www.SpecialOlympicsAlaska.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Law Enforcement

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Seward, Sitka & Valdez.

Check website for updates and additional runs.

Go to <u>www.firstgiving.com/SO-AK</u> to begin pledging now

May 16 Terry Pollard Memorial Exit Glacier Race - Seward

Sat Meet 8 am – Resurrection Road House, Exit Glacier Rd/

Herman Leirer Rd

5 & 10K – gradual incline on paved road Race time 10 am, Entry fee: Check website

Contact: Casey Wright 224-4054

cwright@cityofseward.net

www.cityofseward.us

Sponsored by: Kenai Fjords National Park, National Forest Service, Kenai Fjords Tours, Windsong Lodge, Resurrection

Roadhouse & Seward Parks & Recreation

Registration closes at 8:30 am. Annual pass, family,

volunteer & military discounts available.

May 16 Bear Valley 5K Challenge – Anchorage

Sat Meet 8:30 am. Race time 10 am – Bear Valley Elementary

5K – Storck Park, various terrain; roads, trails, hills, creek bed

Entry fee: \$9/\$6 children thru high school

Contact: Bear Valley Community Assn 345-0434

www.akbvca.org

Sponsored by: Bear Valley Community Association Scholarships available, family fun run/walk for all

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Anchorage March for Babies Walk - Anchorage May 16

Meet: 9 am, Race: 10 am, Location – Westchester Lagoon Sat

Distance: 3 miles, Entry fee: FREE Contact: Ashleigh Green 276-4111 agreen@marchofdimes.org Janie Odgers 276-4111

www.marchforbabies.org

Sponsored by: Tesoro and Alaska Airlines

Ketchikan March for Babies Walk - Ketchikan May 16

Meet time: 9 am, Race time: 10 am, Location – A&P Markets Sat

Distance: 3 miles, Entry fee: FREE Contact: Ashleigh Green 276-4111 agreen@marchofdimes.org www.marchforbabies.com

Sponsored by: Tesoro, Alaska Airlines & IBEW #1547

Presbyterian Hospitality House Fun Run - Fairbanks May 17

Sun Race time 10 am - UAF Patty Center

5K - flat & fast, Entry fee: \$20 Contact: Ty Tigner 378-9918 Naomi Tigner 354-7900

Sponsored by: Presbyterian Hospitality House

T-shirts to first 100 entrants, prizes

May 17 Gold Nugget Triathlon - Anchorage

Sun Meet time: 7:30 am, Race time: 9 am, Location - Bartlett HS

Distance: sprint, rolling terrain, Entry fee: \$75

Contact: Betsy Haines 223-7792

info@goldnuggettriathlon.com Sheila Swanson 242-0600 www.goldnuggettriathlon.com

Sponsored by: Gold Nugget Triathlon, Inc. 500 yard swim, 12 mile bike, 4 mile run. Swim Bartlett Pool,

followed by rolling bike/run course

All women sprint triathlon set up for first timer or elite racer

Helmets required, t-shirts to finishers.

No Race Day Registration.

May 18 Alaskan Girls Walk & Wine Bib Pick-up – Fairbanks

Mon 5 – 7 pm – Pioneer Park Square Dance Hall

Entry fee: Last chance for \$20 fee, \$25 after this date

Contact: Susan Kramer 590-5086 Denise Irish 322-5646

May 20 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage

Wed Meet time: Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm

Location – Earthquake Park

Traditional meet, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

May 21 Trent/Waldron Glacier ½ Marathon Pre-Registration & Bib PU – Anchorage

Meet 4:30-6:30 pm – Skinny Raven Sports
Entry fee: Check ARC website for details
Contact: info@anchoragerunningclub.org
www.anchoragerunningclub.org
Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club

May 21 Alaskan Girls Walk & Wine - Fairbanks

Thu Start time 6 pm – Pioneer Park Civic Center

5K - flat, out & back, Entry fee: \$20 by May 18/\$25 race day

Contact: Susan Kramer 590-5086 Denise Irish 322-5646

Sponsored by: Golden Heart Rotary Club

Women only, entry fee includes wine tasting (must be

21 for wine tasting), t-shirts \$10 extra

May 23 POW Island Marathon & Half Marathon - Craig

Sat Meet 8 am, Location – Craig HS 26.2/13.1 Entry Fee: \$50/\$45

Contact: Jean Jackson 401-0805

annjames326@gmail.com

powmarathon.org

Sponsored by: Prince of Wales Runners and Walkers Club Out-and-back course with 15 aid stations and van support.

Relay teams also an option.

Free salmon BBQ for participants at finish line.

Winners' plaques for 1st, 2nd, 3rd places in each division made by local ceramic artist. Shirt/medal also.

May 23 Trent/Waldron Glacier ½ Marathon – Anchorage

Sat Meet 8 am – Westchester Lagoon, flat & fast

13.1 miles – Chester Creek & Coastal Trails, Race time 9 am, Entry fee: Check ARC website for details

Contact: info@anchoragerunningclub.org www.anchoragerunningclub.org Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club

May 23 FYSA Run-A-Much - Fairbanks

Sat Time 10 am, Location – Trails at Pearl Creek Elementary

Distance: 5K

Contact: Raelen Wentz 456-3976, 799-6669 Sponsored by: Fairbanks Youth Soccer Association \$10 youth, \$20 adult, \$40 family. Includes T-shirt.

May 23 Annihilator #1 Trail Series - Fairbanks

Sat Time 11 am, Location – Gravel Pit 1.5 Miles North of Nenana

(marked on race day)

Distance: 10K, Entry Fee: \$5

Contact: Drew Harrington 451-6604

Bobbi Jo 451-9204

Katchmar

Drew.harrington@live.com

Sponsored by: RCN

Toughest 10K in the Interior! \$5 entry includes BBQ potluck.

Trail Series opener!

Saturday, May 30 ~ Palmer



Meet at 9:00 am, Race time 10:00 am Trunk Rd Commuter Lot, (S Trunk Rd) Palmer 3 miles, wheelchair accessible trail Entry fee: \$35

351-1385, adpwjulie@aol.com or 355-4969 Register at: www.advocatesfordogandpuppywellness.org

May 24 Cooper Landing Trail Run - Cooper Landing Sun

Meet 9:30 am - CL Community Hall, 0.6 mile Bean Creek Rd

6K – 1K paved/5K gravel/dirt trail, some hills

Race time 11 am, Entry fee: donation Contact: Karl Romig 595-1232

cooperlandingtrailrun@gmail.com

Deb Carlson 595-1455

www.cooperlandingwalkablecommunity.org

Sponsored by: Cooper Landing Walkable Community Project Race starts at Kenai River, ends overlooking Kenai Lake

Shuttle provided back to start area

May 25 Memorial Day Observed Mon



May 27 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage

Wed Meet time: Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm

Location – Mile 1.1 Campbell Airstrip Road

Traditional meet, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

May 28 Kal's Knoya Ridge Hill Climb - Anchorage

Thu Meet 5 pm – Klutina St. Chugach Foothills.

2.5, 5.6 & 8.5K – 1,200, 2,900 & 4,300 elevation gains, rolling climb along forest trail with finishes on top.

Race time 6 pm, Entry fee: Donation Contact: Bill Spencer 306-0077 bill.spencer@hdrinc.com

bill.spencer@hdrinc.com Marianne Pedersen 333-8836 marianne peders@hotmail.com www.alaskamountainrunners.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Mountain Runners, HDR Alaska,

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When parking be respectful of neighbors, don't block driveways. Course utilizes JBER property. You must have a current iSportsman Recreational Access Permit & be signed in to train on trails. **NO EXCEPTIONS**.

Contact http://jberisportsman.net/access for permit. If race shortened due to snow, longest race offered will be awarded AK Mt Runners Grand Prix points.

Proceeds benefit Tom Besh Memorial Scholarship Fund

May 30 Bite Back 5K - Valdez

Sat Meet 10 am – John Kelsey Dock/Plaza

5K, Race time 11 am, 10:45 am kids 1 mile run Entry fee: \$5 kids mile, \$10/Individual, or \$20/Family

Contact: Sheri Beck 835-2903

sheribeck33@hotmail.com rfool.blogspot.com

Sponsored by: Compassion Int'l & Valdez Parks & Rec
Proceeds benefit Compassion International Malaria Fund

May 30 Red Shirt Lake Trail Run - Willow

Sat Race time 10 am, Location – Nancy Lake State Rec Area 6 miles, out-an-back course very hilly single track trail

Entry fee: \$30

Contact: Andrea Hambach

wilrunco@gmail.com

www.willowrunningcompany.com Sponsored by: Willow Running Company

May 30 Walk n Roll for Animals - Palmer

Sat Meet 9 am, Race time 10 am

Location – Trunk Rd Commuter Lot, Palmer 3 mi – wheelchair accessible trail, Entry fee: \$35

Contact: Julie 351-1385

adpwjulie@aol.com

Sue 355-4969

Sponsored by: Advocates for Dog and Puppy Wellness and Matsu Animal Shelter

The purpose of the event is to enhance the health of our community's residents and their companion animals by getting out for a day of fresh air, exercise and social interaction; and raise awareness for our local animal shelter.

May 30 41st Annual Arctic Valley Run – Ft. Richardson

Sat Meet 7:30 – 8:45 am, Race time 9 am – Moose Run Golf Course 12.6 & 5 miles – 800' gradient (5 M)/2,500' gradient (12.6 M),

Entry fee: \$15/\$20 race day, \$15 for t-shirt

Contact: Ellis Alston 384-1304 ellis.alston@us.af.mil

Sponsored by: Ft. Richardson Sports & Fitness

Mens, Womens & Military Team

Register at Buckner 9 am – 4 pm thru May 29, or mail registration w/entry fee (check payable to 673d Buckner Fitness Center) to: Buckner Physical Fitness Center, D St Bldg 690

Attn: Ellis Alston, JBER, AK 99505, Postmarked by May 22

May 30 Two-Way Torture Test – Fairbanks

Race time 9 am – Pump House Restaurant Sat

Distance: 13.1 miles

Contact: Karen Harris 378-8504 www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

Two person teams run in opposite directions

June Exceed Women's Running Team - Anchorage Tue

Meet 6 pm – Various locations

Coached workouts, track with some trail runs

Membership: \$100

Contact: Kavse Hinrichsen 717-9939

kaysehinrichsen@gmail.com Paola Banchero 223-5102

www.runexceed.org

Sponsored by: Exceed Women's Running Team Every Tuesday April through August Check website for location and planned workout All levels of runners welcome

June Women's Training – Fairbanks

Tues Meet 5:30 pm – West Valley HS Track

Track & Intervals - all levels welcome, Free

Contact: Bruce Miller 479-5585 Sponsored by: Running Club North

June Men's Training - Fairbanks

Tues Meet 6 pm – West Valley HS Track

> Track & Intervals – all levels welcome, Free Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8353 Sponsored by: Running Club North Interval workouts. All abilities welcome

June Valley Women's Running Team - Palmer

Tue & Meet 6 pm – Colony High School

Tue track work out, Thu trail runs – various locations

around the valley

Thu

Contact: Rhonda Knopp 355-6258

rhondaknopp@hotmail.com

Norm Rousey

coachrousey@hotmail.com

https://sites.google.com/site/valleywomensrunningteam

Sponsored by: Valley Women's Running Team Runners of all ability levels welcome Coached training held each week thru

mid-August with trail runs thru September

June - Peak Performers Track Club - Anchorage

Aug Central Jr High Track late April thru Aug –

Tue APU – paved roads, Central – track

Membership fee: \$65, \$110 family (2)/\$160 3 or more

Contact: Jason Hofacker 240-6982

Kim Baldwin 274-1061 and in spirit, Chester Franz

Sponsored by: Peak Performers Track Club Training & conditioning program led by coaches

June 2 Masochism on Moose Mountain #2 Trail Series - Fairbanks

Tue Race time 6:30 pm – Base of Moose Mountain

4 miles – steep 1400' ascent in 1.25 miles, 2.75

mile descent, Entry fee: \$5 Contact: Dan Bishop 322-4314 Sponsored by: Running Club North

June 3 Alaska Run for Women Registration – Wasilla

Wed 4-7 pm, Location – The Alaska Club Valley

Contact: Kristin Folmar run@akrfw.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Run for Women Board of Directors

Register on-line @ www.akrfw.org

Registration for the 23rd annual Alaska Run for Women on 6/13/15, benefitting the fight against breast cancer.

Additional registration and bib pick-up dates and locations listed in this calendar on 6/6, 6/9, 6/11.

June 3 Mugwumps 10K – Anchorage

Wed Meet 5:30 pm – Location TBD

10K – out & back, Race time 6:30 pm

Entry fee: ARC Membership

Contact: <u>www.anchoragerunningclub.org</u> Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club

June 3 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage

Wed Meet time: Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm

Location – Ft. Richardson, see website about access Traditional meet, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

June 4 All-Comers Track Meet 39th Year – Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6:30 pm – West Valley HS Track

100 meters to 5,000 meters Contact: Dan Callahan 322-6097

Sponsored by: Running Club North

ww.heidishomesak.com Heidi Clement 07) 727-0816 REAL ESTATE BROKERS of ALASKA

June 5 Bear's Den B&B Bear Bell Run - Seward Fri

Meet 10:30 am – Waterfront Park, 6th Ave 1 mile – flat, paved, Race time 11 am

Entry fee: Check website

Contact: Casev Wright 224-4054

> cwright@cityofseward.net www.citvofseward.us

Sponsored by: Bear's Den Bed & Breakfast, Seward Teen & Youth Center & SPRD

Limited to kids 5-12 years

Registration remains open, space permitting

Annual pass, family, volunteer & military discounts

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

June 5 Twilight 12K - Anchorage

Fri Meet 6 pm – Skinny Raven Sports

12K - loop course, some hills, Race time 7 pm

timing@skinnyraven.com www.skinnyraven.com

Sponsored by: Adidas, Bear Tooth, Kaladi Bros, Stellar Design Pizza, beer, refreshments, live DJ & sweet prizes after race

June 5 Skinny Mini 6K - Anchorage

Fri Meet 6 pm – Skinny Raven Sports

* 6K - loop course, some hills, Race time 7 pm

> Contact: timing@skinnyraven.com www.skinnvraven.com

Sponsored by: Adidas, Bear Tooth, Kaladi Bros, Stellar Design Pizza, beer, refreshments, live DJ & sweet prizes after race

June 6 Alaska Run for Women Registration - Anchorage

Sat 10 am – 1 pm, Location – University Center Mall

Contact: Kristin Folmar run@akrfw.org Sponsored by: Alaska Run for Women

www.akrfw.org

Registration for the 23rd annual Alaska Run for Women on 6/13/15 benefitting the fight against breast cancer. Additional registration and bib pick-up dates and locations listed in this calendar on 6/3, 6/9, and 6/11.

June 6 Government Peak Climb - Palmer

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 11 am, Location - GRPA

3 miles – trail up a mountain

Entry fee: May 1-19 \$30, May 20-June 3 \$40, Day of race \$50

Contact: Mark Strabel 746-7547 strabel@mtaonline.net

Register on-line @ www.webscorer.com

Fundraiser for Colony High School XC Running Team

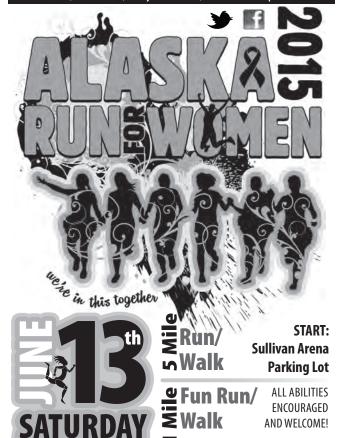
June 7 Eagle River Triathlon – Chugiak

Meet time 8 am, Race time 8 am, Location – Chugiak HS Sun Distance: Adult race; Sprint distance – 500 yd swim, 12 mile bike, 5K run

Kid's Tri – Ages 6-12 – pool swim, rolling bike course, flat run Entry fee: check website. Reduced fees for early registration info@eaglerivertri.com www.eaglerivertri.com Sponsored by: Eagle River Triathlon

Sprint Triathlon for all abilities. Individual and team categories T-shirts for all pre-registered racers in adult tri. Medals and racer gift for all kid's racers! USAT sanctioned event.

Join thousands of women and raise funds for breast cancer awareness, education, early detection, research and prevention!



Every donation directly supports the fight against breast cancer.

Online Race Registration Opens April 15,

April 15, 2015

Register online or in person at our **Bib Pick-Up Events!**

- Wasilla The Alaska Club
 Wednesday, June 3: 4pm 7pm
- Anchorage University Center Mall Saturday, June 6: 10am-1pm Tuesday, June 9: 4pm - 7pm Thursday, June 11: 4pm - 7pm

To volunteer contact: volunteer@akrfw.org Decorate your own Port-a-Potty contact: potties@akrfw.org

Info Contact: run@akrfw.org akrfw.org

June 7 7th Run Lu Lu Run - Fairbanks

Sun Race time 10 am – Lu Lu's Bread & Bagels

Old Chena Spur Road

5K – flat, 10K – mixed hilly

Contact: Tamara Rose Active.com

Julie Schwab

Sponsored by: Lu Lu's Bread & Bagels, AK Health & Fitness Register on-line @ www.active.com

T-shirt first 100 entrants

June 7 Mud Factor - Fairbanks

Sun Meet 9 am, Location – Tanana Lakes Recreation Area

Distance: 5K obstacle mud run, Entry fee: \$25 & Up

Contact: <u>info@mudfactor.com</u> www.mudfactor.com

"Seriously Fun, 5K Obstacle Run!" for ages 14 and up.

MF Kidz! For your little runners ages 4-13.

June 8 Fossil 5K - Anchorage

Mon Meet 6:00 pm – Kincaid Timing Shack 5K - Easy course, moose, mosquitoes

Entry fee: \$15/\$8 children over 5, Race time 6:30 pm

Contact: Jeff Attridge 274-2400

dev@alaskamuseum.org Kerri Jackson 274-2400 www.alaskamuseum.org

Run to feed the dinosaurs! Snacks, water/juice, t-shirts provided. Dress for weather, bug spray if warm. Bib pick up at 201 Bragaw until race day, then 5:30-6:30 at the

Kincaid Timing Shack race day. Early Registration closes June 6. Register online at www.alaskamuseum.org

June 8 Tyrannosaurus 10K – Anchorage

Mon

Meet 6:00 pm – Kincaid Timing Shack Difficult course, lots of hills & wildlife Entry fee: \$20, Race time 6:30 pm

Contact: Jeff Attridge 274-2400

dev@alaskamuseum.org

Kerri Jackson 274-2400 www.alaskamuseum.org

The most difficult 10K you will ever do. Snacks, water/juice, t-shirts provided. Early registration closes June 6. Bib pick-up at 201 Bragaw until race day, then 5:30-6:30 at the Kincaid Timing Shack on race day.

June 9 Alaska Run for Women Reg/Bib PU - Anchorage

Tue 4-7 pm – University Center Mall

Contact: Kristin Folmar run@akrfw.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Run for Women www.akrfw.org Registration for the 23rd annual Alaska Run for Women on 6/13/15 benefitting the fight against breast cancer. Additional registration and bib pick-up dates and locations listed in this calendar on 6/3, 6/6, and 6/11.

June 10 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage

Wed Meet time: Mass start 6:30 pm, Location – Storck Park

Billy Goat-O, Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club

Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

June 11 Alaska Run for Women Registration - Anchorage

Thu 4 - 7 pm, Location – University Center Mall

Contact: Kristin Folmar run@akrfw.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Run for Women www.akrfw.org Registration for the 23rd annual Alaska Run for Women on 6/13/15 benefitting the fight against breast cancer. Additional registration and bib pick-up dates and locations listed in this calendar on 6/3, 6/6, and 6/9.

June 11 All-Comers Track Meet 39th Year - Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6:30 pm – West Valley HS Track

100 meters to 5.000 meters

Contact: Dan Callahan 322-6097 Sponsored by: Running Club North

June 12 Kids' Cross Country Races – Fairbanks

Fri Meet 6 pm – West Valley HS Trails (start at Soccer Field) * 0.5 & 1.5 mile options, Race time 6 pm, Entry fee: None

Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8353 Monte Jordan 451-8696

www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

Jun 13 H.A.W.K. Half-Marathon - Valdez

Sat Meet 9 am – Woody Woodman Teen Center

13.1 Mile – running along trails and roadways near town

Race time 10 am Entry fee: \$10/Individual Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us.specialevents

Sponsored by: Valdez Parks & Rec

Proceeds benefit Valdez Race Series

H.A.W.K. (Hiking Alaska's Wild Kountry) presents its first Half Marathon event. Within 13.1 Miles, you will have run along 4 of the H.A.W.K. Trails in Valdez (Mineral Creek, Shoup, Dock Point, and Overlook Trail) and will be able to mark those

trails from your 2015 H.A.W.K. Trail card.

June 13 Run for the River - Soldotna

Sat Meet 8 am – Soldotna Creek Park

5K & 10 miles – gravel/paved roads, multiple turn flat loop course, Race time 8:30 & 9 am (5K)

Entry fee: \$25/pre-registration

Contact: Rhonda McCormick 260-5449 rhonda@kenaiwatershed.org

Lisa Beranek 260-5449

www.kenaiwatershed.org

Sponsored by: Kenai Watershed Forum Bib pick up and spaghetti feed June 12

June 13 Alaska Run for Women – Anchorage

Sat Race time 8:30 am, Location – Anchorage Football Stadium

Distance: 5mi and 1mi – scenic on road and paved trail

Entry fee: Donation

Contact: Kristin Folmar run@akrfw.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Run for Women www.akrfw.org Grab your friends & family for this inspiring all women's event benefitting the fight against breast cancer. 100% of the entry fee goes towards mammograms, breast research & advention.

education.

Walkers welcome! One of the largest all women's runs in the US.

June 13 Why Not Tri - Wasilla

Sat Meet 7 am – Wasilla High School

400 meter swim (pool), 9.5 mile bike (hilly), 5K run (loop),

Race time 9 am

Entry fee: \$50 solo/\$80 (2 person team)/\$120 (3 person team)

(ages 13 and up)

\$60 solo/\$90 (2 person team)/\$135 (3 person team) after 3/31

Contact: Robin Rice

wasillatri@gmail.com

www.whynottriwasilla.net

Sponsored by: Alaska Bicycle Center Registration February 2 – May 4

A great beginner sprint tri, limited to 500 racers

Proceeds benefit ALS Association

June 13 Why Not Tri Kids - Wasilla

Sat Meet 2 pm – Wasilla High School

150 meter swim (pool), 3 mile bike, 1.5 mile run OR

50 meter swim, 2 mile bike, 1 mile run,

Race time 3 pm, Entry fee: \$20/\$25 for optional timed long course. For ages 6-12 years, can choose either course

Contact: Robin Rice

wasillatri@gmail.com

www.whvnottriwasilla.net

Sponsored by: Alaska Bicycle Center

Registration opens Feb 2, limited to 175 entrants

June 13 23rd Annual Mosquito Meander – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – Pioneer Park

5K walk/run – flat looped course

Contact: Sabrina Davis 456-4729

www.fcaalaska.org

Sponsored by: Fairbanks Counseling & Adoption

\$35 family includes 2 T-shirts; \$20 adult,

\$15 child under 12 includes T-shirt

After June 10, add \$10 to fee

June 13 Kodiak Bear Crawl - Kodiak

Sat Meet time: 8:30 am. Race time: 9 am

Distance: 1.5 miles, obstacle course race, Entry fee: \$40

Contact: Pam Foreman 486-3181

pam@kmxt.org

Sponsored by: Kodiak Public Broadcasting Corporation

9 obstacles designed to challenge all levels.



June 13 Mr. Miles 24 Hour of Alaska - Palmer

& 14 Race start 12N – Matanuska Lake State Rec Area/Matanuska
 Sat & Greenbelt, 4.5 mile loop course thru the greenbelt, hilly, single track trails. 6, 12 & 24 hour races, start June 13, end

12N June 14. Entry fee: \$100 Contact: Andrea Hambach wilrunco@gmail.com

www.willowrunningcompany.com
Sponsored by: Willow Running Company

June 14 Mud Factor - Anchorage

Sun Meet 9 am, Location – Kincaid Park

Distance: 5K obstacle mud run. Entry fee: \$25 & Up

Contact: info@mudfactor,com www.mudfactor.com

"Seriously Fun, 5K Obstacle Run!" for ages 14 and up.

MF Kidz! For your little runners ages 4-13.

Jun 14 Wickersham Dome Trail Run #3 Trail Series - Fairbanks

Sun Race time 11 am – White Mtns Trailhead (Mile 28 Elliott Hwy)

7.75 miles – hills, scenic, out & back, Entry fee: None

Contact: Drew Harrington 451-6604

Drew.harrington@live.com

Bobbi Jo 451-9204

Katchmar

Sponsored by: Running Club North & Goldstream

Northern Trail Series Event #3

June 14 Bill Mitchell Fun Run – Palmer

Sun Meet 9:30 am – MTA Events Center-Palmer Ice Rink * 5K adult, 5K youth (19 & under), 1 mile (13 & under)

Flat course, out & back

Race time 11 am, Entry fee: Check website Contact: Carolyn Hanson 745-2800

bchanson@mtaonline.net Palmer Chamber 745-2880 info@palmerchamber.org

www.palmerchamber.org

Sponsored by: MTA

June 14 TriTheKenai – Soldotna

Sun

Meet 8 am - Skyview Middle School Sprint & Intermediate Distance Events Race Time 10 am, Entry Fee: Check website

Tony Oliver 252-0558 Contact:

wahoo@trithekenai.com

Sponsored by: Kenai Peninsula Tourism Marketing Council Adult and youth races.

June 17 Dawn 2 Dusk/Dusk 2 Dawn Pt 1 All Night Run – Fairbanks

Race time 12:47 am on 18th, Location – UAF Ski Hut (W Ridge) & 18

Wed & 4 mile loop – roads & trails, sunset to sunrise

Thur Contact: George Berry 687-8769

membership@runningclubnorth.org

www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Registration at midnight, run all night, 12:47am to 2:58 am (sunset to sunrise)

June 17 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage

Wed

Meet time: Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm Location – Mile 2.2 Campbell Airstrip Rd

Traditional meet, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

June 18 Mayor's Midnight Sun Marathon, Marathon

Thur Relay, 1/2 Marathon, 4 Miler & Youth Cup Bib

June 19 Pick-up & Last Chance Registration – Anchorage

Thurs, 3 - 8 pm; Fri, 10 am - 6 pm - Alaska Airlines Center Fri

Contact: UAA 786-1230 track@uaa.alaska.edu

www.mayorsmarathon.com

When picking up your bib/t-shirt, check out the Expo

No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

June 20 "Nikiski Days" Family Fun Walk/Run – Nikiski

Sat

Meet 9 am – Nikiski Community Recreation Center 3 & 5 miles – groomed trails, mostly flat, some hills Race time 10 am, Entry fee: \$20, t-shirts included Tammy Berdahl 776-8800 ext. 6416

Contact: tberdahl@kbp.us

Jackie Cason 776-8800

www.northpenrec.com

Sponsored by: North Peninsula Recreation Service Area Visit the website for details & entry forms

June 20 33rd Annual Midnight Sun Run #2 Usibelli Cup- Fairbanks Sat

Time 10PM, Location – UAF Patty Center

10K run/walk

Contact: FRA 456-8901

Sponsored by: FRA & Daily News-Miner Information and on-line registration a www.midnightsunrun.net





42nd Annual **MAYOR'S MIDNIGHT SUN**

Α R A Т H 0 N

June 20, 2015 Bartlett High School tο Anchorage Park Strip Anchorage, Alaska Race Time: 7:30 a.m. Relay Start: 8:00 a.m.

Other Races Provided:

1/2 Marathon, 4 Miler - Race Start: 9:00 a.m.

Kid's Cup - Race Start: 9:00 a.m.

Walkers Welcome

Registration Deadline June 18

No Race Day Bib Pickup





Mayor's Marathon Anchorage, Alaska (907) 786-1325 www.mayorsmarathon.com

Email: track@uaa.alaska.edu



June 20 Mayor's Midnight Sun Marathon - Anchorage

Sat Meet 6:30 am – Bartlett High School

26.2 miles – Bartlett to Delaney Park Strip Race time 7:30 am, Entry fee: Check website

Registration on-line & save

Contact: UAA 786-1325 track@uaa.alaska.edu

www.mayorsmarathon.com

Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks & Recreation, University of Alaska Anchorage & ConocoPhillips Walkers welcome! Medallions to finishers, t-shirts all

No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

June 20 Mayor's Midnight Sun Relay Race – Anchorage

Sat Meet 6:30 am – Bartlett High School

26.2 miles – Bartlett to Delaney Park Strip Race time 8 am, Entry fee: Check website Registration on-line & save thru June 18 4 person relay team event, 6 team divisions Approximate leg distances – 7, 8, 5.6 & 5.6

Contact: UAA 786-1230

track@uaa.alaska.edu www.mayorsmarathon.com

Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks & Recreation, University of Alaska Anchorage & ConocoPhillips Walkers welcome! T-shirts for participants No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

June 20 Mayor's Midnight Sun 1/2 Marathon - Anchorage

Sat Meet 8 am – Delaney Park Strip

* 13.1 miles

Race time 9 am, Entry fee: Check website

Registration on-line & save Contact: UAA 786-1325

<u>track@uaa.alaska.edu</u> <u>www.mayorsmarathon.com</u>

Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks & Recreation, University of Alaska Anchorage, & ConocoPhillips Walkers welcome! T-shirts for participants

No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

June 20 Mayor's Midnight Sun 4 Miler – Anchorage

Sat Meet 8 am – Delaney Park Strip

k 4 miles

Race time 9 am, Entry fee: Check website

Registration on-line & save Contact: UAA 786-1325

<u>track@uaa.alaska.edu</u> www.mayorsmarathon.com

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No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

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Robert Spurr Mountain Run (Bird Ridge)



Mount Marathon

Matanuska Peak Challenge

Alyeska Mountain Run

Scan our QR Code or visit us at: www.alaskamountainrunners.org for race dates, information, results and archives.

pon't forget to join us at our End of Banquet.





June 20 Mayor's Midnight Sun Youth Cup – Anchorage

Sat Race time 9 am, 2 miles, Entry fee: Check website

Registration on-line & save Contact: UAA 786-1325

track@uaa.alaska.edu www.mayorsmarathon.com

Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks & Recreation, University of Alaska Anchorage & ConocoPhillips Recreation timed event, completion awards given Walkers welcome! T-shirts for participants No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

June 21 Father's Day



June 21 Robert Spurr Memorial Hill Climb - Bird

Sun Meet 8:30 am - Bird Ridge Trailhead/M.102 Seward Hwy

Please use new parking lot, Race time 10 am Bib Pickup 8:30 – 9:30 am, Entry fee: \$35 Family discounts available – see details during on-line registration, Strenuous course, 3 miles, 3400' vertical, up-hill only

Contact: Alaska Mountain Runners akmtnrun@hotmail.com

On-line registration begins May 1 and ends when full @ www.alaskamountainrunners.org

No Race Day Registration - 250 person limit

June 24 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage

Wed Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm, Location – Bartlett High School

Sprint-O, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

June 25 Jim Loftus Mile #3 Usibelli Cup - Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6:30 pm – West Valley HS Track

Distance: 1 mile, 800M for 9 and under

Contact: Bob Vitale 322-0117

Tracey Martinson 474-8353 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Usibelli Cup Event. Register on line at www.

runningclubnorth.org

Late fees apply.

June 26 Kids' Cross Country Races - Fairbanks

Fri Registration at 5:45 pm, Meet 6 pm – West Valley HS trails

(start at Soccer Field)

0.5 & 1.5 mile options, Entry fee: None Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8353

Monte Jordan 451-8696 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Saturday, July 11, 2015

HeartReach Center 2015



New Trunk Road Bike/Foot Path Palmer/Wasilla Entry Fee \$25/\$50 Family - \$35/\$60 Family Day of Race

Race starts at 10:00am, Sat. July 11

Early BIB Pick-up at HeartReach Center July10 and July 11, 9am to 1pm

Day of Race Registration & Bib Pick-up 9:00am

At Honda Hartley Motors Frontage Rd. Mile 36,5 Parks Hwy, Vehicle parking at Valley Church of Christ Parking Lot, Mile 36.6 Parks Hwy

Runners-Walkers-Strollers-Bikes Welcome!

www.HeartReachAlaska.com or 907-373-3456



June 27 Spit Run – Homer

Sat Race time 10 am – Homer High School

10K – flat, fast, point to point, certified course

Entry fee: TBA

Contact: Bill Steyer 399-1078

steyerbill@yahoo.com

www.kachemakbayrunningclub.org

Sponsored by: South Peninsula Hospital, Homer Community Recreation, Homer News & Kachemak Bay Running Club

USATF certified course

Proceeds benefit youth running sports programs

June 27 Spruce Tree Classic - Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – UAF West Ridge Ski Hut

7.2 miles – trail run, Entry fee: None Contact: Roy Strandberg 378-7111 <u>rtstrandberg@alaska.edu</u>

David McDowell 488-6068 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North A classic run on north UAF trails.

June 27 Run From The Cops – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 11 am – 911 Cushman Street FPD

5K walk/run – paved, Entry fee: \$25, t-shirts included

Contact: Brenda Geier 459-6800

Eric Jewkes

Sponsored by: Carl's Jr.

\$25 entry, \$20 for 17 & under, T-shirts

June 27 MTA Race for Technology - Palmer

Sat Meet 8:30 am – Palmer Public Library

* 5K, 1 mile youth & Team Challenge/Relay

Race time 10 am

Contact: Palmer Library 745-4690

Sponsored by: Matanuska Telephone Association Proceeds benefit Big Lake, Palmer, Sutton, Talkeetna,

Trapper Creek, Wasilla & Willow Libraries

June 27 Midnight Sun Lazyman Triathlon - Wasilla

- Aug 8 Event spans 6/27-8/8, entries accepted thru 6/27

Sat - 140.7 miles – Ironman Tri over 6 weeks Sat Entry fee: \$30, enter as individual or team

> Contact: Traci Sanders 355-6110 htraci@hotmail.com

htraci@hotmail.com Christy Hronkin 232-8871

sites.google.com/site/midnightsunlazymantriathlon/ Experience an Ironman Triathlon at your own pace. Goal is 112 miles bike, 2.5 miles swimming, 26.2 miles running (see log sheet for alternative suggestive activities).

Celebration BBQ August 8

July Exceed Women's Running Team - Anchorage Tue

Meet 6 pm – Various locations

Coached workouts, track with some trail runs

Membership: \$100

Contact: Kayse Hinrichsen 717-9939

kavsehinrichsen@gmail.com Paola Banchero 223-5102

www.runexceed.org

Sponsored by: Exceed Women's Running Team

Every Tuesday April through August

Check website for location and planned workout

All levels of runners welcome

July Women's Training - Fairbanks Tues

Meet 5:30 pm – West Valley HS Track

Track & Intervals - all levels welcome, Free

Contact: Bruce Miller 479-5585

www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

July Men's Training - Fairbanks

Tues Meet 6 pm – West Valley HS Track

Track & Intervals - all levels welcome, Free

Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8353 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

July -Peak Performers Track Club - Anchorage

Aug Central Jr High Track late April thru Aug -

Tue APU – paved roads, Central – track

Membership fee: \$65, \$110 family (2)/\$160 3 or more Contact: Jason Hofacker 240-6982

Kim Baldwin 274-1061 and in spirit, Chester Franz

Sponsored by: Peak Performers Track Club Training & conditioning program led by coaches

July Valley Women's Running Team - Palmer

Tue & Meet 6 pm – Colony High School

Tue track work out, Thu trail runs – various locations around

the vallev

Thu

Rhonda Knopp 355-6258 Contact:

rhondaknopp@hotmail.com

Norm Rousev

coachrousey@hotmail.com

https://sites.google.com/site/valleywomensrunningteam

Sponsored by: Valley Women's Running Team

Runners of all ability levels welcome Coached training held each week thru mid-August with trail runs thru September

Independence Day July 4 Sat



July 4 30th Annual Independence Day Run - Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – SE Corner of Pioneer Park

5K –fast course, Entry fee: \$20 preregister at Beaver Sports or by email akcallahans@hotmail.com, \$25 race day

T-shirts to first 100 entrants Contact: Dan Callahan 322-6097 Sponsored by: Running Club North

July 4 Seldovia 5K Salmon Shuffle - Seldovia

Sat Race time: 9 am, Location – Harbor Parking Lot

Entry fee: \$20

Contact: Tania Spurkland 399-7379

tmspurkland@alaska.edu Tobben Spurkland 399-0300 http://seldoviaartscouncil.net

Sponsored by: Seldovia Arts Council

Get a start on the 4th of July festivities with a 5K race that winds through town. Enjoy the scenery, the wildlife, the community, and racing with your fellow competitors. Prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd Male and Female, Adult and Juvenile.

July 4 Mount Marathon Race - Seward

Sat Meet 4th & Adams Street

Road/mountain run, 3,022' climb (3.5 miles) Junior division only goes to half-way point

Race times: 9:30 am juniors (7-17 years),

11:15 am women, 3 pm men

Entry limits: 350 men, 350 women, 250 juniors

Entry fee: \$25 juniors/\$65 adults

Contact: Chamber of Commerce 224-8051

<u>events@seward.net</u> <u>www.seward.com</u>

Sponsored by: Seward Chamber of Commerce All 1st year runners must participate in a safety briefing July 3 or they will not be permitted to run

Applications accepted thru Mar 31

July 4 Annual Uncle Salmon Freedom Fun Runs - Valdez

Sat Meet 8:30 am, Race time 9:30 am – Valdez Civic Center 5K and 10K – running along roadways and trails in town,

Entry fee: FREE

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

Sponsored by: Valdez Parks & Recreation

July 4 Hatcher Pass Marathon & Marathon Relay – Willow to Palmer 26.2 miles & 3 person relay – uphill 25 miles, gravel road

26.2 miles & 3 person relay – uphill 25 miles, gravel road Start Willow side Hatcher Pass Rd, finish Independence Mine

Independence Mine, Race time TBA, Entry fee: TBA

Contact: Andrea Hambach

wilrunco@gmail.com

www.willowrunningcompany.com

Sponsored by: Willow Running Company

Register on-line thru website. Carpool recommended, limited parking at start/finish. \$5 parking fee at Independence Mine State Park

Anchorage Club

Running www.anchoragerunningclub.org

August

15th &16th

Big Wild Life Runs

Our biggest race event & runners expo. Full page ad on page 66.

September-

26th

Octoberfest Run 5K & 10K

Food and clothing for the needy.

October -

10th Zombie 1/2 Marathon Kids Zombie Mini 2.5K

May 6th

Do Run Run

ARC's First event of the season. Free with ARC membership

23rd

Trent Waldron Glacier 1/2 Marathon

A good Tune up for Mayor's or BWLR.

June-

4th

Mugwumps 10K

A mid packer's challenge. Free with ARC membership

July-

12th

Boondocks Breakaway 2.5K & 5K

Trail Run with social afterwards. Free with ARC membership

15th *Master's 5K & 10K*

Life begins at 40! Free with ARC membership

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Scan this QR code and join the club. Become a member now and save.





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Mail Us At: P.O. Box 243362 • Anchorage, AK 99524-3362

July 8 Salmon Run Series #1 - Soldotna

Wed Meet 5 pm – Tsalteshi Trails

5K – multiple loop, hilly, groomed trail course

Race time 6 pm

Entry fee: \$10 on-line/\$15 in person/\$45 series Contact: Josselyn O'Connor 260-5499 x 1201

josselyn@kenaiwatershed.org

Rhonda McCormick 260-5449 x 1203

www.kenaiwatershed.org

Sponsored by: Kenai Watershed Forum

Race course differs each week

5 series race, all ages, walkers welcome

July 8 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage

Wed Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm, Location – Ruth Arcand Park

Sprint-O, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

July 9 Steve's Equinox Training #1 – Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6 pm – UAF Patty Center

8+ miles - Loop thru Equinox start to mile 5 to T-field

Emily Schwing 801-550-4752 Contact: George Berry 687-8769

www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

July 10 Kids' Cross Country Races - Fairbanks

Fri Time 6 pm, Location – West Valley HS Trails (Soccer Field)

Distance: 0.5 and 1.5 mile option

Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8353/451-8696

Sponsored by: RCN

Free. Registration 5:45 pm.

July 11 Miles for Meals - Wasilla

Sat Meet 9 am, Race time 10:45am, Location – WASI

5K – bike path, Entry fee: \$20

Contact: Claudia Dolfi 376-3104

Claudia.dolfi@alaskaseniors.com

www.wasillaseniors.com

Sponsored by: Wasilla Area Seniors

Course is flat on paved bike path. BBQ and awards to follow.

July 11 Pioneer Ridge Climb - Palmer

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 11 am, Entry fee: \$5

> Location – Pioneer Ridge Trailhead, Mile 1.4 E. Knik River Rd 4.5 miles, 5,100 feet vertical gain, uphill only on singletrack trail

Contact: Matias Saari 529-4178

matiasmountain@gmail.com

alaskamountainrunners.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Mountain Runners This is Alaska's biggest vertical gain in uphill-only races! An early start will be offered at 10 am. Parking is limited at trailhead so a shuttle will begin at 9:30 am at the west-side gravel bar immediately after crossing the Knik River Bridge.

July 11 North Pole Jingle in July - North Pole

Sat Meet: 8:30 am, Race 10:15 am, Santa Claus House

5k, Flat, Entry Fee: \$25/early, \$30/regular,

\$35/late, \$40/last min. Contact: Anna Campione

907-277-2784 acampione@arthritis.org

www.jingleinjuly.com

Sponsored by: Athritis Foundation

Wear a holiday themed costume. Tie jingle bells to your shoelaces. Raise funds to fight arthritis, the nation's leading cause of disability. Run or walk a 5 kilometer route with your team members and celebrate the summer by giving.

July 11 5K/10K for Life - Palmer/Wasilla

Sat Meet 9 am, Race time 10 am – New Trunk Rd bike/foot path

Walk/run – out & back, rolling hills, scenic byways Entry fee: \$25/\$50 family, \$35/\$60 family day of race

Contact: Patti Price 373-3456

patti.price@heartreachalaska.com Joyce Moropoulos 373-3456 www.heartreachalaska.com

Sponsored by: HeartReach Center

Registration/bib pick-up at Honda Hartley Motors Frontage Road, mile 36.5 Parks Highway, vehicle parking at Valley

Church of Christ, mile 36.6 Parks Highway

Great relaxing place to run/walk, bring your own sack lunch Early bib pick up at Heartreach Center 7/9 & 10, 9 am-1 pm

July 11 North Pole Triathlon - Fairbanks

Sat Time 9 am, Location – Chena Lakes Rec Area

Distance: 1500M swim, 40K bike, 10K run

Contact: Tyson Flaharty Amber Barlow

thebreakuptri@hotmail.com

\$40 fee + \$12 one day pass. USAT sanctioned.

99 participant limit

July 11 Bear Paw 5K Run - Eagle River

Sat Meet 8:30 am bib pick-up/reg, Race time: 10:30 am

Main Street Eagle River, Entry fee: \$30, \$80 family of 4
 (immediate only), additional members \$20, \$40/\$95 family of 4 race day, includes t-shirt

For entry only, no t-shirt, \$20/\$60 family of 4 (immediate

only), \$25/\$70 family race day Contact: Joey Caterinichio

jcaterinichio@alaska.net

info@cer.com

Sponsored by: Anch Women's Clinic, Midas, Skinny Raven Hosted by: ANR/ERNTC Sign up at Skinny Raven, Eagle River Chamber of Commerce or register on-line

@ www.cer.org or www.skinnvraven.com

Fun for all ages

Boondocks Breakaway - Anchorage July 12

Sun Race time 11 am - Kincaid Outdoor Center

2.5 & 5K – scenic trails thru park

Entry fee: ARC Membership

Contact: www.anchoragerunningclub.org Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club

15th Annual Ester Dome Ass Kicker #4 Trail Series -July 12 Sun **Fairbanks**

Time 10 am, Location – Golden Eagle and Ester Gold Camp parking lots

Distance: 6.75 miles

Contact: Oralee Nudson 252-0530

Robbin Garer-Slaught 378-4989

Sponsored by: RCN, Goldstream Sports

Very steep trail run! Toughest short distance race in Interior.

Salmon Run Series #2 - Soldotna July 15

Wed

Meet 5 pm - Tsalteshi Trails

5K – multiple loop, hilly, groomed trail course

Race time 6 pm

Entry fee: \$10 on-line/\$15 in person/\$45 series Contact: Josselyn O'Connor 260-5499 x 1201

josselyn@kenaiwatershed.org

Rhonda McCormick 260-5449 x 1203

www.kenaiwatershed.org

Sponsored by: Kenai Watershed Forum

Race course differs each week

5 series race, all ages, walkers welcome

July 15 Alaska Men's Run Registration & Bib PU- Anchorage

Wed

4 – 6:30 pm – Skinny Raven Sports, 800 H St (run July 18) 5 mile run/2 mile walk – Chester Creek paved trails Entry fee: \$35/\$70 family, \$45/\$80 race day, includes t-shirt & prizes, visit the website for additional info Contact: Dave Fisher 622-9243

Sponsored by: Alaska Men's Run Race Board

Register on-line @ www.alaskamensrun.com thru July 17

Race day registration from 8:30–9:30 am

July 15 Masters' 5 & 10K – Anchorage

Wed

Meet 5:30 pm – Chuck Albrecht Fields 5 & 10K – flat, out & back on paved trails Race time 6 pm, Entry fee: ARC Membership Contact: info@anchoragerunningclub.org

www.anchoragerunningclub.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club Limited to runners 40 years of age or older

July 15 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage

Wed

Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm, Location – Kincaid Raspberry Lot

Bike-O, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

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July 16Alaska Men's Run Registration & Bib PU- AnchorageThu4 - 6:30 pm - Skinny Raven Sports, 800 H St (run July 18)

5 mile run/2 mile walk – Chester Creek paved trails Entry fee: \$35/\$70 family, \$45/\$80 race day, includes t-shirt & prizes, visit the website for additional info

Contact: Dave Fisher 622-9243

Sponsored by: Alaska Men's Run Race Board

Register on-line @ www.alaskamensrun.com thru July 17

Race day registration from 8:30-9:30 am

July 16 Steve's Equinox Training #2 – Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6 pm – Ann's Greenhouse pull-out 8 miles – Equinox Trail Mile 8.5 – 4.5 – 8.5

Contact: Émily Schwing 801-550-4752 George Berry 687-8769

www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

July 18 Opera Fairbanks/FNBA Run of the Valkyries #4 Sat Usibelli Cup – Fairbanks

Time 10 am, Location – Pioneer Park

Distance: 8K

Contact: Thomas Gross 322-7093

Sponsored by: FNBA, Rods' Saw Shop, TJ's Land Trophies, costume contest. T-shirts for first 250. \$15 under 16 and \$20 Pre bid pick

July 18 Alaska Men's Run – Anchorage

Sat Meet 8:30 am – Anchorage Football Stadium * 5 mile run/2 mile walk – Chester Creek paved trails

Entry fee: \$45/\$80 race day,

Race time 10 am, includes t-shirt & prizes

Contact: Dave Fisher 622-9243

dfisher@gci.net

John Swartz 349-0906

Sponsored by: Alaska Men's Run Race Board Register on-line @www.alaskamensrun.com thru July 17 Race day registration from 8:30-9:30 am, event open to all. Men, women, children, teams & military encouraged. Grants available for individuals and organizations supporting advocacy, education and early detection. Proceeds benefit Alaska men with prostate or testicular cancer. Every year we make a difference! Post race BBO.

July 18 XTERRA Hammerman Duathlon – Anchorage

Meet 8 am – Little Campbell Lake/Kincaid Park 1.2M trail run, 14M mtn bike, 4 mile trail run, off road duathlon, Race time 10 am, Entry fee: \$82

Contact: Andy Duenow 344-2740

Sat

ajdino@gci.net

Jason Lamoreaux 350-3625

Wwww.alaskatriathlon.org

Sponsored by: Chain Reaction Cycles, Kaladi Brothers Coffee, Skinny Raven , AA Spine & Pain Clinic & Tieszen Chiropractic

Presented by: Alaska Triathlon Club

Race consists of a 1.2 mile trail run, 14 mile mt bike, and a 4 mile trail run. Use of road, hybrid or 'cross bikes not allowed, this is a mountain bike event only.

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For information on volunteer opportunities, donor categories and/or race information contact:

Dave Fisher: 622-9243 or visit us at:

www.alaskamensrun.com

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Presented by: Alaska Triathlon Club

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July 18 Sat 25 **Crow Pass Crossing – Girdwood**

Meet 6 am, Race time 7 am - Crow Pass Trailhead

24 miles - Crow Pass, Girdwood to Eagle River Visitor's Ctr

Entry fee: \$65 - Limited to 130 entrants Mandatory bib pick-up & meeting July 17 Rough cross-country & mountain trail

Contact: Mike Friess 786-1325

anmaf@uaa.alaska.edu Sponsored by: UAA Milers Booster Club Registration forms available in May

@ www.goseawolves.com

July 18 AK Salmon Runs/King Salmon Marathon - Cordova

Meet 6:20 am. Race time 7 am – Copper River Highway Flat & very scenic; mountains & glaciers line course

Entry fee: \$40

Sat

Contact: Kristin Carpenter 424-3334

runningwild@copperriver.org www.copperriverwild.org/run.htm

Copper River WILD! Salmon Festival activities feature running, music, Small Fry Arts & Educational activities, a weekend of singing out salmon. Salmon BBQ Sat night.

Medals for all ½ & Marathon finishers

July 18 AK Salmon Runs/Sockeve ½ Marathon – Cordova

Meet 9 am, Race time 9:30 am – Copper River Highway Sat Flat, mostly paved, scenic; mountains & glaciers line course Entry fee \$40

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runningwild@copperriver.org www.copperriverwild.org/run.htm

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Medals for all ½ & Marathon finishers

July 18 AK Salmon Runs/Coho 10K - Cordova

Meet 10 am, Race time 10:30 am – Cooper River Highway Sat Entry fee \$18, Flat, ½ gravel/½ paved; mtns & glaciers line course

Contact: Kristin Carpenter 424-3334 runningwild@copperriver.org

www.copperriverwild.org/run.htm

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July 18 AK Salmon Runs/Humpy 5K - Cordova

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 10:45 am – Cooper River Highway * Flat, paved, scenic; mountains & glaciers line course

Entry fee \$18

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July 18 AK Salmon Runs/Smolt One Mile - Cordova

Sat Meet 10:45 am, Race time 11:15 am – Cooper River Highway

Flat, paved, scenic

Entry fee \$10 for kids 9 - 15

Contact: Kristin Carpenter 424-3334 runningwild@copperriver.org www.copperriverwild.org/run.htm

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July 19 Run for the Refuge - Fairbanks

Sun

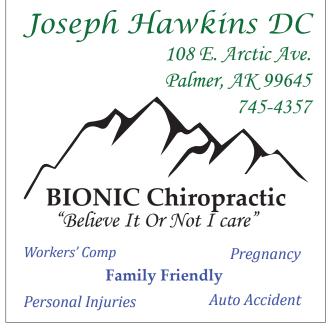
Race time 1 pm – UAF Ski Hut (W. Ridge)

5 & 10K – trail run

Entry fee: \$25 adult, \$15 children, \$5 late fee after 7/16

Contact: Elisabeth Dabney 452-5021

Sponsored by: Northern AK Environmental Center



July 19 Her Tern Women's 1/2 Marathon - Anchorage

Sun Meet 8 am – Delaney Park Strip (West End)

13.1 miles – out & back, Race time 9 am, walkers wave 8 am

Contact: Mark Iverson 274-7222 timing@skinnvraven.com

www.skinnvraven.com

Sponsored by: Her Tern Boutique, Brooks

Women's only ½ marathon, perfect training opportunity

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July 19 Her Tern 1/4 Marathon - Anchorage

Sun Meet 8 am – Delaney Park Strip (West End)

6.55 miles – loop course, Race time 9:10 am

Contact: Mark Iverson 274-7222 timing@skinnyraven.com www.skinnvraven.com

Sponsored by: Her Tern Boutique, Brooks

July 20 Gold Discovery Run Bib Pick Up – Fairbanks

thru 25 Race time 10 am - 7 pm - Toy Quest

Mon-\$30 advance fee prior to bib pick up, \$35 at bib pick-up,

Sat \$50 on race day.

Contact: Garv Pohl 452-2128

Bob Hildebrandt 479-7335 www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North & Others

Salmon Run Series #3 - Soldotna July 22

Wed

Meet 5 pm, Race time 6 pm – Tsalteshi Trails 5K – multiple loop, hilly, groomed trail course Entry fee: \$10 on-line/\$15 in person/\$45 series Contact: Josselyn O'Connor 260-5499 x 1201 josselyn@kenaiwatershed.org

Rhonda McCormick 260-5449 x 1203

www.kenaiwatershed.org

Sponsored by: Kenai Watershed Forum

Race course differs each week

5 series race, all ages, walkers welcome

Golden Mile Bib Pick Up - Fairbanks July 22

Wed 5-8 pm - Literacy Council of Alaska, 517 Gaffney Road

Entry Fee: \$10 youth, \$15 adult, \$25 family.

Contact: Jim Brader 452-4986 Andy Holland 479-4444

www.literacycouncilofalaska.org

Sponsored by: RCN, LCA

July 23 Steve's Equinox Training #3 – Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6 pm – Ann's Greenhouse Pull-out

8 miles – Equinox trail Mile 8.5 - 12.5 - 8.5

Contact: Emily Schwing 801-550-4752 George Berry 687-8769

www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North Leads The Golden Days Parade

July 24 Kids' Cross Country Races - Fairbanks

Fri Time 6 pm – West Valley HS Trails (start at Soccer Field)

Distance: 0.5 and 1.5 miles options

Free. Registration 5:45 pm.

Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8353 Monte Jordan 451-8696

Sponsored by: RCN

July 24 Jeff Dusenbury Sweat Fest & Fun Run - Anchorage

Fri Meet Time: 5:30 pm, Race Time 7 pm, Location TBA

Distance: 5.2K & 2K

Contact: Missy Roberts 907-230-2913

missyaak@gmail.com

Sponsored by: Jeff Dusenbury Memorial

Join the fun for this new run in honor of Jeff Dusenbury. An event for the whole family honoring Jeff and continuing to support organizations to which he gave so much.

July 25 Alyeska Golden Mile - Fairbanks

Sat Time 9:50 am – Aurora Energy Power Plant on First Avenue

Distance: 1 mile

Contact: Jim Brader 452-4986

Andy Holland 479-4444

Sponsored by: ECN & Literacy Council of Alaska Great prizes. Fund Raiser for Literacy Council of Alaska.

\$5 extra race day entry.



July 25 22nd Annual Sourdough Triathlon (1/2 Ironman) – Fairbanks

Sat Time 10 am – 30.5 Mile Steese highway

Distance: 1.2 swim, 56 bike, 13.1 run, Relay options

\$50 + \$12 one day fee. USAT sanctioned. 99 participant limit.

Contact: Tyson Flaharty Amber Barlow

thebreakuptri@hotmail.com

Sponsored by: Alaska's Sourdough Triathlon

July 25 ACMHS Race for Recovery - Anchorage

Sat Meet 9:30 am, Race time 9:30 am – Tozier Track

5K Mud Run, Entry fee: \$45

Contact: Jennifer Smerud 907-261-5395

Jennifer.smerud@acmhs.com

ACMHS 563-1000 www.acmhs.com

5K course packed with natural and man-made obstacles, this event is fun for both the serious runner and the casual stroller. There is even a mini-muddy for children ages 7+. Choose a timed start and challenge yourself or choose untimed and take your time.

July 25 Subway's Tri-Harder-Thon - Seward

Sat Meet 8 am – Spring Creek Campground

5 mile kayak, 6.3 mile trail run, 18.6 mile road bike

Race time 11 am, Entry fee: Check website

Contact: Melanie Hauze 224-4011

mhauze@cityofseward.net www.cityofseward.us

Sponsored by: Subway & SP&R & Qotekcak Native Tribe Limited to 60 participants, must have 20 participants to hold event. Must provide own kayak, teams must consist of three different individuals, 18 years & older. Annual pass, family, volunteer & military discounts

July 26 50th Annual Gold Discovery Run #5 Usibelli Cup – Fairbanks

Sun Time 8 am - 9 am – Fox Roadhouse

Distance: 16.5 Miles

Contact: Gary Pohl 452-2128 Sponsored by: RCN & Others

Usibelli Cup Event and 50th Annual. Limited to 200 runners.

BBQ and awards.

July 26 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage

Sun Mass start 10 am – Chugach State Park, website for start location

Mountain-O

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Big Lake Triathlon USAT Sanctioned - Big Lake July 26

Meet time: 8 am, Race time: 10 am, Location – Big Lake Sun

Entry fee: 60/120

900 m open water/20K bike/5K run Contact: Deb Kirk 892-6109 biglake@mtaonline.net

Nancie Linley 892-6109 www.biglakechamber.org

Sponsored by: Big Lake Chamber of Commerce

July 26 Bearfest Marathon, ½ Marathon & 5K - Wrangell

Sun Meet time 7 am – Nolan Center

26.2/13.1 miles & 5K – great course out & back along the water

Race time 8 am Entry fee: \$50/\$25

Contact: Sylvia Ettefagh 907-874-2998 Lucy Robinson 907-305-0463 fun@alaskabearfest.org

www.alaskabearfest.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Bearfest, Alaska Airlines & S.E. Beasts

July 29 Salmon Run Series #4 - Soldotna

Wed Meet 5 pm - Tsalteshi Trails

5K – multiple loop, hilly, groomed trail course

Race time 6 pm

Entry fee: \$10 on-line/\$15 in person/\$45 series Contact: Josselyn O'Connor 260-5499 x 1201

josselyn@kenaiwatershed.org

Rhonda McCormick 260-5449 x 1203

www.kenaiwatershed.org

Sponsored by: Kenai Watershed Forum Race course differs each week

5 series race, all ages, walkers welcome

July 30 Steve's Equinox Training #4 – Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6 pm – Top of Ester Dome

5 miles - Equinox "out & back"

Contact: Emily Schwing 801-550-4752

George Berry 687-8769 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Aug Exceed Women's Running Team - Anchorage Tue

Meet 6 pm – Various locations

Coached workouts, track with some trail runs

Membership: \$100

Contact: Kayse Hinrichsen 717-9939

kaysehinrichsen@gmail.com Paola Banchero 223-5102

www.runexceed.org

Sponsored by: Exceed Women's Running Team

Every Tuesday April through August

Check website for location and planned workout

All levels of runners welcome

Peak Performers Track Club – Anchorage Aug Tue

Central Jr High Track late April thru Aug -

APU – paved roads, Central – track

Membership fee: \$65, \$110 family (2)/\$160 3 or more

Contact: Jason Hofacker 240-6982 Kim Baldwin 274-1061 and in spirit, Chester Franz

Sponsored by: Peak Performers Track Club Training & conditioning program led by coaches

Aug Women's Training – Fairbanks

Tues Meet 5:30 pm – West Valley HS Track

Track & Intervals - all levels welcome. Free

Contact: Bruce Miller 479-5585 www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

Men's Training - Fairbanks Aug

Meet 6 pm – West Vallev HS Track Tues

Track & Intervals - all levels welcome, Free Tracey Martinson 474-8353 Contact: www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Aug Valley Women's Running Team – Palmer

Tue & Meet 6 pm - Colony High School

Thu Tue track work out, Thu trail runs - various locations around

the vallev

Contact: Rhonda Knopp 355-6258

rhondaknopp@hotmail.com Norm Rousev coachrousey@hotmail.com

https://sites.google.com/site/valleywomensrunningteam

Sponsored by: Valley Women's Running Team

Runners of all ability levels welcome. Coached training held each week thru mid-August with trail runs thru September

Aug 1 22nd Annual Chena Hot Springs Run & Soak #5 Trail Series - Fairbanks Sat

Time 11 am, Location – Angel Rocks Trailhead Distance: 8.5 miles trail Contact: Keith Pollock 479-0779

Sponsored by: RCN, Chena Hot Springs Entry fee – potluck BBQ.

Aug 1 Running Free 5K – Eagle River Sat

Meet 9:30 am, Race time 10:30 am, Location-Eagle River HS 5K out and back mostly flat with one hill, Entry fee: TBD

Tim Alderson 997-301-6512 Contact: info@runningfreealaska.com

www.facebook.com/runningfreealaska

Sponsored by: Running Free Alaska

Highlight of this race is a loop around Hiland Mountain Correctional Center. Inmates who participate in Running Free Alaska's prison running program will cheer on runners from behind the fence line, and will also staff a half-way aid station.

Aug 1 Celebrate Life! 5K Run & Walk – Soldotna Sat

Meet 8:30 am. Race 10 am. Location – Soldotna Bible Chapel

5K – flat, residential & along hwy Entry fee: Free

Contact: Receptionist 907-283-9062

info@abcwecare.org

Colleen Ward 907-283-9062

www.abcwecare.org

Sponsored by: ABC Pregnancy Care Center

Donations welcome. Free t-shirt and brunch. Runners 5K starts at 10 am, walkers at 10:05 am on a shorter course suitable for all ages.

Aug 1 Matanuska Peak Challenge – Palmer

Sat Meet 8 am - Lazy Mountain Parking Lot

14 miles, 9,100' vertical gain Race time 9 am, Entry fee: \$30 Contact: Braun Kopsack 746-5133

www.alaskamountainrunners.org

Sponsored by: Knik Glacier Adventures No aid stations available. Mandatory gear (windbreaker/long underwear tops/bottoms, hat, gloves, H20 bottle) required

Aug 1 Homer Breast Cancer Beach Run & Ride - Homer

Meet 8:30 am. Race time 9:30 am. Location – Mariner Park

Entry fee: \$35

Sat

Contact: Heather O'Connor 235-3436

Heather@kbfpc.org info@kbfpc.org kbfpc.org

Sponsored by: Kachemak Bay Family Planning Clinic 21st Annual Homer Breast Cancer Beach Run and Ride. Kids 12 and under are free.

Aug 1 Wildlife Rescue Run/Walk - Seward

Sat Meet 9:30 – 11:30 am – Alaska SeaLife Center 5K – mostly flat, scenic route along waterfront Race time 11:15 am walkers, 12 Noon runners

Entry fee: \$25/\$20 (15 and under), \$30/\$25 Race Day

Contact: Nancy Anderson 224-6396 nancya@alaskasealife.org Shannon Wolf 224-6355 shannonw@alaskasealife.org

www.alaskasealife.org

Sponsored by: Alaska SeaLife Center Entry fee includes t-shirt & admission to ASLC race day Proceeds benefit the rescue, rehabilitation & release of Alaska marine animals

Aug 1 Run for Relief - Anchorage

Sat Meet 9 am – Faith Christian Community, 4240 Wisconsin 5K – flat, fast – West Turnagain, Race time 10 am

Entry fee: Donation

Contact: miles@alaska.net www.faithak.com

Sponsored by: Faith Christian Community Increase awareness of the situation in Burma,

visit www.freeburmarangers.org

Proceeds benefit the relief efforts in Burma (Myanmar)

Yukon River Trail Marathon - Whitehorse, Yukon Aug 2

Meet 7:30 am, Race time 8:30 am, Location-Rotary Park Sun

13, 26 – mostly trail, scenic and challenging.

Entry fee: \$50 cdn

Contact: Ken Sylvestre 867-668-7592

vukonmarathon@gmail.com

www.vukonmarathon.com

Sponsored by: Boreal Adventure Running Association Also 4-person relay. Race fills in early-mid July.

Aug 5 Salmon Run Series #5 - Soldotna

Wed Meet 5 pm – Tsalteshi Trails

5K – multiple loop, hilly, groomed trail course

Race time 6 pm

Entry fee: \$10 on-line/\$15 in person/\$45 series Josselyn O'Connor 260-5499 x 1201 Contact:

josselyn@kenaiwatershed.org

Rhonda McCormick 260-5449 x 1203

www.kenaiwatershed.org

Sponsored by: Kenai Watershed Forum

Race course differs each week

5 series race, all ages, walkers welcome

Aug 5 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage Wed

Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm, Location – UAA Campus

Relay-0

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

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further information online: http://www.leeshoreak.org/

The LeeShore Center is a United Way agency



Aug 6 Steve's Equinox Training #5 – Fairbanks

Thu Meet 6 pm – Top of Ester Dome

9 miles – Equinox Trail Mile 17 – 21.5 – 17

Contact: Emily Schwing 801-550-4752

George Berry 687-8769 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Aug 8 21st Santa Claus ½ Marathon #6 Usibelli Cup – North Pole

Sat Race time 8 - 9 am, Location – North Pole High School

13.1 miles - flat, out & back

Entry fee: \$20 advance/No race day registration. Contact: Colin Topp, colin.topp@k12northstar.org

Awesome post race BBQ! 757-618-0949

Aug 8 Midnight Sun Lazyman Triathlon - Wasilla

Sat Event spans 6/27-8/8, entries accepted thru 6/27

140.7 miles – Ironman Tri over 6 weeks Entry fee: \$30, enter as individual or team

Contact: Traci Sanders 355-6110 htraci@hotmail.com Christy Hronkin 232-8871

sites.google.com/site/midnightsunlazymantriathlon/
Experience an Ironman Triathlon at your own pace. Goal
Is 112 miles bike, 2.5 miles swimming, 26.2 miles running
(see log sheet for alternative suggestive activities).
Celebration BBQ on this day!

Aug 8 Imagine No Malaria Charity Run – Willow

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 10:30 am

Location-Willow Community Center 5K - out and back, mostly flat, Entry fee: \$20

Contact: Daniel P. Wilcox

WillowUM@mtaonline.net Fran Lynch 495-6638 www.WillowUMC.org

Sponsored by: Willow United Methodist Church

Fund raiser for Imagine No Malaria.

This is an effort to eliminate malaria through prevention, treatment, education, and communication. For more information please see imaginenomalaria.org

Aug 8 Run Wild – Girdwood

Sat Meet 10:30 am, Race time 11 am

Location-5K access trail at the end of Arlberg Ave

1K/5K forested loop (wild rain forest) Entry fee: \$30 individual/\$75 family Contact: Amanda Snitzer 717-3723 asnitzer@hotmail.com

Anna Flemming 952-4179 Littlebearsplayhouse.com/runwild

Sponsored by: Little Bears Playhouse

Children's and Adult events, supports Girdwood's only non-profit childcare center. This is an all weather event.

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REGISTER ONLINE AT www.bigwildliferuns.org

Aug 8 Kenai Peninsula Run for Women - Kenai

Sat Meet 9 am, Race time 10 am – Kenai City Park

5 & 10K – multi-looped course thru downtown streets Entry

fee: \$20/\$25 race day

Contact: Jennette Browning 283-9479

jbrowning@leeshoreak.org Ashley Blatchford 283-9479

www.leeshoreak.org

Sponsored by: The LeeShore Center Course is wheelchair accessible & certified

Aug 8 Alaska 10K Classic – Anchorage

Sat Meet 9 am – APU, Moseley Sports Center * Race time 10 am, Entry fee: Check Website

Contact: Mark Iverson 274-7222

timing@skinnyraven.com www.skinnyraven.com

This event run in conjunction with USATF 10K

Road Running Championships

A USA Track & Field Sanctioned Event Proceeds benefit Special Olympics Alaska

Aug 9 Mountain Bike Tri – Fairbanks

Sun Location – TBD

Contact: Amber Barlow 322-4321

Aug 9 Alaska International Senior games Track & Field Events Sun - Fairbanks

Time Various, Location – TBD,

Distance: Various

Contact: Bad Bob Baker

alaskaisg@gmail.com

Sponsored by: AISG

Must preregister with Senior Games and be age 50.

www.alaskaisg.org

Aug 10 Alaska Int'l Senior Games 5K - Fairbanks

Mon Race time 6:30 pm, Location – Chena Lakes Rec Area

Contact: Don Kiely 455-6749 www.alaskaisg.org

Sponsored by: Alaska International Senior Games

Must pre-register with AISG & be 50 years & up

Aug 11 Orienteering Meet - Anchorage

Tue Starts from 10 am to 6 pm, Location – East High School

Score-O, Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage School District & Arctic

Orienteering Club

Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Aug 12 Alaska Int'l Senior Games 10K - Fairbanks

Wed Race time 6:30 pm, Location – Chena Lakes Rec Area

Contact: Don Kiely 455-6749 www.alaskaisg.org

Sponsored by: Alaska International Senior Games Must pre-register with AISG & be 50 years & up

Aug 13 Steve's Equinox Training #6 – Fairbanks Thu

Meet 6 pm – Top of Ester Dome, 9+ miles

Equinox Trail Mile 17 to St Pats & up Ester Dome

Emily Schwing 801-550-4752 Contact: George Berry 687-8769 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs" Aug 14 Fri Bib/Packet PU & Registration & Expo - Anchorage

3 – 7 pm – Denaina Center Contact: sharron@bwlr.org www.bigwildliferuns.org

Alaska Statehood 5K Fun Run/Walk 2014 - Fairbanks

Aug 15 Sat

Time 10 am. Location – Pioneer park – canoe rental

Distance: 5K run/walk

Contact: Jill Dolan 978-0112 Phoebe Bredlie 590-4361

Sponsored by: RCN/Team in Training

\$20 entry include T-shirt. All proceeds to Team-in-Training.

Aug 15 CASA Superhero Run – Kenai

Meet 10 am, Race time 11 am, Location-Kenai Park Strip Sat

5K Entry fee: \$25

Contact: Joy Petrie 335-7219

ipetrie@kenaitze.org Kimmi Davis

kdavis@kenaitze.org

https://www.facebook.com/ KenaiSuperhero5kRunWalk

Sponsored by: Kenaitze Indian Tribe

Every child needs a hero, but abused and neglected children need a SUPERHERO! Participants are encouraged to come out in their best superhero costume, though not required! Fun for family! Proceeds benefit children served thru Kenai Peninsula CASA.

Aug 15 Nifty Fifty - Juneau

Sat

Meet 7:30 am, Location - End of Basin Road Sat

Race time: 8 am for 50K, 9 am for 25K and 10K

Perseverance, Granite Creek, Mt. Roberts, & Salmon Creek Trails

Entry fee: \$20 for 50K, \$15 for 25K and 10K

Pre-register at ultrasignup.com Contact: Keith Levy 586-1427 keithblevy@gmail.com

http://ultrasignup.com/register.aspx?did=30671

Sponsored by: Southeast Road Runners

Challenging course on beautiful trails with lots of climbing.

Alyeska Mountain Run - Girdwood Aug 15

Meet time: 8 am, Race time: 10 am, Location – Alyeska Tram

Distance: 2.2 mi, Entry fee: \$30

Contact: Brian Burnett 907-382-5880 burntski@gmail.com Deb Essex 907-229-1902 www.skigirdwood.org

Sponsored by: Girdwood Nordic Ski Club Alaska Mountain Runners Gran Prix Event.

Aug 15 Granite Tors Trail Run #6 Trail Series - Fairbanks

Time 10 am, Location - Mile 39 Chena Hot Springs Road Sat

Distance: 15 miles

Contact: Chris Greene 978-6472

Sponsored by: RCN

Must carry water! \$5 parking fee at State Park.

Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs" Aug 15 Sat

Bib/Packet PU, Last Change Reg. & Expo - Anchorage

9 am – 3 pm – Denaina Center Contact: sharron@bwlr.org www.bigwildliferuns.org

Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs" Aug 15

Sat Pasta Feed - Anchorage

12:30 – 2:30 pm – Denaina Center Entry fee: \$10/free for volunteers Contact: sharron@bwlr.org www.bigwildliferuns.org Purchase on-line or at Bib/Packet pick-up

Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs" Aug 15

The Anchorage Mile - Anchorage Sat

Race time 10:30 am – Delaney Parkstrip

sharron@bwlr.org Contact: www.bigwildliferuns.org

Sponsored by: ARC

Race consists of four heats, each heat limited to 50 runners.

Aug 15 Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs"

Sat The Children's Hospital at Providence's Kids 2K - Anchorage

Race time 9:30 am – Delaney Parkstrip

2K - untimed, flat, city streets

Entry fee: Donation, for ages 12 & under

Contact: sharron@bwlr.org

Sponsored by: ARC & The Children's Hospital at Providence

Medals & hats for all

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Aug 15 Eagle River Challenge – Eagle River

Sat Meet 9 am – Eagle River Nature Center

5 & 10K - trail run, scenic

Race time 10 am, Pre-registration entry fee: \$30

After August 13, 2015 entry fee: \$35

Contact: Laura Kruger or Asta Spurgis 694-2108

admin@ernc.org www.ernc.org

Sponsored by: Friends of ERNC

Proceeds benefit the Eagle River Nature Center

Aug 16 Alaska International Senior Games Triathlon - Fairbanks

Sun Time 9 am. Location – TBD

> Distance: 400Y swim, 10K bike, 5K run Amber Barlow 322-4321 Contact:

Ed Callaghan

Sponsored by: AISG

Must preregister with Senior Games and be age 50.



Aug 16 Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs"
Sun United Physical Therapy 49K Ultra Race - Anchorage

Meet – 6th Avenue near Town Square Relatively flat, some hills, & paved trails Race time 8 am, Entry fee: Check website

Discount for ARC members/military

Contact: sharron@bwlr.org

www.bigwildliferuns.org

Sponsored by: ARC & United Physical Therapy Early registration ends January 31

USATF certified course, professional timing No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

Aug 16 Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs"
Sun Moose's Tooth Run/Walk Marathon & Bear

Tooth's 4-Person Marathon Relay – **Anchorage** Meet – 6th Avenue near Town Square

Relatively flat, some hills, & paved trails Race time 9 am Marathon/Relay, 8 am Marathon Walk

Entry fee: Check website, discount for ARC members/military

Contact: <u>sharron@bwlr.org</u>

www.bigwildliferuns.org Sponsored by: ARC, Moose's Tooth & Bear Tooth

Early registration ends January 31

USATF certified course, professional timing

No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

Aug 16 Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs" Sun Skinny Raven 1/2 Marathon - Anchorage

Meet – 6th Avenue near Town Square Relatively flat, some hills, & paved trails

Race time 9:30 am runners/walkers

Entry fee: Check website, discount for ARC members/military

Contact: sharron@bwlr.org

www.bigwildliferuns.org

Sponsored by: ARC & Skinny Raven Sports

Early registration ends January 31

USATF certified course, professional timing

No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

Aug 16 Anchorage Running Club's "Big Wild Life Runs"

Sun Snow City Café 5K - Anchorage

Meet – 6th Avenue near Town Square 2 loop flat course on downtown streets Race time 10 am runners/walkers

Entry fee: Check website, discount for ARC members/military

Contact: sharron@bwlr.org

www.bigwildliferuns.org Sponsored by: ARC & Snow City Café Early registration ends January 31

USATF certified course, professional timing

No Race Day Registration or Bib Pick-up

Orienteering Meet - Anchorage Aug 19

Wed 6 pm mass start, Location – Goose Lake Park Score-O followed by annual meeting cookout

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Aug 20 Steve's Equinox Training #7 – Fairbanks

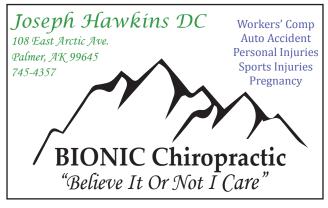
Thu Meet 5:30 pm – UAF Patty Center to shuttle to Ester Dome

9.5 miles, Equinox Trail Mile 17 – 26.2 finish

Contact: Emily Schwing 378-8504

George Berry 687-8769 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North Shuttle from Patty Center to Ester Dome



Aug 22 RHR Rock-N-Roll 5K & 10K Walk, Run, and Roll – Valdez

Sat Meet 10 am – John Kelsev Dock/Plaza

> 5K & 10K – running or biking along DOT bike path and in town roadways, Kids 1K race starts 10:45 am,

Bike races start at 11 am. Runs start at 11:05 am

Entry fee: \$10/5K Bike or Run, \$15/10K Bike or Run, or \$50/

Family (1K Kids Race-FREE)

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

Sponsored by: Richardson Hwy Rendezvous Music Fest and Valdez Parks & Rec

Proceeds benefit Friends of the Valdez Animal Shelter and KCHU Public Radio.

Costume contest – dress up as your favorite rock start or musician. We also welcome dogs & other pets (on leashes) to this 5K or 10K run or bike race along the beautiful Valdez Duck Flats and throughout town.

Aug 22 The Milk Run - Anchorage

Sat Meet 9 am - Russian Jack Park, 801 N Pine Street

5K – XC course, dirt & paved Entry fee: \$15/\$40 family

Contact: Arthur Harmon 333-2422

owensmilkmoney@gmail.com www.owensmilkmonev.org

Proceeds benefit Owen's Milk Money, a memorial fund that supports breastfeeding women & children through the Providence Lactation Clinic

Aug 22 8th Annual Seekins Ford Golden Heart Trail Run #7 Sat Usibelli Cup - Fairbanks

Race time 10:00 am - Birch Hill Recreation Area Sponsored by: Seekins Ford, organized by Nordic Ski Club T-shirts, prize table.

Equinox Training Run (the annual long one) - Fairbanks Aug 23 Sun

Time 9 am, Location – Ann's Greenhouse Pull-out

Distance: 11 or 16 Miles

Emily Schwing 801-550-4752 Contact:

George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN Ester Dome

Orienteering Meet - Anchorage Aug 26

Wed Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm

> Location – Elmendorf Base, see website about access Traditional meet, beginner thru advanced courses available

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Anchorage Parks and Recreation 2015 SCHEDULE Sept 8 Sept 15 Sept 22 Sept 29 Oct 6 Oct 13 Oct 20 Oct 27 Nov 3

The Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series is an Anchorage family tradition. These fun races are like no other in town. Come join us and run through the seasons!

Race Time 6:30p

www.muni.org/parks

Munchkin 1-5K Farm <u>3-10</u>

1-5K Kids & Kids at heart3-10K Recreational Runners

Lightning 4-12K Competitive Runners











Aug 28 Fair Day 5K Tater Trot – Palmer

Fri Meeting time 4:00-6:00 pm – Alaska Club Palmer

Race time 6:30 pm

Contact: Vera Hershey 355-0222

Sponsored by: Valley Women's Running Team

Visit https://sites.google.com/site/valleywomensrunningteam/ or FB for updates. Event open to men, women & families

Aug 29 Musk Ox Run #7 Trail Series - Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – UAF Musk Ox Farm

13.1 miles (half marathon)

Contact: Bobbi Jo Katchmar 451-9204 Drew Harrington 451-6604

www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

Hilly out & back. \$5 suggested donation to Musk Ox Farm.

Festivities & BBQ after!

Aug 29 UAA Spirit Run - Anchorage

Sat Meet 9 am, Race time 10 am, Location – UAA Campus

5K-trails/UAA Campus, Entry fee: Students FREE, \$10/Public

Contact: Rachel Kampstra 786-1272 rkampstra@uaa.alaska.edu

rkampstra@uaa.alaska.edu Mike McCormick 786-1213

http://www.facebook.com/uaa.spirit.run

www.uaatrix.com

Sponsored by: UAA Student Activities. Second annual UAA Spirit Run. Dress in your best green and gold attire, Go Seawolves! This will be a 5K fun run and is open to anyone.

Aug 30 REI Run Series – Anchorage Sun Meet 8:45 am. Race time 10 au

Meet 8:45 am, Race time 10 am, Location-Hilltop Ski Chalet

5K trail run on Hillside trails, Entry fee: \$15

Contact: Mike Morganson 272-4565

mmorgan@rei.com www.rei.com/anchorage

Sponsored by: REI

Mostly loop course with some hills & one aid station halfway; low-key event with awards for first 3 men and women.

Sept 2 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage

Wed Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm, Location – Earthquake Park Traditional meet, beginner through advanced courses

Entry fee: \$8 adults/kids free

www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Sep 5 McCarthy Half Marathon & 5 Mile Runs – McCarthy

Sat Meet time 12 pm, Race time 2 pm – Glacier View Campground

5K & half marathon Entry fee: \$35

Contact: Kristin Link 554-4464

kristin@wrangells.org info@wrangells.org www.wrangells.org

Sponsored by: Wrangell Mountains Center

Benefits Wrangell Mountains Center. Spaghetti Dinner after race

Sept 5 Delta Junction 5K – Delta Junction

Race time 2 pm - DJ XC Course off Miltan Rd Sat

5K – mostly flat, 4x trails, Entry fee: \$15 prereg., \$20 race day

\$50 all four XC series events Contact: Mike Pelto 347-8153 Ellen Clark 322-5580

Sponsored by: FAST & Fairbanks Youth Track

Sept 5 Seldovia End of Summer Mini Marathon – Seldovia

Meet time: 8:30 am, Race time: 10 am Sat

Location - Gateway Pavillion

Distance: 5K/10K, Course: 5K runs thru town, 10K adds extra

trails, hills, dirt and gravel Entry fee: \$20 - includes T-Shirt Contact: Jenny Chissus 234-8000 Jenny@Seldovia.com

www.Seldovia.com and www.SeldoviaChamber.org

Sponsored by: Seldovia Chamber/Chainsaw Carving Committee Participation Surprise Gift, awards in male, female, senior and youth categories. Walkers welcome! Proceeds benefit the 10th Annual Seldovia Craft Invitational Chainsaw Carving Competition going on this weekend! Come to Seldovia to race, watch an amazing carving competition; and enjoy the

last weekend of summer by the sea!

Sept 7 Mon

Labor Day

Contact:

Sept 7 Labor Day Family Fun Runs - Valdez

Mon Meet 9:30 am, 1K Race time 10 am, 3K & 5K Race time 10:15 am

Location – Black Gold Parkstrip Parking Lot

1K, 3K, and 5K – running along trails and roadways in town

Entry fee: \$5/Individual or \$20/Family Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

Sponsored by: Valdez Parks & Recreation Proceeds benefit Valdez Race Series

Sept 7 Labor Day Run 5K – Fairbanks

Mon Time 12 noon, Location – SE corner Pioneer Park (Alaskaland)

Distance: 5K along Chena River

\$20 preregistered at Beaver Sports, \$25 race day.

Contact: Jeff Hebard 322-5450

Sponsored by: RCN T-shirts to first 100.

Sept 8 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

Tue Meet 5:30 pm – Kincaid Park

> Distances up to 12K, Race time 6:30 pm Entry fee: \$7/\$2 kids/\$20 family or

\$70 family/\$35 adult/\$16 youth season pass Contact: Outdoor Recreation 343-4217

www.muni.org/parks Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks & Recreation

Farm, Lightning & Munchkin Leagues Register on-line @ www.muni.org/Active

A Healthy Futures Series Event – <u>www.healthyfuturesak.org</u>

Old Murphy Dome Ridge Run - Fairbanks Sept 9

Wed Time 6 pm, Location – Old Murphy Dome Rd, Elliott Hwy end Starts at ~4 mile Old Murphy Dome Rd, from Elliott Hwy end

> Distance: about 10 miles out and back Contact: Trent Hubbard 699-2090 Dawna Hubbard 978-3167

Sponsored by: RCN

For info: trenthubbard@vahoo.com

Sept 11 Klondike Road Relay - Whitehorse, Yukon

Fri Meet 6:00, Race 7:00, 175 Km, 10 leg Relay Race

Entry Fee: \$70 - \$790

Contact: Sport Yukon - 867-393-8334

coordinator@sportyukon.com

867-668-4236

www.klondikeroadrelay.com

Race begins Friday evening, 9/11 in Skagway, AK. Follows the Gold Rush Stampede trail over White Pass. through British Columbia, into the Yukon, finish Saturday,

September 12.

Sept 12 Kesugi Ridge Traverse - Denali State Park

Sat Meet mile 147 Parks Highway

30 miles difficult high alpine ridge traverse, from Little Coal

Creek Trailhead to Byers Lake Contact: Andrea Hambach wilrunco@gmail.com

www.willowrunningcompany.com Sponsored by: Willow Running Company Visit website for details and to sign up

Sept 12 Midnight Sun Fun Run - Wasilla

Race time 2:00 pm, Location-Wasilla High Track Sat

\$5 - 100yd, \$10 - 1 mi, \$20 - 5K, \$30 - 10K

Contact: Leah Hamilton

msfunrun@gmail.com www.midnightsunschool.com www.whynottriwasilla.com

Fundraiser for Midnight Sun Family Learning Center, All

racers receive a free snow cone and t-shirt.

Sept 12 Tustumena 5K - Kasilof

Sat Meet 9:00 am - Tustumena Elementary School

5K – paved, gravel roads & dirt trail, scenic route through

Johnson Lake Recreation Area

Race time 10:00 am, Entry fee: \$15/\$20 with t-shirt

Contact: Cvnthia Fudzinski 420-7356

cfudzinski@kpbsd.k12.ak.us

Sponsored by: Tustumena Elementary School

Proceeds benefit student activities at Tustumena Elementary

Sept 12 Alyeska Climbathon - Girdwood

Sat Meet time: 7am, Race time: 9 am, Location – Alyeska Tram

Distance: varies, Entry fee: \$50

Contact: Brian Burnett 907-382-5880

burntski@gmail.com

Sierra Winegarner 907-830-2492 www.alyeskaclimbathon.com

Sponsored by: Let Every Woman Know

All day multi lap endurance event on north face hiking trail.

Field is limited to first 300 entrants.

Sept 12 4th Annual Troth Yeddha Run for the Park (Fundraiser)

Sat - Fairbanks

Time 11:00 am, Location – Troth Yeddha Park/UAF, Yukon Dr

Distance: 5K

Contact: Pete Pinney 978-0425

Sponsored by: RCN, College of R&CD UAF

\$20 entry, free to UAF students with Polar Express ID.

Donations accepted.

Sept 12 Fairbanks March for Babies Walk - Fairbanks

Sat Meet time: 9 am, Race time: 10 am, Location – Pioneer Park

Sponsored by: Tesoro and Alaska Airlines

Sept 12 Covote Classic - Anchorage

Sat Meet Kincaid Elementary School

3/4 mile K-2nd grades, 1.5 miles 3rd-6th grades

Race time 10 am K-2nd grades, 10:30 am 3rd -4th grades, 11 am 5th-6th grades – parents welcome to participate

Contact: Tim Akin

akin tim@asdk12.org

Sponsored by: Healthy Futures

Medals for all kids, Traveling Trophy for the top school grades

5-6. Parents feel free to run with your kids.

A Healthy Futures Series Event – www.healthyfuturesak.org

Sept 13 Titan Trail Run - Wasilla

Sat Race time 11 am. Location – Teeland Middle School

* Entry: free: \$5

Elementary kids 1 mile, Middle School & older 1.8 miles -

XC trail run, rooted slightly

100 yd Balloon Run – 4 yrs & under Contact: Kristi Shea 315-2424

kristi.shea@matsuk12.us http://www.tms.matusk12.us

Sponsored by: Teeland Middle School Cross Country & Track

T-shirts available for additional cost.

7th Annual ANCHORAGE RUNNING CLUB



Sept 13 Run Rover Run - Anchorage

Sun Meet 11:30 am, Race 12:30 pm – Little Campbell Lake (Kincaid)

Run with your dog, 2½ miles – hilly loop Little Campbell Lake

Entry fee: \$15

Contact: Becky Voris 243-5234

beckyattla@gmail.com

ASC Hotline 349-WOOF (9663)

www.skijoring.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage Skijor Club

One dog on leash, dog license & vaccines required.

Junior class available if 5 participants, men & women's class Anchorage's first "cannicross" event. Discount entry for

family of 3+ available

Sept 13 Orienteering Meet – Anchorage

Sun Starts from 5 pm to 7 pm, Location – Mirror Lk Middle School Traditional meet, beginner through advanced courses Entry

fee: \$8 adults/kids free www.oalaska.org

Sponsored by: Arctic Orienteering Club Check website for contact info & updates

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Sept 15 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

Tue Meet 5:30 pm – check website

* Distances up to 12K, Race time 6:30 pm

Entry fee: \$7/\$2 kids/\$20 family or

\$70 family/\$35 adult/\$16 youth season pass Contact: Outdoor Recreation 343-4217

www.muni.org/parks

Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks & Recreation

Farm, Lightning & Munchkin Leagues, Register on-line @ $\,$

www.muni.org/Active

A Healthy Futures Series Event - www.healthyfuturesak.org

Sept 17 Equinox Marathon Bib Pick-Up - Fairbanks

Thu Time 5 - 8 pm. Location – Pump House Restaurant

Contact: Susan Kramer 590-5086

John Estle 347-1061

www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Spaghetti Feed

Register on-line @ www.equinoxmarathon.org

Sept 18 Equinox Marathon Bib Pick-Up - Fairbanks

Fri Time 5 - 8 pm, Location – Pump House Restaurant

Contact: Susan Kramer 590-5086

John Estle 347-1061

www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Spaghetti Feed

Sept 19 Houston Half Marathon & Relay - Houston

Meet 8:30 am. Race time 10 am Sat Location-Houston Middle School

13.1 Relay & 5K Kids dash-out and back, scenic

Entry fee: \$10/Kids, \$25/5K, \$45/solo Jan 15-May31, \$55/solo 2 person Relay \$70 Jan 15 - May 31, \$80 June 1 - Sept 16

3 person Relay \$90 Jan 15 – May 31, \$120 June 1 – Sept 16

Contact: Robin Rice

hhalfinfo@gmail.com www.thehoustonhalf.com

Fundraiser for Houston High Cross Country.

Sept 19 The Glass is Half Full Equinox 5K/10K Run - Cooper Landing

Sat Meet 9 am - Cooper Landing School

5K – pavement & gentle hills 10K – pavement, gravel, dirt, hilly

Race time 10 am, Entry fee: \$30

Contact: Copper Landing School 595-1244

HChamberlain@KPBSD.org Thomas Gosard 595-1244

http://cooperlandingschool.blogs.kpbsd.k12.ak.us/w

Sponsored by: Cooper Landing School

Sept 19 Share Your Spare Dash – Anchorage

Meet 9 am, Race time 10 am, Location - Delaney Park, west end Sat

5K – Delaney Park/Coastal Trail, Entry fee: \$30 Contact: Kristie Lemmon 907-333-2257

> kristie@alaskakidnev.org www.alaskakidnev.org

Sponsored by: Alaska Kidney Patients Association (AKPA) Highlights the need for living kidney donors to share their spare kidney with an Alaskan waiting for a transplant; promotes organ & tissue donation, honors donor families & celebrates the second chance at life.

Sept 19 53rd Annual Equinox Marathon #8

Usibelli Cup, 23rd Annual Marathon Relay Sat

7th Annual Equinox Ultramarathon- Fairbanks

Race time 8 am – UAF Patty Center 26.2 mile relay (x3) & 40 mile Ultra Contact: Susan Kramer 590-5086

John Estle 347-1061

www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North & Others Register on-line @ www.equinoxmarathon.org

One of America's toughest marathons.

Sept 19 13th Annual Kid's Equinox – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 9 am – UAF Patty Center

Final 1.2 miles of a 5 week times-5 miles a week effort, Entry fee: \$12

Contact: Tracey Martinson 474-8358

Monte Jordan 451-8696 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North

Sept 20 24th Annual Tony's Run – Dillingham

Sun Meet 12:00 pm, Race time 1 pm – Mile 0 Kanakanak Rd

5K, 10K, 20K – paved, hilly course

Entry fee: \$25-\$35, group discounts available

Contact: Lisa Haggblom 842-2320 records@safebristolbay.org

www.raceroster.com www.safebristolbay.org

Sponsored by: SAFE, Nushagak Cooperative, RAM Auto, N & N Market & AC Company, Bigfoot LLC, and others.

Register on-line @ www.raceroster.com Open to walkers, runners & rollers

Sept 22 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

Tue Meet 5:30 pm – check website

Distances up to 12K, Race time 6:30 pm

Entry fee: \$7/\$2 kids/\$20 family or \$70 family/\$35 adult/\$16 youth season pass

Contact: Outdoor Recreation 343-4217

www.muni.org/parks

Sponsored by: Anchorage Parks & Recreation Farm, Lightning & Munchkin Leagues Register on-line @ www.muni.org/Active

A Healthy Futures Series Event – www.healthyfuturesak.org

Friends of the Farm 5K - Palmer Sept 26

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 11 am, Mat-Su Experimental Farm

5K – easy trails

Entry fee: \$25, Preregistration closes on 8/31/15.

Contact: Josh Leutzinger 907-301-9440

skijoshski@vahoo.com www.friendsofthefarm.org

Sponsored by: Mat-Su Miners, 100.9 FM, Mat-Su Farm Bureau Family-friendly. Potato sack race for children under 9 years. Entry fee includes shirt and lunch.

Sept 26 Anchorage Heart Walk – Anchorage

Sat Meet 9 am. Race time 10 am. Location – Delanev Park Strip

5K – streets, coastal trail, Entry fee: see website

Contact: Melissa Wanamaker 865-5300

Melissa.wanamaker@heart.org Alaina Burton 865-5300 Alaina.burton@heart.org

www.AnchorageHeartWalk.org

Sponsored by: American Heart Association

A non-competitive family & dog friendly event. Details on website at www.anchorageheartwalk.org All proceeds benefit the American Heart Association to fight heart disease & stroke.

Sept 26 Octoberfest - Anchorage

Sat Meet 7:30 am – Snowgoose Restaurant

> 5 & 10K – out & back course on Coastal Trail ¼ mile children's fun run, signed waiver required Race time 9 am, Entry fee: Check website Contact: <u>info@anchoragerunningclub.org</u>

Sponsored by: Bristol Bay Native Corporation & Anchorage Running Club

Benefit for Bean's Cafe & Brother Francis Shelter

A Healthy Futures Series Event – www.healthyfuturesak.org

Sept 26 Making Strides Against Breast Cancer 5K – Fairbanks

Sat Start time 11 am, Location – Morris Thompson Cultural Center

5K – new event, visit the website for details

Becky Zaverl 452-7084 (cell 460-6326) Contact:

tristan.walsh@cancer.org

http://makingstrides.acsevents.org/fairbanks

Sponsored by: American Cancer Society

A breast cancer awareness 5K. No fee. Teams can form.

Event T-shirts for purchase. Not timed.

Sept 29 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

Tue Meet 5:30 pm – check website

Distances up to 12K, Race time 6:30 pm Entry fee: \$7/\$2 kids/\$20 family or

\$70 family/\$35 adult/\$16 youth season pass Contact: Outdoor Recreation 343-4217

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Oct Fahrenheit-Be-Darned Winter Training Run – Fairbanks

Wed Meet 5:45 pm – UAF Patty Center

Distance: Various, run regardless of weather

Contact: Ed Debevec 978-8961

George Berry 687-8769 www.runningclubnorth.org

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Oct 3 Run to the Alter Half Marathon – Homer

Sat Race time 9 am, Location – Homer High School

Registration day begins 8 am.

Walkers start at 9 am; runners at 10 am. 13.1 miles – hilly, trails, Entry fee: TBA

Contact: Megan Spurkland

megancorazza@hotmail.com

www.kachemakbayrunningclub.org

Sponsored by: Kachemak Bay Running Club Visit the website for registration details

Oct 3 Hit the Trails – Anchorage

Sat Race time 10 am, Location – Trailside Elementary

5K, 2K trails behind TS Elementary

Entry fee: Varying

Contact: Lori Guyer 223-9420

loriguyer@yahoo.com

trailsidepta.org

Sponsored by: Trailside PTA 5K and 2K distance – trail run

Oct 3 It Ain't Easy Hill Run – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – Dog Musher's Hall, Farmers Loop

5 miles - flat, 11.3 miles - hilly, Entry fee: None

Contact: Andy Sterns 508-542-3036

Chris Garber Slaght 455-9198

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Oct 4 Readers on the Run – Fairbanks

Sun Race time 11 am – John Trigg Ester Library Gazebo,

Village Road, Ester

5K walk/run - flat, Entry fee: \$15

Contact: Ed Rouleau 458-9550

Sponsored by: John Trigg Ester Library

Flat terrain, possible zombies poetry contest, costume

contest, awards afterwards.

Oct 5 Zombie ½ Marathon Registration & Bib Pickup - Anchorage

Mon 4-6:30 pm – Bosco's - 2301 Spenard Road (new location)

Contact: <u>info@anchoragerunningclub.org</u>

Register on-line @ www.anchoragerunningclub.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club & Skinny Raven Sports

Oct 6 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

Tue Meet 5:30 pm – check website

* Distances up to 12K, Race time 6:30 pm

Entry fee: \$7/\$2 kids/\$20 family or

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Contact: Outdoor Recreation 343-4217

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Register on-line @ www.muni.org/Active

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Oct 8 Zombie ½ Marathon Registration & Bib Pickup - Anchorage

Thu 4-6:30 pm – Skinny Raven 8th & H Streets * Contact: info@anchoragerunningclub.org

Register on-line @ www.anchoragerunningclub.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club & Skinny Raven Sports

Oct 10 Zombie ½ Marathon - Anchorage

Sat Race time 10 am – Goose Lake to Kincaid Park

* Coastal Trail – run with the zombies

Contact: info@anchoragerunningclub.org

Register on-line @ www.anchoragerunningclub.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club & Skinny Raven Sports

Oct 10 Kids Zombie Mini 2.5K - Anchorage

Sat Race time 12 Noon – Kincaid Park

Contact: <u>info@anchoragerunningclub.org</u>

Register on-line @ www.anchoragerunningclub.org

Sponsored by: Anchorage Running Club, Skinny Raven Sports & Girls on the Run

Costumes and lots of fun

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Oct 10 Autumn Knights Trail Run - Palmer

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 11 am, Location-GRPA

5km - trail run, Entry fee: \$5 individual, \$20 family

Contact: Mark Strabel 907-746-7547

strabel@mtaonline.net

www.webscorer.com

Sponsored by: Colony HSchool SC Ski Team/Mat-Su Ski Club

Sign-up online at www.webscorer.com or day of race

Fundraiser for the Colony High School SC Ski Team

Oct 10 Watershed 5K - Fairbanks

Sat Time 11 am, Location – Watershed School, 4975 Decathlon Ave

Distance: 5K fun run

Contact: Kathy Petersen 388-6830

Sponsored by: Watershed PTSA

Run roads & trails around the school to support school clubs.

Oct 10 Run The Rock - Kodiak

Sat Meet 9:30 am, Race time: 10 am – Bear Valley Golf Course

Distance: 10K, mountain pass, out and back, unpaved road,

Entry fee: \$25/\$30 late

Contact: Pam Foreman 486-3181

pam@kmxt.org

www.kmxt.org/run the rock

Sponsored by: Kodiak Public Broadcasting Corporation

Post race BBQ included. USATF certified course.

Oct 10 Run The Rock - Kodiak

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time: 10:30 am – Bear Valley Golf Course

Distance: 5K, flat, out and back, paved road

Entry fee: \$15/\$20 late

Contact: Pam Foreman 486-3181

pam@kmxt.org

www.kmxt.org/run_the_rock

Sponsored by: Kodiak Public Broadcasting Corporation

Post race BBQ included.

Oct 10 Run The Rock - Kodiak

Sat Meet 9:30 am, Race time: 10 am – Bear Valley Golf Course

Distance: 13.1 mile, mountain pass, out & back, unpaved road

Entry fee: \$40/\$45 late

Contact: Pam Foreman 486-3181

pam@kmxt.org

www.kmxt.org/run the rock

Sponsored by: Kodiak Public Broadcasting Corporation Post race BBQ included. USATF certified course.

Oct 10 Run The Rock - Kodiak

Sat Meet 7:30 am, Race time: 8 am – Near Island Rotary Park

Distance: 26.2 miles, varied, challenging, scenic, half paved

Entry fee: \$60/\$65 late

Contact: Pam Foreman 486-3181

pam@kmxt.org

www.kmxt.org/run_the_rock

Sponsored by: Kodiak Public Broadcasting Corporation Race starts on Near Island & finishes at Bear Valley Golf Course.

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Oct 13 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

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Oct 14 RCN Annual Membership Meeting – Fairbanks

Wed Meet 6:30 pm – AK Dog Musher's 4M Farmers Loop

Contact: Gary Pohl 388-8085

Bob Vitale 322-0117 www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: RCN

Board Election, Race calendar

Oct 17 RCN Awards Social/Potluck - Fairbanks

Sat Meet 6 pm – Birch Hill XC Ski Center, 101 Wilderness Dr

Contact: Bob Vitale 322-0117

www.runningclubnorth.org

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Potluck: last names A-J Salads, K-R Desserts/Breads,

S-Z main course.





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907 563-7246 **aapain.com**

Oct 17 The Running Dead 5K Zombie Obstacle Run & 1K Kids Run – Valdez

Sat Meet 4:30 pm – Location TBD

Kids 1K Race time 5 pm, 5K Obstacle Run starts at 5:15 pm

5K is an obstacle run along trails and dirt roads Entry fee: \$10/Kids race, \$20/5K race, or \$50/family Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

www.ci.valdez.ak.us/specialevents

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Come dressed for Halloween or zombie - awards based on costumes for males and females of each age group. This non-timed event will have you dodging actual zombies and obstacles as you run the 5K route along dirt roads and trails.

Oct 20 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

Tue Meet 5:30 pm – check website

Distances up to 12K, Race time 6:30 pm

Entry fee: \$7/\$2 kids/\$20 family or

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Contact: Outdoor Recreation 343-4217

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Oct 24 Annual Costume Run – Nikiski

Sat Meet 10 am, Race time 11 am – Nikiski Community Rec Ctr

Entry fee: Food Items

5K – groomed trails, mostly flat, some hills

Contact: Tammy Berdahl 776-8800

tberdahl@kpb.us

Jackie Cason 776-8800 www.northpenrec.com

Sponsored by: North Peninsula Recreation Service Area Supports food drive, canned or non-perishable foot items.

Visit the website for details & entry forms

Oct 27 Full Moon Run - Fairbanks

Tue Time 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: 4 miles

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN Regardless of temperature

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Oct 31 34th Annual Halloween Family Run - Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – UAF Patty Center

2 & 10 miles, or you pick it – paved, short flat or long hilly

Great for kids, Entry fee: None Contact: Dee Gard 347-7277

Bruce Gard 378-6200

www.runningclubnorth.org

Sponsored by: Running Club North Time bonus for Halloween costumes!

Oct 31 Skinny Raven Frightening 4K – Anchorage

Sat Meet 10 am – Captain Cook Hotel * 4K – out & back, Race time 11 am

Contact: timing@skinnyraven.com

www.skinnyraven.com Sponsored by: Skinny Raven

Costume contest & trick-or-treat aid stations

Nov Fahrenheit-Be-Darned Winter Training Run – Fairbanks

Wed Meet 5:45 pm – UAF Patty Center

Distance: Various, run regardless of weather

Contact: Ed Debevec 978-8961

George Berry 687-8769

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Nov 1 Daylight Saving Time ends

Sun It's OK to arrive early. You can help set up!



Nov 3 Bonny Sosa Tuesday Night Race Series - Anchorage

Tue Meet 5:30 pm – check website

Distances up to 12K, Race time 6:30 pm

Entry fee: \$7/\$2 kids/\$20 family or \$70 family/\$35 adult/\$16 youth season no

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Nov 7 Cache Creek Warm Up - Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – Cache Crk Rd at Murphy Dome Rd

6.8 miles – out & back on roads in the hills, free

Contact: Jane Lanford 687-0769

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Nov 11 Veteran's Day Wed



Nov 14 Go for the Gravy - Wasilla

Sat Meet 9 am – Wasilla High School

Registration starts at 9 am, 3K & 5K (outdoor) start at 10 am,

Kids Fun Run (indoor) starts at 10:45 am.

Entry fee: Check website

Contact: Fronteras Immersion Charter School

907-745-2223 frc@matsuk12.us

www.goforthefravvak.com

Sponsored by: Fronteras Spanish Immersion Charter School

We are also hosting a silent auction.

Nov 14 RCN Turkey Trot – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 10 am – UAF Patty Center Bus Shelter

Distance: 6K – staggered starts, flat, Entry fee: \$1

Contact: Jim Brader 452-4986

Andy Holland 479-4444

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Predicted time, no watches, prizes

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Nov 21 10th Annual RiverWalk for Justice 2015 – Anchorage

Sat 8:30-11:30 am – H2Oasis Waterpark

Walk in the flowing river at H2Oasis, Entry Fee \$25/person

Contact: Susan Sullivan

SSullivan@victimsforjustice.org

Sponsored by: Victims for Justice

A fundraiser for Victims for Justice. Walk in the flowing River at H2Oasis, compete for prizes, enter to win two round trip tickets on Alaska Airlines.

Register at victimsforjustice.org

Nov 25 Full Moon Run - Fairbanks

Wed Time 5:45 pm, Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: 4 miles

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN Regardless of temperature

Nov 26 Turkey Trot Family 5K - Valdez

Thu Meet 9:30 am, Race time 10 am – Woody Woodman Teen Center

5K – run throughout town,

Entry fee: \$5/Individual, \$20/Family or bring a non-perishable food item

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

SJOwen@ci.valdez.ak.us

 $\underline{www.ci.valdez.ak.us/special events}$

Sponsored by: Valdez Parks & Rec

Proceeds benefit Valdez Race Series and the Valdez Food Bank Entry fee waived if you bring a non-perishable food item for the Valdez Food Bank. Two lucky finishers (drawn at random) will win a fresh Magpie's Bakery Pumpkin Pie for Thanksgiving dessert. Come dressed as pilgrims or turkeys!

Nov 26 Thanksgiving Day

Thu



Nov 26 Skinny Raven Turkey Trot – Anchorage

Thu Meet 10 am – Skinny Raven

3K Kids Run & 5K – One loop course, Race time 11 am

Contact: <u>timing@skinnyraven.com</u> <u>www.skinnyraven.com</u>

Sponsored by: Skinny Raven Win your age class, win a pie. Mini Turkey 2K for kids.

Proceeds benefit Team Alaska Track Club & The Food Bank of AK

Dec Fahrenheit-Be-Darned Winter Training Run – Fairbanks

Weds Meet 5:45 pm – UAF Patty Center

Distance: Various

Contact: Ed Debevec 978-8961

George Berry 687-8769 www.runningclubnorth.org

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Regardless of temperature

Dec 5 23rd Annual Heart of Darkness Snowshoe Race – Fairbanks

Sat Race time 12 Noon – Andy Holland's 1058 Pika Rd off Moose Trail

6K & 3K – hilly, run regardless of temperature

Contact: Andy Holland 479-4444

Jim Brader 452-4986 www.runningclubnorth.org

www.runningciubnortn.org

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Extra snowshoes available A Snowshoe Series Event

Dec 12 Solstice Snowshoe Shuffle - Fairbanks

Sat Race time 12 Noon – Morris Thompson Cultural Center

1 mile – extra snowshoes available Contact: Pete Pinney 978-0425 www.lathroprunning.com

Dec 12 Jingle Bell Run/Walk for Arthritis - Anchorage

Meet Time 9:30 am, Race Time 11:15a – UAA Student Union

5K – Out & back – UAA/Goose Lake, Entry Fee \$30/adult Contact: Anna Campione 277-2784

acampione@arthritis.org

www.anchoragejinglebellrun.com Sponsored by: The Arthritis Foundation

Wear a holiday themed costume. Tie jingle bells to your shoelaces. Raise finds to fight arthritis, the nation's leading cause of disability. Run or walk a 5 kilometer route with your team members and celebrate the season by giving.

Dec 13 Colony Christmas Triathlon - Palmer

Sun Meet time: 9 am, Race time: 11 am, Location – Alaska Club

Distance: 5K run, 500 yard swim, 10K Bike Entry fee: \$35 solo/\$50 team (2)/\$60 team (3)

Contact: GPCC 745-2880

director@palmerchamber.org www.palmerchamber.org

Sponsored by: Mat-Su Health Foundation
Bike may be substituted with X-C skiing if too much snow.
Family friendly and fun for the enthusiast or the novice.

Dec 19 Ugly Sweater Fun Run & Ski - Valdez

Sat Meet 10:30 am, Race time 11 am – Woody Woodman Teen Ctr 5K – run and XC Ski along roadway and groomed trail*

Entry fee: \$5/Individual or \$20/Family or

bring unwrapped toy or game

Contact: Sarah Jorgenson-Owen 907-835-2531

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XC Skis available for free rental with PWSCC "Ski for Free" program – limited quantities, must pick up at PWSCC before race. Ugliest sweater or sweatshirt you can find – male and female in the ugliest sweaters win a prize! Entry fees waived if you bring unwrapped toy, clothing or game (for ages infant to 18yrs.) donation to the Copper Valley Angel Tree program. *Course/race may change based on snow/road conditions.



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Dec 19 Willow Winter Solstice Marathon Races - Willow

Sat Location – Willow Community Center, Mile 70 Parks Hwy

Distance: Marathon, Half-marathon, and 5K

Out and back courses on Willow's winter trail system

Contact: Andrea Hambach wilrunco@gmail.com

www.willowrunningcompany.com

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Dec 19 27th Annual George Bloom Memorial Mid-Day Sun Fun Run Sat - Fairbanks

Race time 11 am – UAF Patty Center

6.5 miles - hilly, run regardless of temperature

Contact: David Bloom 452-5441

Frank Ganley

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Dec 20 Dawn to Dusk, Part 2, All Day Run - Fairbanks

Sun Race time 10:58 am to 2:39 pm (3:41:41) – UAF Great Hall

Distance: Various

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

membership@runningclubnorth.org

www.runningclubnorth.org Sponsored by: Running Club North

Sign up at 10 am, event ends at 3pm. Individuals and teams.

No fee, prizes, certificate!

Dec 25 Fri

Christmas Day



Dec 25 Full Moon Run - Fairbanks

Fri Time 5:45 pm. Location – UAF Patty Center

Distance: 4 miles

Contact: George Berry 687-8769

Sponsored by: RCN Regardless of temperature

Dec 31 New Year's Eve Run - Fairbanks

Thu Race time 11:30 pm – "The Diner" on Illinois Street

3 miles - run regardless of temperature, Free

Contact: Paul Reynolds 322-1142 George Berry 687-8769

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Dec 31 Northern Lights Resolution Run – Anchorage Thu Meet 5 pm. Race 6 pm – Alaska Airlines Center

Meet 5 pm, Race 6 pm – Alaska Airlines Center Distance: 5K roads and trails, Entry fee: \$35

Contact: Mark Iverson 274-7222

timing@skinnyraven.com Erin Philips 274-7222

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awesome course will ring in the new year!

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Feb 13 Little Su 50K - Big Lake

Sat Meet 9:30 am – Big Lake Area

Happy Trails Kennels

Race time 11 am, Entry fee: Check website

Pam Richter 346-1220 info@susitna100.com Kim Kittredge

www.susitna100.com

1 checkpoint with warm water, check website for required gear. T-shirt, finisher award & post-race pizza party. 12 hour cutoff.

Feb 13 Susitna 100 - Big Lake

Sat Meet 7:30 am – Big Lake Area

Happy Trails Kennels

100 miles – XC across rivers & woodlands Race time 9 am, Entry fee: Check website

Contact: Kim & Erin Kittredge

info@susitna100.com Pam Richter 346-1220 www.susitna100.com

Loop course. 5 checkpoints with warm water available 15# of survival gear & food required to be carried over entire course. T-shirt, finisher award & post-race pizza party

Race Organizers - Don't forget to get your permits early. Check your city for their special events/race requirements.

For Anchorage: 343-4040 or stewartcb@muni.org For Eagle River: 343-1500 or richardskl@muni.org For Girdwood: 783-8146 or kelleykt@muni.org

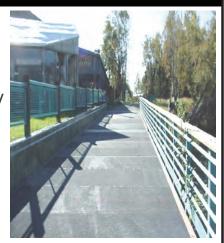
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7. Lose weight & feel great



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I already use the trails to commute

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Schedule regular exercise with friends

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Get in touch with nature and gaze at wildlife

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Teach children to help others by volunteering

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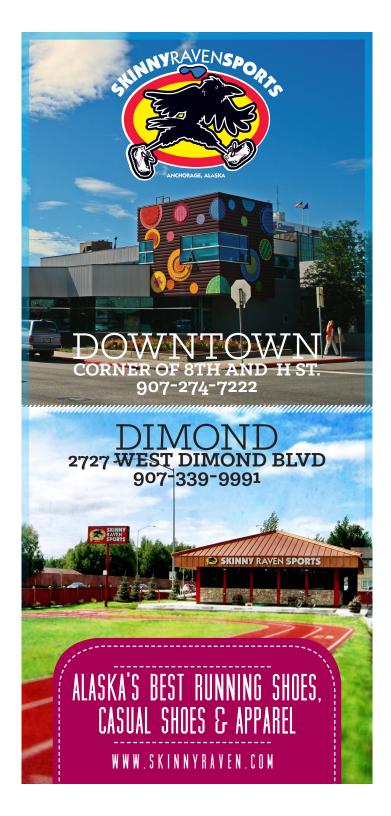
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