



Prevent Child Abuse Nevada Pinwheels for Prevention 2012 Nevada Events

March 30th – Elko – Courthouse Pinwheel Planting

10AM: Placing pinwheels on the court house lawn to launch April Child Abuse Prevention Awareness month. Also 4th and 5th grade students from six local schools have had in class presentations and participated in art projects to make their own personal pinwheels which have messages of how to show love to a child. These pinwheels will be arranged with the metallic pinwheels into bouquets and put in 60 merchant shops throughout Spring Creek and Elko along with a poster. The FRC Family to Family participants are being asked to place a poster in a street-facing window of their neighborhood.

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April 1st Events

Wells – Pinwheel Distribution to Local Businesses

Distributing over 1500 pinwheels during the course of the month and displaying in over 32 local businesses. The first and second grade classes at Wells Elementary and kids from Wells Family Resource Center will be making pinwheels and displaying them at Nevada State Bank in Wells, NV. Pinwheel awards will be given to community members who have had an impact on children in Wells.

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Storey/Virgina City – School Children Making Pinwheels for Display

Community Chest, Inc. and Storey County School District are partnering to make pinwheels for prevention with grades 1st-5th in the classroom. The pinwheels will then be displayed at various places around Virginia City and Lockwood for the entire month of April, including the Storey County Courthouse, District Attorney's Office, Sheriff's Office, Senior Centers (in Lockwood and Virginia City), Hillside Elementary, Hugh Gallagher Elementary, and the Community Center in Virginia City.

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April 4th – Las Vegas – Kick Off Press Conference

Prevent Child Abuse Nevada (PCA-NV) will join Courts Catalyzing Change on April 4th, 2012 in the Grant Sawyer Building at 8:15AM to recognize April as National Child Abuse Awareness Month and to introduce the new “Choose Your Partner Carefully Campaign,” focusing on choosing a partner that is a qualified caregiver that your child will be safe with. This takes place right before the Legislative Sub-Committee on Child

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Welfare meets to make changes to state statutes regarding child abuse and neglect.
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April 5th – Moapa – 4th Annual Child Abuse & Neglect (CAN) Parade

7AM-2PM: Social Services Department of the Moapa Band of Paiutes will be celebrating its 4th Annual Child Abuse & Neglect (CAN) Parade and Annual Fair Day at the Moapa River Indian Reservation. Activities will begin with a Sunrise Ceremony, Poker Run/Walk, rummage sale, annual fair booths, parade, and several family fun activities (i.e. dunk tank, relay races, balloon toss, bouncy house, etc.).
Contact: Laura Watters or Noel Tom · (702) 864-0407

April 7th – White Pine/Eureka – Car Seat Check

Will be held where pinwheels will be handed out and pinwheel bouquets will be displayed in local businesses. Handing out pinwheels to children and planting a heart of pinwheels on the courthouse lawn.
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April 10th – Pershing – Pershing County Courthouse Pinwheel Planting Ceremony

10AM: Mayor Mike Giles will give brief speech before joining the Boy Scouts, 4-H members, and Frontier Community Coalition youth in planting pinwheels. Pershing County will issue a proclamation and the newspaper will be present.
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April 12th - Las Vegas - The students from Acelero Head Start at 4301 Stewart Avenue will be holding a family event for Headstart families to make pinwheels with their children and plant a garden.

Contact: Darlene Hernandez · dhernandez@acelero.net

April 14th – Las Vegas – Pinwheels for Prevention at Tivoli Village

8AM-2PM: Prevent Child Abuse Nevada will be holding an event at Tivoli Village open to families, children, and community members. This event features a Resource Fair with 30 different agencies serving families in Nevada, interactive activities and games for children, live music, and performances from the community. The “Choose Your Partner Carefully Campaign,” will also be introduced at this event focusing on the importance of choosing partners that are qualified caregivers who your children will be safe with. Distribution of informational print materials to community service providers, access to information and resources on the campaign website, and bus stop advertisements in high risk areas will also be implemented for the month of April.
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April 16th Events

Carson City – **Planting Ceremony on the Legislative Lawn**

11AM: Planting pinwheels on the lawn at the legislature and the First Lady of Nevada, Kathleen Sandoval, will be making a speech and planting pinwheels.
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Las Vegas - **12th Annual Light of Hope Ceremony**

12PM: Located in Courtroom 9 at Family Court. Focuses on National CASA's "I Am For The Child" campaign, where key community individuals will share their "I Am" statements. Raises awareness about the needs of the children in the foster care

system, share messages of hope, and highlight various ways that people can get involved to make a difference in an abused and neglected child's life by becoming a CASA volunteer, a foster/adoptive parent, mentor, and/or by donating to programs that support our most vulnerable children.

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April 20th – Reno – CAN Prevent Conference

8:30-4:30PM: Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Task Force will meet for their 11th annual conference focusing on “The Effects of Psychotropic Medications on Children Throughout the Lifecycle”.

Registration Information: https://pctx.casat.org/in_person_products/38

April 21st – Las Vegas - Family Safety Day

11AM-2PM: A Saturday afternoon of fun and games for parents and their children. There will be a jumping house, face painting, popcorn, coloring activities for kids and parents, carnival games, etc. Coloring books for kids have a story line of how to keep their bodies safe. Parents will be able to access other resources such as SNAP applications. Open to the community. Throughout the month of April – Pinwheel displays will be posted at each of our 8 clubhouses in support of “Pinwheels for Prevention.” Pinwheels will be made by our club members.

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April 25th – Fallon – Pinwheel Planting at Millennium Park

Local schools making pinwheels to display in the school lawns and guest speakers will be displaying pinwheels at the Millennium Park across from the Court House.

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April 28th – Mineral - ZERO TOLORENCE - Open Your Mouth!

10AM-2PM: Consolidated Agencies of Human Services (CAHS) is hosting a Resource Fair in the community located at 924 5th Street in Hawthorne. There will be food, activities, and lots of information.

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May 5th - Mesquite - Mesquite Days Parade

10AM: Kick-Off the Parade and scheduled activities.

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