Nevada General Elections

Prepare for the
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Election Day: November 4th
Early Voting: Oct 18th - Oct 31st

Why is it important to vote?
Elected officials make important decisions about a variety of issues affecting children and families such as education, before and after school care, child abuse and neglect, and access to quality healthcare.

What can you do now?
1. REGISTER TO VOTE before October 4th

2. Do Your Research: Look into the candidates running in your area so you are well informed when you hit the polls.
the Statewide Meeting?

Check out the meeting notes below:

Videoconference #1 Notes  
Videoconference #2 Notes

Save the Date!
Our next statewide meeting will be on:
Thu, Dec 11, 2014 from 9-10am

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Family Friendly Halloween Events in Nevada

Family friendly events are happening all throughout Nevada! Check out the statewide calendar of events for more info on locations and times.

Southern Nevada

Saturday Oct. 25 - Inter-Tribal Council of Nevada, Inc. Trunk o' Treat

Wednesday Oct. 29 - Cambridge Community Center Trunk or Treat

Thursday Oct. 30 - La Bonita Supermarket (North Las Vegas) Trunk or Treat

Friday Oct 31 - City of North Las Vegas and Home Depot Trunk or Treat

Northern Nevada

Friday/Saturday Oct 18-19, 25-26 Pumpkin Festival
Lamoille, NV

Saturday Oct. 25 - Jarbridge Halloween at the Outdoor Inn Jarbridge, NV

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3. Ask Questions: What are the candidates doing for YOU, for your FAMILY, and for your CHILDREN?

4. GET INFORMED on the issues that will be on the statewide ballot this year.

5. CONTACT your local elections office to get informed on the issues that will be on your local ballot.

6. VOTE EARLY to stay ahead of the lines. October 18, 2014 through October 31, 2014 OR vote on election day: November 4.

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Step Up for Kids 2014 Summary: Clark County

The Southern Nevada Step up for Kids event was a huge success. Over 440 community members and 30 community vendors joining together at the Las Vegas Natural History Museum in support of children and their families. Click Here for the summary and photos.

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2013-2014 Annual Report Available

Prevent Child Abuse Nevada (PCANV) has had a very productive year. From participation in national awareness campaigns to conducting classes targeted at single parents in our state, Prevent Child Abuse Nevada has established itself as one of the most prominent voices in child abuse and neglect prevention in the state of Nevada.

Click the link below to view the full 2013-2014 Annual Report.

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Halloween Safety Tips for Kids

Here are some ways to ensure your kids have a "SAFE HALLOWEEN"
Saturday Oct. 25 - Elko Boys and Girls Club Halloween Party
Elko, NV

Thr/Fri Oct. 30-31 - Elko County Library Halloween Carnival
Elko, NV

Thr/Fri Oct. 30-31 - Trick or Treat Street in Elko, NV

Thursday Oct 30 - Halloween Spooktacular
Spring Creek, NV

FREE INFANT CPR CLASS

Prevent Child Abuse Nevada and infantcpr.com have come together to form a partnership offering FREE ONLINE CPR CLASSES through infantcpr.com.

Great for grandparents, aunts and uncles, babysitters, and of course, parents!

*CPR & Choking relief training
*2- year subscription to videos, curriculum, and exam
*Personalized certificate
*Complete the course in 1 hour
*In accordance with AHA guidelines

Classes are priced at $34.99 regularly so take advantage of this great opportunity

Contact the PCANV office by phone or email to sign up

*SPlease note, this is a skills class ONLY and does not count for accredited CPR Certification.

Swords, knives, and similar costume accessories should be short, soft, and flexible.

Avoid trick-or-treating alone. Walk in groups or with a trusted adult.

Fasten reflective tape to costumes and bags to help drivers see you.

Examine all treats for choking hazards and tampering before eating them. Limit the amount of treats you eat.

Hold a flashlight while trick-or-treating to help you see and others see you. Always WALK and don't run from house to house.

Always test makeup in a small area first. Remove it before bedtime to prevent possible skin and eye irritation.

Look both ways before crossing the street. Use established crosswalks wherever possible.

Lower your risk for serious eye injury by not wearing decorative eye contacts

Only walk on sidewalks whenever possible, or on the far edge of the road facing traffic to stay safe.

Wear well-fitting masks, costumes, and shoes to avoid blocked vision, trips, and falls.

Eat only factory-wrapped treats. Avoid eating homemade treats made by strangers.

Enter homes only if you're with a trusted adult. Only visit well-lit houses. Don't stop at dark houses. Never accept rides from strangers.

Never walk near lit candles or luminaries. Be sure to wear flame-resistant costumes.

Adapted from the CDC: http://www.cdc.gov/family/halloween/

National and Local Policy

Capital View on Kids: The latest news on children and families in Washington D.C. Volume 3, 33
(released 9/29/14)

Click here to view

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Participate in Children's Week at the Legislature
March 9-12, 2015
Carson City, NV

In February 2015, Nevada will be entering its 78th Legislative session. Participate in Children's Week to help educate policy makers on how to make the state better for Nevada's families. Thursday March 12 will be focused on child safety.

Contact us for more information on how to be involved.

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