

2003 Green River Valley Winter Carnival Schedule

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Wednesday - Sunday, Feb. 26 - Mar. 2, 2003

Wed., Feb. 26

7 p.m. - 8 p.m.

*****2003 New Event*** “Damn It's Cold!” Bonfire and Hot Chocolate**

*****2003 New Event*** “Frostbutt” Frozen Banana Whittling Contest**

Our opening event! A large bonfire held at the Pinedale Rodeo Grounds with hot chocolate and cookies for those who brave the cold. **Sponsored by Shell Oil/Rocky Mountain Division.** Winner of the "Frostbutt" Frozen Banana Whittling Contest takes \$100 grand prize.

Thurs., Feb. 27

6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

“Mountain Man and Woman” Arm Wrestling Tournament

The Tournament includes three weight class divisions for men and women age 21 and older. The tournament will take place at the Corral Bar in Pinedale with professional arm wrestling tables and local judges. Each weight class winner will receive a GRVWC winter hat and cash prize.

Friday, Feb. 28

6 p.m.

“Frozen Tundra” Drilling Contest

In conjunction with the Shell Oil/Rocky Mountain Division open house! Explore the new office building from 3 - 6 p.m. and then move outside to the parking lot for the Drilling Contest, featuring chocolate sauce, ice cream, whipped cream and heated competition! Cash prizes for first place, t-shirts for second place winners.

7:30 - 9 p.m.

“Frostbite Princess” Drag Beauty Pageant

Discover the Princess of the Tundra! One of the most popular adult events last winter! Men dress up as women and compete for a \$200 first place prize. Featuring Carmen Hittle as MC. At Stockman's Restaurant & Bar, followed by a live band. **Sponsor: Pinedale Roundup.**

Saturday, Mar. 1

9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

“White Out” Kids’ Winter Fun Olympics

All day long kid-oriented events will be held at the American Legion Park in Pinedale. Events include:

“Snowshoe Biathlon” • “Pack the Kid Up the Hill” Sled Race

“Jack Frost” Frozen Money Scramble

“Iditakid” Dog Sled Event • “Mountain Boy & Girl” Arm Wrestling Tournament

- Saturday, Mar. 1 continued -

First, second and third place GRVWC medals are awarded to winners of each event. **Sponsor: Exxon/Mobil.**

10 a.m. - Noon

“Snowpack” Tug of War

The traditional tug-of-war with five people to a team, one must be a woman. All members must wear snowpacks (rubber bottom boots with some type of liner). Winning tug team receives GRVWC winter hats and cash prizes.

11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

***** 2003 New Event*** “White Fang” Dog Sled Pulling Event**

Dogs of all sizes can participate in one of three weight classes pulling a weighted sled 10 feet in the fastest time. Winning hound and handler gets a bag of dog bones and a GRVWC winter hat. **Sponsor: Pacific Power.**

1 p.m. -2 p.m.

“Chores Suck!” Woodchopping and Stacking Race

A chance to prove you have more time to play in the winter by being the fastest chopper and stacker. Each contestant must split and stack three blocks of wood. This is a timed event, with men's and women's divisions. Each winner receives a GRVWC hat and a cash prize.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m.

“Reindeer” Race

Couldn't get the dog to pull in the weight pull event? Then put your own might to the test in the Reindeer Race. Guy pulls gal on a sled over a set distance, then she pulls him. Best time wins a cash prize and a GRVWC winter hat. **Sponsor: Sublette County Recreation Board.**

7:30 p.m. - Midnight

“Cabin Fever” Ball

A FREE semiformal evening event designed for all ages. Bring the kids! The community-style dance will be held at the Pinedale Entertainment Center and will feature a DJ or live music, refreshments and other activities all evening long. **Sponsor: Encana.**

Sunday, Mar. 2

1 p.m. -4 p.m.

“Icicle Hands and Hooves” Ski and Snowboard Joring

To allow for more participants, the highly attended and spectated ski joring will be held on Sunday afternoon in the field across from Country Lane Conoco and Liquor. A horse and rider pulling a skier or snowboarder race through a course for the fastest time. First, second and third place teams in three divisions win GRVWC medals. **Sponsor: Sublette County Recreation Board.**

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