

Icelandic traditions



Júlíana & Dagmar



Þorrinn

dare

- 19th - 26th January.
- First day of Þorrinn is called Bóndadagur.
- Ends on a Saturday which is called Þorraþræll.
- A show is made about the people in the town called Þorrablót.





Bóndadagur

farmersday

- The housewife welcomes the Þorri, the night before.
- Wives took care of their husbands.
- Men would run around their town with no clothes on.

Sprengidagur & bolludagur

bombday

ballday

- 3rd february - 9th march.
- The workers had to eat as much as they could on sprengidagur.
- Bolludagur is 7 weeks before easter.
- People made a bouquet and hit each other with the bouquet on the bum.



Öskudagur

ashwednesday

- 7th february - 10th march
- Dress up in costumes.
- Sing in stores and companies for candy.
- Part of fasting.
- Part of catholic religion.





Ættarmót

kin meeting



- A big get together, where people get to meet their family.
- Play games and talk about their common relatives.



Jólasveinarnir

christmas lads

- We have 13 Santa Clauses and a Christmas cat.
- Grýla and Leppalúði.
- A scary story was told to the children about the Christmas cat and Grýla.
- The Santa Clauses all have their own characteristics.



Dimmisjón

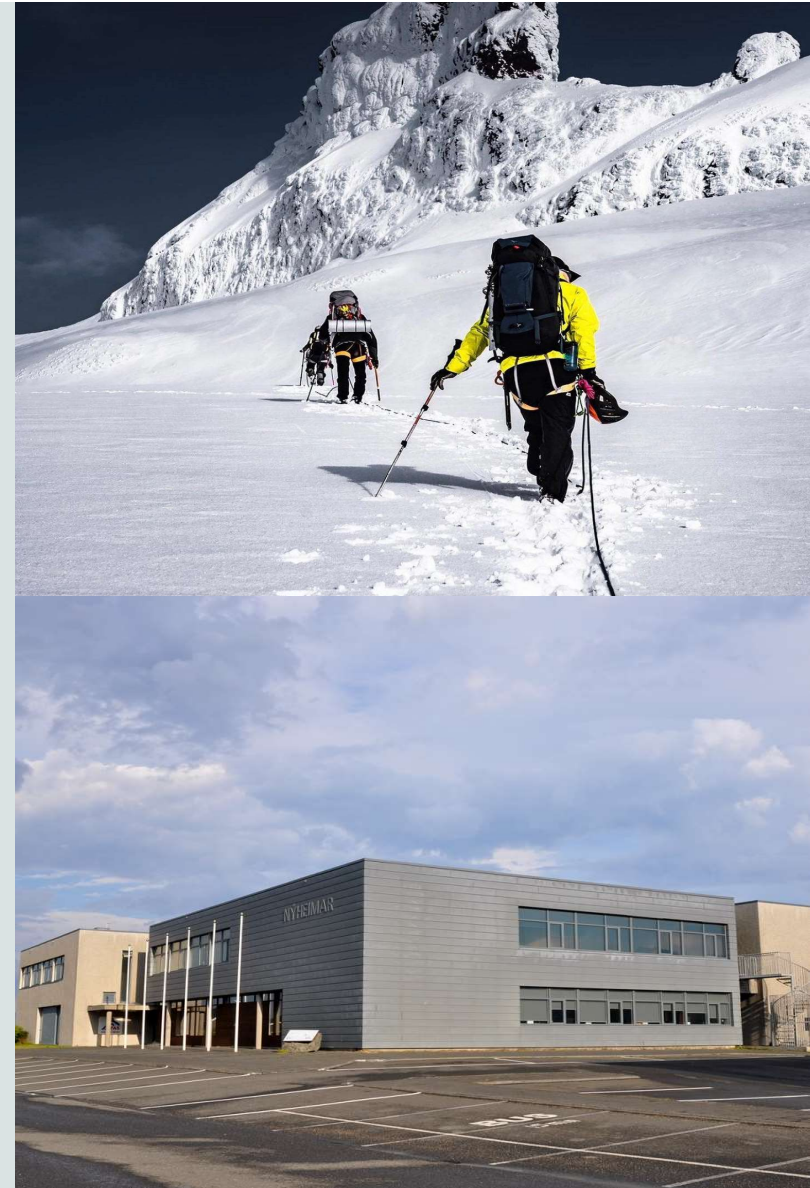
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- On Dimmisjón all of the highschool graduates get together in costumes.
- Play pranks and score games.



Our school
Framhaldsskólinn í Austur-Skaftafellssýslu
FAS

- The school was established in 1987.
- Was 7 km away from the town the first 15 years.
- Moved to the town Höfn in 2002.
- Only school in Iceland with mountain eering class.





Takk fyrir - Kiitos - Takk

