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## Press Release

ALASKA STATE MUSEUM

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### HOLIDAY CLOSURES AT STATE MUSEUM

The Alaska State Museum will be closed to the public on Christmas and New Year's Day. The museum will be closed on Saturday, December 25, and Saturday, January 1, for these state and federal holidays.

The museum will be open regular hours the day before Christmas and the day before New Year's Day. The museum will be open extended hours on First Friday, January 7. In addition, the museum will be closed on Saturday, January 8 for building maintenance.

Winter hours at the museum are 10 a.m. To 4 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Discounted winter admission is \$3. Visitors 18 and under are admitted free of charge. An annual pass that allows unlimited visits to the Alaska State Museum and the Sheldon Jackson Museum in Sitka is available for \$15.

Assistance is available for visitors with special needs. Please contact visitor services at 465-2901 before the visit for more information.

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