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## Press Release

ALASKA STATE MUSEUM

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### LABOR DAY CLOSURE AT ALASKA STATE MUSEUM

The Alaska State Museum will be closed to the public on Labor Day, September 2, 2013.

Three temporary solo exhibits are on display at the museum: Kay Field Parker's Ravenstail weaving exhibit, "Playing with Lightning;" Tommy Joseph's exhibit of Tlingit armor, "Rainforest Warriors"; and Nicholas Galanin's exhibit consisting of prints, monotypes, photographs and videos and entitled, "The State of Being, Displaced." Also on display is a temporary exhibit of works by artists from The Canvas at R.E.A.C.H. entitled, "Bird in the Tree, Fish in the Water, Vase by the Wall." All these exhibits will be on display through October 12.

Summer hours at the museum are 8:30 to 5:30 daily. Summer admission is \$7 with a \$1 discount for age 65 and older. 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.

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