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Press Release

SHELDON JACKSON MUSEUM

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Yup'ik Story Knife-Making Workshop at the Sheldon Jackson Museum

SITKA – The Sheldon Jackson Museum invites you to attend a family-friendly public program to learn about Yup'ik culture and to make and use story knives on Saturday, June 15th at 1:00 p.m. The workshop is part of At Saxán (Love of All Things) Saturdays, and pre-registration is required.

Every third Saturday of the month at 1:00 p.m. children and their families have a chance to learn more about Alaska Native culture and peoples and the museum's remarkable ethnographic collection through hands-on arts and crafts activities, storytelling, games, and more. The majority of programs will require pre-registration and last one and a half to two hours. Most programs will be free but some will require a small fee to cover material costs. All programs will be at the Sheldon Jackson Museum at 104 College Drive.

Special support for programming comes from the Friends of the Sheldon Jackson Museum. To register or for more information, call (907) 747-8904 or email Jacqueline.Fernandez@alaska.gov

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