



Cama'i – Hello,

The holidays are here and the museum is kicking off the season with our annual bazaar. Shop directly from local artists at this special event on Saturday, December 2.

Our new storefront in the downtown marketplace and our [online store](#) are also stocked with special gifts. Or add some Alutiiq flair to your holiday crafts. Send [Alutiiq greetings](#) in your holiday cards, dress [gingerbread cookies](#) in [Alutiiq parkas](#), or make [Alutiiq ornaments](#).

Agayunek'gcikina. — Have a wonderful Holiday.

Holiday Bazaar



Mark your calendars, the Alutiiq Museum is hosting its annual holiday bazaar on Saturday December 2, 10:00 am to 4:00 pm at the Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge Visitors Center.

Find unique, hand-made gifts inspired by Alutiiq heritage and Kodiak. Shop directly from local artists and find gifts for everyone on your list.

Archaeology of Santa Flavia Bay

Curator of Archaeology Patrick Saltonstall will speak about this past summer's archaeological research in Santa Flavia Bay. Learn about the finds and how artifacts reveal Alutiiq history on Friday, December 1, 5:30-6:30 pm at the Kodiak History Museum.



*Slate point from excavations in
Santa Flavia Bay, Cratty Collection..*

Free and open to the public. All are welcome.

Artist Spotlight



Yvonne Mullan, 2023.

Alutiiq/Sugpiaq artists fill their creations with cultural knowledge and personal expression. Learn how from our video artist interviews.

This month, meet artist Yvonne Mullan a beader and skin sewer. Yvonne's work is inspired by the natural beauty of Kodiak and her family.

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First Friday Podcast

Enjoy a traditional Alutiiq/Sugpiaq tale on the first Friday of each month. Our podcast features community members reading legends—*unigkuat*. In December, Hailey Thompson shares *The Bear Hunter*, a legend told by Peter Naumoff in 1962 and translated by Paula Malutin.

Our podcasts are available on Spotify, [Anchor](#), and Apple Podcasts. Supported by the Kodiak Island Borough School District READ project.



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Hunter's Betrayal.
Drawing by Laura Mullican, 2021, AM1001.

Shop Alutiiq for the Holidays



alutiiqmuseumstore.org 844-425-8844

We've moved our store to the downtown marketplace! While the museum building undergoes renovations, the marketplace will be our home base. Stop by to browse local artwork, books, and museum merchandise. And remember, when you shop locally, you support neighbors, friends, and our community. Shop Local. Shop Alutiiq. for the holidays.

Shop

Be a Lamplighter

For thousands of years, Alutiiq people have used oil lamps to push back the darkness. The burning lamp symbolizes our heritage and the many traditions that unite our community. A lamplighter is a person who illuminates these traditions and ignites

cultural pride. Donations to our end of year Lamplighter campaign help the museum connect people to the Alutiiq world. A culture illuminated is never lost. Give now.

Give



The Alutiiq Museum is a non-profit organization dedicated to preserving and sharing the heritage and living culture of the Alutiiq, an Alaska Native tribal people. Representatives of Kodiak Alutiiq organizations govern the museum with funding from charitable contributions, memberships, grants, contracts, and sales.

