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APRIL 16-18, 2026

KODIAK, AK | KODIAK MARKETPLACE



EXHIBITOR HANDBOOK

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March 27, 2026

Dear Exhibitor,

Welcome to ComFish Alaska 2026 and thank you for being a part of this year's Trade Show! ComFish's ability to bring both on and off-island industry leaders together for 47 years has proven to be an invaluable resource for our community. The Chamber is proud to welcome back the City of Kodiak & Port of Kodiak as Co-Hosts for the second year running. Join us in celebrating the 47th Annual ComFish Alaska in 2026!

This year, our 47th Annual ComFish Alaska is bigger than ever! We have expanded our Trade Show floor to include 59 booths—up from 49 last year—as we continue to grow alongside our incredible industry. The Trade Show is located in the Kodiak Marketplace downtown and the Forums in the Harbor Room at the Best Western Kodiak Inn. What's in this Packet: While we will be releasing a full printed program the week of the event with our complete forum schedule, this packet contains the basic show info and a map of exhibitors and vendor details you need now. You will also find flyers and details for our signature community events, including; The Welcome Receptions, Annual Taco Night, ComFish Breakfast Info.

For those of you coming to ComFish from out-of-town this year, I would like to welcome you to Kodiak. Included here, you will find some information on several meetings and evening events, things to do, coffee shops and restaurants.

Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help make ComFish Alaska 2026 a positive experience for you and your team! Thank you again for choosing to be a part of this year's event with us.

Wishing you a successful experience at the trade show and in Kodiak!

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ellen Simeonoff". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Ellen Simeonoff
Executive Director
Kodiak Chamber of Commerce
Cell: (907) 539-2776

BASIC EXPO INFORMATION

SHOW LOCATION: Kodiak Marketplace
100 Center St.
Kodiak, AK 99615

SHOW DATES: Thursday, April 16 to Saturday April 18, 2026

SHOW HOURS:

Thursday, April 16	10 AM - 5 PM
Friday, April 17	10 AM - 5 PM
Saturday, April 18	9 AM - 1 PM

COMPLIMENTARY EXHIBITOR SERVICES

Complimentary Breakfast is provided in the kitchen at the Marketplace for Vendors provided courtesy of Alaska Pollock Fishery Alliance
Thursday & Friday: 8:45 - 9:45 am, Saturday 8:00 - 8:45 am

Complimentary coffee and water will be available for exhibitors.

EXHIBITOR SET-UP & LOAD-IN:

Exhibitor Set-Up Schedule

- Tuesday, April 14: 5:00 PM – 9:00 PM
- Wednesday, April 15 9:00AM – 9:00 PM
- Deadline: All exhibits must be fully completed by 9:30 AM on Thursday, April 16.

Important Load-In Rules:

- **Early Access:** If you need to enter the exhibit area outside of these hours, you must make prior arrangements with authorized personnel.
- **Security:** To ensure safety and security, visitors are strictly prohibited from the exhibit halls prior to showtime.
- **Floor Protection:** Exhibitors moving heavy engines, outboards, or large equipment into the Marketplace must provide 1/2-inch plywood sheets to roll and transport items. This is required to protect the flooring and ensure a safe setup for everyone.

EXHIBITOR DISMANTLE & LOAD-OUT:

- **Load-Out Window:** Saturday, April 18, from 1:15 PM – 8:00 PM
- **Final Deadline:** All materials must be removed from the Kodiak Marketplace by 8:00 PM on Saturday.

Important Reminders:

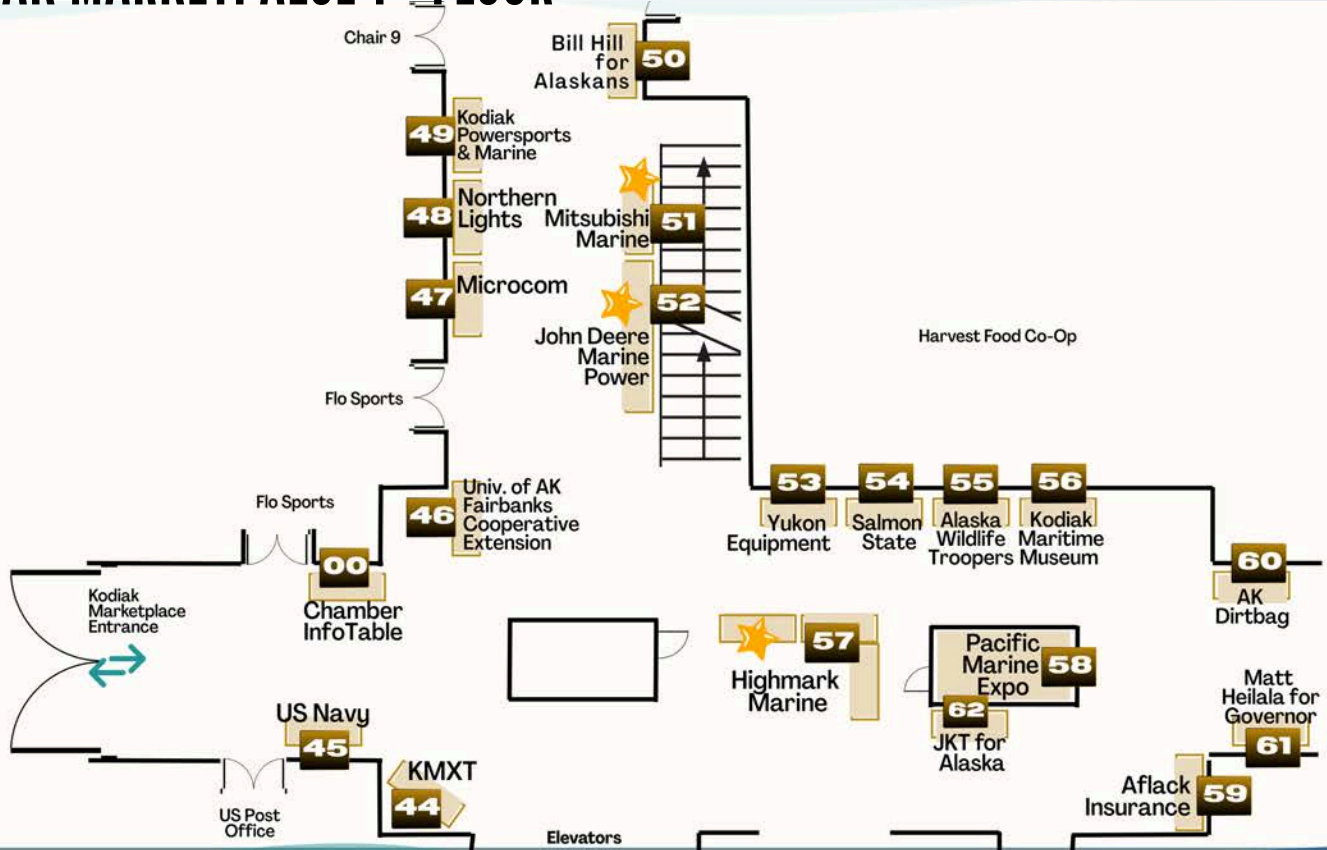
- **No Early Dismantling:** To ensure a quality experience for all visitors and clients, booths may not be dismantled or removed until the show officially closes at 1:00 PM on Saturday.
- **Clearance:** We appreciate your cooperation in helping us clear the venue efficiently by the 8:00 PM cutoff.

BOOTH ASSIGNMENTS

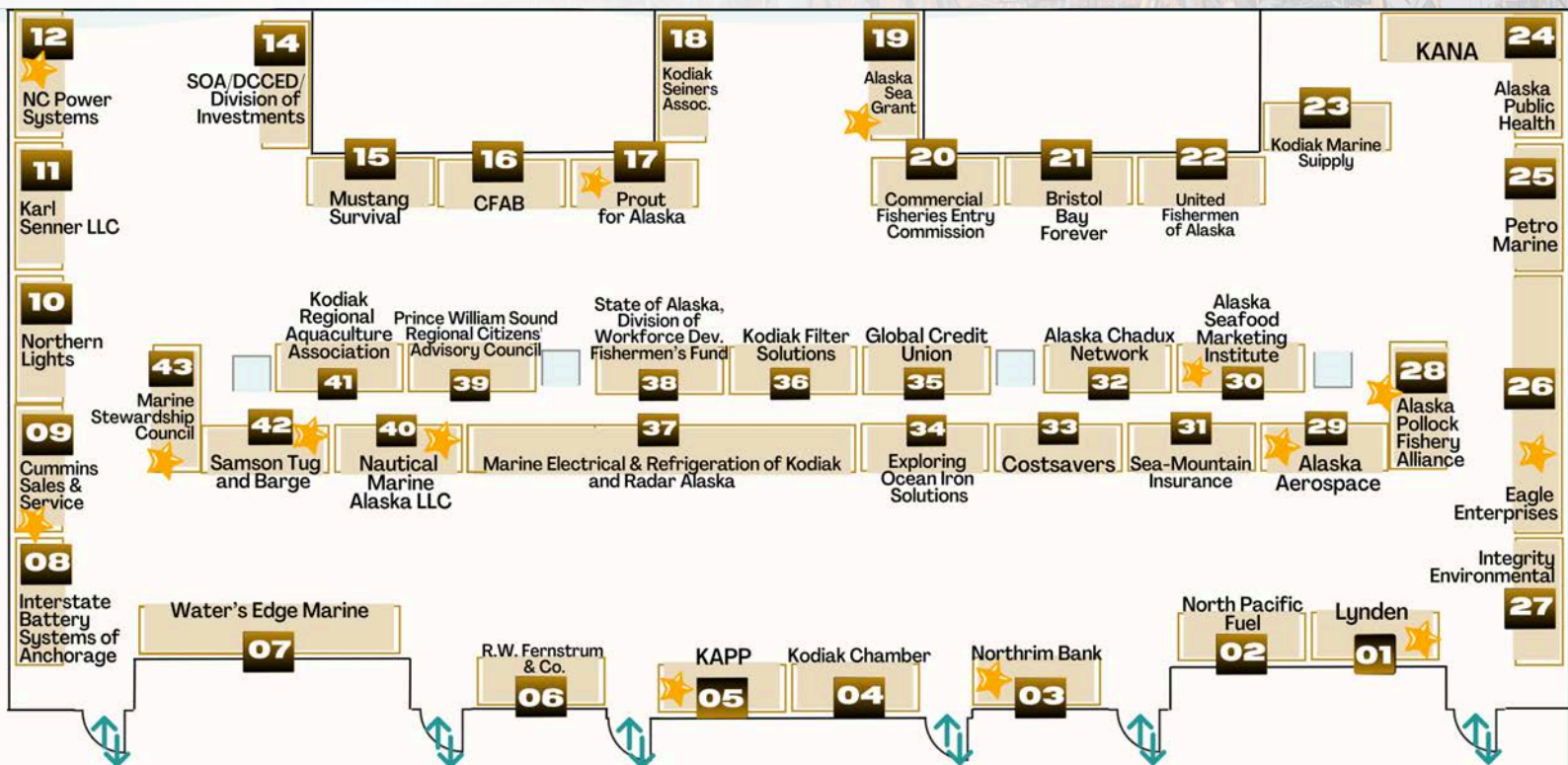
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- 50 Bill Hill for Alaskans
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- 33 Costsavers
 - 9 Cummins Sales & Service
- 26 Eagle Enterprises Inc
- 34 Exploring Ocean Iron Solutions (ExOIS)
- 35 Global Credit Union
- 57 Highmark Marine Group
- 27 Integrity Environmental
 - 8 Interstate Battery Systems of Anchorage LLC
- 52 John Deere
- 62 JKT for Alaska
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- 61 Matt Heilala for Governor
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- 15 Mustang Survival
- 12 N C Power Systems
- 40 Nautical Marine AK LLC
 - 2 North Pacific Fuel
- 10 Northern Lights
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 - 3 Northrim Bank
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- 39 PWSRCAC
- 17 Prout for Alaska
- 6 R.W. Fernstrum & Company
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- 38 State of Alaska, Dept. of Labor & WDFW
- 45 U.S. Navy
- 22 United Fishermen of Alaska
- 46 University of Alaska Fairbanks Coop. Ext.
 - 7 Water's Edge Marine
- 53 Yukon Equipment

MAP LAYOUT

KODIAK MARKETPALCE 1ST FLOOR



KODIAK MARKETPALCE 2ND FLOOR



SAFETY INFORMATION

FIRE SAFETY REGULATIONS:

Fuel tanks must be drained. No more than one gallon of fuel can remain in the tank. All other tanks or containers must be empty. Battery cables must be disconnected.

EXHIBITOR BADGES:

Exhibitor Badges will be issued by the Kodiak Chamber of Commerce at the exhibit set-up and can be picked up at the Chamber Booth upstairs at the marketplace. Badges must be worn conspicuously while in the exhibit hall.

LIABILITY INSURANCE:

All exhibitors are required to carry Comprehensive General Liability insurance for the duration of ComFish Alaska with Limits of \$1,000,000 per occurrence and \$1,000,000 aggregate. The policy must name the Kodiak Area Chamber of Commerce as an additional insured and a Certificate of Insurance must be provided to the Kodiak Chamber of Commerce prior to the start of ComFish Alaska.

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MISC INFORMATION

WIFI INFO:

There is complimentary Wi-Fi throughout the Marketplace
WiFi Network: MKPL GUEST Password: is K@naevents2510

BREAKFAST / COFFEE:

Complimentary breakfast is available for all exhibitors courtesy of Alaska Pollock Fishery Alliance from 8:45 to 9:45AM Thursday & Friday, 8:00 - 8:45 AM Saturday. Breakfast will be available from the kitchen upstairs at the marketplace across from the convention space

Water, and coffee will be available for exhibitors each morning starting at 8:45 AM Thu&Fri, 8:00 am Sat.

EMERGENCY CONTACT FOR KODIAK

All Emergencies - 911

Kodiak City Fire Department - (907) 486 8040

Kodiak Harbor Master - (907) 486 8080

Kodiak Police Department - (907) 486 8000

Providence Island Medical Center - (907) 486 3281

IN THE EVENT OF A TSUNAMI

In the event of an earthquake that triggers a Tsunami alarm, all booths will need to vacate the premises IMMEDIATELY and head to the exits inside the Marketplace or the Best Western if you are at the Forums. If you are not already at the Marketplace, head directly to the evacuation location of the Kodiak High School (722 Mill Bay Road, corner of Rezanof Drive and Egan Way) until further notice is given. Please do not attempt to relocate your booth or pack up, as it may compromise your safety and the safety of others.





BREAKFAST FOR

The logo for ComFish Alaska 2026 features a white fishing boat on a blue oval background. Below the boat is a green map of Alaska. The text "ComFish Alaska" is written in white with a blue outline, and "2026" is written in white with a blue outline below it.

**ComFish Alaska
2026**

**Vendors Please Enjoy Breakfast
& Coffee during ComFish Alaska**

Courtesy of the

Alaska Pollock Fishery Alliance

Thursday -Friday 8:45 am to 9:45 am

Saturday 8:00 am to 8:45 am



BASIC FORUM INFORMATION

LOCATION:

Harbor Room
Best Western, Kodiak Inn
236 E Rezanof Dr,

DATES:

Thursday, April 16 to Saturday April 18

HOURS:

Thursday, April 16	9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Friday, April 17	9:00 AM - 3:30 PM
Saturday, April 18	9:00 AM - 12 PM

THANK YOU TO OUR 2026 COMFISH & PIKE SPONSORS:





FISH TACO NIGHT 2026

APRIL 15TH, 4:30-6:30PM
KODIAK ISLAND BREWERY
KODIAK, ALASKA



Join us for cod tacos caught by local jig fishermen and prepared by the Association of Latin Women in Alaska.

Hosted with community spirit by the following:



SUGGESTED DONATION:
\$10/2 TACOS
TO-GO BOXES AVAILABLE.



JOIN US!



COMFISH FORUMS

THURSDAY, APRIL 16TH



10-5 PM COMFISH TRADE SHOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Location: Kodiak Marketplace

9-9:45 AM NOAA- AFSC DATA COLLECTION MODERNIZATION

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenters: Dr. Bob Foy, NOAA

Update on survey modernization. NOAA Fisheries is engaged in a multi-year effort to strategically respond to climate-driven changes in the environment, maintain operating efficiencies and modernization efforts, and mitigate shifting survey needs.

10-10:45 AM NOAA – ECOSYSTEM-BASED FISHERY MANAGEMENT IN ALASKA

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: Dr. Bob Foy, NOAA

11-11:45 AM APFA-GAPP - ALASKA POLLOCK 101 | DEMYSTIFYING AN ECONOMIC ENGINE OF ALASKA

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenters: Sam Murphy & Caitlin Yeager

12--12:45 PM FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE UPDATE - SENATOR SULLIVAN

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: Senator Dan Sullivan will join us live via zoom to give a Federal Legislative update on Alaska Commercial Fisheries.

12:45-1:30 PM LUNCH COURTESY OF SILVER BAY SEAFOODS

1:30-2:15 PM FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE UPDATE - CONGRESSMAN BEGICH

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: Congressman Nick Begich will join us live via zoom to give a Federal Legislative update on Alaska Commercial Fisheries.

2:30-3:15 PM USCG AIR STATION KODIAK SAR PRESENTATION

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: CGAS Kodiak Helicopter Crew

4-5:30 PM ASMI FISHERMAN'S TOWN HALL MEETING AT DOUBLE SHOVEL CIDERY

Location: Double Shovel Cidery

All commercial fishermen and seafood industry members are invited to this ASMI town hall. Enjoy a drink and some light food, get some SWAG, see new ASMI resources, and hear about current seafood market conditions and what ASMI is doing to help.

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JOHN DEERE MARINE POWER INVITES YOU TO AN EVENING RECEPTION

THURSDAY, APRIL 16TH

5:00 PM
TO
6:30 PM

KODIAK
MARKETPLACE

Join us & celebrate the reason we're all at
COMFISH --sustainable Alaska seafood and
**A SUCCESSFUL COMMERCIAL
FISHING INDUSTRY!**

Come enjoy liquid libations and appetizers

**COURTESY
OF**



JOHN DEERE

MARINE POWER



BRISTOL BAY FOREVER

Kodiak Kickoff

Thursday, April 16 | 6:00 to 8:00pm
Kodiak Island Brewery & Still

JOIN US AT COMFISH!

This year, we have an opportunity to protect
Bristol Bay **the Alaska way!**



bristolbayforever.org

COMFISH FORUMS

FRIDAY, APRIL 17TH



10-5 PM COMFISH TRADE SHOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Location: Kodiak Marketplace

9-9:45 AM NOAA - DR. EUGENIO PINEIRO SOLER, ASSISTANT ADMIN OF FISHERIES

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: Dr. Eugenio Pineiro Soler, NOAA Assistant Administrator of Fisheries
Update on NOAA's key fisheries priorities for 2026.

10-10:05 AM FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE UPDATE - SENATOR MURKOWSKI

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenters: Senator Lisa Murkowski

Senator Lisa Murkowski will participate via video presentation to give a Federal Legislative update on Alaska Commercial Fisheries

10:15AM-12:45 PM THEORY & APPLICATION OF SOUND PROPAGATION IN WATER-ECHO SOUNDERS, SONARS, & MULTIBEAM SYSTEMS

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: Andrew Stradling, Furuno

Presentation on theories and applications of sound propagation in water-echo sounders, sonars, & multibeam systems.

12:45-1:30 PM LUNCH BREAK

1:30-2:15 PM ASMI - CIRCANA REPORT

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: Tanna Peters, ASMI; Carlos Salazar, Circana; Sam Friedman, McKinley Research Group

2:30-3:15 PM PROJECT GABE

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenter: Denise Damewood, AMSEA RN, BSN, MAR, Founder Project Gabe

Providing opioid misuse awareness, education, and recovery tools to create a healthy workplace for commercial fishing workers in a manner that is accessible, easy to understand and easy to implement. Learn the symptoms of opioid overdose and receive opioid reversal nasal spray training. Take part in Project Gabe by making sure your boat has opioid emergency equipment. Sign up for Free NARCAN and medication deactivation disposal bags

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5:00-6:30PM

JOIN US FOR AN EVENING RECEPTION CELEBRATING SUSTAINABLE ALASKA SEAFOOD AND THE HARDWORKING COMMUNITIES BEHIND IT. ENJOY FRESH BAIRDI CRAB, CAUGHT BY THE F/V SILVER SPRAY, ALONG WITH A SELECTION OF APPETIZERS AND A CASH BAR.



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TRUE ALASKAN  TRUE LEADERSHIP

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STATE HOUSE



COMFISH FORUMS

SATURDAY, APRIL 18TH



9-1 PM COMFISH TRADE SHOW OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Location: Kodiak Marketplace

9-9:45 AM ADF&G UPDATE - COMMISSIONER DOUG VINCENT-LANG

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenters: Alaska Department of Fish and Game Commissioner Doug Vincent-Lang will give an update.

10-10:45 AM FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE UPDATE - AK SENATOR GARY STEVENS

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenters: Alaska Senator Gary Stevens will participate via Zoom to give a Federal Legislative update on Alaska Commercial Fisheries

11-11:45 AM FEDERAL LEGISLATIVE UPDATE - AK REPRESENTATIVE LOUISE STUTES

Location: Best Western Harbor Room

Presenters: Alaska Representative Louise Stutes will participate in person to give a Federal Legislative update on Alaska Commercial Fisheries.

12:30-3PM FISHERMAN'S SHOWCASE & RECEPTION

Location: Fisherman's Hall, Harbormaster Building

Hosted By: Alaska Sea Grant with support from Kodiak fishermen

Presenters: Julie Matweyou, Theresa Peterson, & Toby Sullivan

Food and drink will be available inside Fishermen's Hall throughout the event.

Competition from 12:30- 1:30pm

This is a friendly competition for Kodiak fishermen to demonstrate their expertise and compete for the honor of the most skilled fisherman. Competitors complete five skills in timed heats of three contestants, and overall best time takes the title. Skills include coiling, knot tying, hook throwing, rail tying, and survival suit donning. Prizes will go to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners.

Pre-registration is encouraged. Sign-up in person at the Alaska Sea Grant Booth (#19) or show up at the Showcase. Sign up in groups of three to compete with your crewmates or friends.

Demonstrations and skill stations from 2:00-3:00 pm

Following the competition, join us for demonstrations and skill stations that feature the day and the life of commercial fishermen. This is a kid friendly session and we encourage all ages. Activities will be held outdoors and indoors. We will be sharing information on statewide efforts to train crew and encourage apprenticeship programs to engage new entrants into commercial fishing.

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FISHERMEN'S SHOWCASE

SATURDAY, APRIL 18
12:30 - 3 PM

FISHERMEN HALL, KODIAK AK

Friendly Competition & Gathering for Commercial Fishermen
12:30 -3:00 PM Reception, Catered lunch, & Youth Activity
12:30 -1:30 PM Competition
2:00 PM Demonstrations

SIGN UP your **TEAM** of **3**
to **COMPETE** for **TOP HONORS!**

COMPETE IN TIMED HEATS ACROSS 5 SKILL STATIONS
•Coiling •Knot Tying •Hook Throwing •Rail Tying
•Survival Suit Donning
PRIZES FOR 1ST 2ND 3RD PLACE

Scan the QR code to Volunteer or Compete. Sign up at the Alaska Sea Grant booth upstairs



KODIAK DINING INFO

FOOD

AQUAMARINE CAFÉ

508 West Marine Way | (907) 486-2999
www.aquamarinekodiak.com

BEARFOOT BAKERY

111 Rzanof Drive, Suite 1 | (907) 512-6936
www.bearfootbakery.com

BEAN & BLOOM COFFEE

450 E Marine Way | (907)-512-5442

CHART ROOM RESTAURANT

236 West Rezanof Drive | (907) 486-5712
www.kodiakinn.com/restaurants

DOUBLE SHOVEL CIDERY

101 Center Avenue | (907) 942-3585
www.doubleshovelsider.com

HARBORSIDE COFFEE & GOODS

210 Shelikof Street #B | (907) 486-5862
www.harborsidecoffeekodiak.com

HENRY'S GREAT ALASKAN REST.

512 Marine Way | (907) 486-8844
www.henrysgreatalaskan.com

KODIAK HANA RESTAURANT

516 East Marine Way | (907) 481-1088
www.kodiakhana.com

HARBORSIDE FLYBY COFFEE

1715 Mill Bay Road | (907) 486-5864
www.harborsidecoffeekodiak.com

KODIAK ISLAND BREWING & STILL CO.

117 Lower Mill Bay Road | (907) 486-2537
www.kodiakbrewery.com

NEAR ISLAND COFFEE

110 Alimaq Drive | (907) 539-2326

NUNIAQ

113 Lower Mill Bay Road | (907) 481-1660

THE PIZA PIT

103 Center Street | (907) 486-4848

SUBWAY OF KODIAK

326 Center Street, Suite 208 | (907) 486-7676

LANI'S FILIPINO BARBECUE

210 West Rezanof Dr. | (907) 512-6594
www.threesisterscoffeeco.com

WHEEL WATCH

101 Center Avenue | (907) 486-5863
www.harborsidecoffeekodiak.com

THE ABOVE LISTED ARE CHAMBER
MEMBER & SUPPORTING BUSINESSES



LOCAL ATTRACTIONS

ATTRACTIONS

ALUTIIQ MUSEUM STORE

111 Rezanof Drive West #12
Kodiak, AK 99615
(844) 425-8844
www.alutiiqmuseum.org

KODIAK MARITIME MUSEUM

500 Alimaq Drive at Trident Way
Kodiak, AK 99615
(907) 486-0384
www.kodiakmaritimemuseum.org

KODIAK HISTORY MUSEUM

101 West Marine Way
Kodiak, AK 99615
(907) 486-5920
www.kodiakhistorymuseum.org

KODIAK MILITARY HISTORY MUSEUM

5744 Miller Point Road at Abercrombie State Park
Kodiak, AK 99615
(907) 486-7015
www.kodiak.org/museum/museum.html

KODIAK NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE

402 Center Street
Kodiak, AK 99615
www.kodiak.fws.gov/

KODIAK SEAFOOD & MARINE SCIENCE CENTER

118 Trident Way
Kodiak, AK 99615
(907) 486-1500
www.alaskaseagrant.org/about/kodiak-seafood-and-marine-science-center

ORPHEUM THEATRE

102 Center Avenue
Kodiak Alaska 99615
(907) 486-5449





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