



Friday Night Insights 2008-2009



Friday Night Insight programs are free weekly presentations with guest speakers covering a variety of topics on the natural and cultural heritage of Southeast Alaska. These hour long programs are open to the public from 7:00 PM - 8:00 PM at the Southeast Alaska Discovery Center.

*Speakers and topics are subject to change.

November

7th Mary Ida Henrikson

A New Walk in the Woods

14th Mark Jacqua

Building Canoes: Fabric on Frame
Using Local Woods

21th Ray Troll

Ketchikan Public Arts Works

28th Charlotte Glover

Best Books about Alaska

December

5th Laura Baker

Nature Conservancy and the
Shorezone Mapping Project

12th Dave Pearson

Deer and DNA in Southeast Alaska

19th Gary Freitag

Sea Grant Marine Advisory
Program (UAF)

26th No Program

January

2nd Mary Kowalczyk, Priscilla Schulte, John Autrey

The Preservation of Totem Bight:
History and Future

9th Dave Kiffer

Alaska's 50th Birthday

16th Patty Mackie

Recent Trends in Our Visitor
Industry

23rd Tory Houser

The Road Less Traveled Made All
the Difference

30th Tom Heutte

Rare and Unusual Plants of the
Tongass National Forest

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February

6th Bob Demmert

GPS- How does it work in Alaska?

13th Jack Shay

The History of Creek Street

20th Stephen, Kayn, and

Erin Reeve Telling Our Story:
Restoring our Community's
Historic Properties

27th Becky Nourse

Where the Sea Breaks its Back: An
educational journey through the
Aleutian Islands.

March

6th Joan Walker & Gerry Knasiak (6:30 p.m.-8:15 p.m.)

We were here too! Historic Alaskan
Women and *Arctic Dance: the Mardy
Murie Story*

13th Damon Hampel

Secrets of Deer Mountain Hatchery

20th Butch Allen (6p.m.-8p.m.)

Alaska Oceans Film Festival: A series
of short films relating to the oceans of
the world.

27th Dean Scott

Swan-Tyee Intertie: A Hydro-electric
Power Project in Southeast Alaska

April



A month long celebration
welcoming migratory birds back
to Alaska and to Ketchikan.

Activities include: A Juried Art
Show, Birding Insight and Field
Series, and Weekend Interpretive
Avian Arts Programs.

Southeast Alaska Discovery Center

Winter Hours
Thursday-Sunday
8 a.m. - 4 p.m.

FREE ADMISSION

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