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APK = Fr. Andrew P. Kashevaroff Building (Juneau)

SJM = Sheldon Jackson Museum (Sitka)

News

Enjoy our resources from home!

All Division facilities remain closed under Health Mandate 2 issued March 16th and updated on April 1st.

BUT - While our buildings in Juneau or Sitka are closed, our online resources, exhibits and recorded programs are always open! Until we're able to welcome you in person, we will be offering highlights of our online content you can enjoy anywhere with an internet connection.

We will update you through “At the APK and SJM Extra”s if our buildings re-open during May.

Online Events

Friday French Group

Every Friday, Noon – 1:00 pm, Online. Requires one time registration at <https://lam.alaska.gov/frenchfromhome>.

Open to all language levels. Come learn and practice the French language in a fun, no-pressure environment. We use WebEx with both video and audio, so you'll need a computer or other device with internet access. If not part of your device, you'll need speakers/headphones and a microphone.

Virtual First Friday: Opening of Alaska Positive

Friday, May 1st starting at 4:30 pm, at

<https://lam.alaska.gov/ak-positive-2019>

Now in its 49th year, Alaska Positive is a statewide juried photographic exhibition organized and toured by the Alaska State

Museum. Its purpose is to encourage the practice of photography as an art form in Alaska. Alaska Positive was on exhibit at the Alaska State Museum December 6, 2019 through February 15, 2020. A statewide tour follows, the exhibition will travel to museums throughout Alaska.

At the APK archived videos

On demand on [360North's YouTube Playlist](#)

Since the APK opened in 2016, there have been 37 lectures, artist talks and panels shared online through a partnership with 360 North. Now is a great time to relive a favorite talk or catch up on something you missed. As a start, we recommend the following lectures:

- [What shall we do with our heroes? with Ernestine Hayes](#) (posted 5/4/2018) - Alaska State Writer Laureate Ernestine Hayes for a discussion of her writing that examines our society's histories and heroes from a deeper perspective.
- [Art & life in the aftermath with Joan Naviyuk Kane, Don Rearden, Vera Starbard](#) (posted 5/4/2018) - In this NEA Big Read keynote event, playwright Vera Starbard, poet Joan Naviyuk Kane, and novelist Don Rearden discuss the power of art in a colonized, indigenous Alaska. Through an examination of their own work and the Big Read selection, Station Eleven, by Emily St. John Mandel, the panel will discuss the notion that "survival is insufficient" in the wake of widespread cultural and social upheaval.
- [The Salmon Way with Amy Gulick](#) (posted 3/9/2020) - Author and photographer Amy Gulick discusses her book the Salmon Way, which is an inspiring look into the lives of Alaskans and salmon and how they intertwine.

Until we have resumed regular lecture hall activity, we'll be highlighting an At the APK video in future issues for your on demand viewing pleasure.

Online Exhibitions

Alaska State Museum – Juneau

» Lowlands by Sara Tabbert

» <https://lam.alaska.gov/sara-tabbert-lowlands>

Other Online Resources

Alaska State Archives Virtual Field Trip

Take a virtual field trip to the Alaska State Archives and discover the people and events of the past that have shaped who we are as a state today! Explore Alaskan history through digital exhibits and primary sources from the comfort of your home through our education resources.

Start your journey with the [State Archives' Forget Me Not Blog](#)

Sheldon Jackson Museum Virtual Tour

Take a [virtual tour of the Sheldon Jackson Museum](#) made available by the National Park Service.

SLED - An information portal to Alaska and Beyond

<https://sled.alaska.edu>

From Alaska history to the latest research to caring for your outboard motor, SLED has something for you. Available to all residents of Alaska.

Alaska Digital Library!

<https://adl.overdrive.com>

If you have a library card with any Juneau or Sitka library, you have access to the Alaska Digital Library, a collection of tens of thousands of ebooks and audio books. If you don't know where to start, choose one of our categories from the front page like:

- Alaska and Arctic

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- Growing Alaska through small business startups
- Romance

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