

BEAR NECESSITIES

The Official Newsletter of the Made in Alaska Program



Alaska River Wrights Fly Fishing Company landing nets and fly rod grips, Permit #6911



Black Spruce Music and Arts topo tile, Permit #6908



Knotty Shop birch bowls, 6915

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Microloans Available for Alaska Businesses

Alaskans interested in starting or growing a small business now have a new source of business financing through the Alaska Microloan Revolving Loan Fund (AMRLF). The AMRLF provides short term loans to Alaska businesses for working capital; purchasing machinery, equipment, and inventory; and, leasehold improvements.

“Microlending is common in most other states,” said Susan K. Bell, Commissioner for the Department of Commerce, Community, and Economic Development.

“We are pleased to add this business financing option to encourage entrepreneurs to capitalize on their ideas and ingenuity to power future economic growth and job opportunities.”

Loans are available up to \$35,000 for individuals or \$70,000 for two or more people, with a maximum loan term of six years. Applications and specific program information for the microloan program is available at www.commerce.alaska.gov/ded/fin or by contacting a loan officer at 1-800-478-LOAN(5626). Email inquiries can be sent to financing@alaska.gov.

Call for nominations: Made in Alaska 2012 Manufacturer of the Year Award

The deadline for nominations of the 2012 Made in Alaska Manufacturer of the Year Award is extended to February 1, 2013. The award is designed to recognize outstanding achievements of Made in Alaska permit holders who have demonstrated hard work and commitment in advancing Alaska’s economy.

This year’s award winner will be announced in April’s *Bear Necessities* and the recipient will be presented with their award later this year.

Made in Alaska will contact the winner by phone and post the winner’s name, picture, and biography on the Made in Alaska website.

If you have any questions regarding the award, please contact Lukia White, Administrative Coordinator for Made in Alaska, at 272-5634 or via email: lukia@anchoragemarkets.com.

Anyone may nominate an active Made in Alaska permit holder. Self-nominations are welcome!



Mike East and Dulce Ben-East, winners of the 2011 Manufacturer of the Year award for Kahiltna Birchworks, meet Lorene Palmer (center) new director of the Division of Economic Development.



New Permit Holders

Northern Lite Naturals

Denise Beach
Homer 235-6059
northernlitenaturals.com
info@northernlitenaturals.com
Permit #6888
All natural, all vegan, chemical and dye-free body care products.

Polar Lights Glass Designs

Cheryl Hopcroft
Fairbanks 378-7765
facebook.com/polar_lights_glass
cdarkehopcroft@gmail.com
Permit #6889
Fused glass jewelry, vases, bowls, plates, ornaments.

Knot Crazy!

April Beedle
Cordova 424-7673
facebook.com/#!/KnotCrazy
abdk609@gmail.com
Permit #6890
Handcrafted items made from recycled and new rope/line - "creative rope art."

Moose Drop-In

Steven Astillero
Moose Pass 491-0850
Permit #6891
Paintings of Alaska wildlife.
Permit #6892
Alaska-themed photography.
Permit #6893
Homemade fudge.



Life's Simple Joys, Permit #6904

Ace Dragon Coatings & Foam Inc.

Winston Gillies III
Kenai 398-6247
ace-dragon.com
w.gillies@ace-dragon.com
Permit #6894
Duck Ponds: Spill containment for portable equipment.
Permit #6895
Fake rocks: foam sprayed into rock shape, then coated with polyurea coating.

Alaska Countertops Inc.

Jeanine Anderson
Anchorage 561-9299
alaskacountertops.com
info@alaskacountertops.com
Permit #6896
Custom built laminate, solid surface, quartz and granite counter tops, window sills, fireplace surrounds, tub/shower enclosures.

Alaskan Women Run Wild

Kimberly Conkling
Anchorage
http://www.runwildak.com
runwildak@gmail.com
Permit #6897
Hand screen-printed apparel with the words "Alaskan Women Run Wild" and accompanying logo.



Peaceful Sounds in Alaska

Alaskan Bowls

Mark Walker
Juneau 209-4523
markwalkerak@aol.com
Permit #6898
Turned wooden bowls from trees found in Juneau.

TLC Management LLC DBA Tenakee Logging Co.

Gordon Chew
Tenakee Springs 7369200
tenakeelogging.com
gordon_chew@msn.com
Permit #6899
Variety of wood products, including grilling planks, wood shingles, guitar tops, beveled siding, rough sawn lumber, wooden decks, houses/additions, commercial construction, canoe paddle blanks, and boat lumber.

NSEW Awards, Inc.

Douglas Woods
Juneau 209-0000
nsewawards.com
info@nsewawards.com
Permit #6900
Etched glass recognition awards, gifts, and glassware.

Lazydogs Design

Susan Garrett
Palmer
Permit #6901
Handcrafted beaded jewelry.
Permit #6903
Handcrafted ladies handbags and totes.

Glacier Baybes

Janet Lassiter
Juneau
jrlassiter@gmail.com
Permit #6902
Hand-made kuspuku, mukluku, and patterns.



New Permit Holders

Life's Simple Joys

Sharon Butzke
Anchorage 350-6310
sharonbutzke@me.com
Permit #6904
Pure extract of vanilla.
Permit #6905
Vanilla sugar using vanilla beans.

The Art Room

Donna Halvorsen
Craig 617-0658
donnarae1962@yahoo.com
Permit #6906
Cedar boxes, spruce boxes, frames,
small furniture (alder and cedar),
spruce plant stakes.

Lead Dog Designs

Heather Prete
Kodiak
leaddogdesigns.com
snwdgs2@gmail.com
Permit #6907
Hand-made custom dog collars - some
have swarovski crystals.

Black Spruce Music and Arts

Mary Ver Hoef
Fairbanks 456-4321
mariahverhoef.com
manager@mariahverhoef.com
Permit #6908
"Topo Tiles": Alaska maps
(topographic, marine charts, or
aviation charts) collaged onto ceramic
tiles with Alaska plant materials (birch
bark, leaves, kelp, flowers) and acrylic
paint.
Permit #6909
Birch bark items: baskets, napkin
rings, bracelets, balls and ornaments
woven by hand from natural birch
bark.

Pieh's Preserves

Mandy Pieh
Soldotna 260-9559
alaskapieh@hotmail.com
Permit #6910
Jams, jellies, and various homemade,
canned preserves: made with Alaskan
wild berries, fireweed, and garden
produce.

Alaska River Wrights Fly Fishing Company

Brant Bailey
Anchorage 602-7476
akriverwrights.com
bailey@akriverwrights.com
Permit #6911
Hand made, bent-wood fly fishing
landing nets made from Alaskan birch
and American walnut; fly rod grips
made from Alaskan birch bark.

Alaska Awakenings

Heather Angeloff
Fairbanks 456-1606
alaskawakenings@gmail.com
Permit #6912
Beeswax products - salves, lip balms,
candles.
Permit #6917
Crochet market bag.

S & K Headgear, LLC

Kittie Plank
Soldotna 260-2049
skplank@yahoo.com
Permit #6913
Hard-hat liners for slope workers
made with Flame Resistant Cloth.

Alaska Premium Waters

Daniel Shaw
Wasilla 357-7429
alaskapremiumwaters.com
danielkshaw@hotmail.com
Permit #6914
Bottled water.

Knotty Shop LLC

Ralph Wease
Salcha 488-3014
ralphwease@gmail.com
alaskaknottystore.com
Permit #6915
Various sizes and styles of birch bowls.

Alaska Creative Designs

Randy Morris
Anchorage 350-7162
akcreativdesign@aol.com
Permit #6916
Woodcrafts - birch baskets,
birdhouses, walking sticks, diamond
willow lamps, and bird feeders.

Wall Art, LLC

Ronald Wall
Fairbanks 322-1501
wallartllc@gmail.com
wallartalaska.com
Permit #6918
Custom millwork - carvings, signs,
lithophane, and more.

Alaska Insulated Panels

Ron Burkhardtmeier
Wasilla 357-2769
rvaluedhomes@alaska.com
www.rvaluedhomes.com
Permit #6919
Polyurethane foam core structural
insulated panels; prefabricated SIP
residential and commercial buildings.

Patrice's Fiber Haven

Patrice Meffley
Fairbanks 978-8512
pameffley@alaska.com
patricesfiberhaven.blogspot.com
Permit #6920
Wools, fabrics, beads for wall art,
nuno felted scarves, quilted goods.



New Permit Holders

Orca Woodworks & Design, LLC

Matt Miller
Anchorage 748-7428
matt@orcawoodworks.com
orcawoodworks.com
Permit #6921
Wooden toys.

Biorka Designs

Kaari Stockel
Anchorage 738-2192
biorkadesigns@gmail.com
etsy.com/shop/biorkadesigns
Permit #6922
'Ocean-inspired' jewelry with glass, shell, ceramic, and metal beads. Kaari also sells jewelry created with sea glass found in her hometown, Sitka, AK.

Joslin Enterprises

Debbie Joslin
Delta Junction 450-9440
joslinak@gmail.com
Permit #6923
Large (10 inch) potholders made with fabrics depicting Alaska-inspired scenes, including flowers, animals, and Alaska Native symbols.

Earthworks Farm

Bruce Hougan
Palmer 745-6725
earthworksfarmalaska@gmail.com
earthworksfarmalaska.com
Permit #6924
Hand-made body care products made with Alaska-grown beeswax and honey under the line named 'Abeille Alaska.'

Fearfully & Wonderfully Made Jewelry

Donna Bozeman
Anchorage 267-9319
akbooklady@yahoo.com
Permit #6925
Earrings, necklaces, and bracelets made from a variety of materials.

Antiek & Curiosa

Pascale Seidl
North Pole 322-7209
pascale@gci.net
antiekcuriosa.com
Permit #6926
Vintage items, such as quilts, jewelry, and clothing recreated into napkin rings, scissor holders, pin cushion fobs, dolls, etc.

Lighthouse Quilts and Things

Michelle McAnally
Nikisiki 776-8228
mmcanally63@gmail.com
etsy.com/shop/lighthousequilts907
Permit #6927
Quilts, and other pieced fabric items (table runners, toppers, wall hangings, placemats).

Adventure Appetites

Aaron Fetter
Anchorage 868-1749
info@adventureappetites.com
adventureappetites.com
Permit #6928
Sealed "ready-to-eat" meals for outdoor adventures.

Fiddle Fuzzies

Karyn Grove-Bruce
Anchorage 345-7038
kgb@gci.net
fiddlefuzzies.com
Permit #6929
Fiddle fuzzies - blankets to fit in musical instrument cases and hold hand warmers in place.



Anchorage Museum Crafts Weekend

January Webinar

Made in Alaska webinars are free and open to the public. If you are unable to attend the scheduled webinar, a recording will be posted on the Made in Alaska website, www.madeinalaska.org, and can be viewed at any time. Recent webinars include “Color Forecast” by Dana Reese and “How to Set Up a Booth” by Bruce Baker.

Upcoming webinars:

“2013 Consumer Trends”
by **Bruce Baker** – Wednesday,
January 23rd, 1 - 2pm.
Baker will identify current
trends and the value in using
these trends to create better
products.

Make reservations by calling
907- 272-5634 or emailing
lukia@anchoragemarkets.com.

2013 Workshops

Made in Alaska’s 2013 workshops are scheduled for the first quarter of the year. The workshops are free and open to all. Make your reservation by calling 907-272-5634 or emailing lukia@anchoragemarkets.com.

Workshop topics will focus on skills that are invaluable for small businesses, including:

- Marketing to Alaska: the basic techniques that lead to success
- Promoting your company: using a variety of sources
- Digital Photography: how to master the skills

Schedule for the 2013 workshops:

Anchorage	Tuesday, Feb 26th, 1 - 8pm B.P. Energy Center
Mat-Su	Thursday, Feb 28th, 1 - 8pm Best Western Lake Lucille Inn
Valdez	Wednesday, March 13th, 10am - 4pm Valdez Convention and Civic Center
Skagway	Tuesday, March 19th, 12 - 6:30pm Skagway Convention and Visitor’s Bureau
Haines	Wednesday, March 20th, 12 - 6:30pm Haines Borough Public Library



Bruce Baker workshop



Small Business Development Center: Training Opportunities

Are you looking for support in developing your business or ideas? The Small Business Development Center (SBDC) assists entrepreneurs, start-ups, and businesses with development of a business, marketing, or expansion plan. As part of their service, the SBDC offers technical training through personal counseling, workshops, and webinars. The following workshops and/or webinars are available January through March 2013:

DATE	SEMINAR TITLE <i>*(all workshops require pre-registration)</i>	TIME	FEE
Workshops available via Webinar are indicated with an asterisk (*). Please notify us if you wish to join a workshop electronically.			
Jan 8	Starting a Business	1:30-3pm	Free
Jan 9	SBA Programs and Services*	12-1pm	Free
Jan 10	How to Write a Business Plan*	12:30-4:30pm	\$50
Jan 11	Business Bookkeeping	9am-3pm	\$110
Jan 16	Starting a Business*- Webinar ONLY	10-11:30am	Free
Jan 16	Legal Aspects: Overview of Legal Risks for Small Business	1:30-3:30pm	\$20
Jan 17	Build Your Business with Social Media and Blogging	1:30-4:30pm	\$35
Jan 22	Starting a Business	10-11:30am	Free
Jan 22	Profit Mastery- \$200 Limited Time Offer! (Jan 22,24,29,31)	12pm-4:30pm	\$200
Jan 23	Small Business Insurance*	10-11:30am	\$15
Jan 23	Pursuing Government Contracting*	1:30-3pm	Free
Jan 25	Marketing to the Government*	10-11:30am	Free
Jan 28	Starting a Business	2-3:30pm	Free
Jan 29	Basics of HR, Worker's Comp, Employee Benefits & Payroll	9am-12pm	\$30
Jan 30	Social Media Marketing: Facebook*	10-11:30am	\$20
Jan 30	40 Years of Lessons in Principled Leadership*	1:30-4:30pm	\$30
Feb 5	How to Write a Business Plan*	12:30-4:30	\$50
Feb 6	Starting a Business	10am-11:30am	Free
Feb 6	Legal Aspects: LLCs	1:30-3:30pm	\$20
Feb 12	Business Bookkeeping	9am-3pm	\$110
Feb 13	Hiring for Success	3-4pm	\$10
Feb 14	Starting a Business* – Webinar ONLY	10-11:30am	Free
Feb 14	Build Your Business with Social Media and Blogging	12pm-4:30pm	\$35
Feb 19	Starting a Business	1:30-3pm	Free
Feb 20	Pursuing Government Contracting*	1:30-3pm	Free
Feb 25	Starting a Business	2-3:30pm	Free
Feb 26	Profit Mastery- \$200 Limited Time Offer! (Feb 26 & 28)	8am-5pm	\$200
Feb 27	Social Media Marketing: Facebook*	10-11:30am	\$20
Feb 27	What You Should Know About Credit Card Services*	2-4pm	\$20
Mar 5	How to Write a Business Plan*	12:30pm-4:30pm	\$50
Mar 6	Starting a Business	10-11:30am	Free
Mar 6	Legal Aspects: Employees	1:30-3:30pm	\$20
Mar 7	Build Your Business with Social Media and Blogging	1:30-4:30pm	\$35
Mar 8	Business Bookkeeping	10:30am-4:30pm	\$110
Mar 12	Health Care Reform: The Impact on Our Small Businesses*	2-4pm	\$20
Mar 13	Social Media Marketing: Facebook*	10-11:30am	\$20
Mar 13	Starting a Business- Webinar ONLY	2-3:30pm	Free
Mar 14	Exporting/Importing: Is Your Company Ready?*	10-11am	\$10
Mar 14	Business Lending*	12-1pm	Free
Mar 14	SBA Programs and Services*	12-1pm	Free
Mar 19	Starting a Business	10-11:30am	Free
Mar 19	Profit Mastery (Mar 19, 21, 26 & 28)	12-4:30	\$200
Mar 20	Pursuing Government Contracting*	1:30-3pm	Free
Mar 27	Small Business Insurance*	1:30-3pm	\$15
Mar 28	Starting a Business	10am-11:30am	Free

You can also call 274-7232 for information on classes. Space is limited so please pre-register. Unless otherwise noted all seminars are held at the Alaska SBDC office located at 430 W. 7th Ave, Ste 110, Anchorage. Schedule is subject to change. Children and pets are not permitted in SBDC classes. Please read the SBDC registration policies at the bottom of each class link listed above or visit aksbdc.org for more information.

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Alaska Product Display Application

Product must be physically available for sale in Alaska stores, kiosks and fair booths.

Company Information	
Company Name:	Made in Alaska Permit #
Contact Person:	Title:
Mailing Address:	
Phone:	Fax:
E-Mail:	Website:
I would like you to consider my product for display at: <input type="checkbox"/> Egan Civic Convention Center, Anchorage <input type="checkbox"/> Alaska Public Lands Information Center, Tok <input type="checkbox"/> Office of the Governor, Washington, DC <input type="checkbox"/> Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport <input type="checkbox"/> Ferry Terminal, Juneau & Whittier	<input type="checkbox"/> Made in Alaska Permit is current <input type="checkbox"/> Business has current business license # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Business is in good standing with community <input type="checkbox"/> Product is available for sale in Alaska <input type="checkbox"/> Product fits in a cabinet shelf of 6"x15"
Describe the product you want to display: (Use separate application for different products)	
List name and address of stores where the item can be purchased:	

Submitting Products – Submit the amount of product equal to the number of display sites you marked in your application (Example: three sites chosen = three of the same product). Submit only the container and lid for perishables like ice cream, beer, wine, cheese, chips, coffee, etc. The Made in Alaska Program will review all products, and if accepted for display, you will be notified in writing or via e-mail.

By signing this application I agree that: if accepted for display, my product will be on display for three to six months, provided my business continues to meet the above requirements; that my product will not be returned to me; and that the Made in Alaska Program, Egan Civic and Convention Center, the Alaska Public Lands Tok Visitor Information Center, Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport, Ferry terminals in Juneau or Whittier, and the Governor’s Office in Washington, DC, are not responsible for loss or damage to the products I submit for display.

Signature

Date

All of the above locations have a Made in Alaska product display case or shelves. Don’t miss this free opportunity to display your product to potential customers.

There is no charge to permit holders wishing to display products at these sites, and it’s a great way to get your products seen by thousands of people.



Made in Alaska — Label Order Form

Return this form to: **Made in Alaska**

741 East 13th Avenue, Anchorage, Ak 99501

Permit # _____

Company: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Checks Payable to: **State of Alaska**

Exp ___ / ___   CVV2# _____



FREE

Point of Sale Items, Posters and Decals

Made in Alaska has a large quantity of point of sale merchandising items and decals available to permit holders and retailers of all types...just for the asking. These items spruce up your in-store or booth displays and bring positive attention to your Made in Alaska certified items. All permit holders benefit when you spread the word.

“Look for the Label”

Name: _____

Company: _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Roll Labels (Stickers) 1,000/roll Large 1" x 1" Small 1/2" x 1/2"	# of Rolls or Bags	Cost per Roll or Bag	Amount Due
White & Black - Large		\$15.00	
Gold & Black - Large		\$15.00	
Silver & Black - Large		\$15.00	
White & Black - Small		\$12.50	
Gold & Black - Small		\$12.50	
Silver & Black - Small		\$12.50	
NEW! White & Black Extra Large Stickers			
4" x 4" Industrial - 500/Roll			
Industrial Roll of 500		\$85.00	
10 Stickers		\$ 3.00	
Black & White Special Order Woven Cloth Labels			
Small (1/2") bag of 50		\$ 7.50	
Small Bag of 500		\$52.50	
Med (1") bag of 50		\$ 8.00	
Med bag of 350		\$40.00	
Large (1 1/2") bag of 50		\$ 8.50	
Large bag of 400		\$46.00	
Total Amount Due \$			_____

Number	Item
	Decal — 6" x 6" Back Stick Display
	Decal -- 6" x 6", Front Stick Display
	Decal — 12" x 12", Back Stick Display — cars
	Poster — 12" x 12" no stick, booth display
	Look for the Label Table Tents 3" x 5" folded
	Look for the Label Posters 8" x 10"
	Another Alaskan Product Tent 2" x 3" folded
	Another Alaskan Product Flat 3" x 4"
	Another Alaskan Product Flat 4" x 9"



Made in Alaska
741 East 13th Avenue
Anchorage, AK 99501
www.madeinalaska.org



2013 Made in Alaska Calendar of Events

The “Bear Necessities” calendar of events provides you with a schedule of opportunities for technical assistance, marketing techniques, workshops, and/or shows to market your products.

This calendar will be available on the Made in Alaska website and will be updated throughout the year.

To post an event, contact the Made in Alaska office at (907) 272-5634 or email

madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com.

January:

Jan 9, Color Forecast

Webinar 1 pm
Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

Jan 16, “How to Set Up a Booth” by Bruce Baker

Webinar 1 pm
Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

Jan 23, Trends by Bruce Baker

Webinar 1 pm
Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

Jan 26 & 27, Bruce Baker

Workshops 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
Anchorage, Dimond Center Hotel
Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com
Cost: \$115/attendee

February:

Feb 20, State Loan Programs (Microloan)

Webinar 1 pm
Dana Reese 272-5634
madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com
www.madeinalaska.org

Feb 26, Made in Alaska

Workshop 1 – 8 pm
Anchorage, B.P. Energy Center
Lukia White 272-5634
madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com
www.madeinalaska.org

Feb 28, Made in Alaska

Workshop 1 – 8 pm
Wasilla, Best Western Lake Lucille
Lukia White 272-5634
madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com
www.madeinalaska.org

March:

March 2, How to be a Vendor

Seminar 10 am
Anchorage, Dimond Center Hotel
Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

March 6, Made in Alaska 2012 Survey

Webinar 1 pm
Dana Reese 272-5634
madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com
www.madeinalaska.org

March 13, Made in Alaska

Workshop 10 am – 4 pm
Valdez, Convention Center
Lukia White 272-5634
madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com
www.madeinalaska.org



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March 19, Made in Alaska

Workshop 12 – 6:30 pm
Skagway, Visitor's Bureau
Lukia White 272-5634
madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com
www.madeinalaska.org

March 20, Made in Alaska

Workshop 12 – 6:30 pm – Haines, Public
Library
Lukia White 272-5634
madeinalaska@anchoragemarkets.com
www.madeinalaska.org

March 22-24, Southeast Alaska Sports and Recreation Show

Peter Metcalfe 586-4072
metcom@gci.net
www.metcomalaska.com

March 22-24, IABA Home Show, Fairbanks

Kris Knutzen 474-9082
kris@fairbanksevents.com
www.fairbanksevents.com

April:

April 5-7, A Women's Affair, Fairbanks

Kris Knutzen 474-9082
kourtney@fairbanksevents.com
www.fairbanksevents.com

April 6, How to be a Vendor

Seminar 10 am
Anchorage, Dimond Center Hotel
Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

April 13, How to be a Vendor

Seminar 10 am
Wasilla, Best Western Lake Lucille
Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

May:

May 3, Celebration of the Sea Art Walk Ketchikan

Anita Maxwell 225-2211
anitam@ketchikanarts.org
www.ketchikanarts.org

May 11 & 12, 18 & 19, 25 & 26, Anchorage Market & Festival

Bill Webb 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

May 22-28, Kodiak Crab Festival

Lindsey Howell 486-5557
chamber@kodiak.org
www.kodiak.org

June:

June 1 & 2, 8 & 9, 15 & 16, 22 & 23, 29 & 30 Anchorage Market & Festival

Bill Webb 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

June 3, 10, 17, 24, Fairbanks Downtown Market

Kara Nash 452-8671
knash@downtownfairbanks.com
www.downtownfairbanks.com

June 4, 11, 18, 25, Tuesday Market – Eagle River

VFW Post 9785, Ladies Auxiliary
Lynn Mattison 696-4839

June 7-9, Kenai River Festival Alaska Artisans Market

Lisa Beranek 260-5449
lisa@kenaiwatershed.org
www.kenaiwatershed.org



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June 23, Midnight Sun Festival – Fairbanks

Kara Nash 452-8671
knash@downtownfairbanks.com
www.downtownfairbanks.com

June 26, Northway Mall Farmer's Market – Anchorage

Bill Webb 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

July:

July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, Fairbanks Downtown Market

Kara Nash 452-8671
knash@downtownfairbanks.com
www.downtownfairbanks.com

July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Tuesday Market – Eagle River

VFW Post 9785, Ladies Auxiliary
Lynn Mattison 696-4839

July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Northway Mall Farmer's Market – Anchorage

Bill Webb 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

July 4, Mt. Marathon Race/4th of July Celebration – Seward

Erin Lemas 224-8051
events@seward.net
www.seward.com

July 6 & 7, 13 & 14, 20 & 21, 27 & 28, Anchorage Market & Festival

Bill Webb 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

July 12-14, Bear Paw Vendor Court – Eagle River

Dana Reese 272-5634
info@anchoragemarkets.com
www.anchoragemarkets.com

July 17-21, Golden Days – Fairbanks

Lisa Herbert 452-1105
info@fairbankschamber.org
www.fairbankschamber.org

July 26 & 27, Copper River WILD! Salmon Festival – Cordova

Julie Reynolds 424-5141
julie@jaseverson.com
www.copperriverwild.org

July 27 & 28, Progress Days/Soldotna Creek Celebrations

January Yeager 262-9814
january@soldotnachamber.com
www.soldotnachamber.com

July 27 & 28, Concert on the Lawn - Homer

Rose Grech 235-7721
rose@kbbi.org
www.kbbi.org

August:

August 2-4, 38th Annual Blueberry Arts Festival – Ketchikan

Anita Maxwell 225-2211
anitam@ketchikanarts.org
www.ketchikanarts.org

August 2-11, Tanana Valley State Fair

Amanda Bent 451-5555
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August 3 & 4, 10 & 11, 17 & 18, 24 & 25, 31 Anchorage Market & Festival

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August 5, 12, 19, 26, Fairbanks Downtown Market

Kara Nash 452-8671

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August 6, 13, 20, 27, Tuesday Market – Eagle River

VFW Post 9785, Ladies Auxiliary

Lynn Mattison 696-4839

August 7, 14, 21, 28, Northway Mall Farmer's Market – Anchorage

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August 10-18, Seward Silver Salmon Derby

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August 22-September 2, Alaska State Fair – Palmer

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September:

September 1, 7, & 8, Anchorage Market & Festival

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September 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, Fairbanks

Downtown Market

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September 3, 10, 17, 24, Tuesday Market – Eagle River

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September 4, 11, 18, 25, Northway Mall Farmer's Market – Anchorage

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September 27-29, The Alaska Women's Show – Anchorage

Annie Chavez 562-9911

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September 27 & 28, Bad Girls of the North – Fairbanks

Vicki Potter 688-0505

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October:

October 2, Northway Mall Farmer's Market – Anchorage

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October 4-6, Make It Alaskan Festival – Anchorage

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October 4-6, Oxygen & Octane Expo – Anchorage

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October 12 & 13, Go Winter! Expo – Fairbanks

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October 18 & 19, Mighty Matanuska Brewfest

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November:

November 1 & 2, Bad Girls of the North - Anchorage

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November 2, Rabbit Creek Christmas Towne Bazaar

Laurel Lloyd
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November 8-10, Sitka Artisans Market

Jennifer Robinson 747-8604
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November 8 & 9, The Holiday Marketplace – Wasilla

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November 8-10, Holiday Food & Gift Festival – Anchorage

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November 15-17, The Holiday Marketplace – Fairbanks

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November 23 & 24, Arts & Crafts Emporium – Anchorage

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November 29 & 30, Holiday Arts & Crafts Bazaar – Seward

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November 29- Dec 1, Alaska Juneau Public Market

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November 29 – Dec 1, 24th Annual Winter Arts Faire – Ketchikan

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December:

December 6, Winter Art Walk –

Ketchikan

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December 7, UAA Crafts Fair –

Anchorage

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December 21, Christmas Village –

Anchorage

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Have a wonderful season!