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The Cook Inlet Historical Society lecture series for 2013-14 is jointly sponsored with the University of Alaska Anchorage Honors College and begins our retrospective of the centennial of the founding of Anchorage in 1915. The program is coordinated with Anchorage Museum exhibitions on the theme and continues next year as we commemorate important topics about the founding of our community.

Dedication

This year's annual program is dedicated to John Reeder, long-time board member and membership chair, who served our organization with distinction. He also served as chair of the Museum Commission for many years, making important contributions to Museum expansion and non-profit governance. His good humor and tireless commitment to the Society, the Anchorage Museum and our community will be missed.

Thursday, September 19, 2013, 7:30 pm

Recent Developments in Dena'ina Recognition in Southcentral Alaska

Aaron Leggett, Special Exhibit Curator,
Anchorage Museum at Rasmuson Center

James Fall, Program Manager, Division of Subsistence,
Alaska Department of Fish and Game

This presentation will highlight the recent efforts underway to increase the visibility of the Dena'ina people in Southcentral Alaska. Dena'inaq' Huch'ulyeshi: The Dena'ina way of living exhibition, which opens at the Anchorage Museum during the month, will be discussed at some length as one of key components of this effort.

Polaris Lecture, Alaska Day

Thursday, October 17, 2013, 7:30 pm

The Importance of Salmon for the Dena'ina: Past and Present

Dr. Alan Boraas, Professor, Kenai Peninsula College,
University Alaska Anchorage

In honor of Alaska Day, UAA University Honors College and Cook Inlet Historical Society are pleased to present one of the best-known Dena'ina historians, Dr. Alan Boraas, who for the last 40 years has worked with the Dena'ina and is an honorary member of the Kenaitze Indian Tribe. Dr. Boraas will discuss the important role that salmon fisheries have played and continue to play in the lives of the Dena'ina. This lecture is normally scheduled on Alaska Day, but a Thursday evening presentation was chosen to facilitate audience participation.

Thursday, November 21, 2013, 7:30 pm

Working as a Dena'ina Anthropologist Conducting Research with My People

Karen Evanoff, Cultural Anthropologist,
Lake Clark National Park, National Park Service

The presentation will highlight the important work that is being conducted by the staff of Lake Clark National Park to document the history and culture of the Dena'ina people of the area.

No December or January Programs

Thursday, February 20, 2014, 7:30 pm

Archives of the 1964 Alaska Earthquake

Sara Piasecki, Photo Archivist, Bob and Evangeline Atwood
Alaska Resource Center, Anchorage Museum at Rasmuson Center
Arlene Schmuland, Head, Archives and Special Collections,
UAA/APU Consortium Library, University of Alaska Anchorage
Kevin Tripp, Archivist and Executive Director,
Alaska Moving Image Preservation Association (AMIPA)

Three local archivists will give an overview of their respective institutions' photograph and film collections relating to the 1964 Alaska Earthquake. Sara Piasecki and Arlene Schmuland will highlight their earthquake-related collections. Kevin Tripp will show scenes of earthquake damage and recovery activity in Anchorage and other Southcentral Alaskan locations, drawn from a number of amateur motion picture film collections. Ms. Schmuland will also discuss a statewide archives, libraries, and museums collaborative project to create an online portal to primary sources on the earthquake.

Polaris Lecture

Thursday, March 20, 2014, 7:30 pm

Rebuilding Anchorage after the 1964 Earthquake: Geologic Factors, Choices and Consequences

Dr. Kristine J. Crossen, Professor and Chair,
Geological Sciences Department, University of Alaska Anchorage

On the 50th anniversary of the disaster, Dr. Crossen will highlight important photographic collections to offer new details about the 1964 Alaska Earthquake, which is still the largest earthquake recorded in North America. She will discuss the earthquake in terms of geology: where and how the earthquake was generated, why it was changed from an 8.6 to a 9.2, and how geology affected different portions of the Anchorage Bowl. She will also discuss the important decisions that were made to rebuild Anchorage and the long-term consequences of these decisions, including how they affect our lives today.

Thursday, April 17, 2014, 7:30 pm

Great Alaskan Earthquakes on Afognak Island – Yesterday (AD 1550) and Today (1964)

Patrick Saltonstall, Curator, Alutiiq Museum, Kodiak, Alaska

In 1964 the Native village of Afognak was inundated by a tsunami and abandoned shortly thereafter. Archaeological excavations at Settlement Point, across from Afognak, uncovered a village that was similarly inundated and abandoned around AD 1550. Mr. Saltonstall illustrates how great Alaskan earthquakes have impacted the landscape and the people of Afognak and how the events of AD 1550 and 1964 were remarkably similar.

Thursday, May 15, 2014, 7:30 pm

A Salmon Cannery in Cook Inlet

Katie Ringsmuth, Adjunct Professor, UAA Eagle River

From Homer's female fish packers to teenaged MatSu colonists, Katie Ringsmuth will be discussing the history of the Snug Harbor salmon cannery and how the multicultural and mixed gender cannery crew shaped the lives of many in Cook Inlet.

Saturday Evening, June 21, 2014 (Summer Solstice), 7:00 pm
20th Annual John Bagoy Memorial Cemetery Tour

Hosts: Audrey and Bruce Kelly

Audrey and Bruce will select 10 gravesites to visit on our annual walking tour of the cemetery, focusing on early pioneers of the community in concert with the CIHS centennial theme. Please enter the Anchorage Memorial Park Cemetery at the Bagoy Gate—7th and Cordova Streets.

Unless otherwise noted, all lectures are held on the third Thursday of each month, starting at 7:30 pm in Anchorage Museum Auditorium, with refreshments afterward (the annual John Bagoy cemetery walk in June starts at 7 pm). All programs are free and open to the public. Details can be found on the Society's website, www.cookinlethistory.org.