



**Presents**

***GATHERING  
2005***

*The Link to Our Past  
Is the Key to our Future*

Friday, March 18, 2005

6:30—11:00 p.m.

Alaska Native Heritage Center

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# GATHERING 2005

## *Welcome!*

*Good evening, and welcome to the Chugach Regional Resources Commission Gathering 2005! We are pleased to host this event for the seventh straight year, and we are proud to say that it has grown every year since its inception in 1999, largely in part to the generous donations of food, time and talents from the people of the Chugach Region. The Link to our Past is the Key to our Future is the theme for this year's Gathering, and rightly so. We dedicate this event to our elders, and in doing so we honor their strength, wisdom, and willingness to share their knowledge with the younger generations. Without them, we would not have a future, for to move forward, you must know from where you came. Thank you for joining us to celebrate our culture, traditions, but most importantly, the Elders of the Chugach Region.*

*Patrick Norman, Chairman  
Chugach Regional Resources Commission*

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## *Schedule of Events*

- 6:30 p.m. Welcome-Patty Brown- Schwalenberg,  
Executive Director, CRRC
- 6:45 p.m. Invocation
- 7:00 p.m. Traditional Foods Potluck (music  
provided by Katie Manor and the  
Moccasin Stompers)
- 8:00 p.m. Recognition and Honors
- 8:30 p.m. Nanwalek Seal Dancers and  
Candlelight Vigil
- 9:00 p.m. Dance - Music provided by the  
English Bay Band
- 11:00 p.m. Closing Remarks and Clean-up  
(Volunteers are needed and most  
welcome to help!)

Throughout the evening, there will be a table set up with silent auction items available for you to bid on. Winners of the auction items will be announced near the end of the evening. Proceeds will be used towards Gathering 2006.

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!**

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# Special Thanks

The Chugach Regional Resources Commission would like to thank the following sponsors of the Gathering 2005 and recognize and commend the following individuals who diligently served on the Planning Committee and/or donated food, their time, and/or an auction item for this Subsistence Memorial Gathering, dedicating a tremendous amount of time and talent to ensure a day that we will all remember.

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