

**YOU ARE INVITED TO THE SAN FRANCISCO TLINGIT &
HAIDA
COMMUNITY ANNUAL PICNIC ON SATURDAY AUGUST 1,
2015
AT THE OAKLAND ZOO - Tiger Timbers Picnic Area
9777 Golf Links Road, Oakland**

FRED & MARION LAUTH OF THE HAIDA LAAS DANCERS - SEATTLE WILL TEACH HAIDA & TLINGIT SONGS AND DANCE. BRING YOUR BUTTON BLANKETS TO WEAR.

PLEASE COME EARLY WITH YOUR CHILDREN BY 10a.m. TO TOUR THE ZOO AND FINISH BEFORE LUNCH AT NOON. SINGING & DANCE LESSONS begin after lunch. **Tell the Zoo ticket people you're part of the Tlingit & Haida Group renting Tiger Timbers Picnic Area to get a discount** price for children & elders and adults. There is a savings of \$3.00 per admission to the Zoo. The parking charge is \$8.00 per car if you just want to attend the picnic.

We are lucky to have special guests, Fred & Marion Lauth from the Haida Laas Dancers of Seattle to teach Haida & Tlingit songs and dances. They came to our picnic last year and we had a ball. Fred is a wonderful dance leader and loads of fun. It is our only opportunity to learn the culture and dance of our ancestors.

SET UP TIME IS 10:30 A.M. We need volunteers to help. We again rented the **LOCATION CALLED TIGER TIMBERS.** The picnic area is surrounded by trees and a grassy area very near the restroom. Tiger Timbers is an immediate left turn after you pay for parking below the Zoo.

Tlingit & Haida Community Council supplies hamburgers, hotdogs with trimmings, water, charcoal, paper plates, utensils and PLEASE BRING POTLUCK FOOD TO SHARE. Loy Arandela and his son are the grill masters start the charcoal at noon. The coals last about an hour so **add** more charcoal if you are going to be late. If you can bring a cooler and ice PLEASE CALL PRESIDENT KATHY AT 415 302 3057 TO LET ME KNOW or email haidawoman1@gmail.com.

We need donations for RAFFLE DRAWING items with the proceeds going to our College Scholarship Fund and cost of the picnic grounds. We have clothing and tea towels for sale with Native designs on them. The Raffle Drawing is at 3:00.

DIRECTIONS: Off highway 580 in the Oakland Hills, take the Golf Links Road/ 98th Ave. exit and follow the signs to the Oakland Zoo. The location for the picnic at TIGER TIMBERS PICNIC GROUNDS is BELOW the Zoo. After the MAIN ENTRY GATE where you pay for parking, take the FIRST IMMEDIATE LEFT and the picnic area is UP THE SMALL HILL near the restroom location. Do not go up the large hill to the Zoo. The Main Gate person is supposed to direct you. Tell them you are with the Tlingit & Haida picnic group. Look for our Button Blanket style Tlingit & Haida sign.

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Rachelle Goldenberg, our newest Officer, has kindly donated office space at 2847 Shattuck Avenue, Berkeley, Ca. for our General Meeting on October 10th. We would be happy to see you there to help us plan our Christmas Party and Agenda for the next year. Bring a snack to share. The space is so much more welcoming and easier to park than the Rockridge Library. Thank you again, Rachelle.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS: Please put this on your calendar so you can attend.

AUGUST 1 – ANNUAL TLINGIT & HAIDA PICNIC. OAKLAND ZOO TIGER TIMBERS PICNIC AREA.

OCTOBER 10 – OPEN GENERAL MEETING TO PLAN CHRISTMAS PARTY, 2847 Shattuck Ave., Berkeley. NOON

DECEMBER 5 – ANNUAL TLINGIT & HAIDA CHRISTMAS PARTY – RACHELLE’S HOME IN ALAMO, CA. More updated information to follow on our website: www.sfthcc.org and Face book: www.facebook.com/sfthcc

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