



# CALIFORNIA STATE INDIAN MUSEUM

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## *2010 Calendar of Events*

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*Current as of December 22, 2009*

\*NOTE: All ticket prices, events and times subject to change without notice.

*The California State Indian Museum is open Tuesday – Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except Thanksgiving, Christmas, and New Year's Day.*

### **FEBRUARY 6**

#### **Free Museum Day**

The twelfth annual Sacramento Museum Day takes place in the Capital City, presented by the Sacramento Association of Museums (SAM). Twenty-five participating museums will be open free of charge on this Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (last admissions at 4 p.m.). For detailed information about participating sites and more visit [www.sacmuseums.org](http://www.sacmuseums.org).

### **Thru MARCH**

#### **The Artistic Legacy of California Indian Baskets**

This amazing exhibit, featuring eighty-six baskets from the California State Parks collection, continues its run at the California Museum, 10<sup>th</sup> and O Streets.

### **APRIL 17 - 18**

#### **Indian Arts & Crafts Market**

Native artisans come from all over California to participate in this event. Enjoy shopping for artwork, baskets, gourds, jewelry, soapstone & elkhorn carvings, drums, and much, much more. Regular museum admission fees apply.

### **JUNE 5**

#### **Gathering of Honored Elders**

Join us as we present our 33<sup>rd</sup> annual Honored Elders Day. This event is devoted to honoring the

Elders who keep the traditions, stories, languages, and culture alive for future generations. Participants include California Native vendors, community service groups, Indian dancers, and guest speakers. A luncheon will be served to the Elders; food will be available for purchase for guests and other attendees. Admission is free; this is a family event.

## **SEPTEMBER 24**

### **Native American Day**

This annual event, sponsored by the State Native American Liaisons of California, is held on the grounds of the State Capitol. Speakers include California Indian leaders; music and dancers are on hand to honor the spirit and contributions of the State's indigenous people.

## **OCTOBER 16**

### **Acorn Day**

Join us for an educational and fun-filled day for the entire family! Observe the time-honored tradition of preparing acorn for food and learn Native arts & crafts-making. Sample Native foods, and spend the afternoon helping us celebrate the acorn harvest season!

## **NOVEMBER 26- 27**

### **Arts & Crafts Holiday Fair**

Native artisans from all over California offer their wares for sale each year on the two days following Thanksgiving. Enjoy browsing through jewelry, basketry, pottery, hand-painted gourds, ornaments and much more, as you select those just-right gifts for the holidays. Regular museum admission fees apply.

## **ONGOING**

Museum open Tuesday- Sunday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. (Closed Thanksgiving, Christmas, New Year's)  
General Admission: \$3 adults, \$2 youths ages 6-17, ages 5 and under free

School Group Reservations (ReserveAmerica): Toll Free (866) 240-4655  
*Reservations are required for school group tours at the State Indian Museum.*

### **About the California State Indian Museum**

*The California State Indian Museum is operated by California State Parks and supported by the California Indian Heritage Foundation.. Open Tuesday- Sunday from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. for self-guided tours and school group visits, the museum is located in midtown Sacramento at **2618 K Street on the grounds of Sutter's Fort State Historic Park**. Visited by tourists, local residents, and students of all ages, the museum strives to provide educational opportunities and works with the Native community to celebrate the culture and heritage of California's Native peoples.*

*Current exhibits include traditional basketry, beadwork, ceremonial regalia and hunting & fishing items associated with many of the tribes of California, as well as contemporary artwork by renowned Maidu artist Harry Fonseca. For more information call **(916) 324-0971** or visit [www.parks.ca.gov/indianmuseum](http://www.parks.ca.gov/indianmuseum).*

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