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are pleased to welcome your participation at the

*Sixth Annual*

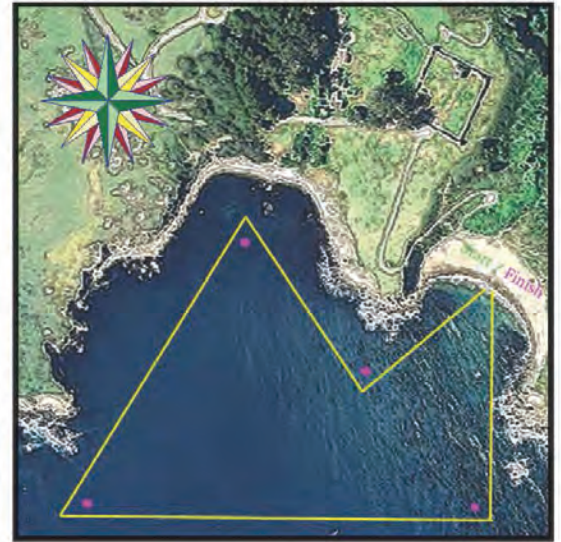
# ALASKA NATIVE DAY JOHN SPERRY MEMORIAL QAYAQ RACE

**Saturday, May 18th, 2019**

Sandy Beach Cove, Fort Ross State Historic Park

## RACE COURSE

- Course measures approximately one nautical mile.
- Keep first rounding mark to starboard, all other marks to port.
- If NW winds exceed 30 knots, rounding marks will be moved in-shore to calmer water.
- One rescue craft will be on the course.
- A State Parks lifeguard will be on duty.



## RULES FOR ENTRY

- All boats must be Unangan or Alutiiq-style skin boats.
- Paddles must be wooden, Unangan double or Alutiiq single blade.
- All paddlers must wear a USCG approved personal flotation device (PFD).
- Spray skirts are optional.
- All racers must register and sign waiver.
- Unspecified etiquette and good sportsmanship is expected.

This year's race is dedicated to John Sperry who was a champion to the Alaskan Natives and their story at Fort Ross. Please contact [jsulauren@gmail.com](mailto:jsulauren@gmail.com) for more information.

