

# Girdwood Fungus Fair

## 2017 Schedule

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### Saturday, Aug. 26<sup>th</sup>

**9:30am-5 pm** Mushroom display at the Girdwood Community Room

**10am, 10:30am, 11am, 11:30am Forays (\$10)** Guided mushroom walks with mycologists. Register online in advance through Brown Paper Tickets. Meet at Community Room 15 minutes prior to foray. Foray leaders: Steve Trudell (10am), Kitty LaBounty (10:30am), Kate Mohatt (11am) and Craig Ziolkowski (11:30am).

**10am-4pm \*Workshop\* Mushrooms to Dye With (\$45)** Dye wool and silk with pigments derived purely from wild harvested mushrooms (many found locally) with Tongass Lichenologist Karen Dillman. Register online in advance through Brown Paper Tickets. Check in at the Girdwood Community Room 15 minutes prior to Workshop, which will be held at the Nissman Pavillion

**1-2pm \*Talk\* Fascinating and Rare Fungal Finds from Southern Alaska** Kate Mohatt

**2-3pm \*Talk\* Beginners Guide to Alaskan Mushroom Identification** Craig Ziolkowski

**3-4pm \*Talk\* Mushrooms of Southeast Alaska** Kitty LaBounty

**4-5pm \*Kids Foray\* (\$5)** foray for kids led by our local junior mycologist Gabriel! Register online in advance at Brown Paper Tickets.

**6-8pm \*Fundraiser\*** Join us at the Girdwood Brewing Company for a casual evening with food, local beers, silent auction items, and fun with fungi games. Tshirts will be available for purchase. No cover charge or advanced ticket purchase required. Fundraiser proceeds to benefit the newly formed Turnagain Arm Mycological Society.

### Sunday, Aug. 27<sup>th</sup>

**9:30am-3pm** Mushroom display at the Girdwood Community Room.

**10am, 10:30am and 11am Forays (\$10)** Groups meet at community room 15 min. prior, limited to first 15 to register online in advance through Brown Paper Tickets. Foray Leaders: Steve Trudell (10am), Karen Dillman (10:30am), Kitty LaBounty (11am)

**11am-1pm \*Special workshop demo\* (\$15)** The owners of Far North Fungi will be offering a make your own oyster mushroom home cultivation kit as well as giving a talk on what they do. Proceeds from this workshop will be donated to the Erin K. Johnson Memorial fund.

**4-5pm \*Kids Foray\* (\$5)** Kids Foray with Gabriel. Kids ages 5-11 must register online at Brown Paper Tickets. Meet at the community room 15 minutes prior. Limited to the first 10 to register.

**1-2pm \*Talk\* Lichens of Alaska** Karen Dillman

**2-3pm \*Talk/Demo\* Edible Fungi Preparation and Preservation** Craig Ziolkowski and Norm Starkey will share their favorite preparation and preservation methods for locally harvested wild mushrooms

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\* All events will take place at the Girdwood Community Room, unless otherwise noted