

# Fort Ross & Salt Point News



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Fort Ross is open seven days a week!

Reef Campground is open.

The Call House Museum is open first weekend of each month from 1 to 4 PM.

Windmill turning will resume on its regular schedule after repairs are completed.

[Please visit our website for more information.](#)

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## SNAPSHOT CAL COAST Salt Point Bioblitz June 24-25



Dust off your rubber boots. Dig out your Chacos or Tevas. Grab a tide table and a friend. Get your cameras and smartphones ready!

Join [Fort Ross Conservancy](#) and [Stewards of the Coast and Redwoods](#) as we come together for the statewide movement lead by The California Academy of Sciences to get out the coast, search for as many plant and animals as we can find, and share the photos of our discoveries on the website and app, [iNaturalist](#).

We will be meeting at Salt Point State Park at **7am** to witness as much of the - 1.6 tide at **5:45am** as possible. **Free camping** will be available at Salt Point to those who [Register Here](#), so bring your tents, sleeping bags, meals, and s'mores ingredients! We will be camping in groups, first 24 to register only will camp for free.

- **June 24: 7am - 10am**, Tidepooling at Salt Point State Parks 'Salt Point' (drive to day use parking at Gerstle Cove, walk to the end of the paved trail), **10:30am - 1pm** Intro to iNaturalist at Fort Ross State Historic Park Auditorium, followed by time together in the FRC library to ID species found & upload to iNat. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy!

**June 25: 7am - 10am** Tidepooling at Salt Points Gerstle Cove MPA (park at Gerstle Cove day use, walk down to cove below Visitor Center), **10:30am - 1pm** collaborative ID - FRC library (optional).

Contact Sondra Hunter for more info at [sondrah@fortross.org](mailto:sondrah@fortross.org).

## FORT ROSS FESTIVAL

Saturday, July 29th

10am-6:30pm

Get your [Eventbrite Tickets](#) Now!



Join Fort Ross Conservancy and California State Parks as we celebrate summer at our annual Fort Ross Festival! FRF is an incredibly diverse event that reflects the rich history of Fort Ross. Our beloved cadre of skilled volunteers will be working alongside our Kashia, Russian, Alaska Native, and early Ranch communities to offer family-friendly activities, both soulful and rollicking performances, hands-on crafts, and live demonstrations.

Join the fun as we celebrate with music, song and dance, great food, and our fourth annual Beer Garden, all in the beautiful coastal setting that is Fort Ross. See our [website](#) for details.

\$20 per car (includes \$8 State Parks fee).

Food and drink purchased separately.

Questions? Email us at [info@fortross.org](mailto:info@fortross.org), or call us at 707/847-3437.

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