PADDLE TO LUMMI 2019



For ages the indigenous peoples of the Pacific Northwest have gathered together for potlatches, or giveaways, sharing their gratitude for one another.

Lummi Nation will host over 100 canoes journeying from as far as Alaska and California for five days July 24-July 28 for feasting, singing, dancing, drumming and sharing through giveaways.

Lummi Nation Blanket Project

The Lummi Community has selected a design to grace the 80" x 60" blanket.

You are invited to support the 2019 Paddle to Lummi Blanket Project. Donors are asked to contribute \$90 to purchase 10 blankets; one you may keep for your own gifting.

Checks may be made out to Learning Right Relations, with <u>Lummi Blanket</u> on the memo line. Mail to LRR, 5515 40th Ave SW, Olympia WA 98512. OR <u>gofundme.com/paddle-to-lummi-blanket</u>

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Lummi Nation

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"Honoring Our way of Life" is the theme for the 2019 Paddle to Lummi.

The Lummi Community is proud to announce the gathering for the Canoe Families

to be traveling the Waterways of our Ancestors, this is not only healing for the pullers, but for all of the community members, there are many teachings that are passed on for all that participate and for all that come to the shores and visit our Lhaqtemish Tenexwen (Lummi Lands).

Everyone is welcome to witness the P2L Tribal Journey

Learning Right Relations, non-tribal people working in solidarity with Lummi Nation, is helping with preparations for the event by sponsoring the blanket project and by volunteering for the event. These blankets will be given to Lummi Nation to gift during protocol when the Tribe honors their guests with sacred gifts.

For more information:

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