



The Seldovia Chamber of Commerce's *Seldovia Visitor* has just come off the presses and will shortly be available for distribution to all the businesses and visitor centers. Yes, it is that time of year again when we are getting ready for the start of the summer tourist season.

The *Seldovia Visitor* is in its seventh year of publication. This annual paper is funded by the members of the Seldovia Chamber of Commerce through the purchasing of ad space. Tom and Mary Glover donate their time and expertise to the Chamber every year to make this project possible.

If it is in Seldovia, it is in the *Seldovia Visitor*! There are a few handy phone lists suitable for clipping, maps, transportation information, pictures, stories, facts, festival information, etc.

Authors of articles include: Tamara Blodgett, Rochelle Purpura, Mary Glover, Rod Hilts, Chris Wheeler, Susan Zerwick, Steve Gese' and Laurel Hilts. Certain articles such as the trails article and the bear behavior article have been re-run simply because the target audience is for visitors, not locals. However, there are new articles such as "Second Generation

Fishing - Seldovia Style" by Rochelle Purpura and "Seldovia Whale Watch" by Tamara Blodgett that will pique anyone's interest. Seldovians will especially like page 8! (Not going to tell what page 8 is!)

The bulk of the papers coming to Seldovia will come in on the M/V Tustumena via Kar-a-Van Transfer between May 1 - May 6. A few early arrival papers are currently available at the Tide Pool in limited quantities.

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A portion of the 25,000 newspapers are distributed by Anchorage Brochure Distribution. This company keeps two bins belonging to the Seldovia Chamber of Commerce at the Ted Stevens International Airport full of papers all year long. In addition, the Dimond Center Hotel has purchased an additional 2,000 papers for their customers at the hotel.

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