

## *He'en mayah iwa!*

On behalf of the Kashia Band of Pomo Indians, you are invited to the opening celebration of the Kashia Coastal Reserve! We have an exciting day planned and welcome you and your families to come celebrate with us.

In 2015, the Kashia Band of Pomo Indians, in partnership with the County of Sonoma, California Coastal Conservancy, Trust For Public Land, Lannan Foundation, Gordon & Betty Moore Foundation and numerous others, acquired 688 acres of coastal lands within our ancestral lands along California's Sonoma Coast. It marked the return of the Kashia to our coast after being forced from it more than 100 years ago.

The day will feature dance groups from Kashia and other area tribes, guided tours, and traditional foods. This achievement is the first of its kind along our coast, so please join the celebration to mark the dedication of the Kashia Coastal Reserve.

**What:** Kashia Coast Reserve Celebration

**When:** Saturday, June 25, 2016, 11:00 am to approximately 4:30pm

**Where:** Kashia Coastal Reserve, Sonoma County, CA

The Kashia Coastal Reserve is immediately north of Salt Point State Park, on HWY 1. Parking will be at Salt Point State Park, Fisk Mill Cove and Stump Beach areas, with shuttles provided to the Reserve.

Please, feel free to forward to your hard working staff - families welcomed! We recommend sunscreen and tick spray to keep you healthy and burn/bite free.

If you have any questions, please contact our Director of Environmental Planning, Ms Nina Hapner at (707) 591-0580 ext 107 or [nina@stewartspoint.org](mailto:nina@stewartspoint.org). *Yahwee*