

**AUGUST  
2016**

Peninsula Wilderness Club

# PENINWILD PICNIC

The Peninsula Wilderness Club meets on the first Wednesday of every month at 7 pm at the VFW Hall at 9981 Central Valley Rd, Bremerton, WA. The public is cordially invited.

**This month's presentation: Swap Meet & BBQ with a guest speaker from REI, Wednesday, August 3rd, 6:00 PM (30 minutes early).**

Dinner will be available for purchase from Alana Lu Hawaiian BBQ, featuring kalua pork, huli-huli chicken, SPAM Musubi, and many other favorites. Bring the gear you no longer use or need to sell or trade and come prepared to complete your inventory of back country equipment needs at a great price. Our guest speaker will focus on new technology and equipment offerings from REI.

Special announcement:

- Megan and Jay Thompson will lead a kids overnight camping trip on Saturday August 27<sup>th</sup> to a lake or slow moving stream. Parents and grandparents are welcome to join.

**Some highlights from the Picnic:**



## Calendar

### MAP: Monthly Activity Planning Meeting

Wednesday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, 7 PM

Hosted by Nancy Whitaker, 10464 Seabeck Highway, near Anderson Road intersection.

Contact: [Kayaknw@yahoo.com](mailto:Kayaknw@yahoo.com) Tel: 360-731-0799

Help schedule PWC events and outings, and discuss club business at our MAP meeting. All invited. BYOB.

### Monthly Potluck

Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 6:30 PM

Hosted by Greg Myrick and Lauren Roman, at Fletcher Bay Road, Bainbridge Island

Contact: [gmyrick49@gmail.com](mailto:gmyrick49@gmail.com) Tel: 360-649-1648

Enjoy some great food, meet others, share trail stories and learn more about the club. The host provides dessert. We bring an entrée or side dish to share. BYOB.

### Recurring Trips (weekly events):

- Weekend bike, hike, or paddle with Isaac. Isaac Sun, 360-930-5300, [isaac@thesuns.net](mailto:isaac@thesuns.net) (August 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>, September 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>) Start time based on activity – call Isaac to set it up.)
- Morning hikes with Eve Gilluly, 8 AM every Tuesday at Central Market Coffee Shop. [evagilluly@msn.com](mailto:evagilluly@msn.com) Call 206-304-4664. (August 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>)
- Climbing Gym/Social, Doug Terry, 360-550-7911, [doug@dougterry.net](mailto:doug@dougterry.net) (5:45 PM every Tuesday and Thursday at Island Rock Gym, followed by socializing at Bainbridge Island Brewing)
- After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social, 6 PM at the Gold Creek Trailhead of Green Mountain. (every Thursday thru September)

### Regular Trips:

Date	Outing / Meeting	Contact	Phone	Email
2-Aug	Morning Hikes	Eve Gilluly	206-304-4664	<a href="mailto:evagilluly@msn.com">evagilluly@msn.com</a>
2-Aug	Mountain Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
3-Aug	6:00 START! PWC swap meet	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	<a href="mailto:emilykgrice@gmail.com">emilykgrice@gmail.com</a>
4-Aug	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
7-Aug	Larry Scott Trail	Barbra Haskell	360-981-3077	<a href="mailto:b1haskell@earthlink.net">b1haskell@earthlink.net</a>
9-Aug	Morning Hikes	Eve Gilluly	206-304-4664	<a href="mailto:evagilluly@msn.com">evagilluly@msn.com</a>
9-Aug	Mountain Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
11-Aug	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
13-Aug	Colonel Bob Trail	Jay Thompson	360-509-9918	<a href="mailto:jaythom1@hotmail.com">jaythom1@hotmail.com</a>
13-Aug	PENWICLE Deadline	Jerry Logan	360-337-0648	<a href="mailto:Penwicle@outlook.com">Penwicle@outlook.com</a>
14-Aug	Tubal Cain and Marmot Pass	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	<a href="mailto:thehiker@comcast.net">thehiker@comcast.net</a>
14-Aug	Dungeness Spit	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	<a href="mailto:emilykgrice@gmail.com">emilykgrice@gmail.com</a>
15-Aug	Lava Lakes Sunshine Trip	Tony Abruzzo	360-871-5754	<a href="mailto:abruzzo1945@gmail.com">abruzzo1945@gmail.com</a>
16-Aug	Morning Hikes	Eve Gilluly	206-304-4664	<a href="mailto:evagilluly@msn.com">evagilluly@msn.com</a>
16-Aug	Mountain Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
17-Aug	PWC MAP Meeting	Nancy Whitaker	360-731-0799	<a href="mailto:Kayaknw@yahoo.com">Kayaknw@yahoo.com</a>
18-Aug	Mt. Rainier Skyline Trail	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	<a href="mailto:doug@dougterry.net">doug@dougterry.net</a>
18-Aug	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
20-Aug	Mt. Fricaba Traverse	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	<a href="mailto:thehiker@comcast.net">thehiker@comcast.net</a>
21-Aug	Grand Pass	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	<a href="mailto:doug@dougterry.net">doug@dougterry.net</a>
22-Aug	Discovery Trail	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	<a href="mailto:doug@dougterry.net">doug@dougterry.net</a>
23-Aug	Morning Hikes	Eve Gilluly	206-304-4664	<a href="mailto:evagilluly@msn.com">evagilluly@msn.com</a>
23-Aug	Mountain Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
25-Aug	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
26-Aug	PWC Monthly Potluck	Greg Myrick	360-649-1648	<a href="mailto:gmyrick49@gmail.com">gmyrick49@gmail.com</a>
27-Aug	Kids overnight backpacking trip - TBD	Megan Thompson	360-871-6014	<a href="mailto:belleterre2@earthlink.net">belleterre2@earthlink.net</a>
30-Aug	Morning Hikes	Eve Gilluly	206-304-4664	<a href="mailto:evagilluly@msn.com">evagilluly@msn.com</a>

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30-Aug	M-Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
1-Sep	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
6-Sep	Mountain Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
7-Sep	PWC General Meeting	Steve Osburn	360-697-5982	<a href="mailto:steven_osburn@hotmail.com">steven_osburn@hotmail.com</a>
8-Sep	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
13-Sep	PENWICLE Deadline	Jerry Logan	360-337-0648	<a href="mailto:Penwicle@outlook.com">Penwicle@outlook.com</a>
13-Sep	Mountain Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
15-Sep	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
19-Sep	Black Hills Sunshine Trip	Tony Abruzzo	360-871-5754	<a href="mailto:abruzzo1945@gmail.com">abruzzo1945@gmail.com</a>
20-Sep	M-Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
21-Sep	PWC MAP Meeting	Steve Osburn	360-697-5982	<a href="mailto:steven_osburn@hotmail.com">steven_osburn@hotmail.com</a>
22-Sep	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			
27-Sep	Mountain Bike Ride after work with Isaac	Isaac Sun	360-930-5300	<a href="mailto:isaac@thesuns.net">isaac@thesuns.net</a>
29-Sep	Weekly After Work Green Mountain Hike and Social			

### Notes & Announcements:

- The club will publish a new roster in October. Please make sure we have your correct address, email and phone number by contacting any officer of the club. Contact Paul Gervais if you would like to keep your information private. You can elect to receive the roster in hard copy or PDF.

- The Club has taken on production of the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the Olympic Mountains Trail Guide. Doug Savage is coordinating the effort. Contact Doug to validate a trail. Sales of the new edition will benefit Olympic Mountain Rescue.

### On the Trail with "Boots" McFarland

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<http://bootsmcfarland.com/home.htm>



### About PWC Outings

- All PWC outings and other activities are open to anyone. If you enjoy our club and what we do, please become a member – a bargain at \$25 a year - and help keep the club running.
- For liability reasons, trip sponsors should not be considered instructors or leaders. If you are unsure of your abilities, discuss the trip thoroughly with the organizer. Each participant is responsible for his or her own comfort, safety and route finding. *Always carry the 10 essentials!*
- *Please call early.* As a courtesy to the sponsor of the outing you are joining, please try to call at least two days in advance for single-day outings, and as soon as possible for overnight outings. This allows the sponsor time to make alternate plans should a trip be canceled or changed for any reason.
- Please leave pets at home when attending PWC outings unless the trip is specifically listed as welcoming them.

### Carpool and Ride Sharing

We strongly encourage carpooling and ride sharing as a way to reduce impact to trailheads, minimize our environmental footprint, and reduce costs. Please be considerate to your drivers, including situations when you ride with different drivers in each direction. The amount you contribute to your driver should reflect the distance driven, the cost of gas, and tolls/parking fees – short trips might be \$5 per person; longer trips considerably more.

### The WEBSITE: Your Source for Outings

Our PWC Website calendar is at: <http://www.pwckitsap.org/content/241-calendar.html>

If you don't see something that interests you here, check the website for additional trips and last-minute trips and updates. If you are a trip sponsor, have a new trip to list, or need to update an existing trip, please see the end of this newsletter for more information.

**IF YOUR TRIP REQUIRES ADVANCE RESERVATIONS & PLANNING, AND YOU WANT IT ADDED TO THIS SECTION, send your trip info to BOTH the Penwicle ([Penwicle@outlook.com](mailto:Penwicle@outlook.com)) and our Calendar Editor ([emilykgrice@gmail.com](mailto:emilykgrice@gmail.com)).**

## Calendar

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### Remaining 2016 Sunshine Trips

Aug 15<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>: Lava Lakes campground Thursday, August 20<sup>th</sup>; then move to Waldo Lake (campground to be announced at Waldo Lake) for hiking & kayaking.

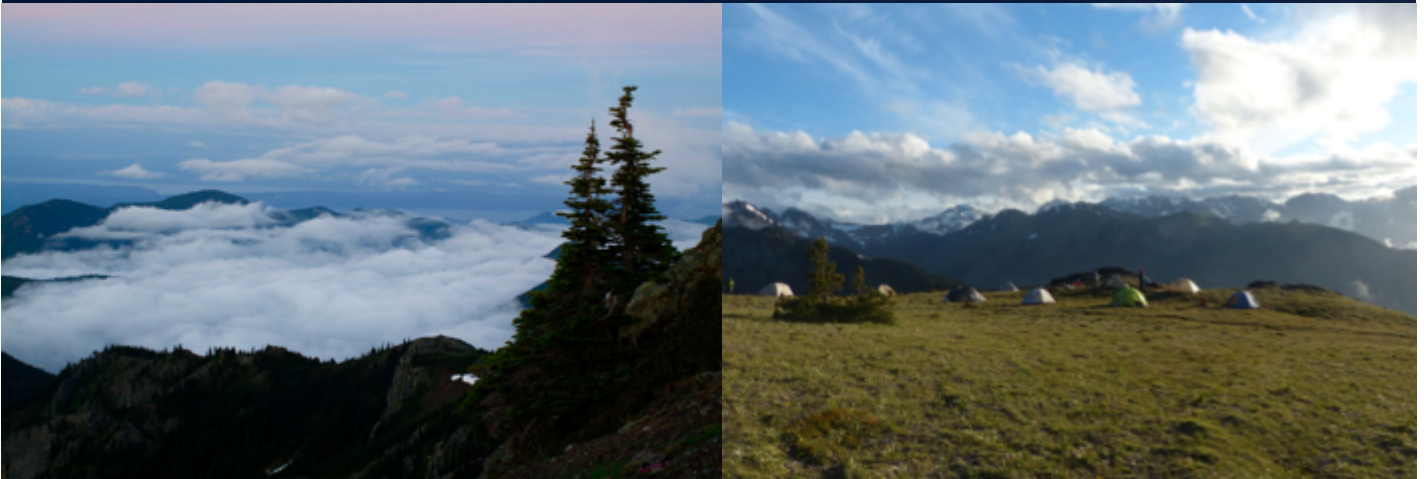
Sept 18<sup>th</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>: Black Hills South Dakota. Daytime temperatures in the mid 70's and dry sunny weather! Great hiking, climbing, kayaking, and biking. Major focus will be to ride the George S. Mickelson bike trail - 109 miles thru the heart of the Black Hills, [www.mickelsontrail.com](http://www.mickelsontrail.com). Easy riding, about 25 miles each day, leaving time for other activities. A few spots remain. Food and lodging will be under \$250 per person for seven nights.

**Call Tony Abruzzo at 360-871-5754 to reserve your spot.**

A sampling of photos from July's trip reports is presented below.

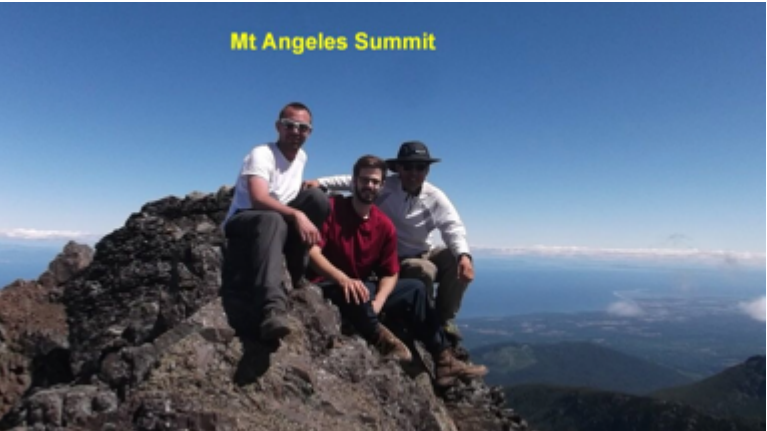
### Trip Reports and Photos

July 3rd at Mount Townsend

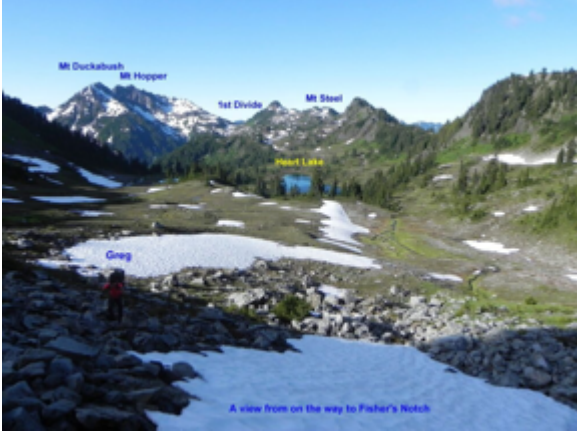


Trips Reports and Photos

Heather Park & Lake Angeles Loop – July 3rd

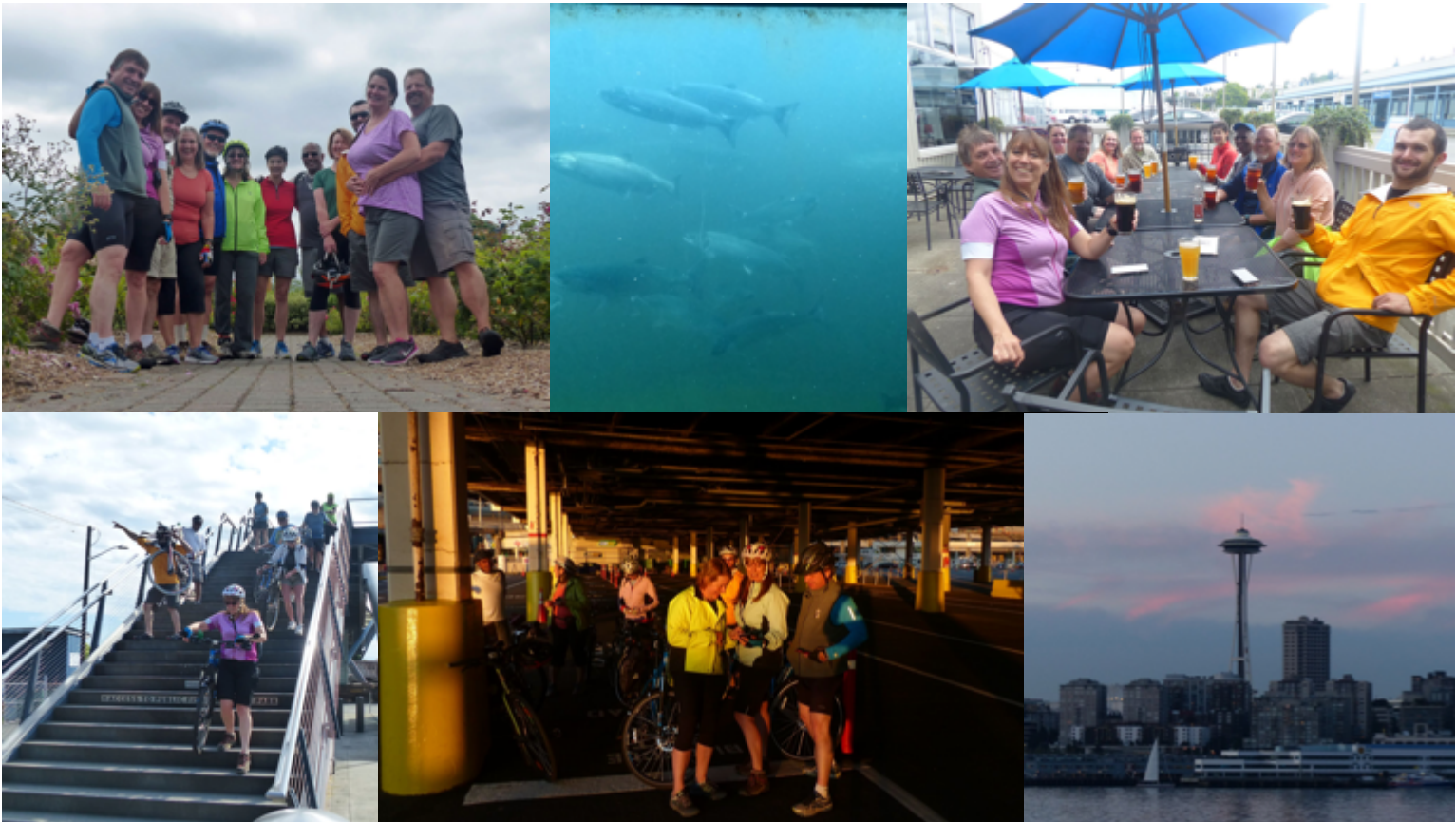


LaCross Basin on July 14th



**Trips Reports and Photos**

**Seattle Pub Pedal on July 16th**



**Camp Muir on July 24th**



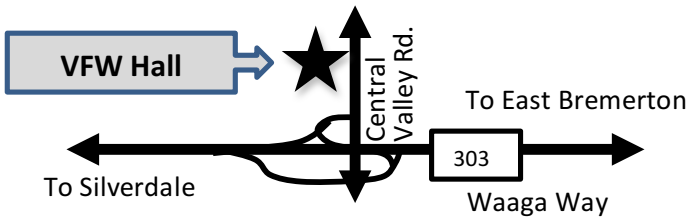
## Club News

### PWC Online... <http://www.pwckitsap.org/>

Go to the website to find upcoming trips, trip reports, photos, a discussion forum, and more.

### PWC General Meeting

The PWC General Meeting is held the first Wednesday of each month, 7 PM, at the VFW Hall at 9981 Central Valley Road in Bremerton WA.



If you are a guest or new member, please introduce yourself and ask for help, or look for someone who can answer questions and point out members that share your interests. However, to really get to know us – come to a potluck or go on a hike!

Thanks to everyone who brings snacks to meetings! Contact Doug Savage at 360-981-9333 or [thehiker@comcast.net](mailto:thehiker@comcast.net) if you would like to bring snacks to the next meeting.

### Sponsor an Outing!

If you are a club member and interested in leading an outing, let us know about it so we can post it! Even if you list your trip in other forums, including it as a PWC event helps connect people and groups, and helps the club stay active. To sponsor an outing, you can come to a MAP meeting to discuss your trip, you can fill out the form on our website, or you can email or call the info directly to our Calendar Editor, Emily Grice, at [emilykgrice@gmail.com](mailto:emilykgrice@gmail.com) (phone 206-842-7883), or to our Webmaster, Jay Thompson, at [pwcadmin@pwckitsap.org](mailto:pwcadmin@pwckitsap.org) (phone 360-307-0037). Any of these options will get your outing in our website calendar.

### We Need Your House!

Each month the club's MAP meeting and potluck dinner need volunteer hosts willing to share their home for an evening. If you can handle a small home invasion, please contact the club secretary, Megan Thompson, at 360-871-6014.

### Your Trip Photos Wanted!

Do you have some great PWC trip pictures? Each month we need your photos to share during the PWC General Meeting slide show and in the Penwicle. Contact Jay Thompson ([jaythom1@hotmail.com](mailto:jaythom1@hotmail.com)), our interim PWC Dropbox manager, to find out how to send us your pictures – it's easy, and helps us a lot!

We also need photos for the club scrapbook – please include your name and details of the trip (people & places) and email to Sue DeArman at [dearmans@comcast.net](mailto:dearmans@comcast.net).

## Club Business

### Joining/Renewing your Membership

To join or renew, please see the form on the back of this newsletter. PWC members receive a discount on select merchandise or services at the following businesses (check with vendor for details):

- Olympic Outdoor Center, Port Gamble, <http://www.olympicoutdoorcenter.com/>
- Commander's Beach House Bed and Breakfast, Port Townsend, <http://www.commandersbeachhouse.com/>
- Ajax Café, Port Hadlock, <http://www.ajaxcafe.com/>
- Wilderness, and The Gear Stash, Bainbridge Island, <http://wildernessoutdoorstore.com/>
- Poulsbo Running, Poulsbo, <http://www.poulsborunning.com/>
- Back of Beyond, Bainbridge Is., <http://www.tothebackofbeyond.com/>
- Bicycle Works, Bremerton, <http://bicycle-works.com>
- The Quick Fix (David Cossa, Home Handyman – 20% off), [cmountaindave@aol.com](mailto:cmountaindave@aol.com)

Please feel free to ask for the PWC discount when patronizing these businesses.

### Email, Address or Phone No. Changes?

Contact Paul Gervais to update your contact information in our database (used for Penwicle and other information). Send your changes to Paul at:

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P.O. Box 323

Bremerton, WA 98337-0070

or email [pagervader@comcast.net](mailto:pagervader@comcast.net), or call 360-710-6363.

### PENWICLE Submissions

Submissions to the PENWICLE must be received by the 13<sup>th</sup> of each month to ensure a place in the next issue. *Please send calendar entries in advance (see "Sponsor an Outing!" on this page), and for other PENWICLE submissions, send an email to Jerry Logan at [penwicle@hotmail.com](mailto:penwicle@hotmail.com).*

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## Join or Renew Membership

**PWC**

The Peninsula Wilderness Club (PWC) is an organization for people interested in active outdoor pursuits. Main activities include hiking, backpacking, mountain climbing, rock climbing, skiing, kayaking, and bicycle riding. All outings - from casual hikes to technical mountain sports - are initiated by individual members who volunteer to make minimal arrangements so an outing can take place. They do not accept responsibility for the safety, training or care of any participant, and members are expected to have whatever clothing, equipment, skills, and physical conditioning are appropriate for the outing they wish to join. Members practice responsible environmental stewardship and accept that there are dangers and a risk of injury in most outdoor activities.

Dues are \$25 per household per year. Bring dues to a PWC General meeting, or send a check or money order to:

Peninsula Wilderness Club  
P.O. Box 323  
Bremerton, WA 98337-0070

Please check if: New Member(s) ☐

Renewing Member(s) ☐

Change of Address ☐

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

For new members - how did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_

(Please print clearly)

NOTE: New members will receive the PENWICLE newsletter by email, or can download a copy via the PWC website.

☐ Check here if you do NOT wish any information to be included in the membership list distributed to members.

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