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Peninsula Wilderness Club

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

The Peninsula Wilderness Club Presents:

What it Takes to Build a Trail Bridge with John Jurgens

Wednesday, March 4th at 7:00 p.m.

In the summer of 2019, the Mount Rose Trail Crew rebuilt the Big Creek Bridge. Crew member (and PWC member) John Jurgens will present a slideshow describing the steps the MRTC took to make this bridge a reality.



John at Big Creek - Upper Elinor:



MAP: Monthly Activity Planning Meeting

Wednesday, March 15th, 7 – 9 p.m. Hosted by: Jayson & Dorothy Shoecraft Contact: Jayson at <u>iotech@wavecable.com</u> Help schedule PWC events and outings, and discuss club business at our MAP meeting. All invited. BYOB and snacks to share.

Monthly Potluck

Friday, March 27th, 6:30 – 9:00 Hosted by: Jon and Rae Taylor-Tu Contact: raemorristaylor@gmail.com

Enjoy great food, meet others, share trail stories and learn more about the club. Host provides dessert; we bring an entrée or side dish and drinks to share.

Events and Activities

Please visit the PWC calendar at http://www.pwckitsap.org/events-calendar/ for activities, trips, and updates.

2/29/2020	Green Mountain Loop	Crystal Cline	3072878789	clinecrystale@gmail.com
3/1/2020	Hike - North Fork of the Skokomish (Staircase to Big Log Camp)	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
3/3/2020	Rock Climbing	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
3/6/2020	Ski Mt. Ruby	Kevin Koski	(360) 373- 1371	tricyclerider2001@gmail.co m
3/7/2020	Hike Mount Walker	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
3/10/2020	Rock Climbing	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
3/14/2020	Poulsbo Beer Run and Walk	Kathy Weigel	360-479-5116	kmweigel@comcast.net
3/15/2020	MTTA: Copper Creek	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
3/15/2020	Mystery Hike with Samuel Canfield	Samuel Canfield	360-649-6949	samuelcanfield1@gmail.co m
3/15/2020	MAP Meeting	Shoecrafts		iotech@wavecable.com
3/17/2020	Rock Climbing	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
3/18/2020	PWC MAP Meeting	Shoecrafts		
3/21/2020	Snow shoe Mount Rainier	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
3/22/2020	Snow Shoe Mazama Ridge to Reflection Lakes - Mount Rainier	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
3/24/2020	Rock Climbing	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
3/27/2020	PWC Monthly Potluck	Rae Taylor-Tu	(510) 542- 7886	raemorristaylor@gmail.com
3/28/2020	Sea-to-Sea Bainbridge Island Hike	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	emilykgrice@gmail.com
3/28/2020	Hike the Dungeness Spit	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
3/29/2020	Ice Axe Arrest Seminar and Basic Snow Travel	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
3/31/2020	Pre-April Fools Hike	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
4/3/2020	Barb's Birthday Bike Ride and Wine Tasting	Barb Savage		Barbra.haskell@gmail.com
4/11/2020	MTTA: High Hut	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
4/11/2020	Seaglass Beach Hike	Pam Sargent	360-620-0464	

About PWC Activities and Outings:

- PWC outings and other activities are open to everyone. If you enjoy our club and what we do, please become a member! For \$25 a year, your membership helps pay the bills and keeps the club moving forward.
- As a courtesy to the sponsor of the outing you are joining, please call with cancellations or requests 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 need to be canceled or changed for any reason.
- Please leave pets at home unless the trip is specifically listed as welcoming them.

Carpool and Ride Sharing. We strongly encourage carpooling and ride-sharing to reduce impact to trailheads, minimize our environmental footprint, and reduce costs. Please be considerate of 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, tolls, and parking fees.

Safety First! For liability reasons, trip sponsors should not be considered instructors or leaders. If you are unsure of your ability to participate in an activity, discuss the trip thoroughly with the sponsor, but the responsibility for your safety is yours. Each participant is responsible for their own comfort, safety and route finding. *Always carry the 10* essentials!

Winterfest in Wenatchee - Steve Osburn







MTTA Snow Bowl – Jayson Shoecraft

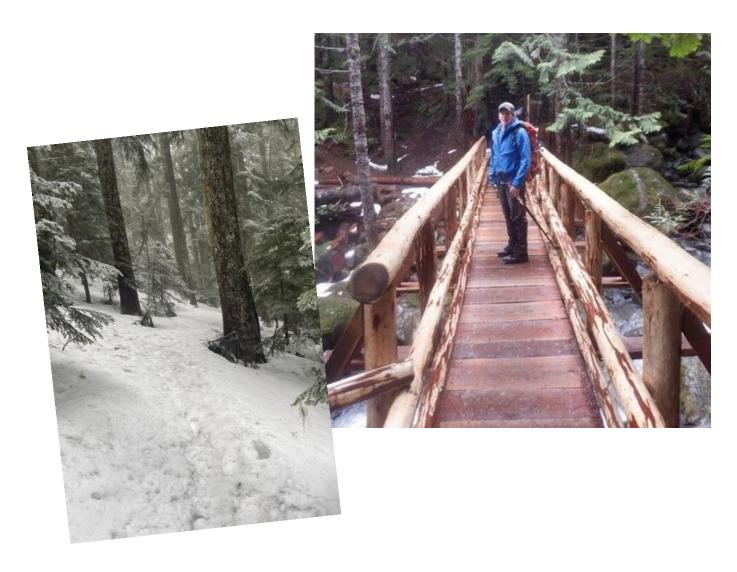




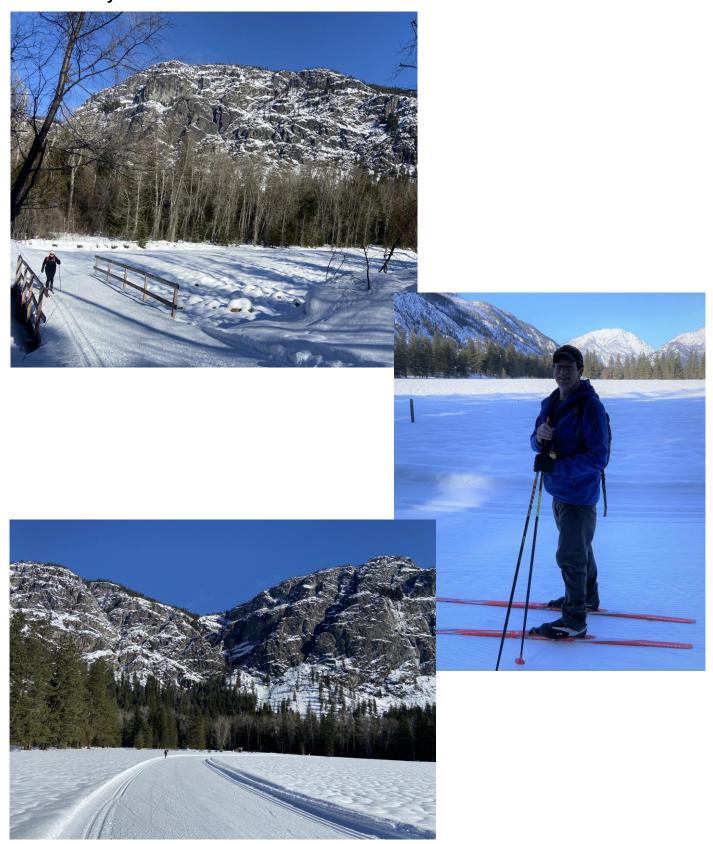


Big Creek and Upper Elinor – John Jurgens





Methow Valley Ski – John Howard



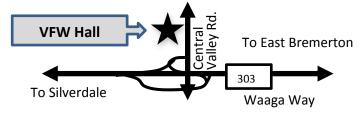
Club Business

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 at 7:00 p.m. at the VFW Hall at 9981 Central Valley Road in Bremerton WA.



WELCOME FRIENDS!!! 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 who share your interests. However, to really get to know us – come to a potluck or go on an outing with us!

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, come to a MAP meeting to discuss your trip, or fill out the form on our website, or email or call the info to our Calendar Editor, Emily Grice, at emilykgrice@gmail.com (phone 206-842-7883), or to our Webmaster, Jay Thompson, at pwcadmin@pwckitsap.org (phone 360-307-0037).

We Need Your House!

The club's Monthly Activities Planning (MAP) meetings and potluck dinners are held at a member's home. If you can handle a small home invasion, please contact the Calendar Editor, Emily Grice, at 206-842-7883.

PENWICLE Submissions

Email your PENWICLE submission by the deadline to ensure it is included 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 the Webmaster, Jay Thompson, at pwckitsap.org

Your Trip Photos Wanted!

Do you have some great PWC trip pictures you'd like to share? 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), our Dropbox manager, to find out how!

Email, Address or Phone Number Changes
Send changes to the PWC Treasurer, Sandy Schaut at:

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

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/
- Wildernest and The Gear Stash, Bainbridge Island http://wildernestoutdoorstore.com
- Poulsbo Running, Poulsbo, http://www.poulsborunning.com
- Back of Beyond, Bainbridge Is., http://www.tothebackofbeyond.com

Business Briefs:

PWC Website Changes. Exciting changes are happening!! The PWC Webmaster, Jay Thompson, is making magical fun changes to our website! Go to http://www.pwckitsap.org/ and scroll down to see some of the fun articles, photos, and events happening in the PWC!

OFFICIAL NOTICE: The annual board meeting will be held Wednesday, March 15th at 6:30 p.m. (before the MAP Meeting at 7:00 p.m.).

PWC Officers and Staff

President	Doug Savage	360-981-9333
Vice President	Samuel Canfield	360-649-6949
Secretary	Megan Thompson	360-871-6014
Treasurer	Sandy Schaut	360-373-2293
President Emeritus	Paul Gervais	360-710-6363
Members at Large	Christine Plepys	859-240-2704
	Jenny Lymangrove	r
	Peter Kalmar	360-286-0328
Entertainment	Jay Thompson	360-307-0037
Annual Picnic	Samuel Canfield	360-649-6949
Refreshments	Tina Fox	
Membership Databa	se_Sandy Schaut	360-373-2293
Webmaster	Jay Thompson	360-307-0037
Calendar Editor	Emily Grice	206-842-7883
Dropbox Manager	Jay Thompson	360-307-0037
	Margaret Poshusta	360-692-0126
PENWICLE Editor	Linda Whitman	360-621-8255

Join or Renew Membership

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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, snowshoeing, 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) \square	Renewing Member(s) \square	Change of Address \Box
Name(s):		
Mailing Address:		
City, State, Zip:		_
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For new members – how did you hear abo	ut us?	
NOTE: New members will receive the PEN ☐ Check here if you do NOT wish any info	•	• •
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