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Wilderness Club

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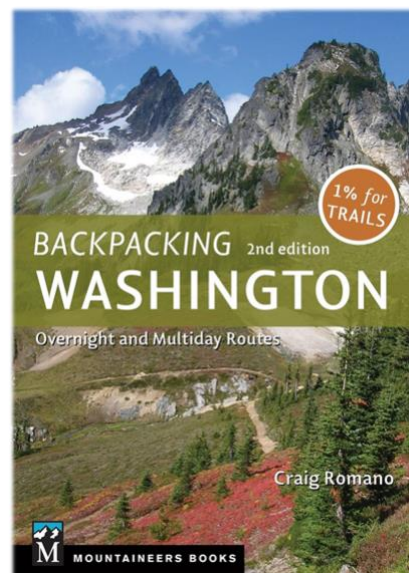
The Peninsula Wilderness Club meets on the first Wednesday of every month at 7 pm at the VFW Hall at 9981 Central Valley Rd, Bremerton, WA. The public is cordially invited.

The PWC presents: Backpacking Washington with Craig Romano

Wednesday, December 1st at 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm
VFW Post 4992
9981 Central Valley Road
Bremerton, WA 98311

Come backpack Washington with award winning guidebook author, **Craig Romano**. Drawing from his latest release, ***Backpacking Washington 2nd edition (The Mountaineers Books)***, Craig will be spotlighting spectacular backpacking destinations from the wild Olympic Coast to the sun kissed canyons of the Blue Mountains. Highlights include Mount Olympus's Glacier Meadows, Mount St Helens' Loowit Trail, the Pasayten Wilderness's Cathedral Lakes, Northeastern Washington's Salmo-Priest Wilderness—and so many more stunning trips.

Backpacking Washington includes 80 trips from throughout the state ranging from 14 to 46 miles—making them perfect for weekend and weeklong adventures. Romano has written more than 25 books and has hiked more than 30,000 miles in Washington.



Photos by Craig Romano

MAP: Monthly Activity Planning MeetingWednesday, December 15th, 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Hosted by Doug Terry

Email: 672terry@gmail.com Phone: 360-550-7911

Members discuss upcoming trips, and the club secretary gathers material for the calendar of events. All invited.

BYOB, snacks to share.

Monthly Potluck: TBA. Check PWC website for updates.**Events and Activities**Please visit the PWC calendar at <http://www.pwckitsap.org/events-calendar/> for activities, trips, and updates.

11/20/2021	Little River Hike	John Howard	360-516-0222	jmhoward60@outlook.com
11/20/2021	FYI: MTTA Copper Creek Hut Reservations Open			
11/20/2021	Basic Winter Snow Class & Seminar	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
11/21/2021	Backpack Shakedown to Elkhorn Camp (Dosewallips)	Haley Seely		hikinghomeonp@gmail.com
11/24/2021	Morning Hikes with Eve (every Wed)	Eve Gilluly	206-304-4664	evegilluly@gmail.com
11/24/2021	Mt. Walker Hike	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
11/27/2021	Duckabush River Hike	John Howard	360-516-0222	jmhoward60@outlook.com
11/28/2021	Hurricane Ridge calorie burner	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
11/30/2021	Lower Lena Lake Hike	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
12/1/2021	The PWC presents, Backpacking Washington with Craig Romano	PWC Club		RSVP on PWC site
12/2/2021	Green Mountain Hike	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
12/4/2021	Lake Angeles Hike	John Howard	360-516-0222	jmhoward60@outlook.com
12/5/2021	Mt. Rainier Snowshoe	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
12/7/2021	Lower Big Quilcene Hike	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
12/11/2021	Valhalla Ridge Hike	John Howard	360-516-0222	jmhoward60@outlook.com
12/15/2021	Reservation Deadline for Cabins	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	emilykgrice@gmail.com
12/15/2021	MAP Meeting	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
12/16/2021	Notch Pass Hike	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	672terry@gmail.com
12/18/2021	Snow Camp	John Howard	360-516-0222	jmhoward60@outlook.com
12/18/2021	Winter Solstice Green Mountain Climb	Jay Thompson	360-509-9918	jaythom1@hotmail.com
12/26/2021	Hurricane Ridge Snowshoe	Haley Seely		hikinghomeonp@gmail.com
1/1/2022	Fort Worden Hike	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net
1/8/2022	Mt. Rainier Snowshoe	John Howard	360-516-0222	jmhoward60@outlook.com
1/14/2022	Mt. Rainier Snowshoe	John Howard	360-516-0222	jmhoward60@outlook.com
1/19/2022	MAP Meeting	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	thehiker@comcast.net

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 ridesharing 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!***



Gone are the long days and warm summer nights. 3-day, 75 mile cycling trip in the Canyonlands, White Rim, Moab, Utah. Photo credit- Crystal Cline

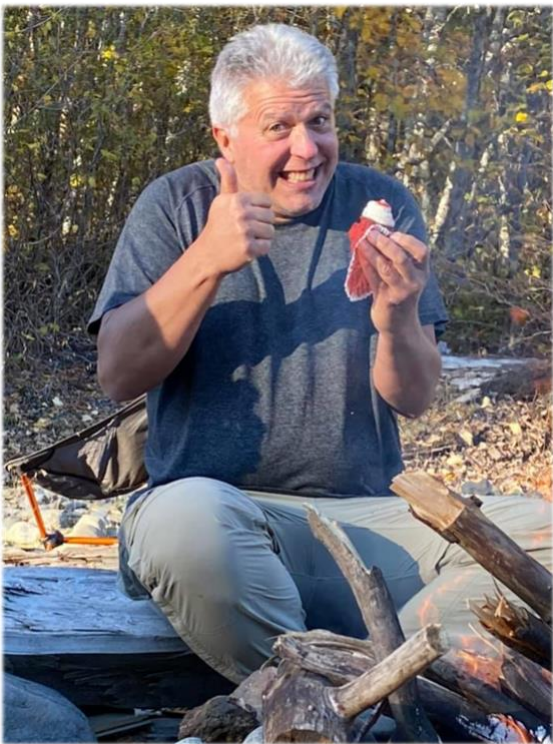




Fall backpack to South Skokomish River.
Photo credit- Kristy Kane, FB.



Happy Campers! Sunny fall days, campfires with a hot dog bar, and frosty cold mornings. Photo credit- Barbara Prichard Ablitt, FB.





Let it snow! Let it snow!
Sol Duc Falls. Photo credit- Haley Seely, FB,
PWC Club FB page



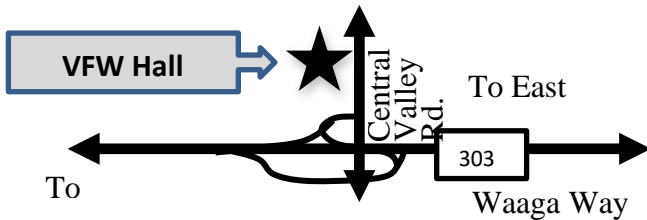
Club News

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 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, Christine Plepys, at c_plepys@yahoo.com and 859-240-2704 or Emily Grice at emilykgrice@gmail.com and 206-842-7883, or to our Webmaster, Jay Thompson, at pwcadmin@pwckitsap.org and 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 emilykgrice@gmail.com and 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 pwcadmin@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!

Club Business

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):

- Ajax Café, Port Hadlock, <http://www.ajaxcafe.com/>
- Back of Beyond, Bainbridge Is., <http://www.tothebackofbeyond.com>
- Commander's Beach House Bed and Breakfast, Port Townsend <http://www.commandersbeachhouse.com/>
- Wilderness and The Gear Stash, Bainbridge Island <http://wildernessoutdoorstore.com>
- Olympic Outdoor Center, Port Gamble <http://www.olympicoutdoorcenter.com/>
- Poulsbo Running, Poulsbo, <http://www.poulsborunning.com>
- The Quick Fix, Port Orchard, cmountaindave@aol.com and 360-871-5577

PWC Officers and Staff

President.....	Doug Savage.....	360-994-0003
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PWC Historian.....	Margaret Poshusta.....	360-692-0126
PENWICLE Editor.....	Crystal Cline.....	360-688-6982



What did the hotdog say when it was constipated?
Must-turd!

Photo credit- Barbara Prichard Ablitt.

Joke credit- your newsletter editor with the humor of a 5-year-old boy. Position of newsletter editor is open if you are sick of my dad jokes!

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:

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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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