

January 23,  
2022

Peninsula  
Wilderness Club

PENINSULA

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: Trinka Olsen – Sharing Our Camper Van Adventure In Iceland

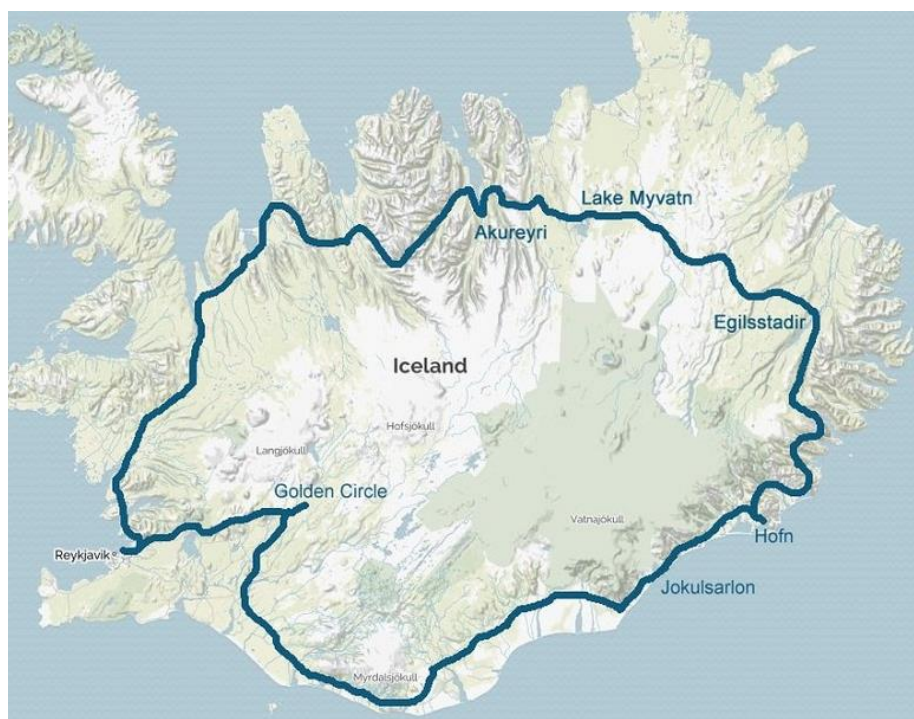
Wednesday, February 2, 2022, at 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

VFW Post 4992

9981 Central Valley Road

Bremerton, WA 98311

Trinka will be sharing her August 2021 camper van adventure in Iceland along with the ring road, including city tours of Reykjavik, the Golden Circle, waterfalls, glaciers, Giant Beach Diamonds and whale watching in Husavik and many smelly thermal pots.



### PWC Also presents: GEAR SWAP

**WHAT:** Gear Swap! Sponsored by the Peninsula Wilderness Club (The swap takes place prior to our monthly meeting. All are welcome to stay for the meeting.)

**WHEN:** Wednesday, February 2, 6:00-7:00 pm (Set-up begins at 5:30 pm)

**WHERE:** VFW Hall at 9981 Central Valley Road, Bremerton WA, 98311

**HOW:** Come sell or trade your winter\* gear! Bring your tents, backpacks, kayaks, apparel, etc. Provide a sign with details: name, price/trade info, and cell number. If you have stuff too big to bring to the event, bring a photo with the details. Please do not bring RV's or other pop-up/tow-able campers.

\*All gear is welcome for selling.

**WHO: *Everyone is welcome.*** You do not have to be a PWC member to buy sell or trade. Admission is free, and there are no fees to sell or trade your gear.

**MAP: Monthly Activity Planning Meeting**Wednesday, February 16<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm – 8:30 pm

Hosted by Peter Kalmer

Phone: 360-286-0328

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

**Monthly Potluck:** The last Friday of the month at the member's home, location varies. The potluck is occasionally replaced by other events such as a summer picnic and/or New Year's get together. New members are encouraged to attend and use this relatively small forum to get acquainted with other PWCers. 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.

1/23/2022	Salt Creek Striped Peak Loop Hike	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	<a href="mailto:672terry@gmail.com">672terry@gmail.com</a>
1/26/2022	Morning Hikes with Eve (every Wed)	Eve Gilluly	206-304-4664	<a href="mailto:evagilluly@gmail.com">evagilluly@gmail.com</a>
1/27/2022	Green Mountain Hike	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	<a href="mailto:thehiker@comcast.net">thehiker@comcast.net</a>
1/29/2022	Mt. Rainier Snowshoe	Doug Terry	360-550-7911	<a href="mailto:672terry@gmail.com">672terry@gmail.com</a>
1/30/2022	Hurricane Ridge Snowshoe	John Howard	360-516-0222	<a href="mailto:jmhoward60@outlook.com">jmhoward60@outlook.com</a>
2/2/2022	PWC Presents: Trinko Olsen- Sharing Our Camper Van Adventure in Iceland	PWC Club		RSVP on PWC Site
2/2/2022	Winter Gear Swap	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	<a href="mailto:thehiker@comcast.net">thehiker@comcast.net</a>
2/5/2022	Mystery Event!	Jill Hawes	360-649-5902	<a href="mailto:hikerjill1@hotmail.com">hikerjill1@hotmail.com</a>
2/8/2022	Overnight stay at Guye Cabin on Snoqualmie Pass	Megan Thompson	360-473-6126	<a href="mailto:belleterre2@earthlink.net">belleterre2@earthlink.net</a>
2/12/2022	Copper Creek Hut	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	<a href="mailto:emilygrice@gmail.com">emilygrice@gmail.com</a>
2/16/2022	MAP Meeting	Peter Kalmer	360-286-0328	RSVP on PWC Site
2/18/2022	Winterfest in Wenatchee	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	<a href="mailto:emilygrice@gmail.com">emilygrice@gmail.com</a>
2/23/2022	Mt. Walker Hike	Brian Hibberd	360-204-0713	RSVP on PWC Site
3/1/2022	Arizona Trail AZT Section/Passage Hike	Brian Hawkins	360-362-3026	<a href="mailto:akflyer130@gmail.com">akflyer130@gmail.com</a>
3/5/2022	Lower Big Quilcene Hike	Jayson & Dorothy Shoecraft	360-265-7851	<a href="mailto:iotech@wavecable.com">iotech@wavecable.com</a>
3/6/2022	Big Creek Hike	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	<a href="mailto:thehiker@comcast.net">thehiker@comcast.net</a>
3/6/2022	North Kitsap Heritage Park	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	<a href="mailto:emilygrice@gmail.com">emilygrice@gmail.com</a>
3/12/2022	Copper Creek Hut	Emily Grice	206-842-7883	<a href="mailto:emilygrice@gmail.com">emilygrice@gmail.com</a>
3/19/2022	Snowshoe Hurricane Ridge	Doug Savage	360-994-0003	<a href="mailto:thehiker@comcast.net">thehiker@comcast.net</a>
3/20/2022	Dry Creek Hike	Haley Seely		<a href="mailto:hikinghomeonp@gmail.com">hikinghomeonp@gmail.com</a>

**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!***





Happy New Year PWC!! New Year's Day Hike at Fort Warden. Photos by Steven Osburn, Dropbox.







Tine Mine Trail, Green Mountain.  
Photos by Carol Cobb, FB.

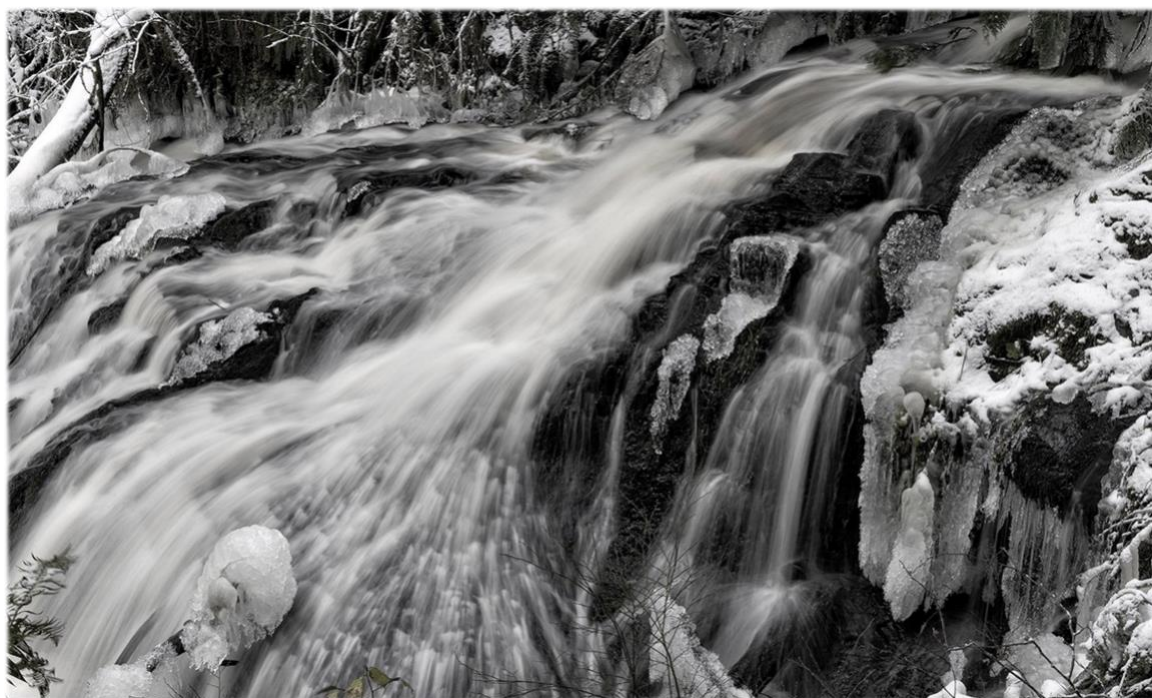


Tine Mine Trail. Photo by Emily Grice, FB.





Happy New Year's Day continued by Sue DeArman with a winter walk out to Ludlow Falls. Photos by Sue DeArman, FB.







Sunshine in the PNW winter, we will take it! Gold Creek Trail, Green Mountain. Photos by Kathy Parker, FB.





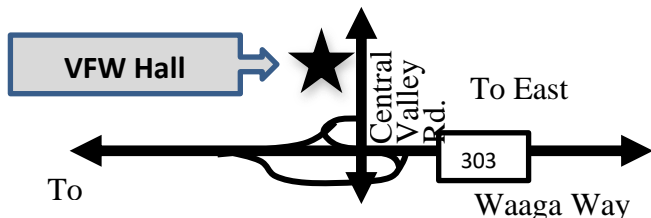
## Club News

### 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](mailto:c_plepys@yahoo.com) and 859-240-2704 or Emily Grice at [emilykgrice@gmail.com](mailto:emilykgrice@gmail.com) and 206-842-7883, or to our Webmaster, Jay Thompson, at [pwcadmin@pwckitsap.org](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:cmountaindave@aol.com) and 360-871-5577

### PWC Officers and Staff

President.....	Doug Savage.....	360-994-0003
Vice President.....	Samuel Canfield.....	360-649-6949
Secretary.....	Megan Thompson.....	360-871-6014
Treasurer.....	Sandy Schaut.....	360-373-2293
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PENWICLE Editor.....	Crystal Cline.....	360-688-6982



Rainier snow fracture in the basin below Paradise Inn and Mytle Falls. Photo by Mary via Doug Terry, FB.

Walking along the river, a tree asked me, "Water you doing down here?" I replied, "I wood never leave a view like this behind."

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) ☐

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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