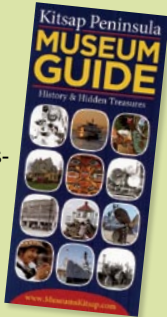




Events & Things-To-Do

Whether you are looking for activities for the whole family, children, visiting relatives, or your own traveling pleasure, you'll find a wide range of choices for the day, weekend or entire week. From 300 miles of shoreline, beautiful marinas connecting our unique communities, award-winning golf courses, indoor and outdoor recreation venues, miles of natural land and water trails to hike, cycle and kayak—you'll never run out of ideas for "things-to-do". There are wonderful museums for young and old, world-class gardens to explore and tour, and historic ships. For additional information about local golf courses, marinas, sports and tournaments, visit our website.



Lodging, Dining & Entertainment

The Kitsap Peninsula offers a wide array of lodging options; full-service hotels with sweeping views of bays, beaches and inlets offering all the amenities. Discover charming B&Bs, historic cottages, romantic beach cabins, affordable family motels, and places to park your RV or pitch a tent. There are just as many dining choices, from fine dining to lofty bars overlooking marinas and bustling main streets. There are urban bistros, ice cream parlors, homemade pizza and BBQ eateries. You'll also find many local wineries and hometown breweries, music and concerts, nightlife, live theater and casinos.

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For more information about the Kitsap Peninsula and its communities please look for additional literature provided by local Chambers, businesses, and organizations. You'll find hundreds of links and events listed on the KPVCB website.



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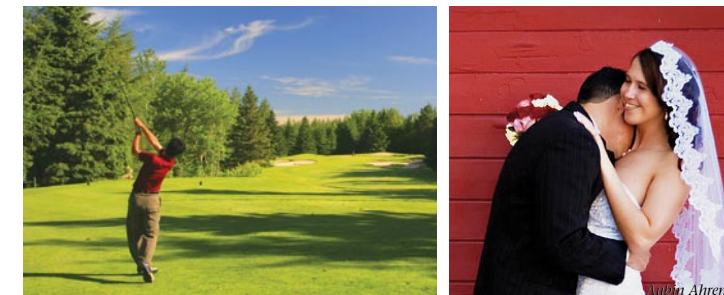


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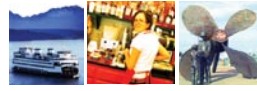
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The Kitsap Peninsula, on the Natural Side of Puget Sound, is almost an island, perfectly nestled between the metropolitan landscape of Seattle-Tacoma and the lush rain forests and beaches of the Olympic Peninsula.

The Kitsap Peninsula is easily accessible by the state's #1 tourist attraction, the world-famous Washington State ferries sailing from Edmonds to Kingston, Seattle to Bainbridge Island and Bremerton, and from West Seattle/Vashon Island to Southworth in South Kitsap County. You may also reach us via the magnificent Tacoma Narrows Bridge, Hood Canal Bridge, from Olympia/Shelton on Hwy 3, by air or float plane, cycle or private boat. No matter how you arrive, we promise the Kitsap Peninsula will be a destination to remember. For a detailed list of all that the Kitsap Peninsula has to offer go to: www.VisitKitsap.com.



Visit Kitsap Peninsula | Towns & Cities

Bainbridge Island | One of the first stops on the Kitsap Peninsula is Bainbridge Island, a scenic 35-mile ferry ride from downtown Seattle. Walk off the ferry and in minutes you're on Winslow Way lined with trendy cafés, sophisticated galleries and rustic shops filled with one-of-a-kind and uniquely Northwest art and items. There are bike, boat and scooter rentals, too. Kids will enjoy the **Kids Discovery Museum**. Drive along scenic country roads and have a picnic at **Faye Bainbridge State Park**, or enjoy a tour of the world-class gardens at **Bloedel Reserve**.



Bremerton | The largest city on the Kitsap Peninsula, Bremerton is rich in history with a modern touch. The revitalized Harborside District is lined with public boardwalks, fountain parks, a conference center, marina, shops, art galleries, fine and casual dining, dozens of museums including the **Puget Sound Navy Museum**, **USS Turner Joy**, **Kitsap Historical Society**, **Aurora Valentinetti Puppet Museum**.

Belfair | Hood Canal | Located at the bottom of the hook of the Hood Canal, Belfair is near many lakes. Boating, fishing, hiking, camping and biking opportunities abound. Make sure to visit the **Theler Wetlands Nature Trail**.



Gig Harbor | The charming and sophisticated southern gateway to the Kitsap Peninsula. Just north of the spectacular Tacoma Narrows Bridge, Gig Harbor is a great launch point to start your Kitsap Peninsula journey.



Hansville | Hansville has much to offer with beautiful views of Admiralty Inlet, Whidbey Island and Puget Sound. Visit historic **Point No Point Lighthouse** shown above, Buck Lake Park and hike six miles of trails through the heart of the **Hansville Greenway**, an open space preserve that eventually will extend from Puget Sound to the Hood Canal.

Indianola | This close-knit community is centered around a long public waterfront pier that juts into Puget Sound with spectacular views across to Seattle and Mount Rainier.

Keyport | This small marina community is home to the Naval Undersea Warfare Center and **Naval Undersea Museum**, specializing in undersea exploration. Enjoy lunch at the charming **Mercantile Keyport & Sandwich Shoppe** or dine at the 60-year old tavern converted into a friendly steakhouse.

Kingston | Kingston is a scenic 30-minute ferry ride from Edmonds. A rip-roaring lumber town 100 years ago, it's quieter now as the whine of the sawmill has been replaced by the occasional blast of a ferry whistle. Stroll the charming downtown and enjoy the waterfront ambiance, cozy cafés and quaint shops.



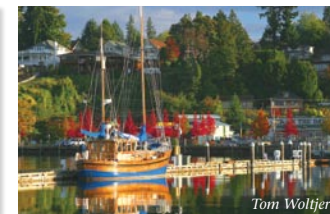
Poulsbo | Norwegian loggers, farmers and fishermen who loved the town so much they nicknamed it "Little Norway". Savor traditional Scandinavian pastries from the world famous Sluys' Bakery as you explore front and side streets filled with galleries and shops. Restaurants, cafes and euro-pubs overlooking the marina offer local wines, local beers, casual and fine dining. Enjoy!

Port Gamble | The streets of this once-mighty logging and mill town haven't changed much since the 1850s. Today this historic town is alive with shops, museums, cafés, kayak and bike rentals, markets and festivals. The original New England Victorian-style homes (some available for lodging) have been preserved, along with the country store and church, making this a National Historic site.



Port Ludlow | Hadlock | Across the Hood Canal Bridge, on the scenic Olympic Peninsula, you will find these two charming, waterfront communities offering, marinas, hotels, golf, dining and more.

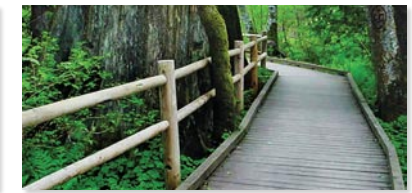
Port Orchard | Founded in 1886 as a settlement, Port Orchard became the Kitsap County seat in 1893. The historic buildings on Bay Street have an array of restaurants, antique stores and other specialty shops. Don't miss the beautiful marina as well as the museums and art galleries.



Seabeck | This historic mill community still has a few traces remaining of its logging roots, featuring a general store, dockside pizza vendor and conference center. Nearby **Scenic Beach State Park** has great picnic areas as well as panoramic views of the Olympic Mountain range and Hood Canal.



Silverdale | Discover Old Town Silverdale with its interesting shops, cafés and panoramic waterfront views of Sinclair Inlet. Also visit the **Kitsap Mall**—West Sound's largest shopping complex. The local favorite place to hike is the lovely **Clear Creek Trail**, which winds through Silverdale's urban area.



Suquamish | Located just across the Agate Pass Bridge from Bainbridge Island, Suquamish is home to the **Suquamish Tribe** who have maintained and preserved original tribal lands. Learn more about their remarkable history at the **Suquamish Museum**, Old Man House Park and Chief Sealth's grave. Test lady luck at the popular **Suquamish Clearwater Casino & Resort**, or stroll over to the resort's lounge for a refreshment and beautiful waterfront view of Agate Pass.



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