

# WASHINGTON

## MARINE PARK GUIDE 2018

Spring is officially here, and so begins the boating season for most of the Pacific Northwest. Although many of us boat happily here all year round, the occasional snow flurry and temperature flirtation with freezing are not generally welcomed. Now is the perfect time to visit or plan a trip to Washington's wonderful state parks by boat, the only way to visit some natural prizes such as Sucia Island.

We offer this annual, constantly updated guide every year with the aim to give adventurers the tools they need to plan their communion with nature. Whether the goal is extended cruising or just a weekend, knowledge is power, and knowing what to expect can be the difference between a wonderful trip or a stressful survival epic.

One thing you may expect is to show your Discover Pass at state parks, so make sure you

have one onboard. Buy an annual pass online for a mere \$35 at [discoverpass.wa.gov](http://discoverpass.wa.gov). Stay legal and support the state park system.

As always, this guide is meant to supplement your navigational materials, not replace them. We're keen for feedback, especially from those who've done it all and want to share their invaluable local knowledge. The official Washington State Parks website ([parks.wa.gov](http://parks.wa.gov)) is also a great resource. Have a great trip!

## PUGET SOUND



### ACTIVITIES & AMENITIES

- Camping
- Swimming
- Saltwater Fishing
- Picnicking
- Diving
- Freshwater Fishing
- Clamming
- Waterskiing
- Beaches
- Crabbing
- Bike Trails
- Personal Watercraft
- Dystering
- Hiking
- Wildlife Watching
- Bathrooms
- Fuel
- Pumpout
- Showers
- Campfires
- Boat Launch

#### 1. Fort Warden State Park

Lat: 48°8'20.94" N Long: 122°46'10.02" W

With its restored Victorian-era officers' homes, hidden gun emplacements, and parade lawns, Fort Worden Historical State Park is a beautiful 433-acre, multi-use park with over two miles of saltwater shoreline. The park rests on a high bluff overlooking Puget Sound, and along with forts Flagler and Casey, make up "The Triangle of Fire" built to defend Puget Sound in the late 1800s. A lodge is available for overnight accommodations. The park also offers alternative fitness classes, museums, and a visitor center with gift shop.

Open: Year-round for day use and overnight stays

Moorage: Six moorage buoys and 120' of dock are available. Two boat ramps. 360-344-4400.

##### ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

- Camping
- Picnicking
- Swimming
- Crabbing
- Dystering
- Bathrooms
- Showers
- Campfires
- Boat Launch

#### 2. Old Fort Townsend State Park

Lat: 48°4'23.33" N Long: 122°47'45.59" W

This 414-acre marine camping park features 3,960' of saltwater shoreline on Port Townsend Bay. The park features a modern replica of the historic 19th century stable, available for weddings, company gatherings, and more. Campgrounds are closed October 15 - May 1, but the park is open year-round for day use.

Open: Summer 0800 hours-Dusk

Moorage: Moorage fees are charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. Moorage permits are available at parks offering moorage. 360-385-3595.

##### ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

- Camping
- Picnicking
- Swimming
- Crabbing
- Dystering
- Bathrooms
- Showers
- Campfires
- Boat Launch

#### 3. Mystery Bay State Park

Lat: 48°3'27.00" N Long: 122°41'47.77" W

Featuring 685' of saltwater shoreline, Mystery Bay State Park on Marrowstone Island offers a fantastic view of the Olympic Mountain Range. This 10-acre, day-use marine park is reachable by car or boat via the channel through Kilisut Harbor, and reportedly has excellent crabbing offshore.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours-2200 hours; Winter: 0800 hours-1700 hours

Moorage: 683' of moorage, seven moorage buoys, and 320' guest dock. There is one single lane launch ramp. Daily and annual permits available. 360-385-1259.

##### ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

- Camping
- Picnicking
- Swimming
- Crabbing
- Dystering
- Bathrooms
- Showers
- Campfires
- Boat Launch

#### 4. Fort Flagler State Park

Lat: 48°5'27.96" N Long: 122°43'10.99" W

Established in the late 1890s to guard the nautical entrance of Puget Sound, Fort Flagler was purchased as a state park in 1955. It is a 1,454-acre marine camping park surrounded on three sides by 19,100' of saltwater shoreline. Visitors to the park can explore its military history in the onsite museum with guided tours of the gun emplacements and the military hospital during the summer. Kite flying is a popular activity here.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours-Dusk; Winter: 0800 hours-Dusk

Moorage: Two boat ramps, 256' of moorage dock, and seven mooring buoys. Moorage docks are seasonal and removed between September 30 and the first week of April each year, weather depending. Daily and annual permits available. 360-385-1259.

##### ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

- Camping
- Picnicking
- Swimming
- Crabbing
- Dystering
- Bathrooms
- Showers
- Campfires
- Boat Launch

#### 5. Sequim Bay State Park

Lat: 48°2'26.98" N Long: 123°1'30.01" W

This 92-acre marine camping park has 4,909' of saltwater coast in the Sequim "rain shadow" just inside Puget Sound on the Olympic Peninsula. The park is open year-round for camping and day use, although some campsites are closed in winter. The park also features horseshoe pits, an amphitheater, and the paved Olympic Discovery Trail.

Open: Year round, 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: 424' of moorage. Moorage fees are charged all year round for mooring at docks, floats, and buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. Daily and annual permits are available. 360-683-4235.

##### ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

- Camping
- Picnicking
- Swimming
- Crabbing
- Dystering
- Bathrooms
- Showers
- Campfires
- Boat Launch

#### 6. Kitsap Mem. State Park

Lat: 47°49'1.20" N Long: 122°39'13.00" W

With magnificent views of Hood Canal, and 1,797' of saltwater shoreline, Kitsap Memorial State Park is 58-acres complete with campgrounds including four cabins, and facilities for group and individual recreation, weddings, and overnight stays. Two open grass fields are also available for Frisbees, croquet, kite flying, ball tossing, etc.

Open: Year-round, 0800 hours-Dusk

Moorage: Two moorage buoys. Moorage fees charged year-round from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. 360-779-3205.

##### ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

- Camping
- Picnicking
- Swimming
- Crabbing
- Dystering
- Bathrooms
- Showers
- Campfires
- Boat Launch

#### 7. Port of Everett Marine Park

Lat: 48°0'10.45" N Long: 122°13'24.78" W

This marine park is located on the Snohomish River, just north of the Port of Everett Marina. The marina and the park go hand-in hand, with the marina offering the amenities and the park offering nearby green space where one can use a picnic table and set camp.

Open: Year-round

Moorage: Overnight moorage is available. The guest dock is 6000' in length. 425-259-6001.

##### ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

- Camping
- Picnicking
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8. Pleasant Harbor State Park

Lat: 47°39'51.22" N Long: 122°13'24.78" W

Pleasant Harbor is an overnight moorage facility only and located two miles south of Brinnon, off Highway 101.

Open: Summer: 0800 hours – 2200 hours; Winter: 0800 hours – 1700 hours

Moorage: 120' of moorage docks. Boaters may stay up to three consecutive nights. Moorage is on a first-come, first-serve basis. 360-796-4415.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Fishing, Picnicking, Swimming, Kayaking]

11. Stretch Point State Park

Lat: 47°19'46.55" N Long: 122°49'12.89" W

This park is accessible only by boat and is a satellite of Jarrell Cove State Park.

Open: Year-round (day use only)

Moorage: Buoy only. 360-426-9226.

12. Jarrell Cove State Park

Lat: 47°16'54.99" N Long: 122°53'12.98" W

Named for Philura Jarrel, the first pioneer woman to settle on the island, Jarrell Cove State Park features a 3,500' saltwater shoreline on the northwest end of Harstine Island in south Puget Sound.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours-2200 hours; Winter: 0800 hours-1700 hours

Moorage: Moorage fees are charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and 14 buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. There is 650' of dock and moorage space. Daily and annual permits are available. 360-426-9226.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Fishing, Picnicking, Swimming, Kayaking, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers]

14. Hope Island Marine Park

Lat: 48°24'3.96" N Long: 122°34'15.95" W

Accessible only by boat and consisting of 200 acres in Skagit Bay, the island is forested with occasional meadows and rock outcroppings, and is a natural area preserve to protect a rare Puget Sound ecosystem.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk; Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Fees charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and five buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. 360-675-3767.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Fishing, Picnicking, Hiking, Kayaking, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers]

9. Potlatch State Park

Lat: 47°39'51.22" N Long: 122°13'24.78" W

A 125-acre camping park with 5,700' of saltwater shoreline on Hood Canal. The park's beautiful grounds are home to a variety of activities and amenities, from interpretive programs to shellfish harvesting. Sites 59-93 close Sept. 17 and reopen April 15. Campsite reservations in effect May 15 through Sept. 17.

Open: Year-round, 0800 hours-Dusk

Moorage: Five mooring buoys available. Fees charged year-round from 1300 to 0800 hours. Daily and annual permits available. 360-796-4415.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

13. McMicken Island State Park

Lat: 47°14'55.67" N Long: 122°51'51.85" W

Located in Mason County on South Puget Sound, McMicken Island visitors can explore the many hiking trails, view an active bald eagle nest, and harvest shellfish on the beach, or wander the sandbar that appears at low tide between McMicken and Harstine Island.

Open: Year round, 0630 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Five moorage buoys are available for overnight stays, charged 1300 hours to 0800 hours. 360-426-9226.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

10. Twanoh State Park

Lat: 47°22'48.00" N Long: 122°58'30.00" W

Popular for shellfish harvesting, this 182-acre marine camping park features one of the warmest saltwater beaches in Washington State. The park has annually seeded oyster beds and a smelt run in the winter. Twanoh derives its name from the Twana tribe, better known as the Skokomish, who called the area home.

Open: Summer: 0630-Dusk; Winter: 0800-Dusk

Moorage: 200' of moorage, 100' of dock, and one boat ramp. Daily and annual permits available. 360-796-4415.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

ACTIVITIES & AMENITIES

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| [Icon] Picnicking | [Icon] Diving      | [Icon] Freshwater Fishing  |
| [Icon] Clamming   | [Icon] Waterskiing | [Icon] Beaches             |
| [Icon] Crabbing   | [Icon] Bike Trails | [Icon] Personal Watercraft |
| [Icon] Oystering  | [Icon] Hiking      | [Icon] Wildlife Watching   |
| [Icon] Bathrooms  | [Icon] Fuel        | [Icon] Pumpout             |
| [Icon] Showers    | [Icon] Campfires   | [Icon] Boat Launch         |

15. Tolmie State Park

Lat: 47°7'24.96" N Long: 122°46'16.68" W

This location features an underwater park with an artificial reef built in cooperation with scuba divers, as well as a saltwater marsh, a forest, and abundant wildlife. The park contains 1,800' of saltwater shoreline on Puget Sound and is located on Nisqually Beach, a few miles from Olympia.

Open: Summer: 0800 hours–Dusk; Winter: 0900 hours–Dusk, from Sept. 17 - April 15 open only on Wednesdays through Sundays

Moorage: Moorage fees are charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and four buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. 360-456-6464.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Fishing, Picnicking, Swimming, Kayaking, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers]

16. Illahee State Park

Lat: 47°35'56.97" N Long: 122°35'31.92" W

With 1,785' of saltwater frontage on Port Orchard Bay, Illahee State Park is a 75-acre marine camping park featuring a war memorial, the last stand of old-growth timber in Kitsap County, and one of the largest yew trees in the nation.

Open: Year-round, 08:00 hours-Dusk

Moorage: The park offers a pier, 356' of moorage, 360' of dock, and five moorage buoys. Moorage fees are charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. There is only one boat ramp. Daily launch permits available for purchase. 360-478-6460.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

17. Joemma Beach State Park

Lat: 47°13'28.99" N Long: 122°48'27.72" W

This 122-acre forested park has two Cascade Marine Trail sites available. Joemma Beach State Park fronts the southeast Key Peninsula with 3,000' of saltwater beach. The campground is closed from Nov. 1 – Feb. 28, but the day-use area is open throughout the winter.

Open: Summer: 0800 - 2130 hours; Winter: 0800 - 1830 hours

Moorage: One boat ramp and 500' of dock space available. Docks are open from mid-May through mid-October, offering 30' of moorage at low tide. Daily and annual permits available. 253-884-1944.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

18. Penrose Point State Park

Lat: 47°15'16.97" N Long: 122°44'54.24" W

With over two miles of saltwater frontage on Mayo Cove and Carr Inlet, Penrose Point State Park is a 165-acre marine and camping park on the shores of Puget Sound offering visitors an abundance of activities/amenities from biking to wildlife viewing. It features a .2-mile-long, self-guided interpretive trail called "A Touch of Nature."

Open: Year round, 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: The park provides a 158' dock, 270' of moorage, and eight moorage buoys. Moorage fees are charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. Daily and annual permits available. 253-884-2514.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

19. Eagle Island State Park

Lat: 47°11'15.00" N Long: 122°41'41.01" W

Seated on Balch Passage between McNeil and Anderson Islands in South Puget Sound, Eagle Island State Park is a 10-acre park with 2,600' of saltwater shoreline. Visitors may picnic on the beach, and may even be lucky enough to see harbor seals on the shoal during low tide.

Open: Year round, 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Three moorage buoys available for overnight stays, fees are charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. 360-426-9226.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Hiking, Fuel]

20. Kopachuk State Park

Lat: 47°18'51.84" N Long: 122°41'0.96" W

With scenic views of the Olympic Mountains and Puget Sound, Kopachuck State Park is a 109-acre marine park with 5,600' of saltwater shoreline on Henderson Bay. For the adventurous and reclusive, Cutts Island (also known as Deadman's Island) is a half mile from shore and reachable only by boat. This park is part of the Cascade Marine Trail.

Open: Year-round 08:00 hour-Dusk

Moorage: Two moorage buoys, with a fee of \$15 per night. 253-265-3606.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Hiking, Fuel]

21. Dockton County Park

Lat: 47°22'13.25" N Long: 122°27'14.55" W

Located on Maury Island in Puget Sound, Dockton Forest is a 23-acre park operated by King County Parks. It features forested trails and connects to the 275-acre Maury Island Natural Area. Dockton is reachable via the Vashon Island Ferry as well as by private vessel.

Open: Year-round for day use

Moorage: Boat launch & moorage. 206-205-5275 or 206-618-4036.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

22. Saltwater State Park

Lat: 47°22'29.00" N Long: 122°19'51.96" W

Famous for the literal burying of the hatchet between the cities of Seattle and Tacoma in 1926, Saltwater State Park is a camping park located halfway between the two cities. It features 1,445' of saltwater shoreline on Puget Sound, as well as an underwater artificial reef where divers can explore.

Open: Year-round, 0800 hours-Dusk

Moorage: Two day use moorage buoys are available, no overnight mooring. 253-661-4956.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

23. Blake Island Marine State Park

Lat: 47°32'33.00" N Long: 122°28'56.99" W

Accessible only by private or tour boat, Blake Island Marine State Park is a 475-acre marine camping park with five miles of saltwater beach shoreline and stunning views of the Olympic Mountains and the Seattle skyline. The park has three Cascade Marine Trail sites, and approximately eight miles of both hiking and biking trails.

Open: Year round, 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: 1,500' of moorage with 24 buoys. Moorage fees are charged year-round for mooring at docks, floats, and buoys from 1300 hours to 0800 hours. 360-731-8330.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

24. Fort Ward State Park

Lat: 47°34'50.61" N Long: 122°31'21.06" W

With 4,300' of saltwater shoreline on Rich Passage, Fort Ward Park is a 137-acre marine park featuring an underwater park for scuba divers, view of the Olympic Mountains, and a variety of marine-life habitats. Two gun batteries are located in this former U.S. Navy-operated site. The park is a popular spot on the Cascade Marine Trail.

Open: Summer: 0800 hours-Dusk; Winter: 0800 hours-Dusk; Upper day-use area closed Oct. 18 - April 8

Moorage: Boat ramp. 206-842-4041.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]

25. Fay Bainbridge State Park

Lat: 47°42'11.51" N Long: 122°30'31.12" W

Fay Bainbridge Park is a 17-acre marine camping park with 1,420 feet of saltwater shoreline on the northeast corner of Bainbridge Island. Both Mount Rainier and Mount Baker are visible from the beach on clear days. The nearby Old Man House is located on the site of Chief Seattle's home. A good spot for scuba diving.

Open: Year-round, 0800 hours-Dusk

Moorage: Two mooring buoys. 206-842-2306 x118.

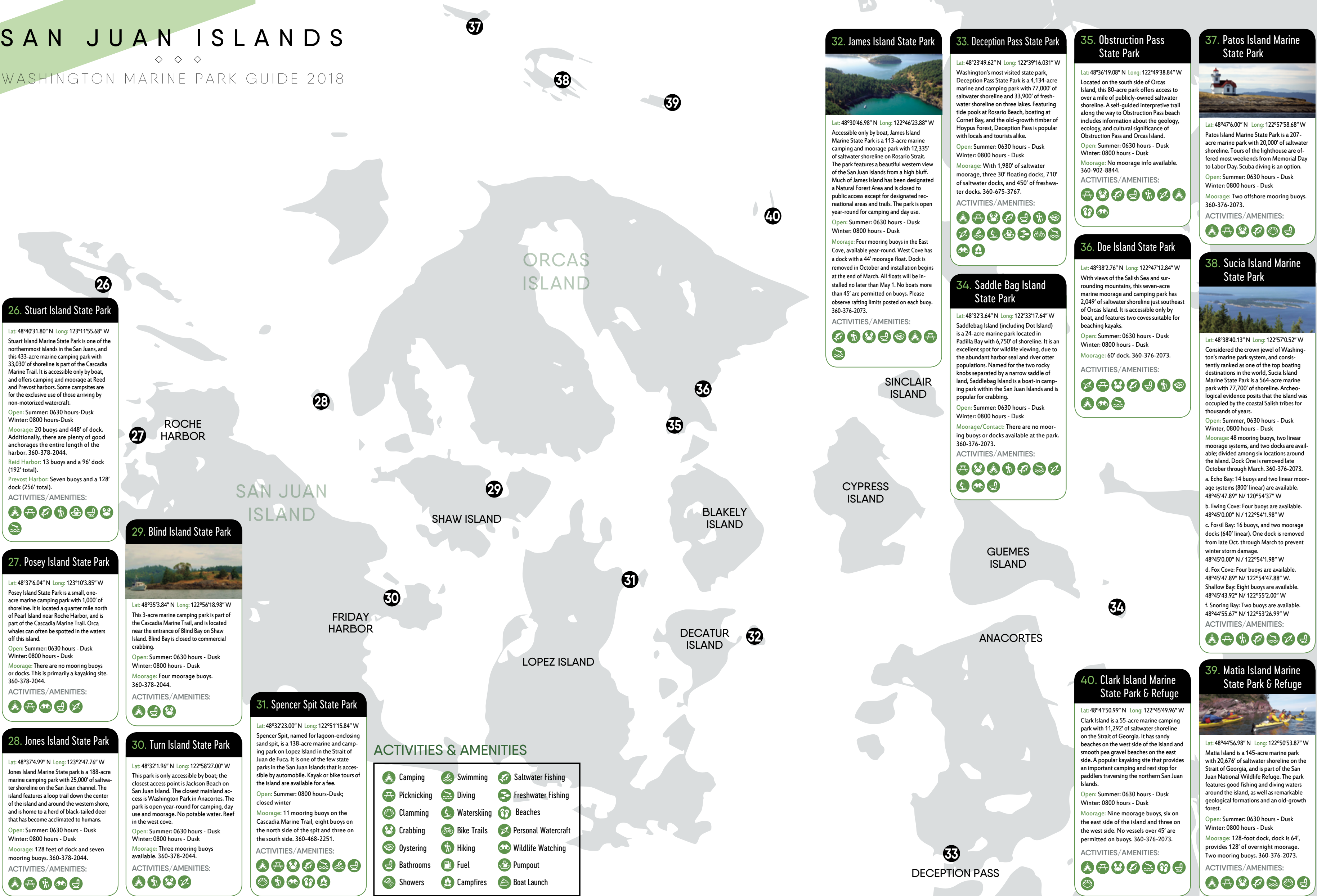
ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

[Icons: Camping, Picnicking, Swimming, Diving, Waterskiing, Crabbing, Oystering, Bathrooms, Showers, Hiking, Fuel, Campfires]



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**26. Stuart Island State Park**

Lat: 48°40'31.80" N Long: 123°11'55.68" W

Stuart Island Marine State Park is one of the northernmost islands in the San Juans, and this 433-acre marine camping park with 33,030' of shoreline is part of the Cascadia Marine Trail. It is accessible only by boat, and offers camping and moorage at Reed and Prevost harbors. Some campsites are for the exclusive use of those arriving by non-motorized watercraft.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours-Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours-Dusk

Moorage: 20 buoys and 448' of dock. Additionally, there are plenty of good anchorages the entire length of the harbor. 360-378-2044.

Reid Harbor: 13 buoys and a 96' dock (192' total).

Prevost Harbor: Seven buoys and a 128' dock (256' total).

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Fishing, Hiking, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**27. Posey Island State Park**

Lat: 48°37'6.04" N Long: 123°10'3.85" W

Posey Island State Park is a small, one-acre marine camping park with 1,000' of shoreline. It is located a quarter mile north of Pearl Island near Roche Harbor, and is part of the Cascadia Marine Trail. Orca whales can often be spotted in the waters off this island.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: There are no mooring buoys or docks. This is primarily a kayaking site. 360-378-2044.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Kayaking, Bathrooms, Fuel

**28. Jones Island State Park**

Lat: 48°37'4.99" N Long: 123°24'47.76" W

Jones Island Marine State Park is a 188-acre marine camping park with 25,000' of saltwater shoreline on the San Juan channel. The island features a loop trail down the center of the island and around the western shore, and is home to a herd of black-tailed deer that has become acclimated to humans.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: 128 feet of dock and seven mooring buoys. 360-378-2044.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Hiking, Kayaking, Bathrooms

**29. Blind Island State Park**

Lat: 48°35'3.84" N Long: 122°56'18.98" W

This 3-acre marine camping park is part of the Cascadia Marine Trail, and is located near the entrance of Blind Bay on Shaw Island. Blind Bay is closed to commercial crabbing.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Four moorage buoys. 360-378-2044.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Crabbing

**30. Turn Island State Park**

Lat: 48°32'1.96" N Long: 122°58'27.00" W

This park is only accessible by boat; the closest access point is Jackson Beach on San Juan Island. The closest mainland access is WWashington Park in Anacortes. The park is open year-round for camping, day use and moorage. No potable water. Reef in the west cove.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Three mooring buoys available. 360-378-2044.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Hiking, Crabbing, Kayaking

**31. Spencer Spit State Park**

Lat: 48°32'23.00" N Long: 122°51'15.84" W

Spencer Spit, named for lagoon-enclosing sand spit, is a 138-acre marine and camping park on Lopez Island in the Strait of Juan de Fuca. It is one of the few state parks in the San Juan Islands that is accessible by automobile. Kayak or bike tours of the island are available for a fee.

Open: Summer: 0800 hours-Dusk; closed winter

Moorage: 11 mooring buoys on the Cascadia Marine Trail, eight buoys on the north side of the spit and three on the south side. 360-468-2251.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Crabbing, Fishing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

Camping	Swimming	Saltwater Fishing
Picnicking	Diving	Freshwater Fishing
Clamming	Waterskiing	Beaches
Crabbing	Bike Trails	Personal Watercraft
Oystering	Hiking	Wildlife Watching
Bathrooms	Fuel	Pumpout
Showers	Campfires	Boat Launch

**32. James Island State Park**

Lat: 48°30'46.98" N Long: 122°46'23.88" W

Accessible only by boat, James Island Marine State Park is a 113-acre marine camping and moorage park with 12,335' of saltwater shoreline on Rosario Strait. The park features a beautiful western view of the San Juan Islands from a high bluff. Much of James Island has been designated a Natural Forest Area and is closed to public access except for designated recreational areas and trails. The park is open year-round for camping and day use.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Four mooring buoys in the East Cove, available year-round. West Cove has a dock with a 44' moorage float. Dock is removed in October and installation begins at the end of March. All floats will be installed no later than May 1. No boats more than 45' are permitted on buoys. Please observe rafting limits posted on each buoy. 360-376-2073.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Fishing, Hiking, Crabbing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**33. Deception Pass State Park**

Lat: 48°23'49.62" N Long: 122°39'16.031" W

Washington's most visited state park, Deception Pass State Park is a 4,134-acre marine and camping park with 77,000' of saltwater shoreline and 33,900' of freshwater shoreline on three lakes. Featuring tide pools at Rosario Beach, boating at Cornet Bay, and the old-growth timber of Hoypus Forest, Deception Pass is popular with locals and tourists alike.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: With 1,980' of saltwater moorage, three 30' floating docks, 710' of saltwater docks, and 450' of freshwater docks. 360-675-3767.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Fishing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**34. Saddle Bag Island State Park**

Lat: 48°32'3.64" N Long: 122°33'17.64" W

Saddlebag Island (including Dot Island) is a 24-acre marine park located in Padilla Bay with 6,750' of shoreline. It is an excellent spot for wildlife viewing, due to the abundant harbor seal and river otter populations. Named for the two rocky knobs separated by a narrow saddle of land, Saddlebag Island is a boat-in camping park within the San Juan Islands and is popular for crabbing.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage/Contact: There are no mooring buoys or docks available at the park. 360-376-2073.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Picnic Table, Crabbing, Tent, Hiking, Fishing, Kayaking

**35. Obstruction Pass State Park**

Lat: 48°36'19.08" N Long: 122°49'38.84" W

Located on the south side of Orcas Island, this 80-acre park offers access to over a mile of publicly-owned saltwater shoreline. A self-guided interpretive trail along the way to Obstruction Pass beach includes information about the geology, ecology, and cultural significance of Obstruction Pass and Orcas Island.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: No moorage info available. 360-902-8844.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Fishing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**36. Doe Island State Park**

Lat: 48°38'2.76" N Long: 122°47'12.84" W

With views of the Salish Sea and surrounding mountains, this seven-acre marine moorage and camping park has 2,049' of saltwater shoreline just southeast of Orcas Island. It is accessible only by boat, and features two coves suitable for beaching kayaks.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: 60' dock. 360-376-2073.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Fishing, Picnic Table, Crabbing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**37. Patos Island Marine State Park**

Lat: 48°47'6.00" N Long: 122°57'58.68" W

Patos Island Marine State Park is a 207-acre marine park with 20,000' of saltwater shoreline. Tours of the lighthouse are offered most weekends from Memorial Day to Labor Day. Scuba diving is an option.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Two offshore mooring buoys. 360-376-2073.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Crabbing, Fishing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**38. Sucia Island Marine State Park**

Lat: 48°38'40.13" N Long: 122°57'0.52" W

Considered the crown jewel of Washington's marine park system, and consistently ranked as one of the top boating destinations in the world, Sucia Island Marine State Park is a 564-acre marine park with 77,700' of shoreline. Archaeological evidence posits that the island was occupied by the coastal Salish tribes for thousands of years.

Open: Summer, 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter, 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: 48 mooring buoys, two linear moorage systems, and two docks are available; divided among six locations around the island. Dock One is removed late October through March. 360-376-2073.

a. Echo Bay: 14 buoys and two linear moorage systems (800' linear) are available. 48°45'47.89" N / 120°54'37" W

b. Ewing Cove: Four buoys are available. 48°45'0.00" N / 122°54'1.98" W

c. Fossil Bay: 16 buoys, and two moorage docks (640' linear). One dock is removed from late Oct. through March to prevent winter storm damage. 48°45'0.00" N / 122°54'1.98" W

d. Fox Cove: Four buoys are available. 48°45'47.89" N / 122°54'47.88" W.

Shallow Bay: Eight buoys are available. 48°45'43.92" N / 122°55'2.00" W

f. Snoring Bay: Two buoys are available. 48°44'55.67" N / 122°53'26.99" W

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Hiking, Fishing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**40. Clark Island Marine State Park & Refuge**

Lat: 48°41'50.99" N Long: 122°45'49.96" W

Clark Island is a 55-acre marine camping park with 11,292' of saltwater shoreline on the Strait of Georgia. It has sandy beaches on the west side of the island and smooth pea gravel beaches on the east side. A popular kayaking site that provides an important camping and rest stop for paddlers traversing the northern San Juan Islands.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: Nine moorage buoys, six on the east side of the island and three on the west side. No vessels over 45' are permitted on buoys. 360-376-2073.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Crabbing, Fishing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch

**39. Matia Island Marine State Park & Refuge**

Lat: 48°44'56.98" N Long: 122°50'53.87" W

Matia Island is a 145-acre marine park with 20,676' of saltwater shoreline on the Strait of Georgia, and is part of the San Juan National Wildlife Refuge. The park features good fishing and diving waters around the island, as well as remarkable geological formations and an old-growth forest.

Open: Summer: 0630 hours - Dusk  
Winter: 0800 hours - Dusk

Moorage: 128-foot dock, dock is 64', provides 128' of overnight moorage. Two mooring buoys. 360-376-2073.

ACTIVITIES/AMENITIES:

Icons: Tent, Picnic Table, Crabbing, Fishing, Bathrooms, Fuel, Campfires, Boat Launch