

Events Around the Sound - May 14th to May 20th

Name	Peace Meals		
Start	5/17	End	
Time	6:30pm - 8:00pm	Cost	
Location	University Place Library Meeting Room	phone	253-548-3307
Web Page	https://calendar.piercecountylibrary.org/event/755756#branch		
Street Address	3609 Market Place West, Suite 100, University Place		
Description	Explore perspectives on war with the documentary "Peace Meals" where American and Vietnamese veterans and the next generation share their stories over a meal. Continue the conversation following the film. Presented in partnership with KBTC.		

Name	International Plowing Match		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	10:00 am - 3:00 pm	Cost	Free
Location	Berthusen Park West Field	phone	(360) 354-4111
Web Page	https://nwwafair.com/p/event-calendar/335		
Street Address	680 West Badger Road, Lynden		
Description	A spring farming tradition will be revived May 19 during the 77th-annual International Plowing Match in Lynden. Once done to prepare for fields for seeding, plowing at this event showcases the strength of majestic draft horses and the skill of the men and women guiding them. Approximately 15-18 two-horse teams are expected.		

Name	Queen Victoria's Birthday		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	11:00am - 5:00pm	Cost	\$10 max
Location	Fort Nisqually - Point Defiance Park	phone	(253) 404-3970
Web Page	https://www.metroparkstacoma.org/calendar/index.php?cid=7526		
Street Address	5400 N. Pearl St., #11, Tacoma		
Description	Relive the festive 19th century celebrations surrounding a royal holiday. A merry mood permeates the Fort on this occasion. At noon, bagpipes announce the start of the traditional tributes to the queen. The pipes are followed by a musket volley, toasts to the queen, and a cannon salute.		

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Name	Lady Washington Visit		
Start	5/16	End	5/23
Time		Cost	see website
Location	Port Orchard Marina	phone	1-800-200-5239
Web Page	http://www.historicseaport.org/public-tours-sails/sailing-schedule/port-orchard-washington/		
Street Address	707 Sidney Pkwy, Port Orchard		
Description	Lady Washington, the official tall ship of Washington State, will visit Port Orchard and offer Vessel Tours from the dock and Adventure Sails. Vessel Tours open the ships to the public. Come check out the ship and meet her crew!		

Name	CONJUNCTION: The Emerging Connection of Cannery Row		
Start	5/17	End	
Time	6:00 PM to 7:00 PM	Cost	\$5
Location	Harbor History Museum	phone	253-858-6722
Web Page	http://www.traveltacoma.com/events/conjunction/8920/		
Street Address	4121 Harborview Dr, Gig Harbor		
Description	"CONJUNCTION: The Emerging Connection of Cannery Row, the historic Pacific Northwest, John Steinbeck & Ed Ricketts, the Sea of Cortez, and the Saga of the Western Flyer" is an exclusive archival photo presentation by Cannery Row historian, founder and president emeritus of the Cannery Row Foundation (Est. 1983).		

Name	History Talk Series presents: "Meet Leopold Schmidt"		
Start	5/17	End	
Time	noon-1 p.m. - doors open at 11:30 a.m	Cost	(donations are welcome!)
Location	Schmidt House	phone	
Web Page	http://olytumfoundation.org/events/		
Street Address	330 Schmidt Place SW, Tumwater		
Description	History Talks at the Schmidt House presents Leopold Schmidt, as characterized by Christopher Valcho. Christopher Valcho wrote his performance specifically for this venue and audience, and Valcho will present it in the Chautauqua-style — an adult education movement in the United States, highly popular in the late 19th and early 20th centuries.		

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Name	Norwegian day		
Start	5/17	End	
Time	10:00 am - 8:00 pm	Cost	
Location	Ballard	phone	
Web Page	http://www.17thofmay.org/		
Street Address	various locations see website		
Description	Celebrate Norwegian Constitution Day at the 17th of May Festival with a luncheon, kids' activities, music and free admission to the Nordic Heritage Museum. The 6 p.m. parade includes marching bands, drill teams, and Norwegians in costume.		

Name	Rainier Independent Film Festival		
Start	5/18	End	5/20
Time		Cost	see website
Location	Ashford, WA	phone	253.370.3520
Web Page	http://rainier.film/		
Street Address	30205 WA-706, Ashford, WA		
Description	The Rainier Independent Film Festival is a gateway to an explorative cinematic journey, set in the transformative landscape of Mt. Rainier's forested community.		

Name	Viking Fest		
Start	5/18	End	5/20
Time		Cost	
Location	Poulsbo	phone	360-779-8657
Web Page	http://www.vikingfest.org/		
Street Address	various locations see website		
Description	Festival includes a parade, royal court, art competition, battle of the bands, carnival, donut and lutefisk eating contests, paddle board, street fair, Viking Village, and more.		

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Name	WWU Alumni Weekend		
Start	5/18	End	5/20
Time		Cost	Free
Location	Western Washington University	phone	(360) 650-3353
Web Page	https://alumni.wvu.edu/wwualumniweekend		
Street Address	516 High Street, Bellingham		
Description	An exciting time filled with over 100 offerings that provide opportunities to reconnect with classmates, friends, faculty, staff, and students while taking advantage of diverse activities designed to help you reconnect with Western. The weekend is also a great time to share your Western Experience and the fun of the weekend with your family.		

Name	Better Cell Phone Photography		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	2:00PM – 3:30PM	Cost	
Location	Redmond Library	phone	(425) 885-1861
Web Page	https://kcls.bibliocommons.com/events/search/fq=audiences:(5654e87875eef9cd27000010%20OR%205654e87875eef9cd270000		
Street Address	15990 NE 85th Street, Redmond		
Description	There are millions of cell phone pictures taken every month - and an overwhelming majority of those are gruesome. Chris Leavitt's been creating portrait art for a long time - even longer than there's been cell phones. And now, in 90 brief minutes, he's going to reveal to you the secrets of taking your cellphone images from ugly to art!		

Name	"Dancing Through the Decades" A Handbell Concert		
Start	5/19	End	5/20
Time	4:00 pm	Cost	\$10 suggested donation
Location	Lacey Senior Center & Little Church on the Prairie	phone	
Web Page	http://rainierringers.org/concerts/		
Street Address	see website		
Description	A handbell concert featuring popular songs from the 50's up through now. With a focus on favorite dance tunes, you'll be tapping your toes to "Rock Around the Clock", dancing in the aisle as we perform "What a Feeling" from the movie "Flashdance", and singing along with "Eleanor Rigby". Be moved by beautiful arrangements of "Stairway to Heaven", "The Prayer", and "The Sound of Silence".		

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Name	Ribbon Cutting Ceremony - Foothills National Recreation Trail		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	11:00 a.m.	Cost	
Location	Veterans Park in South Prairie	phone	(253) 798-4006
Web Page	http://www.co.pierce.wa.us/5707/Ribbon-Cutting-Celebration		
Street Address	Buckley, WA 98321		
Description	Please join us for a ribbon cutting ceremony as we celebrate the completed connection of the Foothills National Recreation Trail between South Prairie and Buckley. The celebration will include introductions and acknowledgements, a ribbon cutting, supporter information booths, and light refreshments.		

Name	All About Dolly		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	11:00am - 4:00pm	Cost	
Location	Steilacoom Library	phone	253-548-3313
Web Page	https://calendar.piercecountylibrary.org/event/759644		
Street Address	2950 Steilacoom Blvd, Steilacoom		
Description	Learn and Love Dolls with the City of Destiny Doll Guild. The local City of Destiny Doll Guild will showcase some of their personal collections and talk to the public about doll collecting, doll making, doll repairing and hobby development.		

Name	Wilderness Survival		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	2:00pm - 4:00pm	Cost	
Location	South Hill Library	phone	
Web Page	https://calendar.piercecountylibrary.org/event/747692		
Street Address	15420 Meridian E, Puyallup		
Description	Join Joel Walker as he shares the 5 C's of Survival Skills: <ul style="list-style-type: none">•Basics of Cutting Tools•Combustion styles•Variety of Cover options•Field useable Containers		

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Name	Lacey Spring Fun Fair		
Start	5/19	End	5/20
Time	10:00 am – 6:00 pm	Cost	Free
Location	St. Martin's University	phone	
Web Page	http://laceyspringfunfair.com/		
Street Address	5300 Pacific Ave SE, Olympia		
Description	Join us the Third weekend in May for two days of fun for families and young people of all ages! Since 1988, Lacey Spring Fun Fair has provided FREE activities and entertainment for thousands of visitors. With rides and games, live performances, vendors, and food concessions Fun Fair is a popular community celebration!		

Name	Capital City Marathon Kids Run		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	4:00 pm	Cost	
Location	Heritage Park	phone	
Web Page	http://www.runoly.com/ccm-kids-race.php		
Street Address	5th Ave SW , Olympia		
Description	Our free 1.2-mile Kids Run is open to anyone in the 8th grade or younger. Kids who log 25 miles during the days and weeks leading up to the race can achieve “marathon status” and a special prize after they complete the 1.2-mile race. All participants receive a ribbon. Register online in advance or in person the day of the race.		

Name	Adult Art Series: Kokedama Creations		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	12:00 PM - 12:00 PM	Cost	
Location	Mountain View Timberland Library	phone	(360) 497-2665
Web Page	http://events.trlib.org/evanced/lib/eventsignup.asp?ID=76134&rts=&disptype=info&ret=eventcalendar.asp&pointer=&returnToSe		
Street Address	210 Silverbrook Rd, Randle, WA 98377		
Description	Join members of the Illahee Garden Club as they demonstrate the art of “Kokedama”, Japanese for “moss ball”. Get your hands dirty with soil and clay and use plant life to create your own serene and living sphere to take home. All materials will be provided.		

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Name	A Foraging Walking Tour		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	2:00 PM	Cost	
Location	Grays Harbor Community College - lower parking lot near the Fish Lab	phone	
Web Page	http://events.trlib.org/evanced/lib/eventsignup.asp?ID=77799&rts=&disptype=info&ret=eventcalendar.asp&pointer=&returnToSe		
Street Address	1620 Edward P Smith Dr. , Aberdeen		
Description	Discover the edible pickings native to our locale in this walking tour guided by natural historian Ted Elson. Elson will point out how to identify native plants and provide additional clues to help identify them in other seasons. The tour will begin at the Grays Harbor Community College.		

Name	Petpalooza		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Cost	Free
Location	Game Farm Park	phone	253-931-3043
Web Page	https://www.auburnwa.gov/things_to_do/community/petpalooza_s_p205.htm		
Street Address	3030 R St. SE, Auburn		
Description	Petpalooza is kicked off with a Dog Trot 3K/5K Fun Run. The event features an animal-related entertainment stage, flydog and agility demos, pony rides, Mud Bay's Northwest Pet Contest, an agility area, over 150 vendor booths, adoptions, low-cost animal services, giveaways and lots of activities to keep both humans and pets entertained.		

Name	71st Armed Forces Day Parade		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	10:00 a.m.	Cost	
Location	Downtown Bremerton	phone	
Web Page	http://www.bremertonchamber.org/pages/ArmedForcesDayParade		
Street Address	see route on website		
Description	The parade's annual attendance is 25,000 to 40,000 people from all over Western Washington. Entries come from as far away as Oregon and Spokane to participate in this event. The parade includes all branches of the military, police and firefighters, youth organizations, dignitaries, commercial businesses, car clubs and more. People from all over Western Washington. Entries come from as far away as Oregon and Spokane to participate in this event. The parade includes all		

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Start	5/19	End	
Time	10:00 AM - 6:00 PM	Cost	Free
Location	Joint Base Lewis-McChord	phone	
Web Page	http://www.jblmmwr.com/armedforcesday/		
Street Address	Use North Gate on 112th and South Tacoma Way		
Description	Static Military Aircraft & vehicle Displays: C-17s, C-130, Strykers, Apache & Blackhawk Helicopters, Historical Reenactors, Fair Food, Carnival, Kids Activities, and more.		

Name	Tiptoe Through the Tidepools		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	1:00pm - 4:00pm	Cost	Free
Location	Titlow Beach	phone	
Web Page	https://www.metroparkstacoma.org/calendar/index.php?cid=6516		
Street Address	8425 6th Ave, Tacoma		
Description	Bring your family to explore the beach, learn about tide pool life and have lots of fun during some of the lowest tides of the year. A naturalist will guide low-tide beach exploration.		

Name	Everett - Paine Field Aviation Day		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	10:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Cost	\$15
Location	Historic Flight Foundation	phone	425-348-3200
Web Page	http://historicflight.org/hf/		
Street Address	10719 Bernie Webber Drive, Mukilteo		
Description	Join us for the traditional opening day of the flying season. HFF outdoor presentations will include static aircraft displays, ride opportunities in vintage aircraft, grandstands for viewing the flight demonstrations (noon), and a beer garden for adults. Indoors look for historic aviation artifacts and interactive family activities.		

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Name	Spring Fairy Festival		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	11:00am-7:00pm	Cost	Free
Location	Crescent Moon Gifts	phone	253-572-8339
Web Page	http://www.springfairyfestival.com/2018.html		
Street Address	2502 6th Ave. Tacoma		
Description	The Spring Fairy Festival is a celebration of art, music, performance and community. Designed to let people of all ages come together to express and enjoy one another's creativity.		

Name	Waterfalls & Swimming Holes in Mason County		
Start	5/19	End	
Time	1:00 PM - 3:00 PM	Cost	
Location	Shelton Timberland Library	phone	360-426-1362
Web Page	http://events.trlib.org/evanced/lib/eventsignup.asp?ID=77791&rts=&disptype=info&ret=eventcalendar.asp&pointer=&returnToSe		
Street Address	710 W Alder St, Shelton, WA 98584		
Description	Mason County is home to more than two dozen spectacular waterfalls, and many more swimming holes of pristine beauty. In this informative and funny presentation, Mr. Woytowich will show and tell where the best of Mason County waterfalls hide, and how you can find dozens of off-the-trail watery destinations. This presentation will be followed by a Q & A.		

Name	JazzED Jamboree		
Start	5/20	End	
Time	11:30 AM - 5:00 PM	Cost	Free
Location	Langston Hughes Performing Arts Center	phone	206.324.JAZZ (5299)
Web Page	https://www.seattlejazzed.org/events/2018/1/25/jamboree		
Street Address	104 17th Ave S, Seattle		
Description	Seattle kids play jazz with a vocal ensemble.		

