

# Northwest Washington and the Olympic Peninsula



## Bellingham: Plenty of places to stay and play

Looking for a place with loads of golf and plenty of places to stay? Then the Bellingham area just might have everything you are looking for. From Homestead Golf and Country Club (right) to North Bellingham (far right) the area is loaded with great places to play. There are also plenty of opportunities for lodging from Semiahmoo Resort in Blaine to Homestead G & CC in Lynden, a couple of places with terrific rooms and more to offer.

There are stops to make along the way and even more places to play when you get there.



# Destination: Northwest Washington

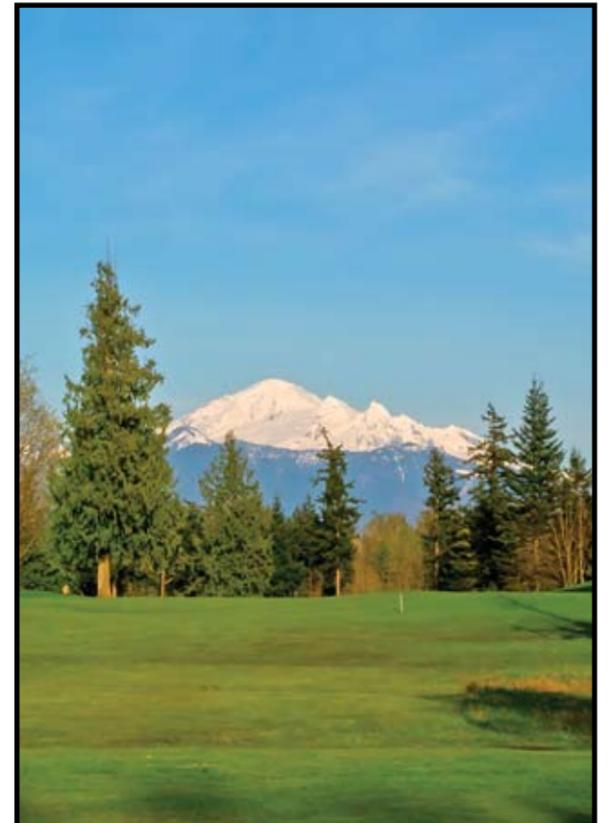


Northwest Washington is a golfer's playground. From the gorgeous Olympic Peninsula to the Bellingham area down south to where it all starts around Olympia, there is no shortage of terrific golf to be found.

There are the high quality public golf courses, the terrific resorts, including Semiahmoo Resort (pictured left), the acclaimed private tracks and the top-notch public course like Shuksan (right).

And there's more than just golf. Mount Baker offers a wilderness playground and the San Juan Islands are a tourist's delight. The Olympic Mountains are an adventure for hikers and fishermen alike – there's so much to explore and discover in one of Washington's natural treasures.

Inside Golf takes you inside this special area this month, from the golf courses to the things to do and the places to stay. For more on golfing Northwest Washington, please see inside this special section.



## Peninsula Golf: Olympic and Kitsap offer up some scenic golf

The Olympic Peninsula is home to some top-of-the-line courses like Port Ludlow (far right). The Kitsap Peninsula is another place with some terrific golf, including courses like White Horse in Kingston (near right).

From the northern tip of the Olympic Peninsula to golf courses west of Olympia, there's seems to be courses hidden up and down the peninsula. Whether you are looking for a 9-hole layout, an 18-hole course or some resort golf, you will find it all on the Olympic Peninsula. And they are all good.



**Inside Northwest Washington**

# On the way north: Gleneagle and Kayak are a couple of golf stops worth making

## Little Creek Casino hosts tournament at new Salish Cliffs

The Little Creek Casino in Shelton will host its 11th annual Squaxin Island Museum Golf Tournament June 4, 2012 at its own Salish Cliffs Golf Course.

The tournament proceeds help benefit the Squaxin Island Museum Library and Research Center.

The tournament costs \$200 per player and \$800 per team. The entry includes golf, dinner and an auction.

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Mike Simpson has only been on the job a short while, but he is making some solid changes at Gleneagle Golf Course.

The local homeowners were not happy with the way things were going and were especially upset when there was a plan to shorten the course to an executive-length par-3 course back in 2006. Simpson had heard the stories. He had talked to the homeowners. He knew that relationships needed to be repaired and the course needed improvements as well.

So far, so good after less than a year on the job for Simpson.

An increase in maintenance budget has helped turn the course around. In fact, homeowners say the course hasn't been in such good shape since the mid 1990s. The driving range was re-opened and a project to improve drainage is ongoing. Off the course, the course has added on-site club repair, a fully stocked pro shop, a new fleet of EZ-GO golf carts and a new resident rate program.

The homeowners have become so excited about the changes happening at Gleneagle that one homeowner donated \$13,000 to the course to install new tee signs, new ball washers and trash cans on every tee box. Off the course, Simpson helped oversee the course to a 40 percent increase in revenue through 2011.

• Kayak Point has always been considered one of the top places to play in the Pacific Northwest by *Golf Digest Magazine*. And for good reason. The course, which sits 20 minutes west of Interstate-5 in Stanwood, is a tree-lined pleasure that offers plenty of elevation changes and tee shots which make you keep the driver straight.

But if you don't, that's OK now. In the last few years, Kayak Point, under the direction of Access Golf, has cleaned out much of the brush in the trees and in the rough. You can now find your ball and hit it. The course has also put together lodging packages with the nearby Tulalip Casino. And there are some good deals to be had. The course also hosts a new golf program on radio station KRKO every Saturday.

Kayak Point has been ranked among America's Top 75 Affordable Courses. "Kayak Point has always been a hidden gem," said General Manager Steve Stensland. "Our superintendent and team have Kayak Point Golf Course back to where it was when it first opened 35 years ago as one of the best in Western Washington"



Gleneagle Golf Course is located just a short trip off Interstate-5 in Arlington.



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Kayak Point in Stanwood features 18 holes with plenty of challenging shots.

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# Kitsap Peninsula



## Golf courses around the Kitsap Peninsula have joined together to offer deals for traveling golfers

Washington's Kitsap Peninsula has no shortage when it comes to some of the top public golf courses in the state. From Gold Mountain's Olympic Course, there are a wide variety of courses which keeps the regulars and the traveling golfers happy every time they tee it up.

In fact, some of the courses have banded together along with a hotel to offer stay and play packages. The idea has paid dividends. Gold Mountain, Trophy Lake and McCormick Woods along with the Silverdale Beach Hotel and Hampton Inn and Suites in Bremerton have joined forces to offer traveling golfers a place to stay along with some golf.

"It's been a great success so far," said Shawn Cuccardi of McCormick Woods. "It's worked for everyone. We have some great courses and great hotels involved in the program."

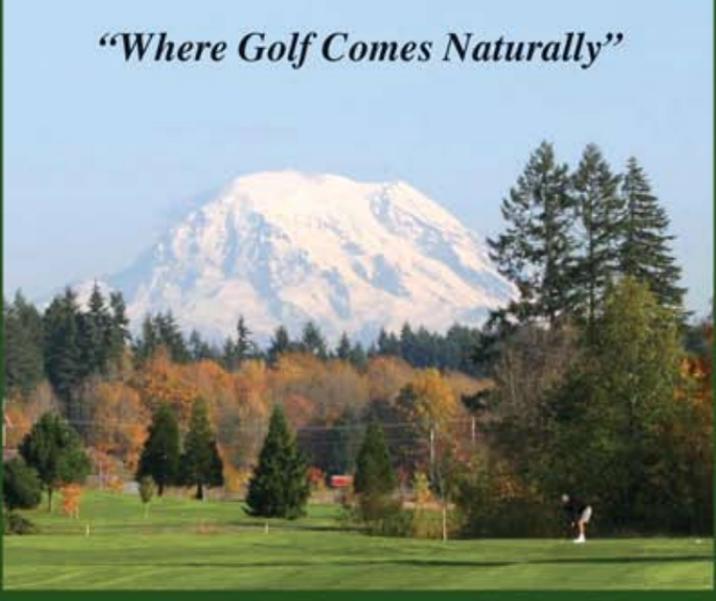
There are some great choices. Gold Mountain has a pair of courses, including its award-winning Olympic Course. McCormick Woods has been ranked among the top courses for years and is just a quick drive from another award-winner Trophy Lake Golf and Casting.

The three are among the most popular courses in the Pacific Northwest and with the new stay and play packages, visitors



A couple of options along the Kitsap Peninsula include Gold Mountain (top) and McCormick Woods in Port Orchard (upper photo).

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from as away as Canada are now finding out the little secret on the Kitsap Peninsula.

White Horse Golf Club in Kingston is the newest course in the area. Designed by Cynthia Dye McGarey, it opened in 2007 and offers an outstanding course that has recently undergone some slight changes to make it more user-friendly. It's a 30-minute ferry ride from Edmonds and they will even pick you up at the Kingston ferry dock with a shuttle.

Horseshoe Lake in Port Orchard has been around since 1992 and the two nines have completely different personalities.

There are several other fun courses on the peninsula like Rolling Hills in Bremerton and Village Greens in Port Orchard. LakeLand Village is a 27-hole treat in Allyn. The three nines wind through a housing community with plenty of tall trees, ponds and streams to negotiate.



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# The Olympic Peninsula



The Olympic Peninsula has millions of visitors each year from all parts of the globe as the reputation as a scenic wonderland is well known.

The Olympic National Park is loaded with natural wonders, as are the surrounding areas and ocean beaches.

### Port Ludlow: One of the best

Port Ludlow was named as one of the top five public courses in Washington by *Golf Magazine*. Its 18 holes are divided into two 9-hole courses named Tide and Timber. Each features scenic views, dense forests and natural surroundings.

A short ferry ride from Edmonds and a 20 mile drive from the Kingston ferry dock, Port Ludlow offers the perfect getaway not only for golfers, but for anyone looking to take a break from the city.

With a quaint inn, restaurant, spa and full service marina, the resort offers something for everyone.

### Discovery Bay: Old school golf

Describing itself as the oldest public golf course in Washington, Discovery Bay Golf Club sits on a secluded 200-acre site above Discovery Bay, just outside the city of Port Townsend, Washington.

Formally known as Chevy Chase, the



Port Ludlow is an award winner on the Olympic Peninsula (above); Skyridge GC is the newest course in Sequim (upper).

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second nine was designed by golf course architect Mike Asmundson prior to him becoming the owner of the course. The two nines are vastly different: the original nine is contained in the lowlands while the newest nine is built on the top of and along the side of a hill with forest-lined fairways.

The course is great fun to play and will reward good play and punish wayward shots. Discovery Bay GC is also home to the Jefferson County Amateur.

## LakeLand: Nines are fine

Lakeland Village, located in Allyn, Washington, offers 27 holes of golf with three different nines.

With numerous ponds, gaping bunkers and majestic views of the Olympics and Mount Rainier, ardent golfers will appreciate the scenic driving ranges, practice chipping, bunker areas and the well-groomed putting greens.

In addition to a gourmet restaurant, cafe and espresso bar, the clubhouse also provides banquet facilities. Public play is also welcome at the course, so anyone can come out and enjoy the golf as well as all the other amenities.

## SunLand: A good place to retire

Established in 1971 and located in a retirement community in Sequim, SunLand Golf and Country Club winds through huge fir, cedar and spruce trees and is well-protected with numerous bunkers and ponds. The course features tight fairways and above average greens, and is relatively flat with narrow fairways surrounded by houses. There are a couple of elevation changes that add a good mixture to the round.

The course, which was formerly private, is now open to the public during limited times.

## SkyRidge: New back nine tees

After playing the first nine at SkyRidge Golf Course in Sequim, Wash., you will be treated to a completely separate new set of tee boxes for your back nine. The new tees offer totally different angles and yardages to the fairways and greens, giving golfers the feel of an eighteen hole golf course. This links style course with wide fairways and large greens is always in pristine condition.

With the famous blue hole of Sequim working in its favor, SkyRidge gets plenty of sunshine and power carts are allowed every day, twelve months a year. If you like to walk, the entire golf course is flat and offers incredible views of the Olympic Mountains. SkyRidge also offers an all grass driving range and two putting greens for your practicing needs. A new clubhouse with a pro shop, café, bar, and outside decks will be opening this summer.

## Bayshore: 9-hole experience

Bayshore Golf Course sits on the shores of Oakland Bay near the city of Shelton, Washington. The nine-hole course was built in 1948 and is open to the public. The course stretches just over 3,000 yards and is a par 36. With affordable green fees starting in the low \$20s. The course is a popular stop for anyone going through the Shelton area.

## Lake Cushman: Wildlife treat

Where can you make a birdie, jump for joy after an eagle, and see elk, deer,

coyotes and raccoons in the same day? Lake Cushman Golf Course, near Hood sport, sits in a valley on the edge of the Olympic National Park. Golfers can walk the beautiful course or take a ride in one of its Yamaha carts.

This nine-hole course, which can be played twice from separate tees to make a par 72, is popular among locals as well as with campers and vacationers. The natural wooded setting produces a calming atmosphere for relaxing rounds of golf. The course is challenging but playable for all levels of golfers. They also have a nice practice driving range.

## Oaksridge: On the way to beach

Oaksridge Golf Course sits just off Highway 12 in Elma and is visible from the freeway. The 18-hole track measures 5,643 yards and is a local favorite since opening in 1934.

The course is relatively level so it makes a perfect walking course. Just be advised, the prevailing winds can lengthen it considerably. Owner Rich Walker has put in endless hours to keep the course in good shape—and his work has paid off.

## Dungeness: Crab bunker

The Olympic Mountains deflect the rain clouds around the city of Sequim, making the Cedars at Dungeness one of the driest courses in Western Washington - an average of 13-15 inches of rain per year. With an 18-hole layout measuring over 6,400 yards, Dungeness is protected by sprawling bunkers and narrow approaches to elevated greens.

The signature hole is the par-5 3rd with a series of bunkers in the shape of a Dungeness crab.

## Highland: The ups and downs

Highland Golf Course in Cosmopolis originally opened as a nine-hole venue in 1932. The course is rather short at 6,112 yards with a par of 72, but it feels like it plays much longer.

There are not many flat lies, which adds to its challenging personality and the greens are tough, too.

If you are in the area, you should set aside some time to play Highlander.

New management was put in place a few years ago and its reputation as a friendly place to play continues to grow.

## Ocean Shores: Beach time

Ocean Shores Golf Course has a course worth the trip to the beach, and one of the few courses that sits near the Pacific Ocean. A driving range is available for those who want to work on their games before or after their round. Check with the course for stay and play packages.

Operator Curt Zander has made several quality changes to the course, including the new driving range. A new irrigation system on the front side has helped the course green up. Zander has been in charge since 1993.

## Lake Limerick: Tight fun

Lake Limerick just outside of Shelton, is surrounded by a development but the houses are set back from the fairways and don't encroach on holes. The course is tight with several sets of tees that can give the course a new look each time you play it.

The course made some changes a few years ago, including removing some



The Home Course (top) is a treat; Lake Cushman is a fun course near the Hood Canal.

trees for better shots.

The course has two sets of tees and plays to 5,864 yards. The tree-lined fairways requires some precise shots which makes the course fun to play.

## Home Course: The PNGA's home

A golf course in DuPont, Wash. existed for a few years before the PNGA came in, bought it and called it the Home Course. And what a place it is. The Mike Asmundson-designed course is user-friendly, but at the same time can be a monster if you choose to walk to the back tee boxes called Dynamite Tees and play the 7,400 yards.

The PNGA will eventually have its headquarters at the course and will also host a few of its championships at its new Home Course as well.

It's worth the trip when heading toward the bottom of the Olympic Peninsula, as the Home Course has superb conditions and great views.

The U.S. Amateur was played there in 2010 and the course made some dramatic changes to its back side. The 11th hole was changed to a par-4 and the 12th hole to a par-3. New bunkers were added to each hole, including a couple that are deep-faced and look like they came right from Europe.

## Tumwater Valley: Double your fun

Tumwater Valley is known for many things, like its great condition, its proximity to Interstate-5, its reputation for hosting big tournaments and for having a couple of par-3 holes that have two greens.

The course can offer a variety with its par-3 holes: one day giving them a shorter look, another a longer look with trouble off the tee, depending upon which green is in play that day. The course always is in top shape throughout the year.

Its practice area is like nothing else in the area with a huge grass tee hitting area and short game area.



Oaksridge Golf Course in Elma is an easy stop along Highway 12 to the Coast.

# Olympic Peninsula's south end has plenty of places to both practice and play

## Airport Golf: More than just golf

Airport Golf is the kind of place that golfers like. There are plenty of places to practice and if you get bored, there's a nifty little nine-hole course waiting next to the Olympia Airport. Airport Golf also features batting cages, in case you bring your baseball or softball bat to the golf course. Airport Golf has plenty of room for practice, including its covered driving range, putting greens and more.

## Alderbrook: Zig zag par-5

Alderbrook Golf Club is set in a classic Northwest wooded setting in Union, Washington. With a well-maintained and challenging golf course, Alderbrook should be on everyone's list must-play courses.

The most talked about hole is the 8th, a double dog leg par 5 that stretches to 536 yards. Playing to 6,326 yards from the back tees, Alderbrook's finishing hole is one of the best in the Northwest - the dog-leg right fairway plays down a long hill to a recently renovated green guarded by a newly extended pond, making this difficult hole even more of a challenge.

## Marvin Road Range: Practice time

Marvin Road Range is a place that offers practice, practice and more practice. Even for those who aren't golfers. The range offers plenty of stalls while there is

also a putting and short game area. And don't forget about the baseball batting cages.

## Hawk's Prairie: Two in one

If you are looking for a variety of golf in the same place, the Golf Club at Hawk's Prairie is your place. The Woodlands Course is a test through the trees while the Links Course offers a more open type of course. A solid practice facility sits near the Links course with plenty of places to hit and putt.

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## Salish Cliffs: Award winner

When Salish Cliffs Golf Club opened for public play last year, it was obvious that this amenity of the Little Creek Casino and Squaxin Island tribe was something special. The Gene Bates-designed course won several awards in its first year, including being named one of the top new courses for 2011.

At 7,269 yards the course offers everything - from ponds to sand traps to wetlands to 600 feet of elevation changes. The course has a GPS-enabled cart fleet, driving range and practice areas, a full-service restaurant and an outstanding golf shop. And, the nearby casino has all of the amenities that you could want.



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# Bellingham area: A wide variety of golf to offer

If it's golf you want, then Bellingham area has plenty to offer from public golf to resort golf to even private club golf

Editor's note: The Bellingham area offers some of the top courses in the Pacific Northwest. There is public golf, resort golf and private golf. Take a look at what the area has to offer:

The far Northwest corner of Washington state has a delicious menu of golf treats, all in various shapes and sizes of lush greenery.

The area north and south of Bellingham booms with golf personality and championship caliber challenges.

Bargain prices, stellar maintenance, beautiful layouts and breathtaking views combined with the upcoming pristine spring and summer weather making the Northwest corner of the state a can't-miss golf destination.

From Arlington to Blaine, there's always a fine-tuned layout to play, a posh place to stay and a price that's guaranteed to be well worth the investment.

At every dogleg, there's a new gem to find in the area. Every golfer, from novice to pro, can find something that suits their game and satisfies their golf appetite.

Go take a bite out of some of the state's best courses and a region filled with enough quality to make it worth a summer tour.

Every stop along the way offers something worthwhile. Here's some of what Inside Golf recommends each golfer experience as they take in the Bellingham area and its golf courses.

### Shuksan: New look to the course

With the Shuksan Golf Club in Bellingham, the theme is nature. There are wetlands throughout the golf course and the first bit of water trouble comes into play on the very first hole.

Elevated tees and greens are prominent throughout the layout as the course varies over 100 feet in elevation. Ten Mile Creek meanders throughout the layout and cuts across many of the fairways to keep golfers on guard.

Shuksan Golf Club added length to the course recently and it now stretches beyond 7,000 yards from the back tees. And as a result the ratings from the white tees went from 121 to 131. Newly redesigned bunkers, water features and more have added to the course. *Golf Digest* has always rated this outstanding with course four stars since opening in 1991 and the course keeps that rating year after year.

A new 250-seat outdoor terrace has opened for golf events, wedding recep-



Shuksan Golf Club in Bellingham has a new rating after some new improvements.

tions and more. The new Clubhouse Grille is also a hit with golfers at Shuksan.

The course is also home of the Bellingham Amateur, which is held every Labor Day weekend.

### Lake Padden: Popular stop

If you are looking for some of the best in public friendly golf, then look no further than Lake Padden, located just south of Bellingham.

The course has undergone plenty of great changes through the years and improved maintenance has the course featuring some solid fairways and greens that roll true.

### Eaglemont: New clubhouse

Mount Vernon has a true treasure in Eaglemont Golf Club with its meandering fairways, shots over wetlands and eye-opening views of the Olympic and Cascade mountain ranges. *Golf Digest* ranked the course 10th in the state of Washington along with awarding it 4 stars in 2009. Eaglemont is a challenging



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# Eaglemont has new clubhouse to show off; North Bellingham has its links golf course to try

course, but provides multiple sets of tees for all skill levels to enjoy.

The John Steidel-designed course offers the challenge of long carries over wetlands off the tee and on approach shots. Success with those shots is what keeps players coming back to Eaglemont.

Eaglemont was voted #10 on *Golf Digest's* recent list of the top courses in Washington – and a new clubhouse sitting on top of a hill opened last year with a spectacular panoramic vista.

## Semiahmoo: Doubledip golf

The 36-hole destination resort, located in Blaine, offers two of the toughest and also acclaimed public courses in the state with Loomis Trail and Semiahmoo Golf & Country Club. Both are top ranked courses and both are extremely challenging with plenty of water hazards to boot.

Loomis Trail was ranked as the No. 1 public course in Washington by *Golf Digest* (2005) and was the only Washington state course ranked in the nation's Top 100. Loomis Trail, open to the public on even days of the month, combines the magic of scenic beauty and dry conditions suitable for year-round play.

Tree-lined Semiahmoo, ranked the No. 3 public course by *Golf Digest* (2005), offers five holes with water and a course that can stretch to 7,005 yards from the

tips. This course is open to the public on odd days of the month. Some great golf and a restful stay at the resort are sure to be a winning combination.

Both courses are a treat. And many golfers head north just play a golfing doubleheader, playing both in the same day. And some even stay at the resort and do it the next day.

Semiahmoo features a tough one-two punch with hazard-filled hole Nos. 11 and 12. Water lines the right side of the fairway at the 371-yard par-4 11th hole and flanks the green, making both the tee shot and approach tough on even the most skilled golfers.

No. 12 is a 173-yard par-3 requires a tee shot over water. There is bailout room left to avoid water, but miss it right and you're wet.

## North Bellingham: Scottish golf

North Bellingham Golf Course opened in 1995 and is a Scottish style links golf course. The openness leaves one exposed to the elements and one's game at the mercy of the wind at times.

The greens are firm and fast, making a balky putter something to leave at home. The well-manicured greens roll true and put a premium on good putting.

The layout offers 12 ponds, making 14 of the holes play with a water hazard and 58 white-sand bunkers. This test is accented by the views of the Cascades.



North Bellingham Golf Course offers up a links-style course to test your game.



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North Bellingham also has plenty of holes which grab your attention early and keep it the rest of the round.

## Homestead: Island par-5 green

The Homestead Golf and Country Club is located on the outskirts on Lynden on what was once dairy land.

Now the land serves as a nice attraction and getaway for Pacific Northwest golfers.

The island green at the par-5 finishing hole brings many golfers back to the Lynden course. The 525-yard hole offers gutsy and talented golfers the opportunity to go for the green in two, but the shot requires a carry over water and precision to hit the island green.

*Golf Digest* once ranked the hole's green as one of the nation's top island greens. The finishing hole, surrounded by walls of flowers, water and sand, is aesthetically pleasing. If you stay dry a birdie is a possibility, but par is still a good score on this beautiful hole. The club includes a hotel, multiple dining options and a fitness center for vacationers.

## Avalon: 27 holes in one day

The kingdom of Avalon, home of All-Day golf – Avalon Golf Links of Burlington is the only 27-hole facility in the area and well worth the 50-minute drive from the Seattle area. Three separate nines make up the 27 holes and are simply named the South, West and North Courses.

The name Avalon means an island represented as an earthly paradise in the western seas to which King Arthur and other heroes were carried at death, is a

golfing paradise just off Interstate 5.

The Robert Muir Graves-designed course is a bargain all the way. Avalon offers a pay-for-18 holes and play all-day promotion seven days a week, 365 days a year (rates vary depending on the day of the week). Avalon also provides golfers a free round on their birthday with proper identification of course.

## San Juans: Three nines to try

A trio of nine-hole courses including Orcas Island Golf Club, Lopez Island Golf Club and San Juan Golf & Country Club provide quality golf to vacationers in the San Juan Islands.

Orcas Island is the oldest of the three courses, as it was designed and built in 1960. It's a popular destination in summer and was recently purchased by a young local family, the Taylor Family. Lopez Island was built more than 40 years ago and is open to the public. San Juan sits near the popular tourist town of Friday Harbor and offers a links-style track.

## Sudden Valley: A different look

Sudden Valley Golf Club is known for its two distinctly different nines. The front nine, which winds past the southern shores of Lake Whatcom, is relatively flat and open. The back nine, which feels carved from a forest, wanders through the trees and offers some narrow fairways and variation in elevation.

The Bellingham course started a Greenshield Drainage System project, making playing conditions drier and more playable each year. The course, designed by Ted Robinson and ranked a four-star



Eaglemont Golf Club in Mount Vernon opened a new clubhouse last year.

offering by *Golf Digest*, will improve drainage on all 18 holes with the selection of one hole per year for the Greenshield project. This will improve the landing area on its signature hole, known as the cliff hole, which has golfers teeing off some 300 feet above the fairway.

## Private clubs: Some to try

The area is also home to some terrific private clubs like Bellingham Golf and Country Club and Skagit Golf and Country Club.

In addition, it might not be the biggest or flashiest club in the Pacific Northwest, but Grays Harbor Country Club in Cos-

mopolis will give you a pleasant round of golf. It has been around since 1912 with its distinctive nine-hole layout that winds through the trees and has a dual-tee design.

Often overlooked due to its remote location on the top of the Olympic Peninsula, the Peninsula Golf Club in Port Angeles is one of those great little finds. The course overlooks the nearby Strait of Juan de Fuca.

In the Bellingham area, golfers have a pair of quality clubs to choose from in Bellingham Golf and Country Club and Skagit Golf and Country Club. Both are popular and both offer challenges.

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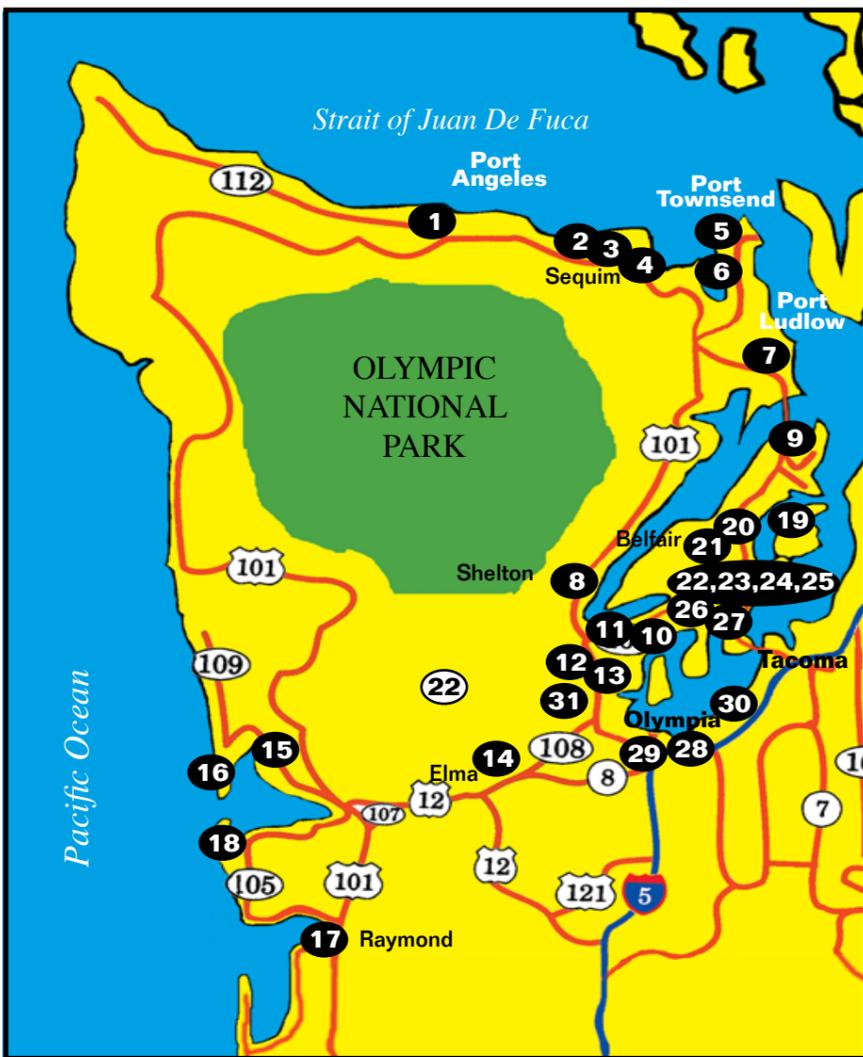
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# Locator Maps for NW Washington and Olympic Peninsula

- 1. Homestead G & CC**  
18 holes, 6,927 yards  
Lynden, Public
- 2. Raspberry Ridge**  
9 holes, 2,825 yards  
Everson, Public
- 3. Evergreen**  
9 holes, 2,145 yards  
Everson, Public
- 4. Grandview**  
18 holes, 6,404 yards  
Custer, Public
- 5. Semiahmoo Resort**  
18 holes, 7,005 yards  
Blaine, Public
- 6. Loomis Trail Golf Club**  
18 holes, 7,100 yards  
Blaine, Public
- 7. Birch Bay**  
Remodeled 9 holes  
Blaine, Public
- 8. Dakota Creek**  
18 holes, 5,185 yards  
Custer, Public
- 9. Shuksan Golf Club**  
18 holes, 6,743 yards  
Bellingham, Public
- 10. North Bellingham**  
18 holes, 6,816 yards  
Bellingham, Public
- 11. Sudden Valley**  
18 holes, 6,553 yards  
Bellingham, Public
- 12. Lake Padden**  
18 holes, 6,575 yards  
Bellingham, Public
- 13. Gateway**  
9 holes, 3,050 yards  
Sedro Woolley, Public
- 14. Avalon Golf Club**  
27 holes  
Burlington, Public
- 15. Similk Beach**  
18 holes, 6,205 yards  
Anacortes, Public
- 16. Eaglemont**  
18 holes, 7,006 yards  
Mount Vernon, Public
- 17. Overlook**  
9 holes, 2,540 yards  
Mount Vernon, Public
- 18. Orcas Island**  
9 holes, 3,060 yards  
Eastsound, Public
- 19. San Juan Golf Club**  
9 holes, 3,194 yards  
Friday Harbor, Public
- 20. Lopez Island GC**  
9 holes, 2,704 yards  
Lopez, Public
- 21. Point Roberts**  
18 holes, 6,000 yards  
Point Roberts, Public
- 22. Gleneagle**  
18 holes, 6,010 yards  
Arlington, Public



## Map of the Olympic Peninsula

- 1. Peninsula Golf Club**  
18 holes, 6,308  
Port Angeles, Semi-private
- 2. Cedars at Dungeness**  
18 holes, 6,378 yards  
Sequim, Public
- 3. SkyRidge Golf Course**  
10 holes, 3,305 yards  
Sequim, Public
- 4. SunLand Golf Club**  
18 holes, 6,313 yards  
Sequim, Semi-private
- 5. Port Townsend GC**  
9 holes, 2,763 yards  
Port Townsend, Public
- 6. Discovery Bay**  
18 holes, 6,559 yards  
Port Townsend, Public
- 7. Port Ludlow Resort**  
27 holes  
Port Ludlow, Public
- 8. Lake Cushman GC**  
9 holes, 2,848 yards  
Hoodsport, Public
- 9. Whitehorse Golf Club**  
18 holes, 7,093 yards  
Kingston, Public
- 10. Lakeland Village**  
27 holes  
Allyn, Public
- 11. Alderbrook Golf Club**  
18 holes, 6,326 yards  
Union, Public
- 12. Lake Limerick**  
9 holes, 2,898 yards  
Shelton, Public
- 13. Bayshore**  
9 holes, 2,946 yards  
Shelton, Public
- 14. Oaksridge**  
18 holes, 5,643 yards  
Elma, Public
- 15. Highland**  
18 holes, 6,112 yards  
Cosmopolis, Public
- 16. Ocean Shores**  
18 holes, 6,252 yards  
Ocean Shores, Public
- 17. Willapa Harbor**  
9 holes, 3,004 yards  
Raymond, Public
- 18. Surfside**  
9 holes, 2,960 yards  
Long Beach, Public
- 19. Meadowmeer G & CC**  
9 holes, 2,824 yards  
Bainbridge Island, Semi-private
- 20. Rolling Hills**  
18 holes, 5,910 yards  
Bremerton, Public
- 21. Gold Mountain**  
36 holes  
Bremerton, Public
- 22. Horseshoe Lake**  
18 holes, 6,105 yards  
Port Orchard, Public
- 23. Village Greens**  
18 holes, Exec. 3,255 yards  
Port Orchard, Public
- 24. McCormick Woods**  
18 holes, 7,040 yards  
Port Orchard, Public
- 25. Trophy Lake**  
18 holes, 7,206 yards  
Port Orchard, Public
- 26. Gig Harbor G & CC**  
9 holes, 2,702 yards  
Gig Harbor, Semi-private
- 27. Madrona Links**  
18 holes, 5,602 yards  
Gig Harbor, Public
- 28. Hawks Prairie**  
36 holes  
Lacey
- 29. Tumwater Golf Course**  
18 holes, 7,154 yards  
Tumwater, Public
- 30. The Home Course**  
18 holes, 7,400  
DuPont, Public
- 31. Salish Cliffs**  
18 holes, 7,269 yards  
Shelton, Public

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