



HOOD CANAL WILD ESCAPE
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File Status: Event Proposal

Kayaking on Hood Canal:

Start: 14:00 Tuesday, 3 June

End: 16:00 Tuesday, 3 June

Total Participants: 7 Adults

Cost: \$XXX

Team Building:

Start: 09:00 Wednesday, 4 June

End: 14:00 Wednesday, 4 June

Total Participants: 25 Adults

Cost: \$XXXX

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3 JUNE 2008 / ALDERBROOK RESORT

14:00pm KAYAKING THE WATERS OF HOOD CANAL

Discover the elements of working as a team while paddling around the waters of Hood Canal. Participants will learn basic kayak skills and explore beautiful Hood Canal.

Few places in the world offer such stunning scenery and easy access to paddling, as does the South Puget Sound and Hood Canal region. Sea kayakers can explore seemingly endless miles of pristine saltwater shoreline all within a short reach of Alderbrook Resort.

Activities: Kayaking, intertidal investigation

Guides: (1) Evergreen Escapes Naturalist Guide (1) Kayak Guide



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9:00am DISPATCH FROM ALDERBROOK

Framed by conifer and madrone forests, immaculate sunsets and snow-capped Olympic peaks in the distance, the gentle waters of the Hood Canal just beg to be explored.

Nature lovers, grab your binoculars and camera. Birdwatchers keep your eye out for close-up views of bald eagles, heron, kingfisher and the many migratory birds that come to nest near the grassy wetlands. Beachcombers delight in Alderbrook Resort's location right on the canal, where oyster, clam, and mussel beds make for great shell-fishing. Wildlife lovers revel in the opportunity to spot for beaver, otters, seals and their pups.

In this backdrop we have crafted a unique team-building opportunity which will prepare and inspire your team to reach beyond their current limits and climb above your competition.

On the Trail of Dr. Phillip T. Ogleby

Famed archeologist, Phillip T. Ogleby, PhD, was one of the first to uncover ancient civilizations in South Hood Canal. When he mysteriously disappeared in 1929, many theories and rumors surfaced, but none of them were proven true. Finally, bits of his research have surfaced which may provide adventurers with the clues to discover what really happened. With the appropriate group, this mystery may be solved!

If your team chooses to accept this mission, you will be equipped with GPS units, maps and clues. Along the way obstacles will be presented which will force the team to adapt. Overall this will be an opportunity to have fun AND feel a sense of accomplishment.

To accomplish these events, several metaphorical obstacles will need to be overcome – some not apparent at the onset of the expeditions. The job of the Evergreen Escapes guide is to keep the group safe and challenged without any member being pushed too far as to no longer have a positive experience. It will also be his/her job to debrief after every challenge in order to improve teamwork. At the end, all groups will rendezvous and share their stories and challenges. Photos will be taken to document this memorable expedition. Only by working as a team will this adventure be successfully completed.



Event goal: Facilitate fresh new perspectives on working together as a team towards a common goal, meanwhile enjoying the natural setting and being educated on sustainability and conservation while experiencing the outdoors. In the end, each team member realizes that their individual and team success truly is the sum of all it's members and that they reached their goals in a supportive and inspirational setting.

Activities: Hiking, orienteering, tracking and digital photography

Facilitators: (3) Evergreen Escapes Naturalist Guides

Inclusions:

- *Private Naturalist Guides for duration of events*
- *Map, Compass and GPS unit (one of each per team)*
- *Single or Tandem Kayak & equipment*
- *On site water, water bottles, energy bars and fruit*
- *Naturalist interpretation of local wildlife, marine biology and local ecology*

What to bring:

- *Nokia N95.*
- *Outdoor wear*
- *Sturdy and comfortable hiking shoes*
- *Sunscreen*
- *Hats*
- *Sunglasses*

Itinerary and total cost subject to change until confirmed and final numbers have been received

Thank you very much!