

**Port Ludlow Hiking Club Schedule - May 2019 Through November 2019**  
 Meet at 8:15 AM (Unless otherwise noted) at the Bridge Deck to arrange car pools and get directions to trail head

DATE		RATING	MILES	HIKE DESCRIPTION	LEADER	ASST. LEADER
MAY. 03	Ebey's Landing	Easy	4 to 5	Take the 09:30 Ferry from Port Townsend. Once on Whidbey Island, make a short drive to Ebey's Landing State Park. Walk the Bluff Trail and end up back at the parking lot. Ferry reservations required both ways	Sarah & Denny 360.215.4065	
MAY. 08 WED	Spring/Summer Planning Mtg & Pot Luck Dinner - Beach Club			5pm planning mtg - 6pm pot luck soup, salad & dessert dinner. Spouses and guests are welcome. Pls bring your beverage of choice and place setting. Sign up at the Beach Club (360.437.9201) to bring soup/salad/dessert	Merrily Mount 360.437.9308	Jack Riggen 360.437.0370
MAY. 17	Slab Camp Creek and Upper Gray Wolf River	Moderate	5.6	Start at the top, go down hill and then return up 1,100 feet to the trail head. The new bridge across the Gray Wolf River gives easy access to the upper reaches of this wilderness valley	Jack Riggen 360.437.0370	
MAY. 31	Lower Lena Lake	Moderate	6	1,100 ft. elevation gain that arrives at a beautiful sub-alpine lake and a big picnic rock overlooking the water. See the mystery of the disappearing Lena Creek.	Deisy Bach 925.785.3137	Larry Scott 360.437.9299
JUN. 14	Miller peninsula State Park	easy	5	Explore this recently developed state park that was once considered for a nuclear power plant and a possible golf resort! Hike through forest to a remote beach on the Strait of Juan de Fuca.	Merrily Mount 360-437-9308	
JUN.28	Tubal Cain	Moderate/ Difficult	8	Elevation gain of 1,700 feet. Gains an additional 850 feet on the Tull Canyon trail to the wreckage of a B-17 bomber. Hike thru rhododendron forest - hopefully in bloom.	Bill Lane 360-301-3441	
JUL..12	Sunset Ridge	Moderate	5 to 7	The hike departs from Hurricane Ridge and proceeds along a ridge above the tree line. 1,100 ft. elevation gain. Enjoy wildflowers, views of the Olympics and the Strait of Juan de Fuca.	Dan Darrow 360-437-9208	
JUL. 26	Grand Ridge - Obstruction Point	Moderate/ Difficult	6 to 7	Enjoy the drive on the Obstruction Point Road! Then hike above the tree line on Grand Ridge. More great views of the Olympics and the Strait of Juan de Fuca.	Jack Riggen 360-437-0370	
AUG. 09	Mount Townsend	Difficult	8.2	2,900 ft. elevation gain. It is a steep climb to incredible views of wildflowers and the Olympics. This is one of the most hiked summits in the Olympics and worth the effort!	Adele Govert 360-437-8090	Dean Morgan 360-437-8090
AUG. 23	Marmot Pass	Difficult	10.4	3,500ft. elevation gain to one of the most scenic views in the Olympics. This will be at a relaxed pace with a chance to rest at Camp Mystery.	David Blessing 360-437-9426	
SEP. 06	Lower South Fork Skokomish	Moderate	5 to 7	Hike along the South Fork Skokomish River through old-growth Douglas firs. Enjoy views of this powerful river. See the scenic bridge.	Gary Hicks 510-566-2401	Merrily Mount 360-437-9308
SEP.20	Gold Creek/Green Mountain	Easy/ Moderate	5	Climb the second-highest peak on the Kitsap Peninsula. A 1,000 ft. elevation gain is rewarded with good views of the Salish Sea and the Seattle skyline.	Gary Hicks 510-566-2401	
OCT. 04	Lower Gray Wolf	Moderate	5 to 6	600 ft. elevation gain. The trail follows an old logging road and then meets up with the clear Gray Wolf River. Enjoy fall colors and a side trip on Cat Creek Loop.	Jack Riggen 360-437-0370	
OCT. 10 THURS.	Fall/Winter Planning Mtg. & Food Sharing - Beach Club			5 pm planning mtg - 6 pm pot luck soup, salad & dessert dinner. Spouses and guests are welcome. Pls bring your beverage of choice and place setting. Sign up at the Beach Club (360.437.9201) to bring soup/salad/dessert	Merrily Mount 360.437.9308	Jack Riggen 360.437.0370
OCT. 18	Washington Park Arboretum	Easy	5	Walk on the Bainbridge ferry and use public transit for an urban walk to the Washington Park Arboretum. and Japanese Garden. Fall colors should be at their peak.	Sarah Schuch 360-215-4065	Denny Schuch
NOV. 01	Spruce Railroad	Easy	5 to 7	A gentle walk along an historic abandoned railroad grade above Lake Crescent. See the results of considerable trail upgrading and reconstruction of the railroad tunnels.	John Goldwood 360 344-2318	John Fillers 360-215-4049
NOV. 15	Waterfalls	Easy	4 to 5	Explore several waterfalls accessible from highway 101. Watch e-mails for specifics.	Merrily Mount 360-437-9308	
NOV. 29	Port Ludlow Trails	Easy/ Moderate	4 to 7	Walk off Thanksgiving dinner with a stroll through some of our Port Ludlow trails. Route to be determined. 9:00 AM start time.	<i>coordinator to be determined</i>	

STATE PARK PASSES or GOLDEN AGE PASSPORTS ARE REQUIRED ON MANY HIKES. KEEP THEM WITH YOUR HIKING GEAR  
 MON/WED/FRI AT 8:00AM JOIN A LEADERLESS HIKING CLUB GOLF COURSE WALK. MEET AT THE GOLF CLUB PARKING LOT  
 WEDNESDAYS AT 9:00AM - HIKE THE TIMBERTON LOOP TRAIL. MEET AT THE TRAILHEAD ON TIMBERTON ROAD  
 THINK SAFETY FIRST FOR ALL HIKES

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**10 Essentials:** navigation, sun protection, insulation (extra clothing), illumination, first aid supplies, fire starter, repair kit and tools, nutrition, hydration, emergency shelter, plus nylon cord