

*Chevy Chase
Beach Cabins*

PORT TOWNSEND

Welcome to Chevy Chase Beach Cabins!

We are very happy that we are able to share this magical place with you.

For over 120 years guests have been enjoying the idyllic setting of Chevy Chase Beach Cabins. There have been generations of fond memories that been formed here and are now woven into the fabric of this historic property. Although this is our home, we appreciate that it also belongs to the children, parents, grandparents, great-grandparents, and great-great grandparents who hold these memories in their hearts.

We ask for your comments about what we have done and what you feel will help make your next stay even more pleasant. We would be extremely grateful if you could take the time to fill out a comment sheet before you leave.

Please come and ring the bell at the main house if you have any questions or need anything. If you can't find one of us around but are in need of assistance, there is a number posted by the doorbell that you can call to find someone to assist you.

We love it here and want to be sure that you do as well.

Thanks and enjoy your stay!

Jenn and Jeff (owners) and the Chevy Team

Your Hosts

In December of 2012 we bid a heartfelt farewell to Barbara Bailey, Thatcher Bailey and Phil Kovacevich (the previous owners of Chevy Chase) and took over the stewardship of this amazing property. Chevy had been in the Bailey family since 1946, and we could not be more honored take over the legacy of such a magical and historical place.

Jeffrey Betinol (owner) is a Filipino Canadian who grew up in Calgary. He is a professional photographer and most of the amazing pictures on Instagram, Facebook and the website are Jeff's contributions. Jeff is passionate about his favorite sports – rugby, hockey and a HUGE Seattle Seahawks fan. When Jeff is not taking pictures you will see him on the mower, keeping the pool sparkling clean and enjoying his vast to do list of projects at Chevy.

Jennifer Dickey (owner) was born and raised in the Seattle area. She fell in love (like many) with Chevy the first time she visited and is excited to call Chevy her home. Jenn is super crafty, enjoys gardening and making beautiful flower arrangements for the property and events. While she plays a huge role in the daily operations, one of her favorite hats to wear is that of event planner. In September 2014, Jenn made a big change and traded in her job as a CFO and daily commute to Seattle to spend more time at Chevy. She continues to be a project consultant for the University of Washington but now only commutes a few days a week.

Our Story

The way that Chevy Chase Beach Cabins came in to our lives is truly one of those magical “stars aligning” stories. In March of 2012 we were totally focused on new adventures and enjoying every moment with our beloved dog Tana who was battling cancer. Jenn had a dear friend, Kate, who loved staying at “these cute cabins in Port Townsend” and saw a social media special that prompted Jenn's first visit to Chevy Chase. The fact that the cabins were dog friendly was the most important thing to Jenn, but when she arrived at Cabin #4 and took in the sweeping views and peaceful surroundings she was in awe – not to mention that sweet Tana was so excited to be at the beach. In love with the property, Jenn immediately made reservations to bring Jeff back to Cabin #4 just a month later. We couldn't get enough! We were quickly becoming regulars and brought Jenn's parents back for a week at Mother's Day. Sitting on the deck of the Clubhouse and soaking in the view one afternoon, Jenn said, “Wouldn't it be great if this was our life? If this is what we did and this is where we lived?” Everyone laughed. In line with Jenn's outlook on life she responded, “Hey, let me DREAM BIG – let me just put it out in the Universe...”

Little did we know that the Bailey family, the owners since 1947, were scheming about how they were going to find the perfect people to take over the stewardship of the property. Would they be able to find someone who could honor the history and the soul of the place? They sent a heartfelt letter to 120 friends, family members and long-time beloved Chevy Chase guests in hopes that someone who already felt connected to the property would leap at the chance to be the next owners. That same dear friend that had first introduced Jenn to Cabin #4 in March caught a glimpse of the letter (via a friend) and she passed it on to us. We were shocked, elated, ecstatic, overwhelmed...we had asked and the universe had answered – fast! We were living in Seattle. We had great jobs that we loved. Could we really turn it all upside down and make this huge life change? We had fallen in love with the place. From the moment we had first set foot on the property it had felt like home – and now the stars were aligning and we had the opportunity to make it our home. We jumped in with both feet and have never looked back. In a whirlwind of real estate excitement, we became the owners of Chevy Chase Beach Cabins in December 2012, just 9 short months after Jenn's first visit. And an added bonus (and the best thing about Chevy) was that the Baileys also asked us to keep their dog, Scout. Scout was (and still is) the resident greeter and tour guide and Chevy was all she had ever known.

The last four years have been a true labor of love, but we couldn't be happier. We really do pinch ourselves every day, in awe that we get to call this magical perch on Discovery Bay our home and that we get to share it with so many wonderful people. We often get asked what the biggest surprise of this journey has been, and we have to say that it is the strong connections that we have made with guests over the years. We have had guests celebrating and mourning every phase of life: birthdays, weddings, anniversaries, death, recovery from cancer, a new baby's first vacation, an old pet's last getaway...we get this rare and incredible opportunity to participate in people's lives in an

intimate and real way when we host them. For that, we are forever grateful. We look forward to a lifetime of adding to the story of this special place.

The Chevy Team

Brooklin Larsen helps keep the cabins sparkling clean, tackles the massive piles of laundry and does it all with a smile on her face. Brooklin is a Port Townsend native and loves everything outdoors, especially hiking, surfing, camping, snowboarding and kayaking.

Wyatt Stone is a Port Townsend native and Central Washington University graduate who balances his time between Chevy Chase and his busy nursing school schedule. We feel lucky to have Wyatt as a part of our incredible housekeeping team.

Shawnee Elrod is also one of our newest members to the Chevy family and helps keep the cabins beautiful and spotless. Shawnee grew up in Chimacum, and after returning home from the military, she is back to her roots for good. Shawnee also works part-time as a vet tech at the Chimacum Valley Vet Hospital and in her down time she enjoys spending time with her family, the beach, camping, reading, and football.

Madison Scott helps us keep the cabins looking their best when she isn't busy getting her college degree. We look forward to Madison's school breaks knowing that one of our favorite teammates will be back in action! She is an Olympic Peninsula native who enjoys photography and cheering on our Seahawks (GO HAWKS!).

Joanna Camp was the Office Manager at Chevy for 9 years, and in June 2014 she decided it was time to pass the torch on so she could spend more time with her sweet family. She still keeps one foot in the door and spends one morning a week at Chevy helping out on projects, and will ALWAYS consider this amazing spot to be her second home. Clara (age 8) and Thatcher (age 4) have both grown up spending their days here, so the Camp family will always keep their Chevy connection strong.

Scout (our yellow lab/husky mix) is the official greeter and beach tour-guide. She wiggles, smiles and howls for many guests, absolutely LOVES children, and tolerates all of the other dogs who show up at her property. She will happily join you for a trip to the beach if you'd like to take her, or play tetherball, Frisbee and fetch with any willing parties. We were thrilled to inherit Scout from the previous owners – Chevy is her home and no one could imagine moving her elsewhere.

Phone Numbers (area code 360)

Chevy Chase Office	385-1270
Discovery Bay Golf Course	385-0704
Hadlock Vet Clinic	385-2020
Port Townsend Vet	379-1133
24-Hour Silverdale Vet	692-6162
Port Townsend Visitors Center	385-2722
Rose Theater	385-1089
Meadow House	344-2002

IN CASE OF MEDICAL EMERGENCY – CALL 911:

Jefferson County Hospital 360-385-2200
834 Sheridan St.
Port Townsend, WA

EMERGENCY ONLY:

Jeff's cell phone **206-330-1718**
Jenn's cell phone 206-295-9874

Policies

- Check-in is after 3:00 PM; Check-out is prior to 11:00 AM. Your full payment will be processed upon arrival. Sorry, no refunds for early departures.
- We ask that all guests are respectful of each other and observe quiet hours between 10:00 PM and 8:00 AM.
- In case of a fire, exit the cabin immediately via the closest window or door. You are responsible for yourself and are unmonitored. Each cabin is equipped with a fire extinguisher. Please identify its location upon arrival. Please also read the "Emergency Action Plan" located in the guest information binder.
- Emergency contact phone numbers for the owners can be found in the guest information binder.
- All cabins are nonsmoking. A \$250 cleaning fee will be assessed for smoking in the cabins.
- For liability reasons and in order to insure the best experience for all of our guests, we reserve the beach, tennis court, pool and all other facilities for exclusive use by those staying at Chevy Chase Beach Cabins.
- We are happy to welcome dogs at Chevy Chase but ask that you follow some simple guidelines. Please pick up after your pet (we have poop bags by the green electrical box in the center of the property, by the green dumpster in the parking lot and by the stairs to the beach, please deposit waste directly in the outdoor garbage cans). If your dog is not under voice control, please keep it on a leash at all times as there are busy roads surrounding the property. We prefer that your dog does not jump on the furniture or sleep in the bed. If your dog is spoiled and will do so anyway, please use the dog sheets provided. Please use the dog towels provided for wiping sandy and muddy paws, do not use bath towels. Please do not leave your dog unattended when you leave the cabin. We reserve the right to exclude dogs we feel would be inappropriate at our resort. Please read the "Dog Guidelines" provided.
- Cabins are self-sufficient (no daily housekeeping services); extra towels, sheets, and blankets are available at no charge – just ask! Please do let us know if you need anything!
- Please turn heat down and lights off in your cabin when you leave for extended periods and prior to checking-out.
- Please start your dishwasher or hand-wash your dishes before checking-out.
- WE RECYCLE! Please take out your trash and recyclables before you depart. Garbage and recycling bins are located in and beside the open cedar-shingled shed to the right of the pink Homestead House.
- If you move chairs, dishes, pots, utensils, etc. from one cabin to another, please return them before you leave. There is a kitchen inventory sheet inside the cupboard to make sure everything is back in the right cabin.
- We prefer that you do not rearrange furniture, but if you do please leave the cabin as you found it. Please do not take any indoor furniture outside.
- Our beach is great for clamming. Check with us for instructions and always call the Red Tide Hotline (800-562-5632) or check <http://ww4.doh.wa.gov/gis/mogifs/biotoxin.htm> before you dig.
- We have a fragile country septic system. Please throw nothing but tissue in the toilets.
- The pool is open during the summer months. There is no lifeguard on duty. **CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT AT ALL TIMES.** A pool offers many pleasures and obvious dangers as well. Please obey all posted rules. We are not responsible for any injuries that happen in the pool or poolside.
- Please take advantage of the many recreational opportunities (shuffleboard, bocce ball, tetherball, horseshoes, croquet, tennis, rope swing, etc.) with the knowledge that all these activities have risks and that we will not assume any responsibility for any injuries that may occur as a result of equipment failure or any other reason.
- Please use caution around the electric fence surrounding the Meadow House. It is typically only "live" when the cows are in the pasture directly surrounding the house, but it is safest to just assume that it is always on.
- This property is privately owned. We reserve the right to refuse service to anyone and will not be responsible for accidents or injury to guests or for the loss of money or valuables of any kind.

History

Disappointed in his quest for California gold, John Tukey, a “state of Mainer,” headed north on a tramp lumber schooner. Life aboard ship was unpleasant at best and when the vessel anchored in Discovery Bay in 1850, Tukey jumped ship and became the first white resident in the area, taking a claim of 500 acres on the eastern shore. His first cabin—the oldest structure in Jefferson County— stood next to the pink Homestead House until it collapsed in the Winter of 2011. The Homestead House, constructed about 1853, was his second home.

Money was in the trees those days. John Tukey carved his farm out of dense forest. If you take our beach trail (beginning behind Cabin 6) and cross the wooden bridge you will be on what was the original road from Port Townsend. The road ends at the “Tukey’s Landing,” the site of a traveller’s saloon and ferry depot. Logs from surrounding lands were shipped from here across Discovery Bay to the sawmill at the south end of the bay. Remains of the old skid road are still visible just above the clearing.

During the boom years of the 1880s Tukey sold half the land, and with the proceeds built the front section of the main white house. The boom went bust, and in 1897, he and his wife, Linnie Chase, opened the gates of their farm to paying guests. They named the vacation hideaway Saint’s Rest. The venture was a success; ten small cabins were built, and the main house was expanded to ten bedrooms.

While John concentrated his energies on the remaining acreage, tending 500 sheep, thirty cows, horses, and poultry, Linnie served as a hostess in the house. The working farm provided the ideal retreat for vacationers from Victoria, Seattle, Portland, San Francisco, and Spokane who longed for a bit of rural charm and relaxation. During the summer months the resort spilled over with visitors. In many cases the families would stay for weeks or months.

In 1913, following the deaths of her mother and stepfather, Mary Chase modernized the facility and in 1923 changed the resort’s name to Chevy Chase (after the Cheviot Hills in England where the family originated). A nine-hole golf course was carved out of Tukey’s pasture and a cement tennis court was laid on the lawn between the cabins and the main house. The comfortable atmosphere brought guests back year after year, generation after generation.

After World War II, Mary decided to retire and sold the property to Philip Bailey, Barbara and Thatcher’s father, a frequent guest with a deep affection for the property. He added a swimming pool, built a new tennis court, and planted hundreds of trees along golf course. For seventeen years he maintained Chevy Chase as a favored retreat of Seattle’s “smart set.”

In 1963, Philip Bailey closed the Inn to refurbish it as a private summer retreat. Many of the cabins were moved off the property, although guests could still rent the remaining cabins for longer stays in summer months. After his death the Inn and cabins were rented for family and business retreats. In 2003, Barbara, Thatcher and Phil Kovacevich moved from Seattle to live full time in the Inn and undertake a much-needed renovation of the facilities. Chevy Chase Beach Cabins as it is today opened shortly thereafter.

In December of 2012, Jennifer Dickey and Jeffrey Betinol purchased Chevy Chase from Barbara, Thatcher and Phil. They had come as guests in Cabin #4 earlier that year and the stars aligned when Chevy came on the market. They had always dreamed of living someplace this beautiful with such a rich history, and are pinching themselves daily that it has become their reality.

Buried Treasure

On a spring afternoon in 1862, John Tukey watched a canoe plying the waters towards Tukey's Landing. After beaching, three men climbed out, lugging an apparently heavy chest, and disappeared into the dense timber nearby. Soon, two men re-emerged from the forest empty-handed, silently slipped into their canoe and paddled rapidly away. The third man appeared a half hour later, empty handed, and requested a mount for Port Townsend, where he aimed to catch a steamer to Olympia.

Tukey gave him a horse, and the man galloped away. Tukey tramped into the timber in search of the stash but found no trace. The stranger was eventually recognized as the paymaster from Victoria who had relieved his employer of six thousand gold sovereigns. He was tried and convicted of the crime, and died in prison. Authorities never recovered the lost payroll.

Since then countless fortune seekers have contracted with us to dig for the gold. During the 1982 construction of the back porch of the Inn a few gold coins were unearthed but extensive excavation yielded nothing more. The treasure, now estimated to be worth about \$600,000, still lies buried somewhere on the property.

Weather

Chevy Chase is located in the "banana belt." This climatological phenomenon is created by prevailing winds and the Olympic Mountains and benefits the guests at Chevy Chase with significantly lower annual rainfall than the rest of Puget Sound (about 40% less than Seattle). Just up the bay there is a hillside on which cactus grows.

Activities Available Exclusively for our Registered Guests

Swimming

The pool is open during the summer months. There is no lifeguard on duty. CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT AT ALL TIMES. Please obey all posted rules. We are not responsible for any injuries that happen in the pool or poolside. On a hot summer day, when the tide is up, it is quite delightful to swim in Discovery Bay. Pool/beach towels are available on the pool house shelf.

Tennis

The tennis court is old and cracked but still playable. We can't fix it because it was, unfortunately, sited on boggy land. It has been resurfaced twice and the cracks reappeared almost immediately. We have rackets and balls in the lobby if you feel like a set or two.

Basketball

The basketball hoop is located on the tennis court. Feel free to grab a ball out of the lobby.

Shuffleboard

A great game that requires little exertion and a deft touch. Rules of play are in the back of this notebook and in the red equipment bin by the court.

Horseshoes

An addictive game that requires a bit of strength, hand-eye coordination, and a little luck. Horseshoes are in the bin by the shuffleboard court.

Croquet & Bocce Ball

This is a fun distraction or a superb game of strategy. Rules are in the back of this notebook. If the mallets and balls are not out, look below the back deck of the main house for the set with a green canvas cover.

Wireless Internet

This is a free service to our guests and can be accessed by selecting "Chevy Chase Cabins" from your wireless menu. Because wireless is not a perfect connection, please know that there will be times when the signal may disappear. Factors such as high winds, heavy rains, and other mysteries may impact signal strength. While we appreciate being alerted when it is not working, know that we may not be able to fix it immediately.

Movies

We have a growing movie collection in the office that we are happy to share with you. Please return all DVDs to the office upon departure. Be cautious when moving the TV carts in your cabins as the TV/DVD unit can easily slide off. The front office door locks around 8PM.

Clam Digging

Seven varieties of clams are found on our beaches. The **native littleneck** or "**steamer**" is the most popular. Tan colored littlenecks live close to the surface and are especially plentiful in slightly gravelly areas, mixed with mud and sand. The Japanese or **manila littleneck** was imported to these shores unintentionally with seed oysters earlier in the century. It is distinguished by calico coloring. The **purple varnish clam** (the slim purple and/or brown clam) is a new variety on our shores and is now taking over the beach. They are plentiful, edible and lots of guests find them to be delicious. All clams do store the PSP toxin, so collectors should heed Hotline warnings before considering a meal. The **butter clam** is nearly twice as large as the littleneck and is used for chowder or chopped for clam fritters or patties. It retains toxins much longer than other clam species, so most beaches (including ours) are always "closed" for butter clams. **Horse clams**, which are double the size of butter clams, are also typically used chopped for use in soups. We use the horse clamshells for digging up their smaller cousins. The harvesting of **geoduck**, the Godzilla of clams (some have been recorded at 20 pounds) requires skill, muscle, and an understanding of tides and marine habitat. Novices should find someone experienced and willing to lead a hunt, and demonstrate its slaughter.

Littlenecks are easily dug with butter or horse clam shells. (Metal shovels or rakes may break the shells of live clams.) We have plastic diggers and buckets for gathering below the back deck of the main house.

Call the Red Tide Hotline before clamming:

1-800-562-5632 or check online:

<http://ww4.doh.wa.gov/gis/mogifs/biotoxin.htm>. If your clamming adventure leads you beyond our shores, remember that you will need to obtain a WA State shellfish/seaweed license. This can be purchased at Henry's Hardware Store Sims Way.

To prepare littleneck clams, first allow them to soak in cold water in the fridge (either bay water or tap water) so they release sand. Rinse/scrub the clams and then simply steam them in a little white wine just until they open up (usually about 5-8 minutes). Sautéing onion, garlic, shallot and herbs in butter before adding the wine makes for a delicious addition. Discard any that have not opened. Enjoy!

Grocers, Specialty Food Stores, Pharmacies:

PT Food Co-op

414 Kearny (just off Sims way past Chase bank)
Our Coop has a wonderful selection of local produce and baked-goods, an excellent bulk section, and a good deli. It is open to everyone, but if you belong to another food co-op be sure to show your card for the discount.

The Chimacum Corner Farmstand

9122 Rhody Drive, Chimacum
This sweet little farm stand is a rural grocery featuring food grown or produced in the fertile valleys of the Olympic Peninsula. It is the perfect spot to pick up some tasty local provisions to enjoy while staying in the cabins. The Chimacum Farmer's Market happens Sundays from 10-2 (May - Oct) in their parking lot as well.

Aldrich's Market

940 Lawrence Street (in Uptown)
A great little high-end local grocer with a nice deli with good sushi, excellent wine and beer selection and a good meat/seafood counter.

Safeway [open 24hrs]

442 West Sims Way
This is the largest grocery store in PT. You will find anything you need here. They have a pharmacy if you need to have a prescription called in.

QFC [Port Hadlock QFC open 24hrs]

Port Townsend: 515 Sheridan (just off Sims Way)
Port Hadlock: 1820 Irondale Road (off Hwy 19)
The Port Hadlock QFC is nicer than the one in Port Townsend.

Port Townsend Farmer's Market (April - Dec)

Uptown, on the corner of Tyler & Lawrence streets
Saturdays from 9:30am-2:00pm (April - Dec)
Wednesdays from 3:30pm-6:30pm (mid-June - Sept)
Be sure to stop by for live music, local produce, eggs, cheese and baked goods, and various local artists.
This is one of the best Farmer's Markets around!

Chimacum Farmer's Market (June- Oct)

The market is located at the Chimacum Corner, across from the Chevron where Highway 19 meets Chimacum Road and Center Road.
Sundays from 10:00am- 2pm. Sweet market offering fresh farm foods, arts, crafts, music and more.

Pane d'Amore,

617 Tyler Street (just off Lawrence Street)
The best bread and pastries in Port Townsend.

New Day Fisheries - Live seafood!

2330 Washington Street (follow signs for "Live Crab!")
Open 11-6 Monday-Friday .
This is just a dock at the end of the driveway just past Sea J's - they aren't always open when they say they will be, but if you catch them, it's worth it! You are buying fish and shellfish right off the dock.

Key City Fish

307 10th St
(right at the Safeway stoplight into Boat Haven)
Good selection of fresh and smoked seafood and meats a few cheese and wine choices to round out dinner.

The Wine Seller

1010 Water Street
A good selection of wine plus some beer and cheese

Mt. Townsend Creamery

338 Sherman Street (off Sims Way)
A delicious artisan creamery, selling their own award-winning cheeses along with a good selection of other cheeses and salamis. You can also buy their cheese at the PT Food Coop and the Farmer's Market.

Four Corners Store, just 1 mile away

Corner of Four Corners Road and Hwy 20 (go right out of our driveway on South Discovery Road).
Perfect for a quart of milk, bag of ice, gas, etc.

Don's Pharmacy

1151 Water Street
Great local drug store.

Sequim

If you take a day-trip to Sequim, stop in at **Sunny Farms Country Store** (261461 Hwy 101 West) for a great selection of produce, meat, deli items and bulk foods. This is a perfect spot to stop for picnic fixings if you are heading off for an adventure in Olympic National Park or to Dungeness Spit.

Eating Out

Let us know if you discover a good spot that is not on the list or have an unpleasant experience with one listed here.

Restaurant details can be found on the following pages.

**Our favorites are marked with an asterisk*

Breakfast

Blue Moose Café*, Farm's Reach Café*, Chimaicum Café, The Cup, Hudson Point Café, Plaza Soda Fountain at Don's Pharmacy, and The Spruce Goose*

Coffee-shops

1012 Coffee Bar, Better Living Through Coffee, Farm's Reach Café*, Sunrise Coffee, and Velocity*

Lunch

1-2-3 Thai Food, Banana Leaf Thai Bistro*, Blue Moose Café*, Farms Reach Café*, Chimaicum Café, Doc's Marina Grill, Dogs Afoot* (seasonal), The Belmont, Fountain Café, Hanazono Asian Noodle*, Hillbottom Pie, Hudson Point Café, Ichikawa, Khu Larb Thai, The Owl Sprit Café*, Pho Thao, Plaza Soda Fountain at Don's Pharmacy, San Juan Taqueria*, Sea J's, The Silverwater, The Spruce Goose, and Waterfront Pizza*

Casual Dinner

1-2-3 Thai Food, Banana Leaf Thai Bistro, Chimaicum Café, Docs Marina and Grill, Fiesta Jalisco*, Hanazono Asian Noodle*, Hillbottom Pie, Ichikawa*, Finnriver Cider Garden, The Fountain Café*, Khu Larb Thai, Fiesta Jalisco, The Owl Sprit Café*, Pho Thao, San Juan Taqueria*, Sea J's, Scampi and Halibuts, The Tin Brick, and Waterfront Pizza*

Romantic Dinner

Alchemy Bistro & Wine Bar, The Silverwater*, Lanza's, and The Fountain Café*

Family Friendly

1-2-3 Thai Food, Banana Leaf Thai Bistro, Blue Moose Café*, Chimaicum Café, Dogs Afoot (seasonal), Fiesta Jalisco, Finnriver Cider Garden, Hanazono Asian Noodle*, Hillbottom Pie, The Owl Sprit Café*, Plaza Soda Fountain, San Juan Taqueria*, Scampi and Halibuts, Sea J's, The Spruce Goose, Waterfront Pizza* and The Tin Brick

Nightlife

Alchemy Bistro & Wine Bar*, The Cellar Door*, Mezzaluna Lounge, Port Townsend Brewing*, The Pourhouse*, Sirens*

Sweets & Pastry

Elevated Ice Cream*, Pane d'Amore Bakery*, and Farm's Reach Café

Take-out & Picnic

1-2-3 Thai Food, Aldrich's Market (great sushi to go!), Bob's Bagels*, Chimaicum Farmstand, Food Co-op Deli, Hanazono Asian Noodle*, Khu Larb Thai, Lanza's (for pizza!)*, Mt. Townsend Creamery*, The Owl Sprit Café*, Pho Thao, San Juan Taqueria*, Tin Brick, and Waterfront Pizza*

Eating Out

1012 Coffee Bar • 379-1012

1012 Lawrence Street, Port Townsend
Excellent espresso (they use Vivace beans) with lots of local flavor.

1-2-3 Thai Food • 344-3103

2219 West Sims Way, Port Townsend
Do not be put off by the strip mall location or the odd interior – this is delicious Thai food. Get it to go and enjoy it in your lovely cabin. *Closed Sunday.*

***Alchemy Bistro & Wine Bar • 385-5225**

824 Washington Street, Port Townsend
Shareable Mediterranean inspired menu at good little restaurant next to Haller Fountain. The adjacent bar serves delicious cocktails and has a great “bites” menu and is open late. *Open daily*

***Banana Leaf Thai Bistro • 379-6993**

609 Washington Street
One of three tasty Thai food options. Outdoor seating area is great in the summer. *Open daily.*

***Blue Moose Café • 385-7339**

311 Haines Pl (in Boat Haven)
Satisfying, hearty breakfasts. A local favorite. Excellent corned beef hash and eggs benedict.

***Bob’s Bagels • 385-3233 / bobsbagels@gmail.com**

Incredible hand-rolled East coast style bagels that Bob will DELIVER (!!) to your cabin by bicycle (Fri – Mon). You can also find them at the Farmer’s Market in the summers and at the PT Food Coop.
<http://bobs-bagels.blogspot.com>

***The Cellar Door • 385-6959**

940 Water Street (head underground, discreet sign)
A hip underground bar offering beer, wine, and fancy cocktails. Dark and cozy with a speakeasy feel.
Closed Tuesday and Wednesday.

Chimacum Café • 732-4631

9253 Rhody Drive, Chimacum
Classic diner with hearty, inexpensive fare and good milkshakes and pies. *Open daily from 6am-8pm.*

The Cup • 379-9059

600 West Sims Way
Simple breakfast fare served all day. Sometimes a bit less crowded than the spots in town. Large outdoor seating area. *Open daily from 7am-3pm.*

Dogs Afoot (SEASONAL)

A summer-only stand towards the end of Water Street with tasty hot dogs.

***Elevated Ice Cream • 385-1156**

627 Water Street, Port Townsend
Excellent organic house-made ice cream. Even if you’re stuffed, stop by for a scoop. Named one of the seven best ice cream parlors in the country by travelchannel.com. *Open daily, 10am until 10pm.*

***Farm’s Reach Café • 732-4200**

8972 Beaver Valley Rd, Chimacum
Homemade, fresh daily organic, seasonal foods from local farms. All day breakfast and lunch options including gluten free options.

***Finnriver Farm Cider Garden • 339-8478**

124 Center Road, Chimacum
A beautiful farm setting with award-winning cider and a rotating menu of food trucks, light snacks, and entertainment. Open daily, visit their website or call for hours and food details. A do not miss!

Fiesta Jalisco • 385-5285

10893 Rhody Drive (Hwy 19), Port Hadlock
Tasty Mexican meals with very friendly service. If you are craving Mexican, this is a bit closer than driving in to Port Townsend.

***Fountain Café • 385-1364**

920 Washington Street, Port Townsend
A local favorite. Intimate space, small menu, delicious food. *Open daily, lunch and dinner.*

***Hanazono Asian Noodles • 385-7622**

225 Taylor Street, Port Townsend
Tasty noodle soups, stir-fries, sushi, and salads. Try the gyoza. *Lunch and dinner. Closed Monday.*

Hillbottom Pie • 385-1306

215 Tyler Street, Port Townsend
Pizza, salads, delicious soups and pie in a cozy downtown location. *Lunch and dinner. Closed Sunday/Monday*

Hudson Point Café • 379-0592

130 Hudson St.: Hudson Point Marina, Port Townsend
A good breakfast, brunch and lunch spot with fun marina-watching. *Breakfast and lunch. Closed Mondays.*

Ichikawa Japanese Cuisine • 379-4000

1208 Water Street, Port Townsend
Sushi, noodles and other pan-asian specialties. Tatami room available for larger groups by reservation.
Lunch and dinner. Closed Sunday/Monday.

Eating Out, cont.

Khu Larb Thai Food • 385 5023
225 Adams Street, Port Townsend
Good Thai food in a quick and friendly spot.
Lunch, dinner & take-out. Closed Monday.

Lanza's Ristorante • 379-1900
1020 Lawrence Street, Port Townsend
Tasty Italian food in a cozy little Uptown restaurant.
Excellent pizzas available to go. Live music on weekends, reservations recommended.
Open from 5pm. Closed Sunday/Monday.

Mezzaluna Lounge • 385-6448
237 Taylor Street (above The Silverwater)
A nice little bar/lounge with a late night menu – a rarity in Port Townsend! *Open every evening from 5pm.*

***Owl Sprit Cafe** • 385-5275
218 Polk Street
Delicious, simple, homemade, fresh fare. Lots of seasonal and organic ingredients in a very cozy spot.
Lunch and Dinner, closed Sundays.

***Pane d'Amore Bakery** • 385-1199
617 Tyler Street (just off Lawrence Street)
The best bread and pastries in Port Townsend.
Don't miss the Giacometti (cheese sticks)!

Pho Tao • 385-3240
2310 Washington Street
Good Vietnamese food that can be eaten in their small space, but we like to take it to go. They deliver to the Pourhouse! *Open daily, lunch and dinner.*

Plaza Soda Fountain in Don's Pharmacy • 385-2662
1151 Water Street, Port Townsend
Out of another era. Simple, calorie-laden lunch counter food. Start off with a milkshake and finish with pie. Heck, just get a milkshake and pie.

***Port Townsend Brewing Company** • 385-9967
330 C 10th Street, Port Townsend (in Boat Haven)
Tasting room and beer-garden is a favorite local hangout. Excellent beer (brewed by Joanna's husband!) and peanuts. *Open daily, noon to 7ish.*

***The Pourhouse** • 379-5586
2231 Washington Street, Port Townsend
A craft beer taproom and bottleshop with 12 (frequently) rotating taps, a good wine list, and 200 bottled beers to drink there or take to go. Beer garden right on the water. Bring your own picnic or have take-out delivered. *Open daily at noon.*

***San Juan Taqueria** • 344-2891
23 Kala Square Place, Port Townsend
Authentic street tacos, huge burritos, delicious enchiladas and fresh margaritas! The restaurant is quite close to Chevy, the taco stand is in town (open seasonally). *Lunch and dinner, closed Sundays,*

Scampi's and Halibuts • 385-0161
1050 Ness Corner Road, Port Hadlock
A little place with an extensive menu of seafood (mostly fried). They also offer lots of combinations, of sides and great milkshakes!

Sea J's Café • 385-6312
2501 Washington Street, Port Townsend
Hole-in-the-wall fish and chips joint. Shared tables, friendly service and simple fare. Huge burgers and milkshakes. *Open daily, lunch and dinner.*

***The Silverwater Café** • 385-6448
237 Taylor Street, Port Townsend
Classy joint with nice ambience and tasty food. A bit spendy. *Open daily for lunch, dinner and cocktails.*

***Sirens** • 379-1100
823 Water Street, Port Townsend
Great views from the upstairs deck. A favorite local hangout – grab a burger and shoot some pool. Live music on weekends. *Open daily for lunch and dinner.*

***The Spruce Goose Café** • 385-3185
310 Airport Road, Port Townsend
A "fly-in" café at the PT airstrip. Great local flavor, hearty breakfasts, fair prices and friendly service. *Open daily for breakfast, call about dinner.*

The Tin Brick • 379-4181
232 Taylor Street, Port Townsend (underground)
Wood-fired pizzas and delicious Philly cheesesteaks in a cozy underground restaurant. *Open daily, lunch and dinner.*

***Waterfront Pizza** • 385-6629
951 Water Street, Port Townsend
Slices and whole pies available to go. Small sit-down dining area upstairs. *Open daily for lunch and dinner.*

***Velocity Coffee** • 379-5383
431 Water Street, Port Townsend (in the Maritime Center). A truly amazing cup of coffee – delicious rotating drip options and high quality espresso drinks. They also serve local pastries. *Open daily.*

Entertainment and the Arts

Bookstores

The best general book store is **Imprint** (820 Water Street). An excellent used and rare bookstore is **William James** (829 Water Street). Don't miss the cookbook section. **Phoenix Rising** (696 Water Street) is a new age bookstore.

Centrum

223 Battery Way (in Fort Worden), Port Townsend
360-385-3102

Centrum is a gathering place for artists and creative thinkers from around the world, students of all ages and backgrounds, and audiences seeking extraordinary cultural enrichment. Centrum hosts a wealth of workshops, festivals, concerts, readings, lectures and conferences. Centrum events are held in the 1200-seat McCurdy Pavilion--a renovated WWI-era balloon hangar, in the 300-seat Joseph F. Wheeler Theater, and in various venues in downtown Port Townsend. You will find a calendar of events in the back of this notebook. Call 360-385-3102 for event information.

Festival Weekends

Port Townsend hosts an array of festivals. A select listing includes:

Children's Festival of Art	early March
Victorian Festival	3rd weekend in March
Rhododendron Festival	3rd weekend in May
Secret Garden Tour	mid June
Chamber Music Festival	late June
Fiddle Tunes	4 th of July weekend
Jazz Port Townsend	late July
Country Blues Festival	early August
Jefferson County Fair	mid August
Wooden Boat Festival	early September
PT Film Festival	late September
Kinetic Sculpture Race	early October

Movie Theatres

The Rose Theatre (235 Taylor Street, 360-385-1089) is one of the Northwest's great movie theatres. It has delicious popcorn with a plethora of topping options. **The Uptown** (on Lawrence and Polk Streets, 360-385-3883) is very funky but gets more blockbuster films. The guy who owns the Uptown also owns the **Wheel-In Motor Movie** (210 Theatre Road-off Highway 20 near the airport, 360-385-0859), a drive-in theatre operating on summer nights.

Olympic Music Festival

1/4 mile South of Highway 104 on Center Road (about 25 minutes from CCBC) in Quilcene, WA
206-527-8839

From late June through early September, chamber music performances are held at this turn-of-the-century dairy farm nestled on 55 acres of tranquil farmland every Saturday and Sunday afternoon at 2pm. Pack a picnic and spend a wonderful day roaming the festival grounds before the concert. They have plenty of picnic tables, donkeys to amuse you (and eat your leftovers), and places to explore in the unique pastoral environment. We recommend booking advance tickets if you would like a seat in the barn, but the lawn is perfect for a picnic and does not require advance reservations.

Port Townsend Gallery Walks: First Saturday of the Month

Gallery Walks are a favorite here in Port Townsend. On the first Saturday of every month, galleries and venues in the downtown waterfront district show off the work of local artists. Informal and enticing, the Gallery Walks encourage exploring the many nooks and crannies of the town's historic center.

Land Adventures

Anderson Lake State Park

Hiking, biking, boating, fishing and bird-watching
Take SR 20 south, then turn east on Anderson Lake Road. Proceed 1.1 miles to park entrance. Anderson Lake State Park is a remote marine day-use park of cedar, fir and alder forest mixed with freshwater marshes. Surrounded by 410 wooded and wetland acres, the park slopes down to the 70-acre Anderson Lake and abounds with birds and wildlife.

Bicycling

PT Cyclery • (360) 385-6470
252 Tyler Street • Port Townsend, WA 98368
Bring your own bike or rent in Port Townsend. They also have a bounty of area ride recommendations.

Chetzemoka Park

Picnicking, strolling through gardens
Jackson and Blaine Streets off of Monroe Street
This idyllic 5+ acre park, located on the hillside overlooking Admiralty Inlet, has a commanding view of the Cascade Mountains. It is a perfect spot for an afternoon picnic, a stroll through the gardens, or adventure on the swing set. The keystone of Port Townsend's parks, this Victorian park was established in 1904. It boasts beautiful flower gardens, a tropical water garden, picnic areas and shelter, and play equipment. There is also access to the park's beach and extensive tidelands. Adjacent to the park is an informal, fenced off-leash dog park.

Dungeness Spit

Beach-walking, picnicking, bird watching
The longest natural sand spit in the United States, the Dungeness Spit extends 5 miles out into the Strait of Juan de Fuca. It is located just north of Sequim. The Dungeness National Wildlife Refuge, a key staging area for over 200 species of birds, encompasses the spit. Occasionally marine mammals, including Orca whales, are seen here. Sometimes harbor seals haul out and pup on the protected beach. The 631-acre refuge is open daily from dawn to dusk with access limited by foot or horseback only. **Pets are not allowed.**

Eaglemount Rockeries Museum

On SR 20, 2 miles from the Highway 101 intersection
Eaglemount Rockeries has been an out-of-the-ordinary roadside attraction for all ages since 1948. What began as a front-yard project has grown throughout the property with replicas and miniatures of everything from an Indian sweat lodge to Egyptian pyramids and a miniature model of Discovery Bay. We can't explain what makes it so bizarrely appealing, but it is definitely worth a visit. Its free of charge – look for the giant dinosaur from SR 20.

Fort Flagler State Park

Hiking, biking, picnicking, boating, fishing, crabbing, clamming, museum
Located eight miles northeast of Hadlock on the northern tip of Marrowstone Island. Fort Flagler State Park is a 784-acre marine camping park surrounded on three sides by 19,100 feet of saltwater shoreline. The park rests on a high bluff overlooking Puget Sound, with views of the Olympic and Cascade Mountains. Many historic buildings remain at this 19th-century-established military fort.

Fort Worden State Park

Hiking, biking, beach-walking, museums, bunkers
Fort Worden State Park overflows with places of interest to visit, study and explore. The gun batteries, or "bunkers," were the heart and purpose of the fort and fill the hillside above the main fort grounds. The park also has over two miles of shoreline on Puget Sound and the Strait of Juan de Fuca. Point Wilson is the dividing line between these two bodies of water, and gives the park two distinct beaches. There are also a number of museums within the park:
• **Coast Artillery Museum** - This museum is dedicated to the preservation and interpretation of the history of the US Army's old Coast Artillery Corps, with special emphasis on the Harbor Defense of Puget Sound.
• **Commanding Officer's Quarters** - A visit to this historical house with its 12 rooms of outstanding late-Victorian antiques will give you the opportunity to experience what life might have been like for an officer's family on an early 20th century military base.

Land Adventures, cont.

H.J. Carroll Park

9884 Rhody Drive (Hwy 19), Chimacum, WA

A great new addition to our county park system with event pavilions, walking paths, a stone labyrinth maze, basketball courts, picnic and grill area, playground, BMX track, disc golf and athletic fields.

Kah Tai Nature Park

Bird-watching, jogging, walking, picnicking

Near the Haines Place Park-n-Ride (by Safeway), this park borders the Lagoon on 14th, between Kearny and Haines Streets. This park encompasses 25 acres of open water, 15 acres of wetlands, and 40 acres of uplands for a total of 80 acres of natural area. It is a beautiful place to take a walk, enjoy a picnic, and watch the natural side of life unfold.

Larry Scott Memorial Trail

Walking, jogging, biking

This is a wonderful, well-groomed trail that travels six miles from the waterfront in Port Townsend to the southern trailhead which is just down the road past Chevy Chase. It is perfect for walking, jogging, dog exercising and biking. Eventually it will connect with the Olympic Discovery Trail and will go all the way to Neah Bay! Parking areas in Boat Haven (Port Townsend), Cape George Road (midpoint) or at the intersection of South Discovery Road and Milo Curry road (just up the road from Chevy Chase.)

Marine Science Center

Fort Worden State Park - 532 Battery Way
360-385-5582 or 800-566-3932

Get up close to the marine world with a chance to touch sea life. Newly renovated and expanded, the Port Townsend Marine Science Center offers education, boat tours, summer campout and exhibits throughout the year. The new Natural History Exhibit is open for public exhibit every Thursday through Sunday (year round) from 12:00pm – 4:00pm with public interpretive programs at 2:30pm daily. Call for hours of the Marine Science Center as they vary from season to season.

Mount Townsend Hike or Snowshoe Adventure (trailhead access from Quilcene)

One of the most hiked summits in the Olympics with easy access, a long hiking season, and unparalleled views of the Puget Sound and eastern half of the Olympics. This is a moderately challenging hike with large elevation gain. Spectacular wildflowers in the Spring, snowshoeing in the winter, and sweeping views year-round (on a clear day) make this an excellent choice for a close-by hike.

North Beach Park

Beach-walking, hiking, picnicking

On Kuhn Street past the fairgrounds.

The 1 acre of waterfront is one of the few public access beaches on the north end of the Quimper Peninsula. It is an excellent beachcombers' starting point for walks in either direction. The park adjoins Fort Worden State Park making this park a popular destination for hikers. The site includes mowed grass area, rest rooms, picnic shelter, water and parking.

Old Fort Townsend State Park

Hiking, picnicking, boating, fishing, crabbing, camping

Approximately two miles south of Port Townsend, turn east on Old Fort Townsend Road. This 367-acre marine camping park features 3,960 feet of saltwater shoreline on Port Townsend Bay. The heavily wooded park has a rich military history dating from pioneer days.

Land Adventures, cont.

Olympic National Park & Hurricane Ridge

Hiking, backpacking, camping, picnicking. scenic drives

One of the most beautiful places on Earth. Hwy 101 provides the main access to the park, with numerous spur roads leading to the interior. No roads pass through the heart of the Olympics. Ninety-five percent of Olympic National Park is designated wilderness, and over 600 miles of trails provide access to these wild areas. The largest remaining undisturbed old-growth and temperate rain forests in the Northwest are found in Olympic National Park. This park is a delight from the sky to the sea: jagged, glacier-capped peaks rise nearly 8,000 feet above sea level, and the park contains over 60 miles of wild Pacific coast. **Hurricane Ridge** is the most easily accessible and popular entry to the Olympics. It is 5,230 feet above sea level and provides spectacular views of the Olympic Mountains and the Strait of Juan de Fuca. On a clear day you can see Victoria. There are great hiking opportunities for all, from level paved paths to steeper and more strenuous trails, and you're likely to run into many deer and other wild animals along the way. Even if you're not a hiker, it's worth the drive up here for the views from the lodge. From the snow-capped peaks to the wooded valleys and fields of wildflowers, there is beauty all around. Winter snow play, cross-country, and downhill skiing are also popular here, though winter storms with winds that can exceed 100 mph make keeping the area open for winter recreation a challenge. Call (360) 565-3131 for road status. **Dogs are not allowed on the trails or beaches.** *If you are planning an adventure, just ask us and we can let you browse through the hiking books that we have in the main house.*

Playgrounds, parks and beaches!

There are so many sweet little parks in and around Port Townsend. We love the playgrounds at Chetzemoka (there are two, seek out the giant tire swing!), and in Uptown outside the Rec Center off Lawrence Street. There also a small but sweet park and grassy area right downtown by the Marine Science Center - the perfect place for little ones to run off energy after a scoop at Elevated Ice Cream. Fort Worden is amazing for exploring - bring flashlights and go deep into the bunkers. If you want a change of scene from our lovely little beach on Discovery Bay, our favorites are North Beach and the beaches at Fort Worden.

Rothschild House

Franklin and Taylor Streets • 360-385-2722

One of the smallest State Parks in the state, this well-preserved home showcases common life in Port Townsend during the mid 1800's. Open to the public for self-guided tours daily 11:00am – 4:00pm, May through September.

Victoria, BC

The capital city of British Columbia, Victoria boasts many beautiful historic buildings and some of the most fascinating museums in Western Canada. Victoria enjoys some of the country's most exhilarating scenery: there is an ocean or mountain vista around every corner. You can walk on the ferry from Port Angeles (an hour away) and spend a full day eating delicious food, enjoying the many parks, historic buildings and museums, visiting the beautiful gardens, and then come back from the big city in the evening to your cozy cabin at Chevy Chase. The Black Ball Ferry Line/MV Coho leaves a few times a day, though their schedule is variable between the seasons. Don't forget your passport!

Golf Courses

Discovery Bay Golf Club

(Across the street from Chevy Chase Beach Cabins)
7401 Cape George Road, Port Townsend
360-385-0704

The Discovery Bay Golf Club is the Pacific Northwest's oldest public course. The course boasts commanding views of Discovery Bay, Mount Baker and the Olympics. Play this 18-hole, 6,753 yard, par 72 course year round. Full facilities, including a driving range, putting green, club and cart rentals.

Dungeness Golf Course, Sequim

1965 Woodcock Road, Sequim
360-683-6344

Dungeness Golf Course is the driest round of golf in Western Washington. Superb course conditions, a grass driving range and great views of the Olympic Mountains.

Port Ludlow Golf Club

751 Highland Drive, Port Ludlow
360-437-0272

The Port Ludlow Golf Club is comprised on three 9s – Tide Nine, Timber Nine, and Trail Nine, offering 27 spectacular holes of challenge and enjoyment, designed by Robert Muir Graves. Each course is artfully carved and sculpted out of dense forest with no two holes playing alike. Only one of eight courses in Washington with the designation of Audubon Cooperative Sanctuary, this is a golfer's paradise where deer roam, cedar stumps emerge from water hazards, and wildflowers explode in a riot of spring colors.

Port Townsend Golf Club

1948 Blaine Street, Port Townsend
360-385-4547

The Port Townsend Golf Club is one of the driest and most affordable golf course on the Olympic Peninsula. Located in the heart of Port Townsend,

PTGC offers a great opportunity to enjoy a friendly round of golf during your getaway. The National Golf Foundation recently described PTGC as "both beginner-friendly and challenging for better players. The layout offers some design features not often present at 9-hole municipal golf courses, including tree-framed doglegged holes, severe elevation changes and strategic bunkering."

Water Adventures

Kayak Center at Fort Worden

On the beach at Fort Worden, by the Marine Science Center

360-379-3608

Sea Kayak Tours, Rentals and Lessons
Guided tours and daily rentals offered daily throughout the summer. Stand-Up-Paddleboards available for rent as well.

Olympic Boat Rentals

1812 Lindsay Hill Road , Quilcene
360-731-8287

Choose from a 19' Olympic Hardtop Fishing Boat, a Sea Doo Ski Boat, 155 HP Sea Doos or a 14' Northwoods Aluminum Boat for use on the Hood Canal and the Olympic Peninsula Lakes.

Puget Sound Express in Point Hudson Marina

431 Water Street, Port Townsend, WA
360-385-5288

Whale-watching and San Juan Island Tours
Longer whale-watching trip (8 hours) includes a tour of the San Juan islands, a 2-hour layover in the town of Friday Harbor for lunch and browsing, and a one hour narrated wildlife stop with the Killer whales. The shorter version (4 hours) of the same trip does not include the Friday Harbor layover.

Breweries, Cideries & Wineries

Alpenfire Cider • 360-379-8915
220 Pocket Lane, Port Townsend
Tasting room hours:
Friday – Sunday, 12:00pm to 5:00pm

Eaglemount Wine & Ciders • 360-732-4084
1893 South Jacob Miller Road, Port Townsend
Tasting room hours:
Friday – Sunday, 12:00pm to 5:00pm

Fairwinds Winery • 360-385-0503
1924 Hastings Avenue W.
Tasting room hours:
May-September: Daily from 12:00pm to 5:00pm
October-April: Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Monday,
12:00pm to 5:00pm

Finnriver Orchard and Cider Garden • 360-339-8478
124 Center Road, Chimacum (10 minutes from CCBC)
An idyllic farm setting and lovely tasting room space – a perfect place to linger in the sunshine and enjoy a Finnriver's award winning handcrafted sparkling hard ciders and spirited fruit wines. They have a rotating selection of food offerings and a lively entertainment schedule. Check their website or call for details. Open daily, hours vary with seasons.

Port Townsend Brewing Company • 360-385-9967
330 10th Street (in Boat Haven, across from Safeway)
Tasting room hours:
Daily from 12:00pm – 7:00pm
Fridays from 12:00pm to 9:00pm

Port Townsend Winery • 360-344-8155
2640 West Sims Way, Port Townsend
Tasting room hours:
Sunday – Thursday, 12:00pm – 5:00pm
Friday, 12:00pm – 8:00pm
Saturday, 12:00pm – 6:00pm

Sorensen Cellars • 360-379-6416
274 Otto Street Building 'S'
Tasting room hours:
March-September: 12:00pm to 5:00pm - Friday, Saturday and Sunday
June-August: 12:00pm to 5:00pm Saturday, Sunday and Monday June-August

Child and Dog Care

Firefly Academy
Contact: Erica Delma
360-379-1129
fireflyacademypreschool@gmail.com
www.fireflyacademy.com

Firefly Academy is a child-centered, multi-age, Montessori-inspired, play-to-learn program located in the heart of Downtown Port Townsend. Because of their great downtown location, next to the Haller Fountain on Washington Street, they are able to have many adventures around town including trips to the beach and the Uptown Playground, bus rides to the library and Kah Tai Lagoon, just to name a few. Throughout the year they offer Saturday Evening School so you can get out and enjoy what Port Townsend has to offer while your children spend a fun and educational evening at Firefly.

Drop-in childcare is welcome for children age 2 to 6.
Please call in advance to make reservations.

- AM program: Monday – Friday, 9:00am – 1:00pm
- PM program: Monday – Thursday, 2:00 – 5:00pm
- Saturday evening program: 5:30pm – 9:30pm

Private childcare is also available through Firefly Academy. You can make special arrangements for Erica or one of her Firefly staff members to come to Chevy Chase Beach Cabins, or she can make special arrangements to open to the school during off-hours for group childcare. Rates vary based on number of children and their ages. Contact Erica at the Firefly Academy, or call her personal line at 360-385-3171.

Dog Townsend
10 Timberline Road, Port Townsend
(360) 379-3388

Dog day-care and boarding
This is where we take Scout for “vacation” and it is dog heaven. She is always excited to go and a little sad to come home. Amanda and Steve are amazing with dogs, giving them space to play and socialize and also time for rest. ***Dogs must pass an initial screening before they can be boarded here.***

***We have a list of dog-sitters that are available for in-cabin dog sitting** if you need to leave your dog for an extended period of time (for a wedding or special event). We are happy to connect you as dogs cannot be left in cabins unattended.