



# Become a Salish Sea Steward

FREE Training

February 7 – April 25, 2023

Tuesdays, 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Do you love our Skagit County bays and beaches? Do you love science and learning about the Salish Sea and all the creatures and plants that live here? Do you want to make a difference protecting and restoring these wonders?

## Then We Are The Program for YOU!

The Salish Sea Stewards Program offers 40 hours of **FREE** community science training taught by local experts. No experience necessary! In return, participants pledge to commit 40 hours of volunteer service in one year or as able.

Learn from many local experts on a variety of topics impacting the Salish Sea including intertidal habitats, geology, forage fish, kelp, water quality, climate change, marine mammals, coastal processes, and more! Meet new friends and learn about the different volunteer opportunities to help make a difference in Skagit County.

Training starts **February 7 - April 25, 2023**. In-person classes will be held Tuesdays from 1:00pm - 5:00pm at the Padilla Bay Reserve, 10441 Bayview-Edison Road, Mount Vernon. Field training session locations TBD.

Registration deadline is **January 31, 2023**. Space is limited, so don't wait! Registration forms are available on the Skagit Marine Resources Committee website: <http://www.skagitmrc.org>. For more information contact: [salishseastewards@gmail.com](mailto:salishseastewards@gmail.com).

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