

Skagit County Marine Resources Committee: Salish Sea Stewards Volunteer Training Registration

We request that all Salish Sea Stewards (SSS) do their best to complete a commitment of 40 hours of volunteer work within in a year of completing the training program.

Name:

Mailing Address:

Phone:

Email address:

How did you hear about Salish Sea Steward Volunteer Training?



What areas are you most interested in learning about/volunteering for? Please check the appropriate boxes.

Community Science	Salish Sea Stewards Program Support	Local Organization
Beach Cleanups	Salish Sea Stewards Advisory Committee	Padilla Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve (Aquarium Guide, Library Support)
Beach Naturalist		
Beach Seining	Education & Outreach/ Special Events: (Fidalgo Bay Day, etc)	Fidalgo Bay Aquatic Reserve Citizen Stewardship Committee
Beach Surveys		
Bull Kelp Surveys	Project Leader	
Crabber Outreach	Program Administration	Friends of Skagit Beaches (Lecture Series, Shoreline Academy, Skagit Plastic Reduction & Recycling Coalition)
Forage Fish Surveys	Photographer	
Invasive Green Crab Surveying	Communication: (social media, website, newsletters, etc.)	COASST – Coastal Observation & Seabird Survey Team
Heron Observations		
Intertidal Monitoring		
Monofilament Line Recovery		Fidalgo Bay Day
Native Oyster Survey		
Plankton Monitoring		
Plastics Reduction Project		
Shellfish Bio-Toxin Monitoring		
Stormwater Outfall Monitoring		
Water Quality Sampling		

Please describe your experience with community science, environmental volunteering, and public interpretation (include personal, volunteer, or work experience):

Please list your other volunteer experience:

Training/Education (include major studies, degrees, training, or certifications):

Why do you wish to become a Salish Sea Steward?

Any other information about your skills and abilities you would like us to know?

Do you require an accommodation for this training (audio, visual, mobility, or other)?

Requirements & Commitments

1. Attend all Salish Sea Stewards in-person training sessions. The sessions will be held Tuesday from 1:00 pm –5:00 pm from February 6th, 2024 to April 23rd, 2024. All applicants need to seriously consider their commitment to attend all classes because class space is limited.
2. We encourage the participants to be vaccinated.
3. Provide at least 40 hours of volunteer service on any Skagit County Marine Resources Committee or partner volunteer projects or activities within one year of completing the Salish Sea Stewards training.
4. Record and report your volunteer service using Volgistics, an online database. Training will be provided during the class on how to use Volgistics.
5. Acknowledge that photos and video recordings may be made during training sessions, events and activities, and that this material may be used in whole or in part by the Skagit County Marine Resources Committee. A photo and video release form will be provided during the first training.

If accepted into the Salish Sea Stewards volunteer training program, I agree to complete the training program required of all volunteers, and I agree to the terms and conditions listed in the Requirements & Commitments section above.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____
(Your printed signature is acceptable if emailing the registration)

Completed registrations can be emailed to salishseastwards@gmail.com or mailed to:

Padilla Bay NERR
Attn: Salish Sea Stewards Training
10441 Bayview Edison Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

Registration is due January 31, 2024. We recommend a January 24, 2024 postmark, if you mail your registration.

Questions about the program can be directed to salishseastwards@gmail.com

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