# Things to remember

Park hours -April 16 to Sept. 15, 8 a.m. to dusk.

Winter schedule - Sept. 16 to April 15, 8 a.m. to dusk, Wednesday through Sunday. Although most parks are open year round, some parks or portions of parks are closed during the winter. For a winter schedule and information about seasonal closures, visit www.parks.state.wa.us or call the information center at (360) 902-8844.

- Moorage fees are charged year round for mooring at docks, floats and buoys from 1 p.m. to 8 a.m.
- Wildlife, plants and all park buildings, signs, tables and other structures are protected; removal or damage of any kind is prohibited. Hunting, feeding of wildlife and gathering firewood on state park property is prohibited.
- Pets must be on leash and under physical control at all times. This includes trail areas and campsites. Pet owners must clean up after pets on all state park lands.

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# **Tolmie State Park**

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### Other state parks located in the general area:

Eagle Island, Joemma Beach, Millersylvania and Penrose Point **Washington State Parks** 

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# Welcome to Tolmie State Park

Tolmie State Park is a marine, day-use park situated on Nisqually Reach, a few miles from the state's capitol city, Olympia. The forested park features 1,800 feet of saltwater shoreline on the Puget Sound and offers an underwater park built by scuba divers.

Popular for beachside activities and scuba

diving, the park also includes a saltwater marsh and profuse wildlife. Three miles of hiking trails within the park lead visitors through an estuary ecosystem, saltwater marsh and forested land.

The park provides five mooring buoys for boaters to tie up and stay overnight on their boats. A moorage fee is required for buoy use.



#### Nearby overnight accommodations

Tolmie State Park is a day-use park and does not offer overnight accommodations. Camping accommodations are available at nearby Millersylvania State Park.

Millersylvania's camp provides 120 tent spaces, 48 utility spaces, three restrooms (one ADA), eight showers (two ADA), and one dump station.

Maximum site length is 60 feet (limited availability). Standard campsites have a restricted total vehicle length of 35 feet due to the park's tight, narrow roadways in the standard campsite section. There is a maximum of one extra paid vehicle allowed per site, extra vehicle fee paid upon arrival.

In addition, a group camp accommodates 20 to 40 people and is for tent camping only. Kitchen shelter #4 is in the group and has a wood stove, sink, and electrical outlets. The group camp and kitchen shelter #4 rent together for fees that vary with the size of the group. A standard restroom is nearby.

A two-story Lakeside Cottage on Deep Lake accommodates six guests. Millersylvania's Environmental Learning Center (ELC) can accommodate 150 people in multi-bed cabin facilities and has its own dining hall.

Reservations can be made online or by calling 888-CAMPOUT (888-226-7688). For fee information, check out our camping rates page.

#### **Park history**

Tolmie State Park was named for William Fraser Tolmie (1812-1886), a doctor of medicine who served 16 years with the Hudson Bay Company at Fort Nisqually as a physician, surgeon, botanist and fur trader.

Washington State Parks acquired the first parcel of land that is now Tolmie State Park in 1962.

#### Park amenities and facilities

Tolmie State Park offers the following amenities and facilities:

- An underwater park for scuba divers
- Two group day-use kitchen shelters with electricity, picnic tables, water and sinks, reservable by calling the park at (360) 456-6464
  - Eleven sheltered and 20 unsheltered picnic tables, available first come, first served
  - 3 miles of hiking trail
  - Outdoor amphitheater
  - Two restrooms