

## **High Tech!**

Snohomish County, Washington Minutes North of Seattle

## Day 1

Boeing Tour and Future of Flight Aviation Center. Begin at the new Boeing Future of Flight Aviation Center, visit interactive, high-tech displays then board a bus for a tour of the world's largest building. View the Boeing twin-aisle airplanes before they take to the sky, including the 787 Dreamliner, 777, 767 and 747. A 70 -minute tour includes a visit inside the factory building to watch the airplane assembly.

Begin your close to nature experience at the <u>Edmonds Marsh Wildlife Sanctuary</u> trails in Edmonds. Wander the boardwalk to hear and see any of more than 200 migratory birds as well as those making Puget Sound their year-round home. Interpretive signs border the marshland and bird watchers are rewarded during spring and fall migration. Other stops could include the <u>Edmonds Underwater</u> <u>Park</u>, north of the ferry dock, is 27 acres attracting scuba divers from across the nation seeking certification. Sunken structures offer passageways and enclosures housing schools of fish and plant life.

Enjoy lunch at a nearby café and wander the tree-lined avenues for that special memento you'll find in this seaside community. If you're ready for some fresh air, a ride on the <u>Washington State Ferry</u> will whisk you away from Edmonds to Kingston. Enjoy a round-trip passage to see the scenic beauty of Puget Sound from the water.

Overnight accommodations centrally located to all your Snohomish County adventures can be found at "Where To Stay"

## Day 2

Shopping is never out-of-style! <u>Alderwood</u> <u>Mall</u> is a super-regional shopping center with over 200 places to shop, dine and be entertained. Enjoy keystone American retailers including Nordstrom, Pottery Barn, Made in Washington, Abercrombie & Fitch and REI. In additional to shopping enjoy your pick of eight full-service restaurants and a 16 screen state-of-the-art theatre. First-class shops to outlet centers. Seattle NorthCountry offers something for everyone and every budget.

Visit <u>Snohomish</u> – The Antique Capital of the Pacific Northwest. On the National Historic Register for both their business and residential districts, Snohomish offers shops with over 400 antique dealers, country and Victorian shops and quaint cafes and restaurants. <u>Historic Blackman Museum</u> and Pioneer Village offer a glimpse into life as it was at the turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century.

Continue on your historic exploration and visit the <u>Mukilteo Lighthouse</u>. Built in 1906, it is one of the few remaining wooden lighthouses in the Pacific Northwest still in continuous operation. Tours and interpretive discussions of the lighthouse's history, museum and gift shop are open weekends and holidays April through September.

## Day 3

Farmers markets, gardens, historic lighthouse tours, glass blowing, river rafting, fishing, golfing...how do you decide how you'll spend your last day in Snohomish County? See <a href="https://www.seattlenorthcountry.com/things-to-do/">https://www.seattlenorthcountry.com/things-to-do/</a>.

Additional information:
Brad Zorich, Sales Manager
Snohomish County Tourism Bureau
6705 Puget Park Drive, Snohomish, WA 98296
(425)348-5802; (888)338-0976

brad@seattlenorthcountry.com; www.seattlenorthcountry.com