



# 2018 WHAT'S NEW ON THE OLYMPIC PENINSULA



*Sol Duc Hot  
Springs Resort  
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*In addition to our magnificent mountains, rugged coastlines, temperate rain forests and charming small towns, we have exciting new updates for places to stay, eat and drink, and play. Check out what's new and come for a visit. For more information, email [communications@olympicpeninsula.org](mailto:communications@olympicpeninsula.org) or visit [OlympicPeninsula.org](http://OlympicPeninsula.org).*

## STAY

### **Sol Duc Hot Spring Resort in Olympic National Park (ONP)**

debut a newly renovated lodge with fresh interior redesign of the main lobby, restaurant and gift shop including elegant stacked stone and granite finishes to evoke pure relaxation.

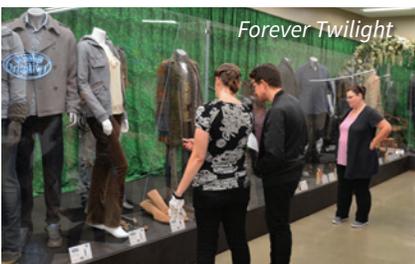
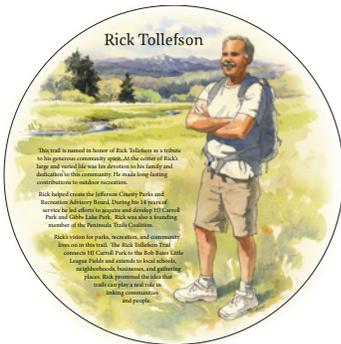
• [OlympicNationalParks.com/lodging/sol-duc-hot-springs-resort/](http://OlympicNationalParks.com/lodging/sol-duc-hot-springs-resort/)

**Lake Crescent Lodge (ONP)** showcases new interpretive guided pontoon boat tours and has expanded its culinary program to include more regional flavors with tastings, pairings and educational presentations from local craft beverage artisans.

• [OlympicNationalParks.com/lodging/lake-crescent-lodge/](http://OlympicNationalParks.com/lodging/lake-crescent-lodge/)

**Log Cabin Resort (ONP)** boasts newly built authentic log cabins with two bedrooms, fresh interior design and new finishes and furnishings that blend with the iconic architecture of the region. • [OlympicNationalParks.com/lodging/log-cabin-resort/](http://OlympicNationalParks.com/lodging/log-cabin-resort/)

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## EAT & DRINK

**Soho Hibachi opens in Port Angeles** with a new Japanese hibachi performance restaurant offering a myriad of Thai and Chinese dishes served in a cozy, brick-walled café with Asian touches and harbor views. • [Facebook.com/Soho-Hibachi-338596723276461](https://www.facebook.com/Soho-Hibachi-338596723276461)

**Main Street Plaza in Sequim** brings new culinary selections. Visit Salty Girls Seafood, Tedesco's Italian Fresh, and the Peninsula Taproom. All three are in the newly renovated plaza in downtown Sequim. • [TedescoFresh.com](https://www.tedescofresh.com) • [SaltyGirlsSeafood.com](https://www.saltygirlsseafood.com) • [PeninsulaTaproom.com](https://www.peninsulataaproom.com)

**Finistère in Port Townsend** is a foodie's fantasy come true celebrating fresh, seasonal, local cuisine at the hand of Chef Deborah Taylor, most recently Executive Chef for Ethan Stowell's Staple and Fancy. • [RestaurantFinistere.com](https://www.restaurantfinistere.com)

**Port Townsend Vineyards Downtown Tasting Room** is located in the heart of the city's National Historic Landmark District, offering visitors and locals alike a glass of wine and a plate of cheese or chocolates. • [PortTownsendVineyards.com/tasting-room](https://www.porttownsendvineyards.com/tasting-room)

**Chimacum's Keg and I Taproom and Restaurant** opens this spring, featuring local drink and fare, with an ode to the classic Betty MacDonald book, "The Egg and I." • [TheKegAndI.com](https://www.thekegandI.com)

**The Ajax Café in Port Hadlock** has been working with the Northwest School of Wooden Boat Building to bring back this longtime favorite with a summer opening. • [AjaxCafe.com](https://www.ajaxcafe.com)

## PLAY

**First Annual Port Angeles Maritime Festival** will be June 9 and 10 and will include tall ships Lady Washington and Hawaiian Chieftain, tours of the U.S. Coast Guard museum tugboat, *Comanche*, a salmon bake and more. • [VisitPortAngeles.com/event/port-angeles-maritime-festival/](https://www.visitportangeles.com/event/port-angeles-maritime-festival/)

**Waterfront Day in Sequim** at the John Wayne Marina is September 15 and includes a sailboat regatta, invitational rowing race, paddleboards, kayaks, canoes and music and food to keep everyone energized. • [PortofPA.com/186/John-Wayne-Marina](https://www.portofpa.com/186/John-Wayne-Marina)

**The Tollefsen Memorial Trail in Chimacum** connects to the Olympic Discovery Trail, linking H.J. Carroll County Park to the baseball fields in Port Hadlock, gives travelers an up-close view of SpringRain Farm and salmon spawning in Chimacum Creek. • [OlympicDiscoveryTrail.org/rick-tollefsen-memorial-trail-is-under-construction](https://www.olympicdiscoverytrail.org/rick-tollefsen-memorial-trail-is-under-construction)

**Forever Twilight in Forks Collection** welcomes you to a gallery of screen-worn costumes and actual props used by your favorite actors at the world's largest collection of *Twilight Saga* props and costumes. • [ForksWA.com/forevertwilightinforks](https://www.forksWA.com/forevertwilightinforks)

**Rain of Terror Haunted House** is the West End's most extreme haunted house come Halloween, with four flights of stairs and 30 rooms, October 12-13, 19-20, 26-27 and Halloween night 7 pm to midnight. • [Facebook.com/forksterror](https://www.facebook.com/forksterror)