General Information and Policies

Rosario Beach Marine Laboratory
Walla Walla University
15510 Rosario Beach Road
Anacortes, WA, 98221

We hope that you will have a wonderful visit at the Rosario Beach Marine Laboratory. Rosario Beach is a special place for those who work, study, relax and worship here and we hope that you will sense and share this rich experience. Your cooperation with these policies is appreciated.

**PLEASE NOTE** we do not supply bedding, pillows, or towels. Guest must plan to bring these items with them.

**CHECK-IN:** 3:00pm or later. Your cabin(s) will be ready when you arrive. **CHECK-OUT:** 11:00 AM

**PARKING:** Please park in designated parking areas only. All roads must be kept open for fire lane access. Please do not park on the lawns around the chapel or in front of the cabins.

**NO PETS Please:** Includes day visitors and RV guests. Guests arriving with a pet will be asked to remove their pet from the campus and the group may be fined $50 for each pet. See the [Rosario Beach Service and Emotional Support Animal Policy](#).

**SMOKING, DRUGS, ALCOHOL, FIREWORKS, SKY LANTERNS, AND FIREARMS** are prohibited on the campus. For the safety of all our guests, people under the influence of alcohol or drugs are not permitted on the campus.

**SUPERVISION:** The appointed Group Leader is responsible for providing sufficient supervision for minors at all times: One responsible sponsor over the age of 18 for every 10 minor children.

**QUIET TIME:** For the comfort of our guests and neighbors, please observe quiet time from 10 pm to 8 am.

**SCUBA DIVING, KAYAKING, CANOEING, BOATING and SKATEBOARDING** are prohibited from/on WWU property due to insurance and liability restrictions. If you bring scuba gear or kayaks for use at other locations, please leave them in/on your vehicle.

**FIRES:** We encourage you to enjoy a fire in our designated campfire circle on the beach. Please do not burn driftwood. Please extinguish your fire before leaving the beach. *Open flames, such as candles and oil lamps, are prohibited in all buildings.*

**EMERGENCIES:** In case of any emergency please call [911](#) immediately. Walla Walla University does not assume any liability or responsibility for accidents or injuries and requires all groups using the Rosario Beach Marine Laboratory to provide a “Certificate of Insurance” (for details see “Facility Rental Contract”). The Rosario Beach Marine Laboratory does not have medical personnel on staff. The nearest medical facility is Island Hospital in Anacortes (approx. 10 minutes away).

**CHECKOUT:** 11 am. Often another group will arrive the same day your group is checking out. We rely on our guests to help keep facilities clean. Please refer to “Cleaning Checklist” posted in each cabin. Please turn off all lights and heaters and return keys.

**FURNITURE:** Please do not move or rearrange beds, furniture or appliances as this can block emergency access to exits and causes damage to walls and floors.

WWU is not responsible for vehicle damage or personal property that is lost or stolen. Lost and found items will be donated to local thrift shops after 30 days. Please reimburse shipping costs for returned items.

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