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Pristine cruising waters offer an escape from it all without going far

With its rugged natural beauty, fascinating local culture, and endless attractions to explore, it's no wonder outdoor enthusiasts are drawn to the San Juan Islands. Its location on the Pacific in Northwest Washington presents a magical cruising opportunity filled with stunning coastal landscapes within the 172 named islands and reefs.

Just off the coast, you'll find the gateway to San Juan Island, Friday Harbor. Historic and just one square mile in size, Friday Harbor is a very walkable hub of San Juan. Friday Harbor is filled with art galleries, museums, bookstores and adorable antique shops. While spending time on land, you will find a wide selection of dining options including many freshly caught seafood options.

The captivating expanse of islands and waterways perfectly suited for exploration by private yacht. One spot not to be missed is Roche Harbor, considered by boating aficionados to be one of the top cruising grounds in the world. Roche Harbor is home to the historic seaside resort, Roche Harbor Resort. Steeped in rich history and surrounded by lush gardens, the harbor is a short cruise from Friday Harbor. The world-class marina offers many amenities including whale watching tours, oyster shucking experiences, spa, grocery store and much more. The glistening waters at Orcas Island create a green oasis that locals call 'the Emerald Isle. Here is a calm, magical mix of arts and culture, captivating forests, pristine lakes and endless outdoor possibilities. The 57 square miles of Ocra Island are rural and hilly, an ideal challenge for cyclists. One of the most beautiful parks on the island is the Moran State Park offering much to do including horseback riding. Keep your eye out for soaring bald eagles, deer, rabbits and more than 250 species of birds!

The San Juan Islands offer a uniquely blended experience including natural parks, towering mountains, plunging waterfalls, and protected bays, alongside welcoming communities, artistic culture, and charming local flair. Whether you decide to hike, bike, fish (imagine the delight of halibut fresh out of the water prepared by your chef!), kayak, paddle, or cruise, the choice is yours on how to further explore this spectacular region.

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PORT TOWNSEND

Begin your journey in Port Townsend, Washington. The historical city close to the sea features extraordinary Victorian architecture and world-class restaurants. Relax on the water as you enjoy views of seemingly endless beaches and densely forested mountains. This quaint town on the peninsula is sure to stay in your memory for years to come.

SUCIA ISLAND

As you embark on your journey, you'll travel to Sucia Island, the crown jewel of the San Juan Islands. Choose between six beautiful locations to anchor around the 14 miles of shoreline. While you're on the island, be sure to check out the one-of-a-kind geological formations along the ten miles of exceptional hiking trails. End the day on the West side of the island by watching stunning sunset views in Shallow Bay.





STUART ISLAND

The tranquil waters off the coast of Stuart Island are only accessible by yacht, making it a yachter's dream location. Watch for river otters, harbor seals, and orca whales as you cruise past the lighthouse at Turn Point and the rolling cliffs at Lovers Leap. Enjoy the remote waters along Stuart Island before you head to the historic Roche Harbor.





ROCHE HARBOR RESORT

Roche Harbor is a favorite among the experienced yachters in the Pacific Northwest. Located on the Northwest side of San Juan Island, you can follow the yellow-brick roads the charming Roche Harbor Resort. The quaint seaside resort offers several waterfront restaurants, shops featuring local artists, and a full-service spa. Be sure to speak with the knowledgeable and friendly locals who can share the rich history of Roche Harbor.

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FRIDAY HARBOR

Just a short trip from Roche Harbor, Friday Harbor is also located on San Juan Island. The bustling town is sure to be one of your favorite destinations. Use transportation on the island to stop by San Juan Vineyards and enjoy a glass of wine. Or walk through a sea of purple aroma at the Pelindaba Lavender Farm. Whether you choose to explore the island or whale watch from your private yacht, this town is sure to leave you impressed.

ROSARIO RESORT ON ORCAS ISLAND

The appropriately named Orcas Island is the largest San Juan island and boasts spectacular views of orca whales. Head to Cascade Bay where you will find the charming Rosario Resort. While you are there enjoy breathtaking ocean views, pristine waterfront dining, dreamy spa treatments, and the captivating history. Orcas Island is nicknamed the gem of the San Juan Islands, after visiting you'll understand why.





INATI BAY/LUMMI ISLAND

The picturesque views of Mount Baker and serene coastline from Inati Bay will leave you stunned. The whimsical and highly exclusive Lummi island offers astonishing views and activities from every beach and inlet. Visit the restaurant at Willows Inn, which was voted the #1 restaurant in North America from 2016-2018 by OAD. (<http://www.opinionatedaboutdining.com/2019/na.html>)

BELLINGHAM

The short trip from Lummi Island to Bellingham is the perfect way to end your journey. The town provides a variety of marinas, restaurants, and activities to choose from. No matter the weather you'll enjoy the sights and sounds of the waves crashing into the shore as you reminisce of the fond memories you created aboard your private yacht.



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OVERVIEW

TIME ZONE: Pacific Daylight Time

CURRENCY: US Dollar, USD

CLIMATE: The San Juan Islands enjoy an average of 247 days with sunshine and about half the rainfall of the Seattle area, thanks to the “rain shadow” effect of the Olympic Mountains to the south. It’s no wonder visitors are attracted to the islands year round!

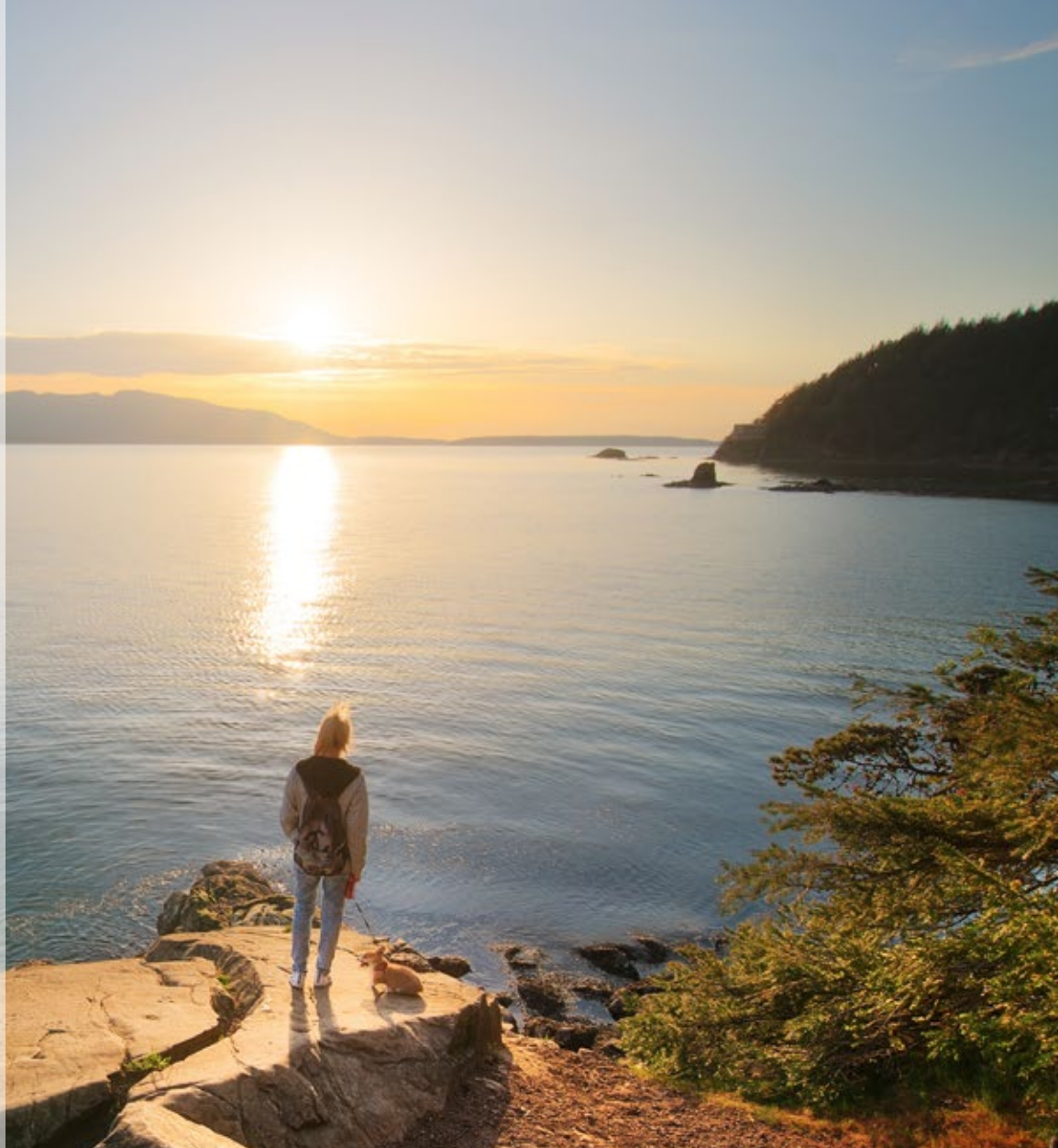
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June: 66° / 47° F

July: 71° / 50° F

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