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CRUISE & STAY INFO & TIPS



DAY 1

Arrive Seattle-Tacoma International Airport

Transfer to downtown Seattle via Light-Rail. 40-minutes @ \$3.25. Stops include South Seattle neighborhoods, the stadium district, the International District/Chinatown and downtown locations.

Check-in hotel.

Explore must-see, iconic attractions with **SEATTLE CityPASS**. Valid 9 days.

Contact: Anne Allen, Director of Tourism Sales, CityPASS, Tel. 208.787.4330, annie@citypass.com

Space Needle (includes two visits to the top in 24 hours)

If you see one thing in Seattle, see everything. Explore jaw-dropping 360° views on the Observation Deck; majestic mountains, sparkling waters, towering skyscrapers and beyond.

Argosy Cruises Harbor Tour

Learn about Seattle on this entertaining one-hour, live-narrated cruise of Elliott Bay and the Seattle Harbor while taking in views of the city skyline.

Seattle Aquarium

Discover playful sea otters, graceful octopuses, luminous moon jellies and more. Be amazed by the Window on Washington Waters, a 120,000-gallon exhibit with daily diver shows. Touch live sea creatures in tide pools. Immerse yourself in the Underwater Dome's 360° view.

Museum of POP Culture (MoPOP)

Experience the power of pop culture at MoPOP's colorful Frank Gehry-designed building! Explore some of the most significant moments in rock music, science fiction and popular culture with hands-on experiences, iconic artefacts and award-winning exhibitions.

OR

Woodland Park Zoo

Connect with nature and discover the world of gorillas, red pandas, lions, birds, reptiles and more at a top award-winning zoo.

Chihuly Garden and Glass

Immerse yourself in a world where curiosity, creativity and color come to life. Throughout the Galleries, ever-changing Garden and signature Glasshouse, you'll be inspired by artist Dale Chihuly's innovation and passion.

OR

Pacific Science Center

Ignite your curiosity. Discover hands-on science fun and watch exciting live demonstrations. Wander among flutter butterflies in the Tropical Butterfly House.

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DAY 2

Explore the cultural and historical roots of Seattle via truly unique tours...

Savor Seattle Pike Place Market Food Tour

Contact: Jennie Dulas, Managing Director, Tel. 206.992.1985, Jennie.Dulas@savorseattletours.com, www.savorseattletours.com

Become a market insider on this behind-the-scenes adventure to experience the sights, sounds and flavours of this historic 100+ year-old landmark. Meet the Market's lively characters and hear their memorable stories. See fish fly, cheese being made, and the "original" Starbucks store. By the end, you'll know the best places to eat at Pike Place Market.

OR

Bill Speidel's Underground Tour

614 First Avenue
Seattle, WA 98104
Tel. 206.682.3705

Contact: Brian Haughton, Marketing Director/COO, brian@undergroundtour.com, www.undergroundtour.com

This is a guided walking tour beneath Seattle's sidewalks and streets. As you roam the subterranean passages that once were the main roadways and first-floor storefronts of old downtown Seattle, guides will regale you with stories the pioneers didn't want you to hear. It's history with a twist!

RECOMMEND

Continue to use the **SEATTLE CityPASS** in the afternoon

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Towards the end of the day, take the **Washington State Ferry** over to Bainbridge Island. This 30-minute ferry ride will provide you with beautiful views of Seattle's skyline. Consider returning after dark to enjoy the city's bright lights. Cost: \$8.50.

On **Bainbridge Island** walk to downtown Winslow to visit shops, art galleries and enjoy the low-key, artistic vibe of Bainbridge Island/Kitsap Peninsula region.

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DAY 3

Boeing Factory Tour via **Show Me Seattle** package tour includes guided coach transport from Seattle to the Boeing Factory and a 90-minute Assembly Plant tour led by Boeing staff. The Boeing assembly plant is home to legendary planes like the 747, 777 and the world's most advanced jetliner, the 787 Dreamliner.

Contact: Dan Lishner, Sales Manager, Show Me Seattle, Tel. 206.633.2489,
dan@showmeseattle.com

Head back to Seattle with coordinated stop at:

Seattle Premium Outlets

10600 Quil Ceda Boulevard, Suite 750

Tulalip, WA 98271

Tel. 360.716.3905

www.premiumoutlets.com/seattle

Contact: Darrick Smale, General Manager, Seattle Premium Outlets, DSmale@simon.com

Seattle Premium Outlets features an upscale collection of over 130 retailers with savings from 30%-65% off. Find the latest fashion, trends, shoes, and accessories with well-known brands. Enjoy the Pacific Northwest feel with an outdoor setting that inspires a refreshing and vibrant lifestyle. An indoor food court provides dining options ranging from Asian cuisine, sandwiches, pizza, pasta and more. Enjoy shopping galore!

OR

Visit **Woodinville Wine Country**, a scenic valley is where the fruit of Eastern Washington meets the vintners, chefs and flavours of the Pacific Northwest. **Bon Vivant Wine Tours** specializes in guided small group tours of interesting wineries and vineyards in Washington State, putting you in direct contact with the people involved in production. Our tours include more than just tasting rooms. Each excursion includes at least one guided tour of a winemaking facility or vineyard. We visit the famous large wineries of Washington and specially selected wineries and vineyards that are relatively unknown or off the beaten track.

Contact: Michael Hughes, President, **Bon Vivant Wine Tours**, Tel. 206.524.8687,
info.bon.vivant.tours@gmail.com, www.bonvivanttours.com

OR

Kenmore Air – Seattle Lake Union

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Seattle, WA 98109

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Tour the Emerald City from the air by taking a seaplane flight. Enjoy the unique thrill of taking off the water and soaring over one of the most beautiful regions in the world. Everyone gets a window seat on this narrated 20-minute sightseeing flight. You'll see Lake Union's famous houseboat communities, the beautiful University of Washington campus, magnificent lakeside and seaside estates, Seattle's professional sports stadiums and the dramatic downtown skyline on bustling Elliott Bay.

OR

Ride the Ducks of Seattle

516 Broad Street
Seattle, WA 98109c
Tel. 206.441.3825

www.ridetheducksofseattle.com

Contact: Tammy Guill, Director of Sales, tammy@ridetheducksofseattle.com

This is a one-of-a-kind experience. Your wacky tour guide will surprise and entertain you with trivia you can use to entertain and entice your clients. They guarantee you'll be amazed and delighted when they turn the bus into a boat and drive straight into the lake. You'll see all the sights of Seattle, but you'll also laugh, learn a lot and maybe even roll your eyes a few times!

OR

Clipper Vacations Whale Watching

2701 Alaskan Way, Pier 69
Seattle, WA 98121
Tel. 206.443.2560

www.victoriaclipper.com

Contact: Kyla Boast, Director of Sales, Tel. 206.443.2560 x 3377, kboast@victoriaclipper.com

Cruise out of downtown Seattle's Pier 69 on the San Juan Clipper for day-long awe-inspiring San Juan Island whale watching adventure. Under the guidance of an expert onboard naturalist, you will be on the lookout for orca and humpback whales. The cruise includes a stop in Friday Harbor for fun exploration.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FRIDAY HARBOR...

The Whale Museum

62 First Street North
Friday Harbor, WA 98250
www.whalemuseum.org

This is the first museum in the world to promote the stewardship of whales through education and research. Engaging interactive exhibits teach about the Salish Sea ecosystem and the marine mammals that inhabit it.

Pelindaba Lavender

150 First Street North
Friday Harbor, WA 98250

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www.pelindabalavender.com

Island Studios (features local artists)
270 Spring Street
Friday Harbor, WA 98250
www.islandstudios.com

Back in Seattle, looking for **NIGHTLIFE?**

Many people are drawn to the hip **Capitol Hill** district, where you'll find trendy bars and clubs.

Another favorite neighborhood is **Belltown**. Check out the cocktail bar, Bathtub Gin and Co. It is decorated in the style of the 1920s. Reminiscent of the Prohibition, there is a hidden entrance down a narrow alley. The Crocodile is a Seattle institution for live music. Throughout its history, the club has welcomed such names as Nirvana, REM and Pearl Jam.

Dancing and top DJs can be found in the **SoDo** neighborhood and for a taste of local brews head for **Ballard** where you will find more than ten craft breweries.

BEING SLEEPLESS IN SEATTLE CAN BE FUN!

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