

Maple Valley

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VISITOR GUIDE

It's a natural fit for you



Lake Wilderness Lodge & Event Center
(with Mt. Rainier view)



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or visit **maplevalleychamber.org/visit**

Welcome



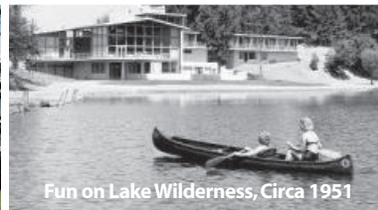
On behalf of the Maple Valley City Council, I would like to extend to you a warm welcome to our city. We hope that you have an enjoyable time and quality experience during your visit. I encourage you to utilize the variety of outdoor recreational amenities which includes Lake Wilderness Park, the Green to Cedar Rivers Trail, and the many top-rated mountain bike trails that we have in the area. There are also opportunities to learn about our city's history through programs offered by the Maple Valley Historical Society. A broad assortment of restaurants and shopping opportunities are available to satisfy you. We are excited to help you discover Maple Valley. I invite you to call us or drop by the office because we have a wealth of information to share with you.

Sincerely,

Sean P. Kelly
Mayor of Maple Valley



Lodge and Airstrip, Circa 1951



Fun on Lake Wilderness, Circa 1951



Maple Valley voted
**“One of the
Top 10 Best Towns
for Families”**

– Family Circle Magazine

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Maple Valley,
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Lake Wilderness Lodge & Marina

- King County Historical Landmark
- National Register of Historic Places



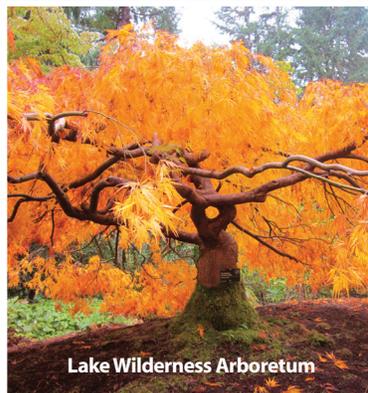
Lake Wilderness Recreation Area

Lake Wilderness Lodge was constructed in the early 1950's and originally named Gaffney's Resort. It was an active year-round vacation destination that included boat and swim facilities, airstrip, ballroom, rental accommodations and restaurant. The lodge is surrounded by a 108-acre park and it is nestled on the shores of Lake Wilderness. Just 20 miles southeast of Seattle, the Park and Lodge are surrounded by wildlife, hiking trails and Mt. Rainier as a magnificent backdrop.

Park Amenities:

- Historic Lake Wilderness Lodge & Event Center
- 108-acre park with lake
- Disc golf course
- 18-hole golf course
- Arboretum
- Easy access to Green to Cedar Rivers Trail
- Tennis courts
- Kids play area
- Picnic areas
- Public Beach & Beach House
- Marina/Boat Launch (non-motorized boats only)
- Outdoor Amphitheater

Visit City of Maple Valley website for more information: www.maplevalleywa.gov/parks





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Mountain Biking

All trails lead to Maple Valley, Washington! Mt. Rainier is a fitting backdrop to our endless natural beauty, parks, trails and outdoor recreation opportunities.

Maple Valley Mountain Bike Trails:

See trail map inside for numbered trail locations:

- 47 Henry's Ridge
- 48 Black Diamond Open Space
- 49 Summit Ridge
- 50 Lake Sawyer
- 51 Green River Gorge
- 52 Tiger Mountain

Visit the Evergreen Mountain Bike Alliance for detailed trail info:

www.evergreenmtb.org

Hiking

Over 50 miles of hiking trails in the Maple Valley area:

- 34 Green to Cedar Rivers Trail
- 35 Cedar River Trail
- 36 Cedar Creek Park Trail
- 37 Rock Creek Natural Area
- 38 Danville-Georgetown Open Space

Visit King County Parks for detailed trail info: www.kingcounty.gov



Area Activities Map

Outdoor Recreation

- Henry's Ridge Open Space
- Lake Wilderness Park
- Lake Wilderness Arboretum
- Lake Wilderness Golf Course
- Gaffney's Disc Golf Course
- Take-A-Break Park
- Cedar Creek Park
- Rock Creek Natural Area
- Danville-Georgetown Open Space
- Tiger Mountain State Forest
- Kanaskat-Palmer State Park
- Black Diamond Open Space
- Federation Forest State Park
- Flaming Geyser State Park
- Legacy Site
- Shadow Lake Nature Preserve
- Lake Sawyer Regional Park
- Ravensdale Park
- Summit Park & Ballfields (2019)
- Taylor Mountain
- Tahoma High School Sports Complex

Shopping Areas & Dining

- Wilderness Business Park
- Maple Valley Plaza
- Wilderness Village
- Maple Valley Center
- Maple Valley Town Square
- Four Corners Square
- Safeway Plaza
- 4 Corners Village
- Frontier Square
- Sawyer's Village
- Maple Valley Commons
- Diamond Square

Trails

- Green to Cedar Rivers Trail
- Cedar River Trail
- Cedar Creek Park Trail
- Rock Creek Natural Area
- Danville-Georgetown Open Space

Historic

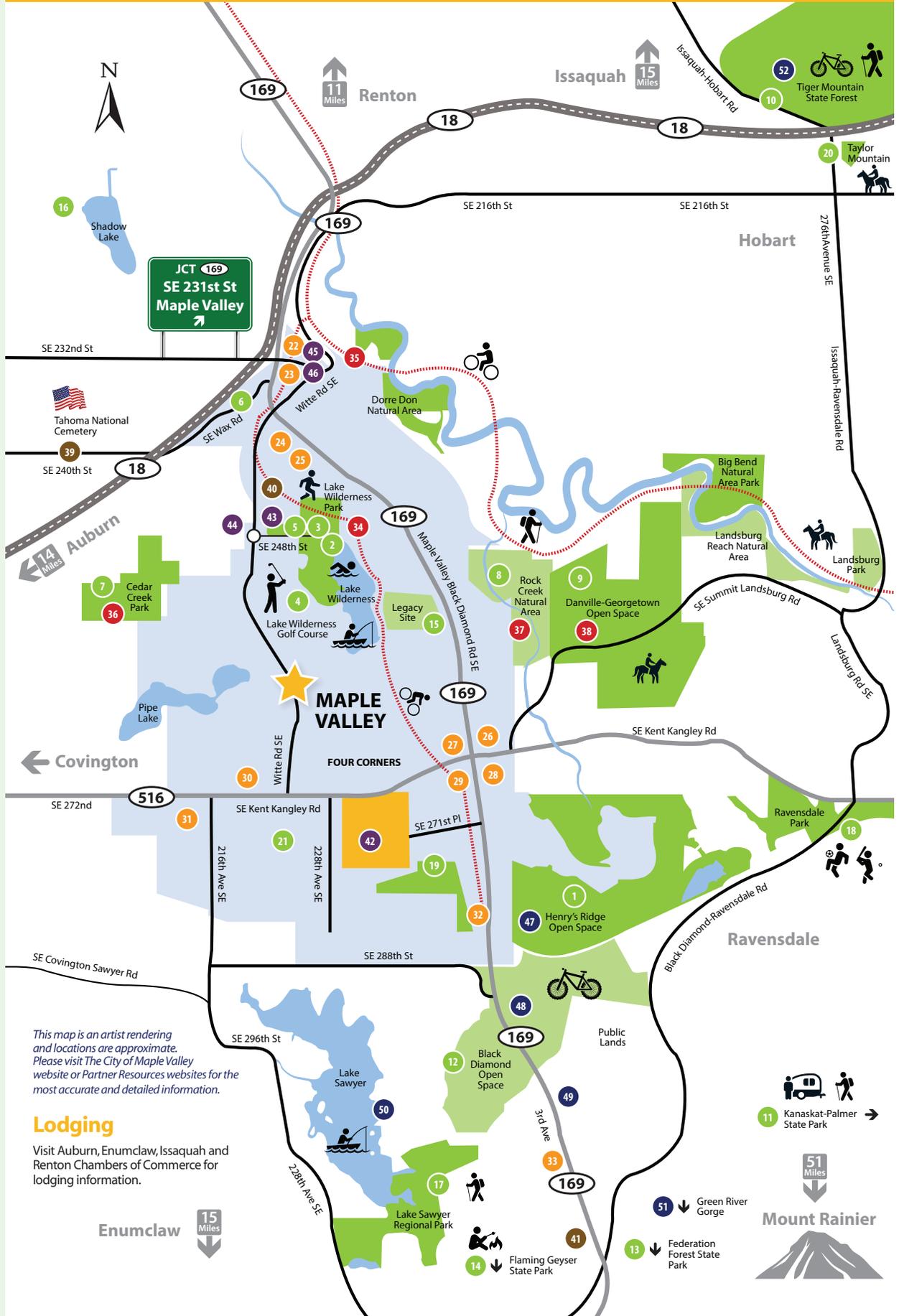
- Tahoma National Cemetery
- Maple Valley Historical Society Museum
- Black Diamond Old Town District/Museum

Arts & Culture

- Tahoma High School & Performing Arts Center
- Maple Valley Community Center
- Maple Valley Library
- Maple Valley Creative Arts Council
- Maple Valley Youth Symphony Orchestra

Mountain Bike Trails

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- Black Diamond Open Space
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This map is an artist rendering and locations are approximate. Please visit The City of Maple Valley website or Partner Resources websites for the most accurate and detailed information.

Lodging

Visit Auburn, Enumclaw, Issaquah and Renton Chambers of Commerce for lodging information.



Events & Festivals

Maple Valley has a wide variety of events through out the year, from Hometown Holidays in winter to Maple Valley Days in the summer.

Major Events

- Lake Wilderness Arboretum.....March-October
- Fishing DerbyApril
- Maple Valley Days.....June
- Lake Wilderness TriathlonJune
- Music in the Park.....June-August
- Shakespeare in the Park.....June-August
- Maple Valley Farmers' MarketJune-September
- Fourth of July Family Picnic & Fireworks..July
- Taste of Maple Valley.....July
- Oktoberfest.....September
- Cascade 6-hour Adventure Race.....November
- Hometown HolidaysDecember

"Voted 10 Best Farmer's Market in WA for 2018"

For exact dates and complete event details visit:

www.maplevalleychamber.org/visit

Partner Resources

To learn more about activities in the area, visit the websites listed below:

- **Back Country Horsemen of Washington**
www.bchw.org
- **Cascade Orienteering**
www.cascadeoc.org
- **Cedar River Watershed Tours** (Seattle Public Utilities)
www.seattle.gov/util/environmentconservation
- **Evergreen Mountain Bike Alliance**
www.evergreenmtb.org
- **Geocaching.com**
www.geocaching.com
- **King County Parks**
www.kingcounty.gov
- **Maple Valley Farmers' Market**
www.maplevalleyfarmersmarket.com
- **Mountains to Sound Greenway**
www.mtsgreenway.org
- **Outdoor Recreation Trail Maps & Mobile Apps**
www.adventureprojects.net
- **Rails to Trails Conservancy**
www.trailink.com
- **Washington State Parks**
www.parks.wa.gov
- **Washington Trails Association**
www.wta.org



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