

Welcome to our 30th Year of THE SKAGIT VALLEY TULIP FESTIVAL

I do not know of any other “Valley” as beautiful as the Skagit Valley. When the sun comes out, the fields are magnificent in color, framed by snow-covered Mt. Baker in the background.

Visitors come from all 50 states and over 50 foreign countries with hundreds of thousands of people taking in the over 40 activities and events you will see in this brochure. Our Festival has grown from 3 days in 1984 to the entire month of April.

There are hundreds of acres of tulips. We have two growers who each have outstanding display gardens. Both Washington Bulb

(RoozenGaarde) and the DeGoede farm (Tulip Town) have flowers that will capture your heart and take your breath away.

We encourage you to take in the events of our beautiful valley. Please drive or ride safely and help us to keep our valley beautiful.

Be safe – we hope to see you again.

Thanks for visiting!

Greg Peck

President, Board of Directors

TULIP SHOW GARDENS *(Full listings on pages 8 & 10)*

Two stunningly beautiful gardens are ready for you to visit during your festival outing. Between the two gardens over 1 million bulbs in all the colors of the rainbow have been planted for your viewing pleasure. Both gardens have many acres of flowers. Stroll through the gardens to find your favorite picture spot. You can order bulbs, buy cut flowers and purchase gifts. Both RoozenGaarde and Tulip Town are distinctive and offer you completely different experiences. We highly recommend you visit both.

VIEWING the IMMENSE TULIP FIELDS

The vast multi-acre fields of tulips and daffodils are grown in the fertile Skagit River Valley, generally in a 15-mile triangle bordered by Highway 20, the Skagit River, and the Swinomish Channel. The “field flowers” are grown and harvested by Washington Bulb Co., Inc./ RoozenGaarde, one of the world’s largest growers of tulips. For more information turn to page 9 and consult the Festival and Tulip Locator Map in the center of the brochure. Specific directions and suggested routes from I-5 can be found on page 23. For current bloom information on the fields, visit www.tulips.com/bloommap.cfm.

WHEN to COME? *Whenever you have time!*

Least crowded times: Weekdays! Weekends tend to be more crowded, but if you come early morning you can often avoid the rush. The show gardens, fields and festival activities/events are some distance apart, so you should plan on driving between locations.

WHEN do TULIPS BLOOM?

Tulips bloom according to Mother Nature – buds can begin to color as soon as late March, or wait until closer to mid-April. Warm spring weather produces an early bloom; cold weather a later season. Once a tulip field begins to color, that particular field will usually stay in bloom for about 2 weeks. Each field is planted with different varieties, meaning not all fields will bloom at the exact same time. Both RoozenGaarde and Tulip Town will have flowers to see throughout April because of the many different varieties they plant. To fully enjoy the festival, we recommend you also visit an event or activity – there is truly something for everybody.

WHERE is THE SKAGIT VALLEY

- ✓ 60 miles north of Seattle
- ✓ 60 miles south of Vancouver, BC

Directly off I-5 - Use exits 221–231;

all of these exits have tulip brochures at a nearby business. **See pages 9 and 23** for tips on getting around.



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Scan this code with your smart phone
QR app to download GPS coordinates
for the fields and gardens;
www.TulipFestival.org
(360) 428-5959



Be sure to visit us!

www.Facebook.com/SkagitValleyTulipFestival



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Your Scenic
Adventure**

SCHEDULE of EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

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SPECIAL EVENTS FEB/MARCH

(See information on all listings starting on page 32)

Key Bank Tulip Ambassador Event

February 7

Tulip Days Basketball Tournament

March 22 - 24

HSG/Peoples Bank Presents 2013 Gala Celebration

March 28

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SCHEDULE of EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

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CELEBRATE SPRING AT TULIP TOWN!

Cut and potted tulips, art gallery, gift shop, kite flying, garden plants, face painting, espresso and snacks. Trolleys run 10am-4pm daily, weather permitting.

15002 Bradshaw Rd, Mount Vernon, 98273

Open Daily

April 1 - 30

9am - 5pm

(Later, if the weather permits)

(360) 424-8152



Admission \$5 per adult

Children 10 & Under

FREE

(Sorry, no pets)

Visit us on Facebook

www.tuliptown.com

VETERAN'S MEMORIAL GARDEN

Dedication: April 12, 10 a.m.



Globe Garden painting by Jennifer Bowman in honor of the World's Tulip Summit.



Indoor flower show with background mural painted by artist Jennifer Bowman.



Windmill garden with pond, featuring unusual tulip varieties and water wheel garden, filled with newly hybridized tulips.



Ride our trolleys and experience unique panoramic viewing of the tulip fields for perfect photos.

Photos courtesy of Peter Cherry



TIPS on TOURING the FESTIVAL

TULIPS – “Field tulips” will bloom sometime during April. We don’t know exactly when because we can’t control the bloom – that’s up to Mother Nature. The two gardens will have beautiful blooms to see ALL of APRIL because they plant many flower varieties – some bloom early in the season, some in the middle and others at the end. So, when you come, there will be blooming flowers to see!

FIELDS & RAIN – Rain and April and tulips all go together, but our Pacific Northwest rain can make the fields VERY SLICK and VERY SLIPPERY. The fields are also uneven terrain, so be sure to wear appropriate shoes! And, if it’s really rainy, we have lots of indoor events and activities – and even an indoor flower show at Tulip Town.



DRIVING – The festival is designed as a driving tour where you travel from place to place. Our events are MILES apart, so be prepared if you decide to tour by foot or bike. VISITING MID-WEEK will help you bypass the crowds. In addition, on Saturdays and Sundays come before 11 a.m. for the least crowded times. Our map in the middle of the brochure is a good guide to use to get around. Be aware it is not to scale.

PARKING – FREE parking is available at the two gardens, RoozenGaarde and Tulip Town. RoozenGaarde parking is located in the lot on Beaver Marsh Road, across from the garden. Tulip Town has its main lot on Bradshaw Road and an auxiliary lot further north on Bradshaw that is opened during busy times, weather permitting.



RoozenGaarde also has other designated parking areas by the tulip fields – these will be open DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER. Look for the RoozenGaarde sign shown here for the official festival parking areas. Parking in these official lots is included with a paid admission to RoozenGaarde (just show your ticket stub). These tickets cannot be used for admission to Tulip Town. *Why weather-dependent?* It rains a lot in April and sometimes the lots cannot support the weight of vehicles.

Private Parking – Enterprising Skagit landowners sometimes decide to open their private property to visitors to park their cars. They charge for parking. They are not affiliated with the festival and the money you pay cannot be used for admission to either garden or official parking areas.

Shoulder Parking – This is very limited and regulated by the Skagit County Sheriff’s office. The NO PARKING areas are for your safety – our roads and shoulders are narrow and there often is not room for you to park safely. Officers will issue tickets to violators.



PETS – Animals are not allowed in Tulip Town or RoozenGaarde.



tulips.com/bloommap

A division of **Washington Bulb Co., Inc.**, the largest flower bulb grower in the U.S. with 1000+ acres of Skagit Valley tulip, daffodil, and iris fields. Owned by the Rozen family – tulip growers in Holland and the United States since the early 1700's. Come visit our beautiful 3½ acre Display Garden planted with over ¼ million bulbs & featuring an authentic Dutch windmill! Great photo opportunities abound. Our full-color bulb catalog offers **FREE TULIP BULBS!** Stroll the Display Garden and mark your favorite flowers – over 150 varieties are on display and labeled for convenience. Each year we redesign and replant the garden with a new layout featuring unique floral designs, brilliant color combinations, and flowering rivers of deep blue muscari! Choose from your favorite tulip varieties freshly cut from our fields – buy 4 bunches and get the 5th FREE! **After visiting RozenGaarde, use your admission ticket for FREE parking at all of our tulip fields – totaling 350 acres of blooms!**

- 🌷 See www.Facebook.com/tulipsdotcom for more pictures.
- 🌷 Growing in our Display Garden: 100+ tulip varieties and 150 varieties in total - including daffodils, hyacinths, crocus, iris, & specialty flowers. Planted next to the garden is a 15-acre tulip field filled with seemingly endless rows of color.
- 🌷 New plantings, photo ops, and varieties added for 2013.
- 🌷 To obtain the most up to date and reliable bloom information check out our **Bloom Map** at www.Tulips.com.
- 🌷 An improved gravel parking lot will better serve our tulip time visitors.
- 🌷 Special discount offer for bulb orders placed at our garden!
- 🌷 Meet 2013 poster artist Karen Sisteck on April 6th, 14th, 20th, and 28th – and get your Tulip Festival art signed.
- 🌷 Open year round, our retail shop offers unique gifts for the home and garden, fresh flowers, and has picnic, wedding & event areas. Food & espresso available during the Festival.
- 🌷 Garden admission: \$5 per person; \$4 for military with I.D. Children 10 and under are FREE. Parking is FREE. **Admission ticket provides free access to ALL parking areas located in our RozenGaarde/WBC tulip fields.** Admission charge only applies to the spring bloom period. Season passes available. We accept all major credit cards.
- 🌷 **Open daily 9-7.** Sorry, no pets permitted in the garden.

Order the freshest flowers and biggest bulbs online: www.tulips.com. **WE SHIP FRESH CUT FLOWERS YEAR ROUND** direct from our farm to **ANYWHERE IN THE UNITED STATES.** 15867 Beaver Marsh Rd, Mount Vernon, WA 98273. (360) 424-8531.



Skagit Valley Tulip Festival OFFICIAL MERCHANDISE



You can purchase our merchandise from the Tulip Festival office (311 W Kincaid St., Mount Vernon), from many local merchants, including the two gardens, or by visiting www.tulipfestival.org. In addition, the businesses listed below have developed specialty products that you can purchase directly from them.

OFFICIAL WINE

Pasek Cellars Winery Tasting Room
18279 Fir Island Rd, Mount Vernon, WA (360) 445-4048
www.pasekcellars.com

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OFFICIAL MICROBEER

Anacortes Brewery & Rockfish Grill
320 Commercial Ave, Anacortes, WA (360) 588-1720
www.anacortesrockfish.com

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OFFICIAL COFFEE

Fidalgo Bay Coffee Roasters
856 North Hill Blvd Burlington, WA (360) 757-8818
www.fidalgobaycoffee.com

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OFFICIAL JEWELRY

Warren Jewelers
1126 S Burlington Blvd, Burlington (360) 707-5444
www.warrenjewelers.net

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OFFICIAL CHOCOLATE

Forté Artisan Chocolate
1400 Riverside Dr Suite D, Mount Vernon (360) 982-2159
www.fortechocolates.com

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SPECIAL EVENTS

30 Days of April

With the generous support of several of our faithful sponsors, we introduce "30 Days of April" for this, our 30th annual Tulip Festival.

Here's how it works: each day during our Festival, we will feature an item that a visitor to the Festival can win. In some cases, potential winners will need to come to the Tulip Festival office at 311 W. Kincaid St. in downtown Mount Vernon to try their luck, while, in others, they'll actually visit one of our sponsors to enter.

On February 1, 2013, further information, including a list of prizes and sponsors, will be posted on our website, www.tulipfestival.org under the media tab. Interested friends of the Festival may also request a list by sending an email to info@tulipfestival.org.

2013 Photo Contest

By popular demand, the Skagit Valley Tulip Festival is running a photo contest on our Facebook page. Check www.facebook.com/SkagitValleyTulipFestival in early March to find out the details. Submit your photos and vote on selected finalists. The winning photographer will have his or her photo published in the 2014 Official Brochure and win a prize package.

2013 Poster Artist Karen Sistik

Poster Signings

Karen will sign your poster and have other pieces available at:

RoozenGaarde

15867 Beaver Marsh Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

April 6, 14, 20, 28, 10 am-2 pm ★

Tulip Town

15002 Bradshaw Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

April 7, 13, 21, 27 10 am-2 pm ★

2013 Student Design Outreach

Exhibition at:

Museum of Northwest Art

121 S First St
La Conner, WA 98257

(360) 466-4446

April 1-30

Sun - Mon Noon-5 pm

Tues - Sat 10 am-5 pm

www.museumofnwart.org

See the top four designs from this new program which showcases Skagit Valley high school artists. The Walmart Foundation funded this project, awarding grants to both the art students and their schools.

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Anacortes Spring Wine Festival

Port of Anacortes Transit Shed Event Center - 1st & Commercial Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221

(360) 293-7911

April 13, Noon-4:30 pm, Tickets from \$40

www.anacortes.org

This event combines 30 regional vintners and 6 restaurants, resulting in great wine-tasting, wonderful appetizers and live music. 6

Anacortes Quilt Walk

Downtown Anacortes

(360) 333-9311

April 1-30, Hours Vary

www.fidalgoislandquilters.com

Sponsored by the Fidalgo Island Quilters. Follow the tulip signs through downtown Anacortes to view hundreds of quilts and wearable art. Maps at participating merchants and Anacortes Visitors Center. 6

Burlington Scrapbooking

& Craft Supply Swap Meet

Burlington Parks and Rec. Center

900 E Fairhaven Ave

Burlington, WA 98233

(360) 755-9649

April 13, 9 am-Noon

www.ci.burlington.wa.us

You'll find tons of supplies here to feed your hobby appetite! Free admission, bringing shopping bags and cash. 10

Downtown Mount Vernon Street Fair

First Street

Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 336-3801

April 19-21, Fri & Sat 10 am-6 pm,

Sun 10 am-5 pm

www.mountvernondowntown.org

www.facebook.com/tulipfestivalstreetfair

29th Annual Tulip Festival Street Fair, presented by the Mount Vernon Downtown Association. Featuring 100s of juried

arts and crafts vendors from more than 8 states. Live entertainment at multiple locations, children's activities and a wonderful variety of food concessions to choose from. 11

Gardening Workshops at WSU

Discovery Garden

16650 State Route 536

Mount Vernon, WA 98273

April 13, 16 and 20 at 1 pm

Free, donations gladly accepted. Attendees on April 13 and 20 will learn tips from the experts on spring-related plantings. April 16 workshop is in the WSU Research Auditorium and will feature "Underground Gems," bulb care and planting. Groups of 10 or more must reserve space at tonitulp@comcast.net. 32

Historic Home Tour - 4th Annual

(360) 466-3365

April 6, 10 am-5 pm

www.skagitcounty.net/museum

Visit some of Skagit County's loveliest vintage homes! Tickets \$15 in advance, \$20 day of event. Contact Skagit County Historical Museum for ticket info. 13

J & L Art Show Opening Reception

Tulip Valley Winery

16163 State Route 536 (Memorial Hwy)

Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 428-6894

April 5, 6 pm-8 pm

Live music, lite appetizers, wine tasting and door prizes! 35



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Kid's Giant Garage Sale
Burlington Parks & Rec Center
900 E Fairhaven Ave
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 755-9649

April 20, 9 am-Noon
www.ci.burlington.wa.us
This event is AWESOME! The KIDS have cleaned out their rooms, closets, and garages to sell their toys, books, sports gear, and more! New and gently used items. Free admission, bring shopping bags and cash. **10**

Kiwanis Salmon Barbecue
Hillcrest Lodge, 1717 S 13th St
Mount Vernon, WA 98274
(360) 428-5959 for groups of 15+.
April 6-28, 11 am-7 pm
26th Annual! Alder grilled salmon with baked potato, coleslaw, garlic bread, beverages and ice cream. Reg/Large plate \$12, Small/Medium plate \$10. Visa/MC. I-5 Exit 226, head east, turn R on 13th St., 4 blocks to Hillcrest Park. **4**

PACCAR Technical Center Open House
12479 Farm To Market Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 757-8311
April 13, 11 am-3 pm ONLY / FREE
See our trucks and how we test them. 242-acre site provides test and development for all PACCAR divisions, including Kenworth, Peterbilt, and DAF trucks. The tour highlights test labs and trucks manufactured by PACCAR. We are 1 mile N of Hwy 20 on Farm to Market Rd. **38**

Order Up! Vendor Party
Burlington Parks and Rec Center
900 E Fairhaven Ave
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 755-9649
April 27, 10 am-2 pm
www.ci.burlington.wa.us
Over 20+ Independent Consultants in a fun party atmosphere! Purchase products onsite or order from your favorite home party vendors selling jewelry, food items, health and beauty, home décor, gifts and more! Free admission. Coffee and snacks available. **10**

Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs: A Tulip Festival Concert
Bethany Covenant Church
1318 S 18th St
Mount Vernon, WA 98274
(360) 424-9399
Sat, April 20, 7 pm
www.bccmv.net
After a day in the tulips come enjoy this uplifting concert that features excellent choirs of all ages and the joyful sounds of the Bethany Bells. Free admission and refreshments after the program. **18**

The Art of Gardening Event
The Depot, 611 R Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 293-1918
Sat & Sun, April 27-28, 10 am-4 pm
www.anacortesfarmersmarket.org
Celebrate gardening at this exciting event featuring regional vendors, display gardens and exhibitors with a focus on backyard farming, gardening and art specifically designed for the garden. Enjoy food, a sunny beer and wine garden and live entertainment all day! **6**

Tulip Frolic
Gilkey Square
Downtown La Conner 98257
(360) 428-5959
April 13, 11 am-2 pm
Join us for toe-tapping fun in La Conner's Gilkey Square. Free entertainment under the tent on the big stage. Fundraiser for La Conner Boys and Girls Club who operate the Kid Zone. **13**

Tulip Pedal – 32nd Annual
Safe Kids Skagit County and Group Health
La Conner Middle School
503 N Sixth La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 428-3236
April 20
www.skagititems.com
www.active.com for registration
Registration from 7 am-Noon.
Course open until 4 pm.
Ride on your own on 20, 40 and 60-mile routes, or ride all three! Pre-registration: \$30. Day-of: \$35. Technical jerseys available for \$12. Kids 14 and under free. **13**

Tulip Run – 28th Annual
Skagit Regional Airport
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 540-1611
April 6, 9:30 am start
www.tuliprun.com
Join us. Be a part of Skagit Valley Tulip Festival's premier running event. This scenic 2 or 5 mile course is flat and fast on gravel packed trails. It's an experience the whole family will enjoy. Free to 14 and under (to encourage you) and free to 70 and older (you deserve it!). Otherwise, \$12 or \$22 w/shirt. Info and register on-line. **17**

Tulip Town Children's Art Table
Tulip Town
15002 Bradshaw Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-8152
Mon - Fri 10 am-3:30 pm
www.tuliptown.com

See complete listing on page 8. ★

US Bank Parade
First Street
LaConner, WA 98257
(360) 428-5959
April 13, 2 pm
www.tulipfestival.org
Day of parade entries welcome!
US Bank proudly sponsors the 28th Annual Kiwanis Club of La Conner Not So Impromptu Tulip Parade. Join in the fun either as a spectator or participant. No entry is too small; wacky impromptu entries welcome – farm animals, mascots and your favorite pets. Spectators: bring your lawn chairs. Line up for the parade is on 6th Street in La Conner at the school complex. Entry forms available at Skagit County US Bank branches and on-line at www.tulipfestival.org. NEW This year: VIP seating awarded day-of-parade -- watch for wandering US Bank employees and Kiwanians to get your reserved seat by the judges' stand. **13**

Student Design Outreach Program

SEE ORIGINAL DESIGNS
by high school artists at the
Museum of Northwest Art, 121 S. First St. in La Conner.
The top 4 designers received grants for their work and for their schools. See listing on page 12 for more details.

Brought to you by the Walmart Foundation Walmart



Come See The Secret Garden

An entrancing and haunting
musical for the whole family!

The Lincoln Theatre
Downtown Mount Vernon
April 12 - 28, 2013

www.lincolnthatre.org
Presented by META

Events at a Glance

Veteran's Memorial Dedication

Tulip Town
15002 Bradshaw Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-8152
April 12 10 am
www.tuliptown.com

Tulip Town has constructed a special Veteran's Memorial section in their show garden to honor all branches of our service men and women. The dedication ceremony will begin at 10 am with speakers from VFW and entertainment. All Veterans and Active Duty Military will be admitted free on April 12 from 9 am to Noon. ID will be required. ★

Woodfest

Sedro-Woolley High School
1235 Third St
Sedro-Woolley, WA 98284
(360) 855-1841
www.sedro-woolley.com
April 6 & 7 Sat 9 am-4 pm
Sun 10 am-3 pm
Chainsaw carving demos and sales, professional woodcraft vendors, student competitions, silent auction, wood carving raffle. Tasty treats; fun for the entire family. Located in the high school gym. 3

World's Largest Garage Sale

Skagit County Fairgrounds
1410 Virginia St
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
April 12 - 13
(360) 336-9414
www.skagitcounty.net/fairgrounds
fairgrounds@co.skagit.wa.us
Over 100 vendors! Antiques, crafts, food, jewelry and items galore! "Something for Everyone!" 11

POINTS of INTEREST

Anacortes Arts Festival

On Ensemble Concert
Broadniak Hall
2200 M Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 293-6211
April 26, 8 pm
www.anacortesartsfestival.com
Enjoy an incredible performance by the acclaimed neo-traditional Japanese drumming group On Ensemble presented by the Anacortes Arts Festival. By infusing the powerful rhythms of ensemble Japanese drumming with elements of hip-hop, rock and electronica, On Ensemble's unique sound has been praised as original and brilliantly conceived. 6

Downtown Burlington Art Walk

Fairhaven Ave
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 755-9717 or (360) 757-0994
April 1-30, FREE
Enjoy a Touch of Art in Downtown Burlington on Fairhaven Avenue during the Festival. Art Walk Tour brochures are at the Visitor Information Center, 520 E. Fairhaven Ave. 10

Eaglemont Golf Club

4800 Eaglemont Dr
Mount Vernon, WA 98274
(360) 424-0800
www.eaglemontgolf.com
Eaglemont is an 18-hole championship public golf course ranked top 10 in Washington State by Golf Digest. Its brand new club house offers a world-class venue and a restaurant & bar with arguably the best view in the valley. 37

LaConner Sculpture Tour

LaConner, WA 98257
(360) 466-3125
FREE
www.lovelaconner.com
Enjoy the sculptures on display throughout LaConner. Map available at Chamber of Commerce and participating merchants. 13

Lincoln Theatre

712 S First St
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 336-8955
Various events during April -
Doors open 2 hours before events
April 19 - 21 Open House
www.ilovethelincoln.com
Gem of an historic theatre in downtown Mount Vernon presenting a wide range of concerts, HD broadcasts of the Met and National Theatre (London), films, and special events throughout the year. Something for everyone! Open House during Street Fair. 11

Padilla Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve

10441 Bayview-Edison Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 428-1558
Wed - Sun 10 am-5 pm
www.padillabay.gov
Padilla Bay, the only National Estuarine Research Reserve in Washington State. Public welcome! Breazeale Interpretive Center featuring new salt water aquaria, interactive exhibits, reference library, gift shop, trails, bird watching tips and a Heron-cam. Bike friendly. Free. 20

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www.warrenjewelers.net

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ART SHOWS & GALLERIES

Art at the Schoolhouse

Christianson's Nursery
15806 Best Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 466-3821

April 5-28, 10 am-5 pm

www.stanwoodarts.com

The Stanwood Camano Arts Guild returns to the historic schoolhouse on the grounds of Christianson's Nursery offering paintings, photography, glass art, mixed media, turned wood, and jewelry. **23**

ART BASH

At the Farmhouse Restaurant
13724 La Conner Whitney Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 466-0382

April 1 - 28, 11 am-7 pm

www.artleaguenorthwa.com

Art Bash is an annual presentation by Art League North, an eclectic group of outstanding artists working in various media. **24**

Art Gallery at Tulip Town

Tulip Town
15002 Bradshaw Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 424-8152

www.tuliptown.com

See complete listing on page 8. ★

Art in a Pickle Barn

At Azusa Farm and Gardens
14904 State Route 20
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
April 1 - 30, 10 am-6 pm
www.skagitart.org
www.azusafarm.com

The Art in a Pickle Barn Show, with both 2D and 3D art, returns to the fields at an exciting new location. Enjoy watercolor, oil, acrylic, pen and pencil, photography, pastels, charcoal, glass, ceramic, jewelry, and various other mediums as you stroll through the lovely plants. **5**

J & L Art Show

Tulip Valley Winery
16163 State Route 536 (Memorial Hwy)
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 428-6894

April 1 - 30

Mon - Thurs Noon-5 pm,

Fri - Sun 10 am-6 pm

www.facebook.com/JLArtShow

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Pleasant Ridge Gallery at Rexville

19299 Rexville Grange Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 466-0469

Pre-show (360) 661-1850

Daily April 5 - 21, 10 am-6 pm

('til 8 pm on April 5)

www.pleasantridgegalleryatrexville.com

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Karen Sistek

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Karen's work is on exhibition at Courtyard Gallery in La Conner.

See more of her work at www.karensistekstudio.com.

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Events at a Glance

River Gallery

19313 Landing Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 466-4524

Open Wed-Sun, 10 am-5 pm
www.rivergallerywa.com
See 2004 Festival Poster Artist Jennifer Bowman's work, plus juried pieces from over two dozen professional Northwest artists. **39**

Sauk Mountain Pottery

18772 Best Rd, Mount Vernon, WA
(360) 610-6354
April 1 - 30, 10 am-5 pm
Wood-fired stoneware and porcelain with celebrated tulip designs again in the small barn behind the blue and white Colonial-style house on Best Rd. Park out front and follow the footpath to the pottery. Find us on Facebook. **26**

Skagit Artists Together Tenth Annual Studio Tour

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www.skagitart.com
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Located on historic Kristoferson Farm, our tour features six ziplines, two beautiful trails, a log bridge, and a dramatic 54-foot final rappel! Zip through the trees seeing the beauty of a Pacific Northwest forest from a whole new perspective. **41**

Exclusive Helicopter Field Tours by Sky Fly'n' Helicopter

1/4 mile E of Lefebber Turf, Hwy 536
(360) 377-4115
Fri-Sun in April, 10 am-Dusk
Experience the beauty of the tulip fields from the air. No reservations needed. Call for dates and fares. **27**

Orcas Island Eclipse Charters & Wildlife Tours

Departs from Anacortes and Orcas Island
(360) 376-6566 or (800) 376-6566
www.orcasislandwhales.com
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SeattleHeliTours.com

13724 La Conner Whitney Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
810 S First St, La Conner, WA 98257
(206) 767-0515
Weekends in April
www.SeattleHeliTours.com
Scenic helicopter tours depart from the Farmhouse Restaurant in Mount Vernon on Saturday and Sunday, Moore Clark Deck in La Conner on Fridays. Tours are approx. 15 minutes and can be customized to fit your needs. Enjoy picturesque views of the tulips, Deception Pass, and the amazing Skagit Valley! **24 13**

Shutter Tours Photo Tour

1916 Pike Place, Suite 12
Seattle, WA 98101
(877) TOURS02 or (206) 504-2128
April 1 - 28
www.shuttertours.com
Relax in our comfortable tour bus with a top rated tour company. In addition to seeing tulips, you'll receive simple tips to improve your photography. Stops include La Conner, Rosario Beach, and Deception Pass. Seattle hotel pickups available.

Tulip Country Bike Rental

13391 Avon Allen Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-7461
www.countrycycling.com
Explore on your own! Bike Rentals include equipment, self guided maps, festival tips/information. \$40 adults, \$10 per child trailer or tag-a-long bike per day. **29**

Tulip Country Bike Tours

13391 Avon Allen Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-7461
www.countrycycling.com
Join a local guide for a stress free cycling adventure! Tours follow the best routes with stops at fields, festival events & viewing gardens. Reservations required. Fri. - Sun. 9:30 am - 2:30 pm. \$80 individuals / \$70 for groups of 4 or more; Includes private lunch at a local farm, snacks & drinks. Family tours also available. **29**

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www.goldenglencreamery.com

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Rosabella's Garden Bakery

8933 Farm to Market Rd

Bow, WA 98232

(360) 766-6360

April hours: Thurs - Sat 9 am-4 pm

www.rosabellagarden.com

Delightful country scratch bakery and gift shop. Famous for 5-lb apple pies, cider donuts and rustic pastries made from apples grown in our orchard. Come for a fabulous homegrown lunch and best pies in the valley (featured in Sunset magazine). Groups reserve please. 9

Schuh Farms

15565 State Route 536

Mount Vernon, WA 98273

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Daily 9 am-5 pm

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Skagit's Own Fish Market

18042 Hwy 20

Burlington, WA 98233

(360) 707-2722

Mon - Sat 10:30 am-6 pm;

Sun 11 am-4pm

www.skagitfish.com

We strive to bring the freshest seafood to your table throughout the year. Owned and operated by local fishermen in our beautiful Skagit Valley. If seafood is on the menu tonight, visit our retail location for a full range of seafood delights. 30

Skagit Valley Food Co-op

202 S First St

Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 336-9777

www.skagitfoodcoop.com

Stock up for your adventure, featuring local organic produce, an award-winning Deli with hot entrees, espresso, salads, ice cream, juice, smoothies and plenty of picnic-ready ingredients. A sweet mercantile with lots of local crafts and gifts. 11

Detailed DIRECTIONS

These detailed instructions should help you get from I-5 Exits to the tulip growing area.

Exit 226

Exit off Interstate 5 and head west for 0.1 mile

Turn right onto S Third St for 0.3 miles
EITHER continue onto W. Division St for 0.5 miles (you will cross the Skagit River)
Turn Left onto S Wall St
Wall St turns into McLean Rd in 249 feet
Continue on McLean Rd for 2.5 miles

OR continue onto W Division St for 2.3 miles (you will cross the Skagit River)
Turn Left onto Avon Allen Rd for 1.1 miles
Turn Right onto McLean Rd and proceed 1 mile to Beaver Marsh Rd.
At this point you can turn Left onto Beaver Marsh Rd and proceed 0.4 miles to RoozenGaarde. Or, you can proceed on for 1 mile and turn right onto Bradshaw Rd and proceed 0.5 miles to Tulip Town.

Exit 230

RECOMMENDED DURING PEAK TIMES

Exit off Interstate 5 and head west on State Route 20 toward Anacortes

Proceed west on SR 20 for 3 miles until you reach Best Rd/Farm To Market Rd
Turn Left on Best Rd and proceed 1.7 miles until you reach McLean Rd.

This will put you at the McLean Rd roundabout, in the center of the tulip growing area. There are numerous routes you can follow – consult the Festival map to decide.

Exit 221

RECOMMENDED DURING PEAK TIMES

Exit off Interstate 5 and head west toward LaConner Proceed approximately 0.1 mile

Turn right onto Fir Island Rd and proceed west 5.1 miles where the road curves to the left and up an incline to a bridge over the Skagit River. Continue on over the bridge for 3.1 miles when you will arrive at the intersection of Best and Calhoun roads.

You are now at the southern edge of the tulip growing area. From here, use the Festival map to visit events and activities, find your favorite field or visit the gardens, RoozenGaarde and Tulip Town.

As You Leave

The quickest route out of the tulip field area is State Route 20

Use the Festival map to locate where you are and proceed to SR 20 which will take you east to I-5.

If you decide to leave via Fir Island Rd to the south, we suggest you consider using the following route from the intersection of Fir Island Rd and Pioneer Highway:

Turn right onto Pioneer Highway and proceed south 2.3 miles

Turn left onto Milltown Rd and proceed east 0.9 miles

This is the intersection of I-5 and Exit 218. From here you can proceed north or south on I-5 to your end destination.



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MAP Numbers & Coordinating Events:



Tulip Festival office



RoozenGaarde



Tulip Town

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1 Peoples Bank Gala Dinner | 11 Downtown Mt Vernon Street Fair | 21 Swinomish Casino & Lodge |
| 1 Skagit Valley Casino Resort | 11 Lincoln Theatre | 22 Outlet Shoppes at Burlington |
| 2 Key Bank Ambassador Event | 11 Skagit Valley Food Co-op | 23 Christianson's Nursery |
| 2 Children's Museum | 11 Skagit River Brewery | 23 Art at the Schoolhouse |
| 3 Woodfest | 11 Worlds Largest Garage Sale | 24 Seattle HeliTours |
| 4 Kiwanis Salmon BBQ | 12 Hibub Center | 24 Art Bash |
| 5 Art in a Pickle Barn | 12 Tulalip Casino | 25 Pleasant Ridge Gallery |
| 5 Azusa Farm & Gardens | 12 Seattle Premium Outlets | 26 Sauk Mountain Pottery |
| 6 Anacortes Quilt Walk | 13 Historic Home Tour | 27 Sky Fly'n' Helicopter |
| 6 Anacortes Spring Wine Festival | 13 Tulip Frolic | 28 Schuh Farms |
| 6 Anacortes Brewery | 13 Tulip Pedal | 29 Tulip Country Bike Tours & Rental |
| 6 On Ensemble Concert | 13 US Bank Parade | 30 Skagit's Own Fish Market |
| 6 Orcas Eclipse Charters | 13 LaConner Sculpture Tour | 31 Snow Goose Produce |
| 6 The Art of Gardening | 13 LaConner Quilt and Textile Museum | 32 Gardening Workshops |
| 7 Taylor Shellfish Farm | 13 Skagit County Historical Museum | 32 WSU Discovery Garden |
| 8 Golden Glen Creamery | 13 LaConner Brewing Company | 33 Carpenter Creek Winery |
| 9 Rosabella's Garden Bakery | 13 Seattle HeliTours | 34 North Sound Brewing Co. |
| 10 Burlington Scrapbook | 13 Museum of Northwest Art | 35 Tulip Valley Winery |
| 10 Kid's Giant Garage Sale | 13 Washington Sips | 35 J & L Art Show |
| 10 Burlington Art Walk | 14 Pasek Cellars Winery | 36 Fidalgo Bay Coffee Roasters |
| 10 Order Up! Vendor Party | 15 Warren Jewelers | 37 Eaglemont Golf Club |
| | 16 Forte Artisan Chocolates | 38 PACCAR Open House |
| | 17 Tulip Run | 39 River Gallery |
| | 18 Psalms, Hymns & Spiritual Songs | 40 South Fork Farms |
| | 19 Skagit Valley Gardens | 41 Canopy Tours Northwest |
| | 20 Padilla Bay Estuarine Center | |



Official INFORMATION Stations:

Tulip Festival Office (I-5 Exit 226): 311 W. Kincaid, Mount Vernon, WA 98273 – 7 days a week 9 am – 5 pm
 Skagit River Produce (I-5 Exit 221): 19193 SR 534, Mount Vernon, WA 98274
 Conway Foods (I-5 Exit 221): 18707 Main St, Conway, WA 98238
 Cascade Mall (I-5 Exit 230): 201 Cascade Mall Dr., Burlington, WA 98233
 Skagits Own Fish Market (I-5 Exit 230): 18042 SR 20, Burlington, WA 98233
 Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites (I-5 Exit 230): 900 Andis Rd., Burlington, WA 98233
 Additional locations: All Skagit County Visitor Information Centers.

See detailed directions on page 23.



TRAFFIC Tips:

- State Route 20 at Exit 230** – Use it! Wide open, efficient, fast.
- Route To Fields** – Options offer you alternatives. Check them out!
- Be Patient** – These are rural farm roads that are easily overwhelmed.
- Flaggers** are there for your safety – Please be courteous to them.
- Look** for designated parking areas – They are next to fields.
- No Parking Zones** will be enforced and tickets will be issued.
- No Parking** allowed in travel lane of any public road or on private property.
- Farm Equipment** – Slow tractors now ensure a good harvest later.



Key MILEAGE Information: (approximate values)

Tulip Office to RoozenGaarde = 3.7 miles
 Tulip Office to Tulip Town = 4.8 miles
 Tulip Office to Best and McLean Rd = 5.3 miles
 Conway Info to Best and Cahoun Rd = 8.3 miles
 I-5 and Highway 20 to Best and McLean Rd = 5.6 miles
 Distance between RoozenGaarde and Tulip Town = 1.8 miles

Field Bloom updates at: www.tulips.com/bloommap.cfm





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Events at a Glance

Snow Goose Produce

15170 Fir Island Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
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www.snowgooseproducemarket.com

A true farmer's market in the heart of Skagit cropland. The GOOSE is committed to fresh, local and organic. Fresh fish and other seafood in live tank, flowers (including cut & potted tulips), immodest ice cream cones, local wines. **31**

Taylor Shellfish Farms

2182 Chuckanut Dr
Bow, WA 98232
(360) 766-6002

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Hours: 9 am-6 pm daily
www.azusafarm.com

Beautiful farm with lovely garden store offering vast selections of ornamental and edible plants, flowers and gardening supplies. Check out our themed display gardens and garden coaching/design services. Home of Skagit Art Association's *Art in a Pickle Barn* throughout April. **5**

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Skagit Valley Gardens

18923 Peter Johnson Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-6760

Open daily 9 am- 6 pm

www.skagitvalleygardens.com

Retail Garden Center with beautiful displays, greenhouses filled with annuals, hanging baskets and garden accessories. Gift Boutique "The Root Cellar" is filled with unique gifts, jewelry, home décor, Vera Bradley and so much more. The Garden Café is open daily serving deli and specialty sandwiches, salads and delicious desserts. **19**

South Fork Farms

19115 Dike Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 445-3520

Fri - Mon 11 am-4 pm,

Tues - Thurs by appointment

www.alpacasofsouthforkfarms.com

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Tulip Town

15002 Bradshaw Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-8152

www.tuliptown.com

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WSU Discovery Garden

16650 State Route 536
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
Open Dawn-Dusk

Enjoy a stroll through the grounds of this wonderful garden showcasing plants that do well in the Pacific Northwest.

Docents, who can answer your gardening questions, are available weekends during festival. **32**

MUSEUMS

Children's Museum

550 Cascade Mall Dr
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 757-8888

Mon - Sat 10 am-5 pm, Sun Noon-5 pm,
Toddler Tues, 8:30 am-10 am.
\$5.25 per person. Kids under one are FREE.
www.skagitchildrensmuseum.net
Visit the Children's Museum of Skagit County for kids 10 and under. Kids will learn, have fun and enjoy. **2**

Hibulb Cultural Center & Natural History Preserve

6410 23rd Ave NE
Tulalip, WA 98271
(360) 716-2600

Mon - Closed. Tues - Fri 10 am-5 pm,
Sat - Sun Noon-5 pm

www.hibulbculturalcenter.org

Hibulb is an interactive cultural center, enhancing the history, cultural values and spiritual beliefs of the Tulalip Tribes. Featuring a main & temporary exhibit, a long house, a research library, and gift shop. Admission varies by age, \$6-\$10. **12**



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(360) 466-4288

Open 10 am - 5 pm in April
www.laconnerquilts.com
Enjoy "La Conner in Bloom," a month-long special exhibit during the festival. Exhibits of local, national and international quilts and textiles ranging from historic to contemporary. Located in the historic 1891 Victorian Gaches Mansion. \$7 admission. Open 7 days a week during April. **13**

Skagit County Historical Museum

501 S 4th St
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-3365
Open Daily 11 am-5 pm in April
www.skagitcounty.net/museum
Three galleries of Skagit History. Featured Exhibit "Skagit Sets Sail: A Maritime History of Skagit County." Through July 16. **13**

WINERIES & BREWERIES

Anacortes Brewery

and Rockfish Grill
320 Commercial Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 588-1720
Sun - Thurs 11 am-10 pm
Fri & Sat 11-midnight
www.anacortesrockfish.com **6**

Carpenter Creek Winery

20376 E Hickox Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98274
(360) 848-6673
Thurs - Mon 11 am-6 pm
www.carpentercreek.com
Visit Skagit Valley's friendliest winery! Featuring local Pinot Noir, Siegerrebe and other fine wines, situated on seven acres at the end of a country lane. Stop by for wine tasting, locally produced gourmet treats, or simply enjoy our lush gardens. Cheers! **33**

La Conner Brewing Company

117 S First St
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-1415
Daily 11:30 am
www.laconnerbrewery.com **13**

North Sound Brewing Co.

17406 State Route 536
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 982-2057
Mon - Thurs 3-7:30 pm; Fri 1-8:30 pm;
Sat Noon-8:30 pm; Sun Noon-5:30 pm
www.northsoundbrewing.com
Our tasting room and beer garden are conveniently located on SR 536. Check us out on the web. **34**

Pasek Cellars Winery

18729 Fir Island Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(888) 350-9463
April 1 - 30, 11 am-5 pm daily
www.pasekcellars.com
Wine maker Gene Pasek crafts unique and delicious wines from Washington grapes, plus tropical and NW fruits. Stop by our tasting room at Exit 221 at the Conway Skagit Barn and sample the Official Tulip Festival wines. **14**

Skagit River Brewing Company

404 S Third
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 336-2884
Daily 11 am
www.skagitbrew.com **11**

Tulip Valley Winery

16163 State Route 536
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 428-6894
10 am-6 pm daily
www.tulipvalley.net
Free tastings! Stop by the Big Red Barn for award winning Wine and Hard Cider. Take a break and enjoy a glass on the deck or stroll through the art exhibit in the barn featuring 30 artists. Live music on weekends with food vendors. **35**

Washington Sips

608 S First St
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 399-1037
Mon - Thurs 2-10 pm; Fri 2-11 pm
Sat Noon-11 pm; Sun Noon-8 pm
www.washingtonsips.com
Sit, sip, and enjoy Washington boutique wines on the beautiful La Conner waterfront in our cozy lounge or, weather permitting, enjoy the view from the deck - maybe add one of tasty appetizers, sandwiches, salads or desserts. **13**



Join us March 28th as we celebrate the
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Events at a Glance

FEBRUARY & MARCH EVENTS

Key Bank Tulip Ambassador Event

Center Court Cascade Mall
201 Cascade Mall Dr
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 428-5959
February 7, 5 pm. FREE
One boy and one girl from Skagit County will be chosen as ambassadors to represent the 2013 Skagit Valley Tulip Festival. They will meet the governor and participate in parades. **2**

Hotel Services Group and Peoples Bank Present 2013 Gala Celebration

Skagit Valley Casino Resort
5984 N Darrk Lane
Bow, WA 98232
(360) 428-5959
March 28, 5:30-9 pm
Advanced ticket purchase required.
Our communities combine together each year to grow the garden plot of the festival. Each area of our valley offers a row, a crop of some sort to make our festival grow and thrive. Join us in celebrating "Our Community Garden" as we open our 30th Tulip Festival. The evening will feature live entertainment with scenes from The Secret Garden, exquisite raffle items, scrumptious dinner and a dessert auction with delightful creations by the chefs at Skagit Valley Casino Resort. From tulip growers and tulip lovers to local businesses and service groups, our community garden is vibrant and growing. Join us for a memorable evening. **1**

Tulip Days Basketball Tournament

Various gyms throughout Skagit County
(360) 336-9414
March 22-24
Games played 9 am-7 pm daily
www.skagitcounty.net
Boys & Girls teams 5th-8th Grades
\$270 per team with a four game guarantee. Daily admission for spectators.

Skagit Artists Together 10th Annual Studio Tour

July 20 & 21, 2013
www.skagitart.com
Come back in JULY for ART!
Local artists throughout our magnificent county open their studios July 20 & 21. Plan to make a mini-vacation out of it; enjoy our varied landscape in summer, meet dozens of artists and purchase fine arts directly from their studios.



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www.skagitart.com

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Adrift

510 Commercial Ave.
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(360) 588-0653

Mon - Sat 8 am-9 pm
www.adriftrestaurant.com

A reflection of our community: swell food, provocative art, virtuoso music, inspiring literature, and the camaraderie of friends. Creative menu featuring natural beef, pork, lamb, seafood, cheese, seasonal fruit & vegetables, wines & beers, all produced in Skagit & Island Counties.

Anacortes Brewery and Rockfish Grill

320 Commercial Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 588-1720

Sun - Thur 11 am-10 pm
Fri - Sat 11 am-midnight
www.anacortesrockfish.com

Home of the Official Tulip Festival Microbrew! Serving fresh Northwest food including steak, seafood, sandwiches, daily specials and signature wood-fired pizzas. Ales and lagers brewed on site. Family friendly. Live Blues, Jazz, and Roots every week.

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Tues - Sat 11 am-9 pm, Sun 2-8 pm
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Cap Sante Boat Haven
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(360) 588-0333
Anthony's Hearthfire Grill
(360) 527-3473
Anthony's at Squalicum Harbor
(360) 647-5588
Both on Bellwether Way, Bellingham, WA
www.anthonys.com

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Applebee's Neighborhood Bar & Grill

188 Cascade Mall Dr
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 757-1414
Mon-Thurs 11 am-Midnight,
Fri 11 am-1 am, Sat 10 am-1 am,
Sun 10 am-Midnight
www.applebees.com
Applebee's started with the same philosophy we follow today – focused on serving good food to good people, with a wide variety of salads, burgers, steaks, pasta, sandwiches, plus appetizers and desserts. Full bar and Happy Hour twice daily.

Big Scoop Sundae Palace

327 E College Way
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-3558
Daily 11 am-10 pm
Old fashioned ice cream parlor and restaurant. Open lunch and dinner, featuring a great dinner menu, gourmet burgers and over 30 different ice cream flavors. Have your next birthday party here!

Bob's Burgers and Brew

9394 Old Hwy 99
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 757-9097
Mon - Sat 6:30 am-10 pm,
Sun 9 am-10 pm
Our motto is "We're just better." Enjoy gourmet burgers, salads, a great Sunday brunch and more. Family dining featuring several large TVs, a full-service lounge, great service and great food.

Bob's Chowder Bar

3320 Commercial Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 299-8000
Open daily from 11 am until the tide changes!
Bob's is the place for great Northwest seafood. Enjoy Wild Sockeye Salmon grilled to perfection, New England Style Clam Chowder and Fish-N-Chips. We have Grilled Cheese and other foods for landlubbers.

Buffet Royal Star

2300 Freeway Dr
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-5388
Daily 10:30 am-10 pm
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Calico Cupboard Café and Bakery

901 Commercial Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 293-7315
720 S First St
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-4451
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Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 336-3107
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Chuckanut Manor Seafood and Grill

3056 Chuckanut Dr
Bow, WA 98232
(360) 766-6191
Tues - Sat 11:30 am,
Sunday Brunch 10:30 am
www.chuckanutmanor.com
Restaurant with outside deck
overlooking Samish Bay. Lunch and
dinner featuring wild seafood and
aged meats. Premium wines. Friday
Smorgasbord and Sunday Brunch.

Conway Pub and Eatery

18611 Main St
Conway, WA 98238
(360) 445-4733
Daily 10 am
Off of I-5 Exit 221 on the Tulip Route.
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Farmhouse Restaurant

13724 La Conner Whitney Rd
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 466-4411
Daily 7 am-9 pm
www.thefarmhouserestaurant.net
A Skagit Valley Landmark, Country
charm, and home-style cooking. Tulip
buffet, traditional turkey dinners,
yummy sandwiches and salads, freshly-
baked desserts, including our famous
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Fred Meyer

920 S Burlington Blvd
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 757-9100
www.fredmeyer.com
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502 Commercial Ave
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(360) 293-7383
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www.gere-a-deli.com
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favorite community gathering place,
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and catering by Anacortes residents. In-
house bakery and famous bumbleberry
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(360) 419-0674
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Authentic Italian cuisine in the Old
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314 Commercial Ave
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Fri - Sat 11 am-1 am
Closed Sun & Mon
www.anacortesh2o.com
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Kelley's BBQ & Catering

805 W Division St
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 336-2864
April 1-30: 11 am-6 pm
Rest of the Year: M-F 11 am-6 pm
www.kelleysbbq.com
Conveniently located on the tulip route,
we offer authentic Southern style wood
pit bbq. We consistently smoke our meat
until it's golden brown and bursting
with flavor. We serve it up with a side of
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15426 Airport Dr
Burlington, WA 98273
(360) 707-0348
Sun - Mon 8 am-3 pm;
Tues - Sat 8 am-8 pm
www.kittyhawkcafe.net

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Hillcrest Park - 1717 S 13th St
Mount Vernon, WA 98274
April 6-28, 11 am - 7 pm
Delicious meal includes alder grilled
salmon with baked potato, coleslaw,
garlic bread, beverages and ice cream.
Served inside the historic Hillcrest Lodge
at Hillcrest Park. Regular/large plate
\$12, small/medium plate \$10 (Visa/
MC ok). For groups of 15 or more please
call (360) 428-5959 or e-mail [betsy@](mailto:betsy@tulipfestival.org)
tulipfestival.org.

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La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-4014

Daily 11:30 am
www.laconnerseafood.com

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128 S 1st St
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-1579

Open 7 days a week
www.laconnerwaterfrontcafe.com
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Max Dale's Steak & Chop House

2030 Riverside Dr
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 424-7171

Lunch Mon - Fri 11:30 am
Dinner Daily 4 pm
www.maxdales.com
Serving Skagit County since 1951. Private dining room featuring highback booths. Lunch menu with several signature salads and sandwiches. Dinner featuring Prime Rib, steaks and seafood. Comfortable and classy martini lounge with daily happy hour. Reservations gladly accepted.

Nell Thorn Restaurant and Pub

205 Washington St
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-4261

Lunch: Tues - Sun
11:30 am-2:30 pm,
Dinner: Every Night 4-9 pm
www.nellthorn.com
Visit La Conner's original gourmet dining destination. Enjoy fresh, LOCAL produce, seafood, meats and poultry. Real food, handmade. Choose from elegant bistro dishes or fun pub fare. Great wine list, microbrews and cocktails, seasonal patio room. One of the 1,000 Places to Visit Before You Die.

North Cove Coffee

1130 S Burlington Blvd
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 707-2683

Mon - Fri 6 am-7 pm,
Sat 7 am-7 pm,
Sun 8 am-6 pm
www.northcovecoffee.com
We offer our own blend of coffee and espresso using farm-direct and organic beans; organic full-leaf tea and smoothies from 100% Skagit berries. Every drink is carefully made and our menu focuses on local pastries, hand-crafted sandwiches, and breakfast items.

Olive Garden

1809 Marketplace Dr
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 757-0480

Daily 11 am
www.olivegarden.com
When you're here, you're family! Our cuisine is made fresh for you and is inspired by the great chefs of Tuscany. Enjoy all your favorites along with soft breadsticks and endless salad – a genuine Italian dining experience!

Seeds Bistro & Bar

623 Morris St.
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-3280

Daily 11 am-9 pm
www.seedsbistro.com
Honoring and promoting our beautiful Skagit Valley by sourcing local ingredients to create our Northwest inspired menu, served in a warm and inviting atmosphere. Handcrafted cocktails and Northwest beer and wine.

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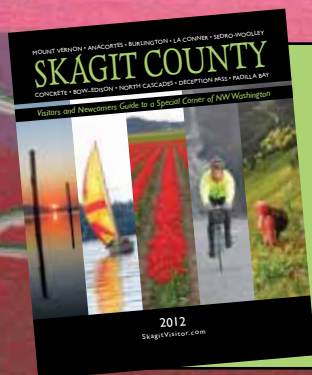
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Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 336-9777
Mon - Sat 8 am-9 pm,
Sun 9 am-9 pm
www.skagitfoodcoop.com
See us under local foods and produce.

Stanwood Grill

8628 271st NW
Stanwood, WA 98292
(360) 629-5253
Tues - Sun 4:30 pm
www.stanwoodgrill.com
Serving quality dinner and drinks since 2001, we offer Northwest fare with Bistro flare. Menu choices include fresh seafood, steaks and ribs, as well as pastas, chicken, specialty salads and a great bar menu. A full bar provides a wide array of beer, wine and cocktails including an extensive martini list.

Subway Sandwiches

9574 Old Hwy 99 N,
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 707-0434
Sat 8 am-9 pm, Sun 8:30 am-9 pm,
Mon - Fri 6:30 am-9 pm
1765 S Burlington Blvd, Burlington
(360) 757-1916
Sat - Sun 8 am-10 pm
Mon - Fri 7 am-10 pm

Subway continued...

108A N Township
Sedro Woolley, WA 98284
Mon-Sun 8 am-10 pm
(360) 856-5778
2323 E Section St.
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
Sat 8 am-9 pm Sun 9 am-9 pm
Mon - Fri 7 am-10 pm
(360) 848-0770
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Swinomish Casino and Lodge

12885 Casino Dr.
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 293-2691 or (888) 288-8883
www.swinomishcasinoandlodge.com
Dine in our beautiful 13moons Restaurant. Watch as your meal is prepared in our exhibition kitchen. Swinomish Casino & Lodge also offers the Two Salmon Café and the fun atmosphere of 10 Sports Bar.

Trumpeter Public House

416 Myrtle St
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 588-4515
Mon - Sat from 11 am, Closed Sun
www.trumpeterpublichouse.com
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10200 Quil Ceda Blvd
Tulalip, WA 98271
(888) 272-1111 or (360) 716-6000
www.tulalipresort.com
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Places to Stay

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Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 428-8787 or (800) 385-9895
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5316 Ferry Terminal Rd
Anacortes, WA 98221

(800) 852-8568

www.shipharborinn.com

Each room boasts a beautiful water view and we are nestled on six acres with cedars and mature firs. Our amenities include; complimentary extended breakfast, free Wi-Fi, brand new exercise room, fireplaces and jacuzzi suites. Don't forget - we are pet friendly, too!

Best Western College Way Inn

300 W College Way
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 424-4287 or (800) 793-4024

www.bestwestern.com/collegewayinn

Seasonally heated outdoor pool, year round hot tub, and complimentary continental breakfast. All rooms have wireless internet access, refrigerator, microwave, cable TV/free HBO. Few pet rooms and kitchenettes. 100% smoke free.

Best Western PLUS CottonTree Inn

2300 Market St
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 428-5678

www.cottontreeinns.com

120 spacious 600 sq. ft. rooms. Located 5 miles from tulip fields. 100% non-smoking, hot buffet breakfast, free Wi-Fi, dog friendly, microwave & refrigerator as well as complimentary passes to adjacent health club.

Candlewood Suites

1866 S Burlington Blvd
Burlington, WA 98233

(360) 755-3300 or (877) 660-8543

www.candlewoodsuites.com

Skagit Valley's only Extended-Stay hotel, build in 2012. Features 83, 100% non-smoking Guestrooms and 1-Bedroom Suites, all with Full Kitchens with utensils. Free Guest Laundry, Gym, Business Center, and outdoor BBQ. Centrally located, close to shopping, restaurants, and tulips.

Cocusa Motel

370 W Rio Vista Ave
Burlington, WA 98233

(360) 757-6044 or (800) 628-2257

www.cocusamotel.com

63 units, newly remodeled, standard, family, handicap, meeting and jacuzzi rooms. In-room coffee, microwave and refrigerators. Free wireless high-speed internet. Free local calls, Cinemax and continental breakfast. Adjacent restaurant/lounge, near shopping and casinos. Truck and RV parking.

Days Inn

2009 Riverside Dr
Mount Vernon, WA 98273

(360) 424-4141

www.daysinn.com/hotel/04735

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(360) 466-2116

www.estep-properties.com

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9384 Old Hwy 99 N
Burlington, WA 98233

(360) 757-2717

www.marriott.com/otsfs

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www.burlingtonsuites.hamptoninn.com

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900 Andis Rd
Burlington, WA 98233

(360) 755-7338

www.holidayinnexpress.com/burlingtonwa

100% non-smoking hotel in the heart of Tulip country. Offers complimentary hot breakfast, indoor heated pool/hot tub, microwave/refrigerators in every room and one-bedroom suites with comfortable living area perfect for a family vacation. Earn Priority Club Rewards.

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(360) 466-4710 or (800) 488-5409

www.hotelplanter.com

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for details about what's going on in & around
Skagit County during the Tulip Festival.
Enter our Tulip Photo Contest!



Burlington

www.burlingtonsuites.hamptoninn.com

(360) 757-7100

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La Conner Channel Lodge

205 N First St
La Conner, WA 98257
(360) 466-1500 or (888) 466-4113
www.laconnerlodging.com

Sitting like a jewel along the waterfront, the La Conner Channel Lodge beckons you to enjoy an elegant getaway that includes breakfast, parking, Wi-Fi, weekend wine, cheese and music reception, luxurious bedding, fireplaces, TV/DVD player, private balconies and spa services.

Majestic Inn and Spa

419 Commercial Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 299-1400 or (877) 370-0100
www.majesticinnandspa.com

The Majestic Inn and Spa, in the historic downtown of picturesque Anacortes, is the perfect getaway destination, with 21 elegant guest rooms, a casual dining restaurant and lounge and the wonderful Apothecary Spa.

Marina Inn

3300 Commercial Ave
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 293-1100 or (800) 231-5198
www.marinainnwa.com

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1910 Freeway Dr
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
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www.qualityinn.com

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www.theskagit.com

The Skagit's deluxe 103-room hotel features 29 suites with jetted spas and fireplaces, an indoor pool, sauna and fitness center. Guest rooms have 32-inch widescreen LCD TVs, HBO movie channels, high-speed internet access, coffee maker and more.

Swinomish Casino and Lodge

12885 Casino Dr
Anacortes, WA 98221
(360) 293-2691 or (888) 288-8883
www.swinomishcasinoandlodge.com

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The Skagit Ridge Hotel

18444 Bow Ridge Dr
Bow, WA 98232
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CONCRETE:

Concrete Chamber of Commerce

45770 Main St.
Concrete, WA 98327
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www.concrete-wa.com

Skagit Eagle Festival: January weekends

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Ghost Walk: Saturdays in October

BURLINGTON:

Burlington Chamber of Commerce

520 E Fairhaven Ave.
Burlington, WA 98233
(360) 757-0994
www.burlington-chamber.com

Berry Dairy Days: June 13-16

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September 28

OTHER EVENTS: Festival of Family Farms – October 5 - 6 • www.festivaloffamilyfarms.com
Skagit Artists Together Studio Tour – July 20-26

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La Conner Chamber of Commerce

511-C Morris St.
La Conner, WA 98257
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www.lovelaconner.com

Classic Yacht and Car Show: August 10

La Conner Quilt Festival: October 4-6

Arts Alive!: November 1-3

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301 W. Kincaid
Mount Vernon, WA 98273
(360) 428-8547
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Skagit River Salmon Festival: Sept. 7

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