

Looking for something to do?

All over the Island...

Look for animals on Vashon (How many can you find besides cat, dog and horse)

See a movie at the historic Vashon Theatre or the summer outdoor drive-in

Go Geocaching (you need a car and a cell phone to download the app)

Identify at least three birds (bonus: make your own bird feeder)

Hike from one end of Shinglemill Creek Trail to the other end

Go on the Vashon walking tour "Main Street Vashon"
(brochures available at the Vashon Heritage Museum)

Find a fairy house in Burton Forest (or make one)

Do a low tide walk and find at least three critters

Walk a labyrinth—There are two to pick from

Read a story while on the Judd Creek Trail

Find a quiet place to read or sketch

Find some public art (not in town)

Pick apples and make something

Go on a Dockton walking tour

Do a nature-based art project

Make an obstacle course

Pick (edible only) berries

Go to the beach at night

Play disc golf at BARC

Discover a new trail

Do a hike at night

Find a farm stand

Plant something

Help a neighbor

View the stars

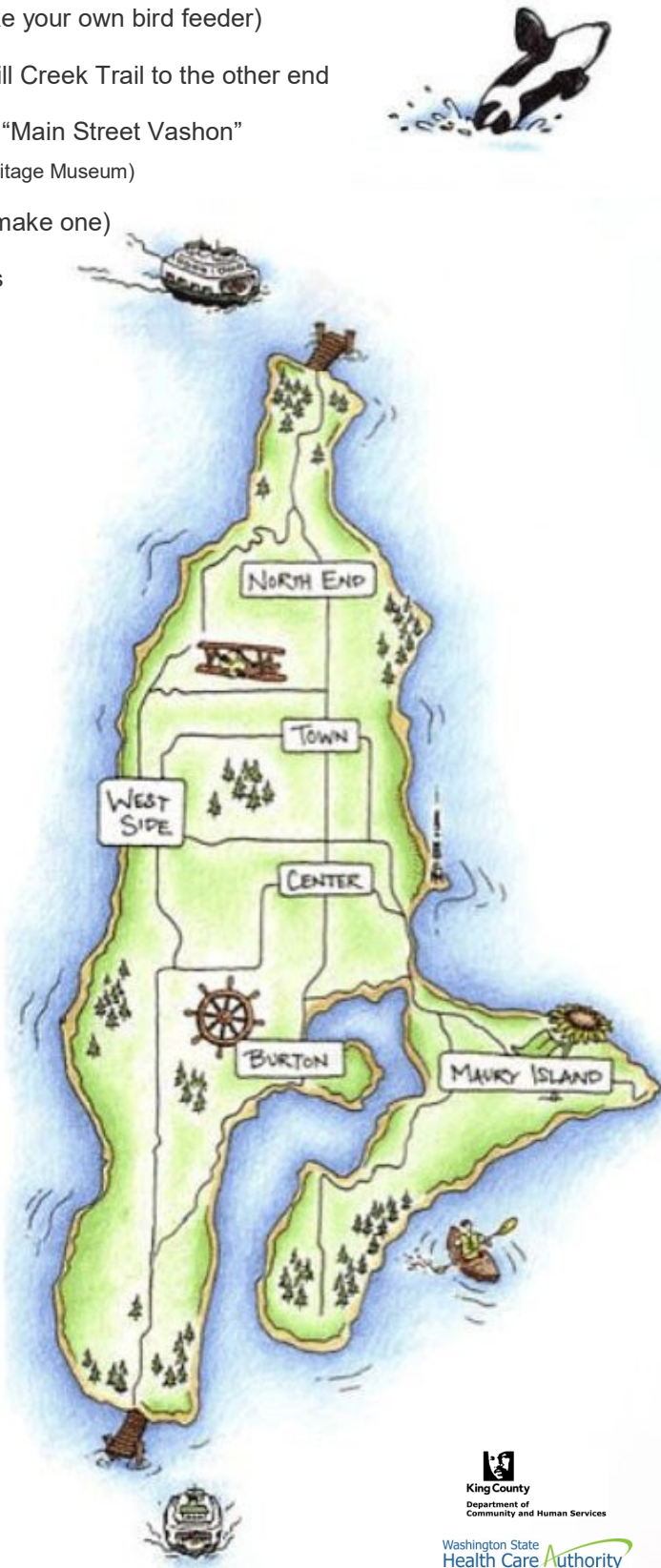
Sleep outside

Collect shells

Write a letter

Find a pond

Make a fort



I Didn't Know That...

Vashon Island

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Activities for
explorers
young and old!

VARSA is working to reduce youth substance use here on Vashon Island through prevention education, parent support, and fun activities for the whole family!

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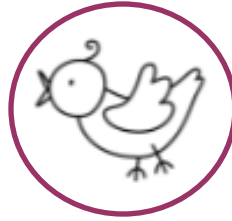
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So much to discover uptown...

This walk leads you around the town of Vashon. You may see things you've walked past many times and never noticed.

- 1) On the way from Café Luna to the Senior Center, who is getting VERY tired?
- 2) At the Senior Center: How many candles are on the birthday cake?
- 3) What is on the agenda at 12:45?
- 4) At the Fire Station: What event does the art installation outside commemorate?
- 5) At the Heritage Museum: Name a member of the Matsuda family
- 6) At the small park behind the museum: What does the Japanese Enso represent?
- 7) At the KC Sheriff Transfer Station: Three rings plus an S plus an L equals what popular Vashon sport?
- 8) At Lake, Kennedy & McCulloch: What type of unusual tree is in the front yard?
- 9) At the Hardware Store Restaurant: This was the first _____ building in Vashon.
- 10) What kind of tool is labeled "12 in. Diamond Horseshoe"?



Awesome — You've completed Part 1!

- 11) At the Sportsman's Club Restaurant (Sporty's): What size are the pancakes?
- 12) Between the Vashon Pharmacy and Vashon Print & Design you will see a sculpture by Ela Lamblin and students. What does the airplane turn into?
- 13) When it rains, _____ rings?
- 14) At Valise Art Studio: Stand under the door and look up. What continent are you looking at?
- 15) At Voice of Vashon radio station: 1650 AM is the station for the Emergency _____ System
- 16) At the Recess Lab: What fruit is found in the man's beard?
- 17) In front of the Presbyterian Church: It's not a mailbox, it's a _____ box.
- 18) At Giraffe: What does the "I" in Giraffe stand for? What does it say on the giraffe's heart?
- 19) At Spider's Ski & Sports: What color are the K2 skis?
- 20) At May Kitchen + Bar: What animal sits atop the roof?
- 21) At Anu Rana's Healthy Kitchen: What can you eat in a hurry?



GOOD JOB — one more section to go!

- 23) At the Vashon Landing building: What color is the building?
- 24) At Raven's Nest: How many ravens are perched above the windows?
- 25) What is one eating?
- 26) At Studio Lux: What is one benefit of Kung Fu?
- 27) At Treasure Island: How much is a Doll Man comic book?
- 28) At Kenny's Brain Freeze: What animal is on the mural?
- 29) At Fair Isle Animal Clinic: Who is on their way into the clinic?
- 30) At Ober Park: Find the special bench. Why is it special? (hint: you will need your ears for this one)
- 31) What two old-fashioned games can you play in front of the park office?
- 32) What does the sculpture commemorate?
- 33) At the map of Vashon—stand in the middle and speak out loud—what do you hear?
- 34) At Vashon Village: Find a swing in front of the cottage. Besides English, what other language is on the sign?
- 35) At Pandora's Box: What animals are guarding the door?
- 36) What animal is going to catch the falling cat?
- 37) Down the alley behind the Langland Dental: Find the doors. What color is the TARDIS door? (can you name ALL the doors?)
- 38) At the Village Green Park: What is written on the post?
- 39) At US Bank: Who deposited \$5835.78 on December 14th, 1909?
- 40) What is the man on the top of the roof doing?
- 41) Who is playing the piano?



YAY — YOU DID IT!

Answers: (1) Alice, (2) Eleven, (3) volleyball, (4) Sept. 11 2001, (5) Miyoko, Onetchi, Marjorie, Mary or Heisuke, (6) circle of universal enlightenment and strength and elegance, (7) biking, (8) monkeytree, (9) commercial, (10) wrench (11) plate-sized, (12) fish, (13) bells, (14) Africa, (15) Alerts, (16) strawberry, (17) prayer, (18) Indigenous, (19) get heart, (20) red white blue, (21) elephant, (22) curry (23) blue, (24) six, (25) berry, (26) numerous answers, (27) one thousand dollars, (28) blue whale, (29) dog chicken cat, (30) it makes sounds, (31) hopscotch and foursquare, (32) Vietnam Veterans, (33) your echo, (34) Braille, (35) lion(s), (36) dog, (37) blue, (38) poetry, (39) Beall Greenhouse Co., (40) painting, (41) a dog

Answers: