



Washington's National Park Fund News



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Your Impact!

WNPF provides a way for thousands of outdoor-minded people like you to learn about and support the parks' most pressing needs. Washington's National Park Fund is the **ONLY** philanthropic organization dedicated exclusively to supporting Mount Rainier National Park, North Cascades National Park Service Complex, and Olympic National Park through charitable contributions.

**YOU are strengthening and preserving our parks for all.
YOU make the difference! Thank you!**

Want to see what your donations have funded in the past?

Click below to view funded projects on our website:

[Mount Rainier National Park](#)

[North Cascades National Park](#)

[Olympic National Park](#)

Great pizza and beer for a great cause! Hope you can come!

5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, November 10th at [Zeeks Pizza, Queen Anne location](#)

Join Superintendent Sarah Creachbaum, other park staff, WNPf board members and other park friends!

**HAMMA HAMMA
DOUBLE IPA!**

**SCHOONER
EXACT
BREWING CO.
SEATTLE**

Zeeks will host a launch party at 5:30 p.m.
Tuesday, November 10th at Zeeks' Queen Anne location,
1915 Queen Anne Ave North in Seattle. Those attending
will include Olympic National Park Superintendent
Sarah Creachbaum and other park staff.

5% of sales
will be donated by
Zeeks Pizza to
Olympic National Park
through Washington's
National Park
Fund!

DOUBLE IPA
BREWED WITH
PALE, CRYSTAL,
MUNICH AND
RYE MALTS

NAMED AFTER THE
BEAUTIFUL HAMMA HAMMA FALLS
IN OLYMPIC NATIONAL PARK

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A Dream Come True

Claire Giordano had a most adventurous summer this year! She made her dream of summiting Mount Rainier come true on August 5th, as part of the REI Climb for a Cause team.

"Even though a few weeks have passed since I summited, it still feels a little surreal. I was hiking at Paradise earlier this week and looked up at the mountain, amazed and a little overwhelmed to realize that I actually made it to the top. To work toward a goal (in

this case physically, mentally, and the fundraising component) for six months, and then to actually achieve that goal in such a tangible fashion, is an unforgettable feeling."

Between Microsoft, REI, and our newest partner, Point B, more than \$150,000 has been raised in this year's climbs setting a new record for Washington's National Park Fund. Learn more about [fundraising climbs](#) of both Mount Rainier and Mount Shuksan in the North Cascades on our website.



"Weeks later, I look at these pictures and am filled with so much joy and pride in myself that I made it!" Claire Giordano photo



Thank you RAMROD riders and organizers!

It was a record-CRUSHING year as the generous individual riders of RAMROD contributed generously to Mount Rainier National Park. Joe Matthews, President of [Redmond Cycling Club](#), shares more on our blog, [To The Parks!](#)



A few rooms may still be available for our fall overnight Fireside Circle at Lake Crescent Lodge, Friday, November 13th - Saturday, November 14th.

Chat by the fire with park rangers, enjoy delicious lodge dining, join in a guided hike, and soak up the beauty of Olympic National Park.

Join friends old and new who love our national parks at Lake Crescent Lodge!

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