



# Canoe Mercer Slough

## Guided Canoe Trips

Explore the beautiful Mercer Slough Nature Park by water! Bellevue park rangers lead this 3-hour canoe trip from Enatai Beach Park. You'll see how this amazing ecosystem functions as you travel into the heart of Mercer Slough Nature Park, a 320 acre wetland. With a little luck, you may catch a glimpse of otters, herons, turtles, and other wildlife of Mercer Slough. **Prior canoeing experience and pre-registration are required.**



**When:** Saturdays in May, June and September.; Saturdays and Sundays in July and August\* Memorial Day through Labor Day weekends. Program starts at Enatai Beach Park boathouse at 8:30 am. The trip should end around noon.

**Where:** Enatai Beach Park boathouse  
3519 108th Ave SE

**Cost:** \$16 (Bellevue resident)  
\$18 (Non-Bellevue resident)

- You must arrive in time for the safety talk to participate. Late arrivals forfeit participation.
- Participants paddle the entire distance of 4 miles (in 3 hours) and must stay with the group.
- Parties with little paddling experience may be separated for safety. Safety information and paddling equipment are provided.
- Children must be at least 5 years old to participate. One adult must be present for every two children or youth. Coast Guard approved life jackets must be provided by parents for children weighing less than 35 lbs. There is no restroom opportunity during the 3-hour trip.
- Trips continue rain or shine. Please dress for the weather. Trips may be cancelled in the case of lightning, high winds and/or waves.
- Up to 3 people per canoe. (2 adults + small child.) The weight capacity of each canoe is 500 lbs.

**For more information, or to Register**  
**visit [parksreg.bellevuewa.gov](https://parksreg.bellevuewa.gov) or call 425-452-2565**

This information will be provided in alternate formats for individuals with disabilities upon request.  
We invite everyone's participation, please provide two weeks advance notice for special needs requests.  
Assistance for the deaf and hard of hearing can be provided through the 711 Telecommunications Relay Service.

**\* Program not offered Independence Day weekend, July 1/2 or Sea Fair weekend, August 5/6.**