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**SOL DUC VALLEY**

The proposed Sol Duc Wild and Scenic River in Olympic National Park has extensive opportunities for family-friendly recreation in the river corridor. The picturesque Sol Duc Falls Trail is a great hike for kids. For those spending time in the valley, the Sol Duc Campground is a great base for explorations. The developed Sol Duc hotsprings provides a relaxing soak after a day on the trail. In fall, maples along the river corridor show off their colors and salmon on Cascade serves as a popular salmon viewing spot. Once the rains arrive, the Sol Duc is one of the more popular intermediate whitewater runs on the Olympic Peninsula.

**SOUTH QUINALCUT RIDGE**

South of Lake Quinault is the South Quinalcuit Ridge. This remarkable place is home to one of the most extensive block of ancient rain forest not already protected by wilderness designation in the lower 48 states. Huge Douglas-fir and western red cedar trees are numerous, sometimes topping out at 300 feet and supporting graths of nine feet or more. Big Sitka spruce adds another dimension of character to the old forest. A network of trails provide access to the ancient forest of South Quinalcuit Ridge and the Quinalcuit Rain Forest Nature Trail makes for a great short family-friendly hike that lets one take in these impressive trees that form the boundary of proposed Wilderness.

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**PASSES AND PERMITS**

This map is intended to help you access hikes and sights on the Olympic Peninsula. Green Trails Maps are recommended for navigational purposes on hiking trips. You can purchase Green Trails Maps online at www.greentrails.com.

**National Forest Recreational Day Pass:** $5. Available at all Forest Service day use or entrance fee sites in Washington or Oregon. Available at National Forest offices and visitor centers, or online at www.recreation.gov.

**Interagency Annual Pass:** $80. Annual pass honored at all federal recreation sites charging day use or entrance fees. Available at National Forest offices or www.discoverpass.wa.gov.

**Interagency Senior Pass:** $10. Lifetime pass for those 62 and older honored at all federal recreation sites charging day use or entrance fees. Pass issued in person; available at National Forest offices or www.discoverpass.wa.gov.

**Interagency Military Pass, Interagency Access Pass:** Free. Passes for active duty military and their dependents as well as individuals with a permanent disability honored at all federal sites charging day use or entrance fees. Pass issued in person; available at National Forest offices or www.discoverpass.wa.gov.

**Discover Pass:** $10 annual, $15 multi-year. Required at Washington state-managed recreation lands. Available at www.discoverwa.com, in person from any hiking or fishing license vendor, or by phone 866/947-4383. None of the featured hikes on the map require a Discover Pass.

**HAMMA HAMMA VALLEY**

The Hamma Hamma Valley makes a great destination for a weekend trip with opportunities to camp or stay in a historic Forest Service guard station. The valley includes the proposed additions to the Brothers Wilderness and Mount St. Helens Wilderness as well as the proposed Hamma Hamma Wild and Scenic River. The Hamma Hamma Campground is a great base for explorations in the valley and provides easy access to the 1.5 mile Living Legacy Interpretive Trail. The nearby 3.2 mile hike up to Lena Lake takes visitors to Lena Lake Campground, a backcountry destination that is surrounded by the ancient forests that are proposed as wilderness. For those looking for a shorter excursion, the Hamma Hamma Beaver Pond trail, a 0.5 mile wetland trail that is a popular destination for birding, is located along the Hamma Hamma River near the confluence of Lena Creek.

**DUNGESSION VALLEY**

The Dungeness River flows from the high peaks of the Olympic Mountains to the undeveloped ocean shoreline of the Dungeness Spit offering plenty of great recreation along the way. Dungeness Forks Campground is located in a spectacular old-growth grove and serves as a base camp for exploring the Lower Gray Wolf and Upper Dungeness Trails which wind through proposed and designated Wilderness areas. For mountain bikers, the Dungeness-Gold Creek loop is a prized backcountry ride along the Dungeness River which is proposed for wild and scenic designation.

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