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**Agenda and information for the  
Nature Photography Workshop, October 19-20, Port Townsend, WA  
Sponsored by Northwest Watershed Institute**

Please join us for what promises to be an outstanding opportunity to expand your photographic talent and explore outstanding natural areas of the Olympic Peninsula with three award winning professional nature and wildlife photographers. Keith Lazelle, Stephen Cunliffe, and David Gluckman are volunteering their time and expertise to conduct a two-day intensive photography workshop in Port Townsend with field trips to the Tarboo Creek Preserve and other little known natural treasures areas along the shores of the Tarboo Bay on the north Hood Canal. All proceeds go to protect the Tarboo Forest, a conservation project of Northwest Watershed Institute.

**MEETING PLACE AND TIME**

Meet at 9:00 am both mornings at the Port Townsend Community Center at 620 Tyler Street (at intersection with Lawrence Street in uptown Port Townsend). For field trips each day, we will carpool to Tarboo creek and Dabob Bay field locations about ½ hour south.

**AGENDA**

**Saturday Oct 19**

9:00 am – 12:00 pm Meet at the Port Townsend Community Center by 9:00 am to register and start the morning sessions. All three photographers will give seminars and photo presentations to share their secrets, including equipment and techniques to help improve landscape and wildlife photographic skills for all levels. A specific session on bird photography is included.

12:00-12:45 Grab your own lunch in Port Townsend

1:00-5:00 Photo field trips guided by your intrepid instructors to include little known treasures of Puget Sound in the Tarboo watershed located about ½ hour south of Port Townsend on Hood Canal. The field sessions will include trips to the Tarboo Wildlife Preserve along Tarboo Creek, a 400 acre privately managed preserve, known by a privileged few for its great diversity of local birdlife. It also houses a barn owl family that often appears for brief, challenging photo opportunities. Additional field trips will go to the adjacent forest and shoreline of Tarboo Bay, one of the least developed saltmarsh bays remaining in Puget Sound and part of the recently expanded Dabob Bay Natural Area.

**Sunday Oct 20**

9:00 am – 1:30 pm Meet again at the Port Townsend Community Center and immediately head out for morning field sessions with your instructors. Bring a lunch for the field.

1:30 – 4 pm Panel discussion and Q&A with the instructors with a presentation and critique of the work of participants.

## **REGISTRATION**

The registration fee for the two-day workshop is \$350 per person. This is a fundraiser for the non-profit, Northwest Watershed Institute, owner and manager of the Tarboo Wildlife Preserve. All proceeds will be used to protect the Tarboo Forest as a new addition to the Preserve. You may claim a \$200 tax deductible contribution to NWI with payment of the \$350 fee.

Space at the workshop is limited so reservations are required. For more information and to register, contact the Northwest Watershed Institute at 360-385-6786 or register and pay online at [www.nwwatershed.org](http://www.nwwatershed.org) .

Cancellation policy – the registration fee will be refunded in full if NWI receives your request by email before October 10. Mail request for refund to [peter@nwwatershed.org](mailto:peter@nwwatershed.org) No refund of registration fee after that date.

## **LODGING AND FOOD**

Board and room are not included in the workshop fee. Lodging is available at private hotels and motels in Port Townsend, as well as camping at Pt. Hudson Marina and Fort Worden State Park. Port Townsend, a Victorian seaport, also supports a great array of restaurants, shopping opportunities, and galleries downtown. Aldridge's general store, across the street from our meeting spot at the Port Townsend Community Center has a deli and full array of breakfast and lunch foods.

Any questions?

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