



## EVENTS AND RETREATS AT DOE BAY

### **Booking an Event or Retreat at Doe Bay**

Doe Bay is Orcas Island's premier location for an introspective retreat or celebratory special event. Doe Bay is an ideal location for groups to gather, focus, connect, and play. We regularly host yoga and meditation retreats, writing workshops, family reunions, company retreats and more. We invite teachers from all over the world to hold retreats here, in this exquisite natural setting.



Our beautiful 38 acre waterfront escape offers plenty of space to relax, get grounded, and make memories. We have a variety of accommodations to suit the needs and desires of your group, including a large retreat house, a variety of cabins and yurts, and numerous campsites to make your event more affordable for participants.

In addition to our peaceful island location we offer a beautiful waterfront yoga studio, on-site massage therapy, our amazing cedar sauna and soaking tubs and some of the region's finest culinary offerings from the critically lauded Doe Bay Café.

**Information on booking your Retreat or Special Event at Doe Bay:**

We require a 5 night minimum on all lodging from mid-June until mid-September.

The remainder of the year we require at least a 3 night stay.

Longer minimums may be required at peak occupancy or event periods.

Generally we only offer retreats from September through May.

Deposits are required to secure a retreat.

Deposit info is detailed further on in this document.

Full payment of the remaining balance will be due before departure from the Resort.

We reserve the right to substitute a reserved space for another space in the same or better price category, or cancel any reservation and return a deposit in full if a conflict arises.

**Retreat leaders are offered 30% off of their accommodations if their stay is between the months of October and March.**

*This discount cannot be applied to the Retreat House or Boathouse.*

Retreats of three nights or more, booked between October and March, are eligible for a discount.

Please inquire with [events@doebay.com](mailto:events@doebay.com) for more information and to obtain a quote for your event.





### **Reserving the Yoga Studio:**

Our tranquil and intimate Yoga Studio space located on the waterfront is a great space for meetings, sound healing, yoga, dance, meditation, presentations, etc. The Doe Bay Yoga Studio has around 750 square feet of heated space, comes fully stocked with almost all of the props that you will need (blocks, mats, blankets, straps and bolsters). At this time, the Studio is set to accommodate an estimated maximum of 18 people (including an instructor).

Half of the cost of the Yoga Studio is due as a deposit to secure the space for your private use. The rate for the studio is \$650+tax based on four nights of use. If a longer rental period is desired, an additional nightly charge of \$50+tax will apply.

This fee gives you exclusive rights to the Studio for the entire duration of your retreat. Once the Studio is reserved, we will get your retreat on the books and begin publicizing it on our website.

### **Reserving the Retreat House:**

Our Retreat House can house groups of up to 20 (10 beds) and has a large open floor space for small workshops and gatherings. The large kitchen is well equipped for preparing shared meals. There are also four picnic tables on the outdoor patio and two gas grills which make for a great BBQ space.

A deposit of the first night's stay is required to secure the Retreat House for your event. Nightly rates vary for this space depending on the season. Full payment of the remaining balance will be due before departing the Resort.

### **Reserving the Boat House:**

This outstanding structure offers one of the most unsurpassed vantage points of the Salish Sea. The entryway opens to a grand, open-floor common room, with kitchen, dining, and seating situated amongst the backdrop of wall to wall windows and sliding doors that open to full-length deck. Perfect for entertaining or catered events, the kitchen is equipped with commercial-quality appliances and a large central island complete with soft bar-stool seating for 6. Table-seated dining available for 6-8, graced by the atmosphere and warmth of a propane fireplace.

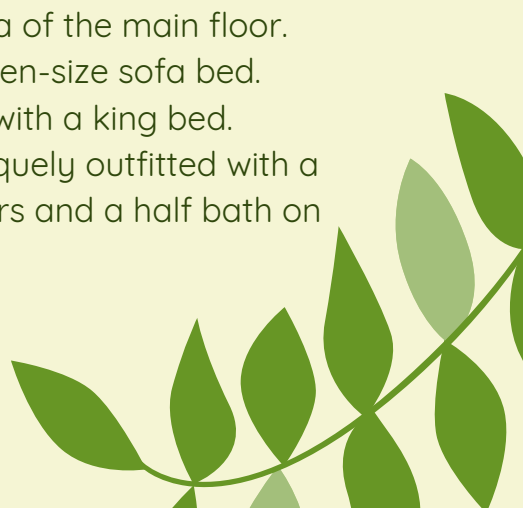
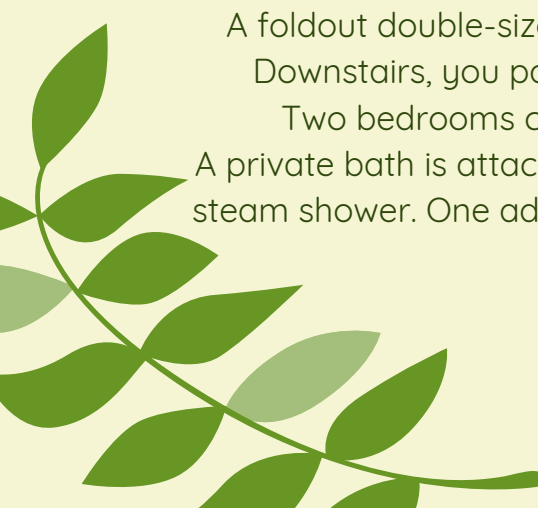
The Boat House can sleep up to 8, though 6 is more comfortable.

A foldout double-size sofa is situated in the common area of the main floor.

Downstairs, you pass through a sitting room with a queen-size sofa bed.

Two bedrooms can be found in the lower level, each with a king bed.

A private bath is attached to one of the two bedrooms, uniquely outfitted with a steam shower. One additional full bath is situated downstairs and a half bath on the upper level.



## **Reserving Cabins, Yurts, Domes, or Campsites:**

Doe Bay has a variety of accommodation options for your guests.

Please look over our website to see the many cabins, campsites, yurts, domes, and our treasured treehouse! The interactive resort map can be helpful in getting familiar with the layout of our 38 acre property.

**Option #1:** Allow your guests to book their own accommodations based on what is available to the public. No rooms will be held aside for your group specifically. This is a good option for retreats occurring when demand for rooms is down. For all accommodations bookings, your guests will be required to place a deposit of the first night's stay in order to make a confirmed reservation. The remainder will be due before departure from the Resort.

### **Option #2: From October through March**

Hold aside 5 indoor spaces (with the exception of the Retreat House or Boathouse which would be separate rentals) for an \$850 total deposit

OR

Hold aside 8 indoor spaces for a \$1300 deposit

Your guests would pay you for their lodging as part of the fee for the retreat.

### **Option #3: For April/May or September**

Hold aside 5 indoor spaces (with the exception of the Retreat House or Boathouse which would be separate rentals) for a \$1100 total deposit

OR

Hold aside 8 indoor spaces for a \$1500 deposit

Your guests would pay you for their lodging as part of the fee for the weekend. If you choose to go with option 2 or 3, we will work together to determine the best mix of cabins to suit your group. You can request a booking template which relates to the spaces you are reserving. This will show how many beds are in each space and you will be able to fill in the participants names as they book.

If you need to cancel a space, we can remove it from your list without a charge if more than 6 weeks in advance. Any deposit paid will be shifted to one of your other lodging reservations. If less than 6 weeks, a \$50 cancellation fee may apply to each cancelled space.

If cancelling the entire retreat, our normal lodging cancellation policy applies to all accommodations reserved, and a \$100 admin fee may apply to the cancellation.

If you feel that your event doesn't fit into any of these options, please communicate the details of your vision and we will do our best to accommodate you and bring your ideas to fruition.

## Doe Bay Spa

The warm heart of Doe Bay.

Our spa features three clothing optional outdoor saltwater soaking tubs and a large cedar sauna. The tubs look out over the waters of the cove and beyond to the sea. Your relaxation will only be deepened by the sound of the creek rushing by.

This space is clothing optional. Massage is also available

**Private Spa Rental:** The cost for the private spa rental is \$150-\$200 (depending on time of day) for a 90 minute session. Private spa rentals are best for groups and retreats as they give exclusive access to the hot soaking tubs, sauna, outdoor showers, changing room, restroom, a creek side deck for lounging and taking in the views as well as use of the Serenity Garden which gives you a grassy area to have a picnic or lounge in the sun.

Each 90 minute session is limited to a maximum of 15 people.

**Communal Soak:** The cost of a communal soak is \$20 per person for a 90 minute session. These are limited to 15 people per session with a set schedule in both the morning and evening. Communal spa reservations give shared access to all of the same amenities listed above. Usage of the spa facilities will be shared with other guests of the resort and local members.

## The Doe Bay Cafe

We offer some of the finest “Seed-to-Table” dining in the region. The fact that we grow most of what we serve in the Doe Bay Organic Garden is only part of the formula. We also work with the best purveyors in the area. We hope that your group will be able to arrange one celebratory meal together in the Cafe during your stay. At this time, we are unable to fully cater your event.

Please reach out to our Cafe Manager to arrange a meal [cafegm@doebay.com](mailto:cafegm@doebay.com).



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