

PNW Sisterhood Retreat 2024

4 PM Friday, Oct 18th - 12 PM Sunday, Oct 20th

At URJ Camp Kalsman in Arlington, WA

THIS IS YOUR WEEKEND

Celebrate Shabbat—Friday night blessings and sing-along, camp-style lay-lead services on Saturday morning and Havdalah.

Workshops—Workshop sessions will allow you to explore camp activities, learn a new skill, and discuss important topics.

Play Games—bring your favorite board games, a deck of cards, Mahj set & card. With so many people around, you're sure to find someone to play with or learn a new game.

Go on a Hike—Camp Kalsman is situated on over 300 acres. There are marked trails, at different levels of difficulty around the property to suit all abilities.

Sleep Late or Get up Early—turn off your alarm clock this weekend. You only have yourself to worry about and camp life is easy. All meals are provided. And snacks. And wine!

Relax—come home to beautiful Camp Kalsman for the weekend and relax among old and new friends. Enjoy the beauty of the natural environment around us. Experience the magic of camp for yourself.



SATURDAY ONLY AREA DAY

Can't commit to the whole weekend? This year we have a Saturday only Area Day option which includes all the Saturday retreat activities: lay-led Shabbat Service, workshops of all kinds, camp time, Havdalah and brunch and dinner!

To register for the Area Day, click <u>here</u>. Registrations aren't considered complete until payment is received.

TENATIVE SCHEDULE

The schedule is evolving. The final schedule will be emailed prior to the event.

If you'd like to offer a workshop, teach a class or help plan the weekend, please let us know.

Friday:

4 PM Arrive and settle into cabins6 PM Shabbat Dinner8 PM Wine & Dessert9 PM Games

Saturday:

8 AM Morning walk around the lake 8 AM Coffee/Tea & continental breakfast 10 AM Lay-Led Shabbat Service 11:30 AM Brunch 12:30 PM Workshop Session 1 2:30 PM Workshop Session 2 4:30 PM Free time 6:00 PM Dinner 6:45 PM Havdalah 8 PM Wine & Dessert 9 PM Games **Sunday:** 8 AM Morning walk around the lake 8 AM Coffee/Tea & breakfast 10 AM Workshop Session 3 12:00 Closing Circle

HOUSING OPTIONS

Camp Kalsman offers different options for housing —you can choose the type that appeals to you. There are a limited number of single and double cabins and they will be filled first-come, first served.

Single Rooms—Full-bed in most, some have single bed, most have private bathroom. Very limited number available.

Small Group Rooms—Twin/Full beds, multiple locations available, have private bathroom or close proximity to shared bathroom. Mostly doubles but if willing to sleep on a top bunk or share a full/queen bed, could accommodate 3 or 4. Limited number available.

Group Cabin—Twin-bed (upper bunks will not be allocated unless requested). Each cabin has a bathroom in the cabin with multiple private toilet stalls, sink area and multiple private shower areas. You can indicate who you would like to share your cabin with. Smaller groups may be combined.

In the group cabins, Camp Kalsman has 2 heated cabins, 8-10 people in cabin. There are also many non-heated cabins (they all have sealed window) that if we have enough registration, we will use these. If you are in an unheated cabin extra bedding will be available as well as space heaters.

COST

\$250 base rate for Group Cabin/meals included.
+\$30 for Double/Triple Cabin
+\$50 for Single Room
+\$25 for linens (optional)

Scholarships are available through the <u>WRJ</u> <u>Pacific District</u>. We also recommend contacting your local Temple and inquiring if the Sisterhood has scholarship funds or if there are other scholarship dollars available.

TRAVEL

If you will be travelling to the retreat via airplane, we are working on several options to help create carpools, car rental sharing or pickups by local attendees. Please plan to arrive at SeaTac airport by 1 PM on Friday and depart after 4 PM on Sunday.

Camp is about an hour and a half drive from the airport—depending on traffic. Later in the evening on Friday, it will be longer.

LINEN PACKAGE

We are offering a linen package—with a fitted sheet, flat sheet, pillow, blanket and towel. This is an additional fee but convenient for those that have luggage space concerns when flying or if you don't have the correct size bedding at hand.

REGISTRATION

Register for the retreat by filling out the online <u>form</u> and completing the online payment page or personal check. Registrations aren't considered complete until payment is received.

Cancellation Policy: Up to 14 days before the event, all but a non-refundable deposit of \$25 will be returned. No refund will be given for notice given less than two weeks before the retreat.

QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions or want to learn more about the PNW Sisterhood Retreat, please email <u>pdsisterhoodretreat@gmail.com</u>.



Learn more and keep up-to-date on the women's retreat at **PNW Sisterhood Retreat.**

