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Top Activities to Enjoy in November in Washington State

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Chilly and wet winter weather may sound dull and tedious. But November is the time of the year when holiday festivities begin in Washington State. You can enjoy the holiday shows, craft markets, and more.

Although the weather is cold and the days are shorter, some of the best entertainment happen during this period. Here are some of the activities you can relish during the early winter in the state.

1. Park visits

The national and state parks offer a splendid opportunity to explore the terrain that ranges from temperate rainforests to desert plains. The hot springs and active volcanoes attract visitors in droves here. You can find snow-covered peaks and alpine lakes that call to adventure-loving spirits. Some of the must-visit parks here include

- Mount Rainier National Park
- North Cascades National Park
- Lake Wenatchee State Park
- Palouse Falls State Park

2. Try your luck

If the weather is not conducive to visiting indoor or outdoor attractions, you can try your luck at some of the [Washington State online poker](#) sites from Top10PokerSites. It is less expensive when compared to a land-based casino. You can play the game whenever and from wherever you want.

Furthermore, you get to enjoy a diverse variety of titles, styles, and difficulty levels. The bonuses and rewards add to the thrill and fun. For newbie players, the online format puts less pressure. They get to enjoy the game with fellow players without being intimidated. Being cooped up inside in inclement weather will not seem dull or tedious when you indulge in online poker.

3. Indoor markets

When it rains, you can spend time visiting indoor attractions like the Pike Place Market. The market is one of the oldest in the country attracting thousands of visitors daily. You can find Pacific Northwest products like flowers, art, jewelry, handmade products, fish, and more.

Set with the Olympic Mountains and Elliot Bay as a backdrop, this place is a great way to spend your time here. It is open all year round and closes only for Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The monthly vintage market is another great place to spend the afternoon. There are over 75 vendors here. The United Indians Native Art Market is a great place for finding native handcraft products including art prints, woodworking, clothing, jewelry, and more.

4. Downtown delights

To get a taste of [the local culture](#), there are several fabulous sites to visit like

- The Chihuly Garden and Glass exhibition: The Glasshouse sculpture, Northwest Room, and other exhibits found here are a sight to behold.
- The Seattle Aquarium: Featuring entertainment for children and adults, the place is perfect for spending the day with family.
- The Seattle Public Library: Apart from the extensive book collection, the library is popular for its distinctive structure and breathtaking views of the city.

5. Take a Ferry

If you want to get away from the busy city life, take one of the famed ferry rides. The state boasts the largest ferry fleet in the country. You can enjoy the city skyline, mountain ranges, and orca whales.

Or, you can visit [Bainbridge Island](#) by ferry. You get to view the city from the lake and explore the shops, restaurants, and other attractions in Bainbridge.

Try the Anacortes to Lopez ferry ride which takes just 40 minutes. The houses on Lopez Island are spectacular to watch. Fauntleroy to Vashon Island is another short ferry ride to enjoy here.

For hiking fans, Whidbey Island is a perfect place. Take the ferry from Mukilteo to the Island and explore the splendid trails here.

6. Warm up with a cup of coffee

To keep out the cold, a hot cup of coffee at Starbucks will do the trick. Starbucks was first started in this state in 1971.

The place is crowded and finding seating can be difficult. But there are other excellent coffee places to visit here like the Espresso Vivace and La Marzocco.

Starbucks is not the only establishment that was started first here. Costco, Amazon, Nordstrom, and Microsoft began their journey here.

If you fancy a cup of tea instead, visit the Tea Noir at the Fairmont Olympic Hotel. You can enjoy tea-added cocktails, music, dancing, and sumptuous meals. Book a ticket in advance for this November attraction.

Final thoughts

Washington State, and Seattle in particular, provides plenty of entertainment. Regardless of the

season, the region provides the best sightseeing, dining, and festive experience. Despite the cold and wet weather conditions, the exciting array of things you get to do is amazing.

Whether it is the spectacular views or the festive events arranged by locals, [Seattle is a hot and happening place](#) to be at any time of the year. Locals and visitors find many things to do here throughout the year. Often enough they do not have enough time to enjoy everything the place has to offer.

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