

Rumblings



Mount St. Helens Institute eNews

This May marks the 41st Eruptiversary of the 1980 eruption of Mount St. Helens. In remembering and honoring that event, Craig Romano visited Harry's Ridge, we're hosting a Views & Brews on hazard awareness, and we're happy to present our 2021 Certified Volcano Naturalists! Read on for these stories and more.

As always, we remain steadfast in our commitment to [bring the volcano to people around the world](#) while improving equity in accessing science, the outdoors and public lands.

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This climb to the rim of Mount St. Helens offers an amazing opportunity to reach the top of the Pacific Northwest's most spectacular volcano and learn about the area's natural and cultural history in the comfort of a guided group.

To the
Summit

Eruptiversary Volcano Views & Brews: Earthquake Early Warning in the PNW

May 18th, 6:00 pm



Earthquakes and volcanic eruptions are related hazards in Cascadia. In honor of the 41st anniversary of the Mount St. Helens eruption, join us in learning how earthquakes and volcanoes are related, and how science and technology have advanced since 1980 to help us better understand and prepare for tectonic hazards.

This event will be live-streamed on [Facebook](#) and uploaded to our [YouTube channel](#) the following day.

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Romano's Ramblings: Harry's Ridge



Harry's Ridge projects south from Johnston Ridge to not only offer superb viewing of the Pumice Plain and Mount St. Helens' crater—but also of massive silver-log-littered Spirit Lake right below it with Mount Adams hovering in the distance.

Craig Romano, is an award-winning author of more than 25 guidebooks with Mountaineers Books. Visit him at CraigRomano.com

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Hike Harry's Ridge on an MSHI Eruption Hike



Traverse the ridgeline that separates the blast zone from the standing dead and hear first-hand accounts of the eruption on May 18, 1980, 40 years ago. We will hike up to Harry's Ridge, named after the lovable curmudgeon who lived along Spirit Lake, where a clear day reveals the breathtaking panorama of this active volcano. Participation in this hike includes entry to this world-class visitor center.

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Investigate Mount St. Helens with us in a live, interactive, and thought-provoking virtual field trip program! While we cannot visit the mountain in person right now, you and your students can visit in the next best way - in an interactive 360-degree virtual environment! Our virtual field trip packages are aligned to Next Generation Science Standards, are directed by student observations, and come with ready-to-use lessons plans for before and after your field trip with us.

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Congratulations to the 2021 Certified Volcano Naturalists



This year, 59 learners participated in 12 weeks of virtual classes about the geology, ecology, and cultural history of Mount St. Helens, along with outdoor field trips to locations around Mount St. Helens. They completed the program Tuesday, May 4th with a Zoom celebration and Mount St. Helens trivia. Congrats

grads!

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