



Celebrating *Chimacum!*

Over 1,800 guests joined us yesterday at the Bremerton ferry terminal to celebrate our new ferry, *Chimacum!* Thank you to everyone who made the event such a success, especially the WSF employees who worked during the event and our event sponsors.

Here are a few pictures of the festivities. Many more will be posted to our [WSF Flickr](#) next week!



The Chimacum spent the day at the Bremerton terminal and was open to the public from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. It entered service on the Seattle/Bremerton route this morning beginning with the 6:20 a.m. sailing from Bremerton.

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Summer schedule begins Sunday, June 25

Summer is upon us! Our summer sailing schedule starts on Sunday, June 25. Pick up a copy of the printed schedule or view it [online](#).

Summer is our busiest season and we add service on several routes to accommodate heavier traffic. Summer schedule changes include:

Fauntleroy/Vashon/Southworth: Additional sailings on weekends.

Anacortes/San Juan Islands: A fifth vessel is added for more sailings.

Anacortes/Sidney, BC: A second daily round trip is added.

Mukilteo/Clinton: Afternoon sailing times have changed. Additional late night sailings Thursdays through Sundays.

Port Townsend/Coupeville: Two-boat service continues.

Learn more about upcoming construction at Colman Dock



Lots of our younger attendees enjoyed the face painter and balloon artist during yesterday's festivities.



The speaking ceremony kicked off on the car deck with a performance from the Navy Band Northwest.



WSF employees loved greeting all of our guests at the welcome table.

Last week we launched an [online open house](#) where you can learn more about what to expect during [Colman Dock project construction](#) and share your feedback. It also includes information about proposed changes to the Bremerton and Bainbridge sailing schedules. I encourage you to join us at [upcoming outreach events](#) to talk with project staff and share your comments.

Starting Monday, June 26, customers should expect [changes to the way drivers access Colman Dock](#).

Mark your calendar for upcoming open houses:

Monday, June 26 -
Bremerton
5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Kitsap Conference Center,
100 Washington Ave.

Tuesday, June 27 –
Bainbridge Island
5:30 – 7:30 p.m.
Bainbridge Island Senior
Center, 370 Brien Dr. SE

Thursday, June 29 –
Downtown Seattle
4:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Center for Architecture and
Design, 1010 Western Ave.



Representative Judy Clibborn and Senator Curtis King joined us for the ceremony. Here they are in front of the Chimacum's dedication plaque.

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