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Washington's mountains rise from the ground like the mighty, mythical gods of lore. Stretching upwards with little regard for the communities of people peppered around them, such grand indifference captures our imaginations and awe. We strive to scale and conquer them, to master their trails and hills, and their magnificence allows us to transcend who we are in some magical way. Grand Mound, Washington places you within reach of the state's majestic mountains, and thus its main attractions.



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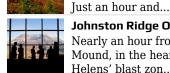


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THE AREA



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Grand Mound, Washington was founded in 1851 by Jotham Weeks Judson, the father of future pioneer and author Phoebe Judson. As a census-designated place (CDP) in Thurston County, Grand Mound possesses a settled population that is not legally incorporated as a town or city under Washington state laws. CDPs include small rural communities, which precisely describes Grand Mound with a population scratching 3,000.

While the community itself does not necessarily have any attractions, towns like Centralia are within close vicinity. But the real star is Washington State's natural beauty, which is well within driving distance and includes such historic places as Mount St. Helens, Mount Rainier National Park and the Pacific beaches.

DO & SEE



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Part of Grand Mound's attraction is its vicinity to Washington's fabulous national parks and mountainsides. It is well worth the drive to see the stunning views of the mountains and beaches, and adventurers will be well rewarded by taking to the hiking trails and plentiful outdoor activities. For even more options, seek nearby towns such as Centralia.

Mount Rainier National Park



Mount Rainier is an easy drive from Grand Mound to Ashford. Just an hour and a half away, the National Park is a must-see. With the

warmer weather, myriad opportunities bloom for fun at the Park. Enjoy hiking, National Park camping, National Forest camping, fishing, horseback riding, mountain biking, mountaineering, road biking, trail running, and driving tours. The Driving Tours allow visitors to circle Rainier, explore scenic byways and take lots of pictures. During the cooler seasons, enjoy cross country skiing, snowmobiling, the Snowplay Area, snowshoeing, winter camping and snowboarding.

Photo: Mike Peters / Shutterstock.com Address: 39000 East State Route 706, Ashford, WA



Phone: +1 360 569 2211 Internet: www.visitrainier.com

Johnston Ridge Observatory



Nearly an hour from Grand Mound, in the heart of Mount St. Helens' blast zone, lies the Johnston Ridge Observatory. Erected

with the purpose of hosting displays that explore the biological and geological implications of the 1980 eruption, JRO features award-winning films, ranger talks, landscape observations, and lunch for guests. You are even permitted to hike the surrounding areas. During the summers, JRO holds the annual Music on the Mountain series in its outdoor amphitheater. JRO closes for the winter season but opens in May.

Photo: Daniel W. Slocum / Shutterstock.com Address: 24000 Spirit Lake Highway, Toutle, WA

Opening hours: Daily 10am-6pm Phone: +1 360 274 2140

Internet: www.fs.usda.gov/mountsthelens More Info: Milepost 52 on State Road 504

Science and Learning Center at Coldwater



Also a part of Mount St. Helens' exploratory efforts, the Science and Learning Center at Coldwater gives guests the opportunity to

experience educational programs, picnic on the deck, receive information on the 1980 eruption and even purchase "Discover Your Northwest" souvenirs. Hike along the Elk Bench Trail and Lakes Trail, gaining fabulous views of Coldwater Lake and elk sightings. Once past these trails, you'll find yourself in the stunning Mt. Margaret Backcountry.

Photo: Svieta Imnadze / Shutterstock.com

Address: 19000 Spirit Lake Hwy Milepost 43.3, State Route

504, Toutle, WA

Phone: +1 360 274 2140 Internet: www.mshslc.org

Email: slcregistration@mshinstitute.org

Central GlassWorks



Central GlassWorks is a locally owned and operated glassblowing studio and art gallery founded by resident artist Kevin M. Regan. They not

only sell beautiful glasswork, but they also offer glassblowing classes.

Photo: jurra8 / Shutterstock.com

Address: 109 West Main Street, Centralia, WA Opening hours: Wed-Sat 11am-6pm, Sun 11am-5pm

Phone: +1 360 623 1099

Internet: www.centralglassworks.org Email: centralglass@localaccess.com

Centralia Union Depot



The historical Centralia
Union Depot was built in
1912 as a transportation
center, gathering place
and landmark. All original
exterior and interior

structure is still maintained: the red bricks, woodwork, tiling, and oak benches all remain. Today the Union Depot is served by Amtrak, acting a midpoint between Kelso and Olympia.

Photo: Joe Mabel (image cropped)

Address: 210 Railroad Street Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 330 7671

Internet: www.waymarking.com/waymarks/WM3GY0



Evergreen Playhouse



Be entertained at the Evergreen Playhouse. With a history spanning five decades, the Playhouse has added a touch of class and

sophistication to the city of Centralia. Enjoy performances such as Wizard of Oz, Aladdin, Oklahoma, and MacBeth.

Photo: Hywit Dimyadi / Shutterstock.com

Address: 226 West Center Street, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 736 8628

Internet: www.evergreenplayhouse.com
Email: theevergreenplayhouse@gmail.com

Fox Theatre



The charming Fox
Theatre is an icon of
Centralia. It opened in
1930 and originally had
1,200 seats with over 3
seating levels. While

undergoing restoration construction, Fox Theatre continues to hold special events.

Photo: Steven Pavlov (image cropped)

Address: 123 South Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 623 1103

Internet: www.centraliafoxtheatre.com Email: scott@centraliafoxtheatre.com

Fort Borst Park



Fort Borst Park is one of Centralia's main attractions, with myriad recreational activities for visitors. Enjoy a stroll during the springtime

surrounded by rhododendrons. As the weather continues to warm, take to the walking trails, playgrounds, picnic areas, volleyball areas, and

waters. There are also historical structures, including the 1860's Borst Homestead, a replica of the Borst One Room Schoolhouse, an arboretum, and the Fort Borst Blockhouse.

Photo: Bob (image cropped)

Address: West of I-5, Off Exit 82, Fort Brost Park, WA

Phone: +1 360 330 7688

Internet: www.cityofcentralia.com/Page.asp?NavID=444

Seminary Hill Natural Area



The Seminary Hill
Natural Area is a
meditative wooded area
on Seminary Hill. It
overlooks Centralia, as
well as the Chehalis and

Skookumchuck River Valleys. The trailhead provides public access to steep trails, woods, and vistas.

Photo: Zack Frank/Shutterstock.com

Address: End of Barner Drive, between Summa Street and

Seminary Hill Road Phone: +1 360 330 7688

Internet: www.cityofcentralia.com/Page.asp?NavID=461

Centralia Timberland Regional Library



As a member of one of the prestigious Carnegie Libraries, Centralia Timberland Library was built with donations from 19th-century industrialist

Andrew Carnegie. After browsing through the extensive reading sections, browse the internet on the public use computers. Special events are held throughout the year for all ages, including the Twin Cities Pet Show and the annual Christmas Tree Lighting.

Photo: Steven Pavlov (image cropped)

Address: 110 South Silver Street, Centralia, WA



Phone: +1 360 736 0183

Internet: www.trl.org/Pages/default.aspx

Dance Festival Northwest



Each spring brings the Dance Festival Northwest. Hosted by the Southwest Washington Dance Center for over 20 years, the festival brings

dance companies from all around the Pacific Northwest together. Be captivated by classical, ballet, innovative contemporary ballet, creative modern, dynamic and lyrical jazz, musical theater, and hip hop performances.

Photo: Eugene Mynzul / Shutterstock.com

Address: 600 Centralia College Boulevard, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 736 9391

Email: webmaster@centralia.edu

Northwest Wind Symphony



The Northwest Wind Symphony guarantees an entertaining evening of music for the whole family. Many of the finest musicians from Western

Washington and Northern Oregon come together for the performance and the Northwest Wind Symphony has been performing for over 20 years.

Photo: tommaso lizzul / Shutterstock.com

Address: 1673 South Market Boulevard, Chehalis, WA

Phone: +1 360 304 0784

 $Internet: www.northwestwindsymphony.org \\ Email: connect@northwestwindsymphony.org$

Historic Downtown Centralia



For those seeking an escape to the vibrancy and energy of an artsy, chic community, then head to Downtown
Centralia. Cafes, antique

and boutique shops, and more are to be had. Also enjoy an eclectic mix of local galleries and specialties including handmade jewelry, handcrafted furniture, and homemade chocolates.

Photo: Joe Mabel (image cropped)

Address: 312 North Pearl Street, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 623 1584

Internet: www.downtowncentralia.org

DINING



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Most of the area's eateries are located in nearby Centralia, and the selection is impressive. Diners can choose from Chinese, Mexican, Italian and many more, as well as hearty American cuisine.

Burger Claim



Whether your stomach's grumbling for breakfast, lunch, or dinner, Burger Claim is Grand Mound's own restaurant. The breakfast menu features

scrumptious favorites such as French Toast,



Chicken Fried Steak and Eggs, and the Chuck Wagon Breakfast.

Photo: topseller / Shutterstock.com

Address: 20320 Old Hwy 99 SW, Rochester, WA Opening hours: Sun-Thu 7am-10pm, Fri-Sat 7am-11pm

Phone: +1 360 273 9347 Internet: www.burgerclaim.com

Boccata Restaurant



Located 20 minutes away in Centralia, Boccata
Restaurant is a gem of a restaurant. Boccata combines some of the world's best cuisines from

the Mediterranean, featuring fare from Italy, Greece, Spain, France, Morocco, and others. The wine list pairs perfectly with the entrees, providing a variety of European and Mediterranean flavors. All meals are prepared with quality imported and local ingredients, meats, and cheeses, as well as pure bread and fresh produce. Sidewalk dining is available in the summer.

Photo: DronG / Shutterstock.com

Address: 405 North Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA Opening hours: Lunch: Mon-Tue 11am-3pm, Wed-Sat

11am-5pm. Dinner: Wed-Sat 5pm-9pm

Phone: +1 360 736 2404

Internet: www.eatatboccata.com
Email: boccatarestaurant@gmail.com

Country Cousin



Country Cousin is a wonderful eatery famous for dishes like the Old Fashioned Pot Roast and homemade desserts. Whether for breakfast,

lunch, or dinner find a variety of burgers, steaks, and even some health-conscious selections.

Photo: Brent Hofacker / Shutterstock.com Address: 1054 Harrison Avenue, Centralia, WA Opening hours: Sun-Thu 5:30am-9:30pm, Fri-Sat

5:30am-10pm

Phone: +1 360 736 2200

Internet: www.countrycousinrestaurant.com

Casa Ramos



The award-winning Casa Ramos cooks authentic Mexican cuisine hailing from Cuautla, Mexico. They are known for their Nachos, Margaritas,

Fajitas, freshly made tortillas, and handmade salsa. You are also invited to dine at the Cantina, which features delicious beverages like the Ramosrita Margarita.

Photo: Olga Nayashkova / Shutterstock.com Address: 929 Harrison Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 330 2045 Internet: www.aztecamex.com

Peking House



For premium Chinese cuisine, head to Peking House in Centralia. They serve both lunch and dinner, with dishes like Kung Pao Chicken, Honey

Pork, Curry Beef, General Tso's Chicken, and much more. They also added a new dish to the menu: Honey Chicken.

Photo: sarsmis / Shutterstock.com

Address: 513 Harrison Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 807 8988

Internet: www.pekinghousecentralia.com
Email: contact@pekinghousecentralia.com



Judy's Country Kitchen



Judy's has been a local staple for great breakfast served all day. Enjoy a menu of Omelets, Scrambled Eggs, Breakfast Ham, Biscuits

& Gravy, and much more. The Old Fashioned Hard Ice Cream Milk Shakes are a must.

Photo: bitt24 / Shutterstock.com

Address: 3210 Galvin Road, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Daily 6am-2pm Phone: +1 360 736 3592

Internet: www.judys-countrykitchen.com

Papa Pete's Pizza



Papa Pete's looks to impress with some of Southwest Washington's best pizza. Along with traditional pizza favorites like Cheese, Pepperoni,

and Beef, you'll also find eccentric topping delights like Cherry Wood Smoked Oysters and Oregon Shrimp. Salads, breadsticks, beer, and wine are also offered.

Photo: stocksolutions / Shutterstock.com Address: 933 Harrison Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 736 5777 Internet: www.papapetes.com

Tiki Tap House



The Tiki Tap House may seem incongruous with Centralia, but rest assured the locals have made this their own piece of Hawaiian heaven in

Washington. Dine on island-inspired pizza and pints, with a wonderful selection of craft brews and local wines.

Photo: Magdanatka / Shutterstock.com

Address: 404 North Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Tue-Sat 11.30am-9pm

Phone: +1 360 669 0161

Internet: www.tikitaphouse.com

Panda Inn



Cheap meals, large portions, and wonderful service. The Panda Inn offers the holy triumvirate of dining appeal to hungry guests.

Expect traditional Chinese dishes and tasty vegetarian options as well.

Photo: Joshua Resnick / Shutterstock.com Address: 806 Harrison Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 807 2088

CAFES



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Nearby Grand Mound in Centralia, visitors will find a host of cafes and coffee houses offering premium roasts and expertly prepared coffee drinks. Each brings with it a distinctive style and combination of delicious food and pure, Washington relaxation.

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Dawn's Delectables



Dawn's treats are delectable indeed - with tasty selections spanning Signature Carrot Cake, Cobblers, Delectable Brownie Sundaes,

Cupcakes, Banana Pudding, Fresh Sandwiches, Homemade Soup, Muffins, Scones, and so much more.

Photo: Nataliya Arzamasova / Shutterstock.com Address: 204 North Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11am-4pm, Sat 10am-4pm

Phone: +1 360 807 4393

Internet: www.dawnsdelectables.com

Email: customercare@dawnsdelectables.com

Berry Fields Cafe



Berry Fields Cafe is a local favorite for its assortment of delicious fare for breakfast. Try the chicken fried steak breakfast and the

strawberry rhubarb pie. You won't ever leave Berry's hungry.

Photo: Tammy Venezia / Shutterstock.com Address: 201 South Pearl Street, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Daily 7am-5pm Phone: +1 360 736 1183

Internet: www.berryfieldscafe.com Email: berryfieldscafe@aol.com

Santa Lucia Coffee Co.



Santa Lucia is a wonderful coffee house that invites you to unwind and relax with free Wi-Fi, a full espresso bar, paninis, fresh salads, and

soups, and even microbrews.

Photo: bogdanhoda / Shutterstock.com

Address: 202 South Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7am-5pm, Sat 8am-3pm, Sun

9am-3pm

Phone: +1 360 807 9600

Internet: www.justindustries.com

Fiddlers Coffee



Fiddlers Coffee was established by a local family of national champion fiddlers with a secret passion for specialty coffee. Now the

community shop serves award-winning coffee, all dedicated to traditional Italian style espresso.

Photo: mavo / Shutterstock.com

Address: 1220 Mellen Street, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 5am-8pm, Sat 6am-8pm, Sun

6am-7pm

Phone: +1 360 807 4238

Internet: www.fiddlerscoffee.com Email: fiddlerscoffee@gmail.com

BARS & NIGHTLIFE



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When staying in Grand Mound, be sure to travel to Centralia for its whimsical nightlife. Old-West bars and friendly pubs abound, serving some delicious pub food and entrees, and boasting an impressive selection of brews and vintages.



The Olympic Club Pub



Located in the former card room of the Olympic Club Hotel & Theater, The Olympic Club Pub was once frequented by greats like Tacoma Iron

Mike, Honest John, and One-Eyed Tony. Lose yourself in the dark wood accenting, Art Nouveau stenciling, Tiffany-style lights, beveled glass, and period bar. Happy Hour is served 3pm to 6pm and 10pm until closing. Also enjoy numerous ales on tap.

Photo: somsak nitimongkolchai / Shutterstock.com Address: 112 North Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 866 736 5164

Internet: www.mcmenamins.com/OlyClub Email: olyclub@mcmenamins.com

The New Tourist Bar



Initially opened in 1913, the New Tourist Bar is underneath the Olympic Club Hotel. Acting as an informal Old West-style bar, the New Tourist still

possesses its original tiling. The back bar is splendid and selection of handcrafted ales, wines, and spirits is impressive.

Photo: Brandon Bourdages / Shutterstock.com Address: 112 North Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA Opening hours: Mon-Fri 4pm-11pm, Sat-Sun 11am-11pm

Phone: +1 360 736 5164

Internet:

www.mcmenamins.com/108-olympic-club-new-tourist-bar

Email: olyclub@mcmenamins.com

O'Blarney's at the Gibson House



O'Blarney's Irish Pub has been a favorite of Olympia and Centralia for years. Catch every NFL game on Sunday, 80 MLB games every week,

Nascar, NBA, PGA, NHL, NCAA, and UFC fights as well on their televisions. Along with free Wi-Fi for those on business, enjoy a night of pool, darts, shuffleboard, live music, Buzztime, and Trivia Night.

Photo: Brent Hofacker / Shutterstock.com

Address: 221 Tower Ave, Centralia Opening hours: Daily 7am-2am Phone: +1 360 807 4581

Internet: www.oblarneyspub.com

Junction Sports Bar & Grill



Junction Sports Bar & Grill is a gathering place for those looking to enjoy a night of live music, live sports on their high-definition TV's and

great drinks. Choose from a menu of burgers, pizzas, salads, BBQ, sandwiches, and baskets.

Photo: BlueSkyImage / Shutterstock.com

Address: 21000 Old Highway 99 Southwest, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Daily 9:30am-2am

Phone: +1 360 273 7586

Internet: www.meetatthejunction.com Email: junctionsports@comcast.net

The Limit Bar & Grill



The Limit Bar & Grill features Wednesday night pool tournaments, Friday and Saturday night karaoke, theme nights, Jello Shots, Live music



and events, and Drink Specials. Since 1959 The Limit has served Centralia and its surrounding areas.

Photo: studio0411 / Shutterstock.com

Address: 1500 South Gold Street, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 330 8049

Internet: www.thelimitbar-n-grill.com

Hub Bar & Grill



Described as a "local's bar through and through," Hub Bar & Grill is always proclaimed as one of the friendliest in Centralia as well. The

burgers are touted and the drinks are stout.

Photo: NatashaPhoto / Shutterstock.com

Address: 110 South Tower Avenue, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Daily 6am-2pm Phone: +1 360 736 2229

Dick's Brewing Company



Combining distinctive barley and hops to create the experience of Dick's Brewing Company, the brewery is famous throughout the Pacific

Northwest for its premiere crafts. Take your palate on a stroll through times when quality craftsmanship took precedence over quantity.

Photo: Brent Hofacker / Shutterstock.com Address: 3516 Galvin Road, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 736 1603 Internet: www.dicksbeer.com

Joe's Place



Nearby Grand Mound in Bucoda is the beer tavern and karaoke bar Joe's Place. Ice-cold drinks and live entertainment are the calling cards of this

establishment. Joe's has been a family-owned-and-operated business for 113 years.

Photo: PopTika / Shutterstock.com

Address: 118 South Main Street, Bucoda, WA

Opening hours: Sun-Thu 7am-11pm, Fri-Sat 7am-2am

Internet: www.joesplaceinc.com Email: info@joesplaceinc.com

The Shire Bar & Bistro



The Shire serves up something fun for lunch and dinner. Enjoy a selection of late night appetizers as well, with a menu of fresh cocktails,

local wines, and ales.

Photo: Joshua Resnick / Shutterstock.com

Address: 465 Northwest Chehalis Avenue, Chehalis, WA Opening hours: Tue-Fri 11.30am-closing, Sat 5pm-closing

Phone: +1 360 748 3720

Internet: www.theshirebarandbistro.com



SHOPPING



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The Grand Mound area and its surroundings is home to some great bargains. You can find plenty of outlet malls as well as some smaller boutiques with tons of personality nearby in Centralia. Take your findings in apparel and outdoor gear with you back to Grand Mound afterwards to take advantage of the beautiful nature in the area.

Centralia Factory Outlets



Find it all at Centralia
Factory Outlets:
accessories, jewelry,
lingerie, books, footwear,
housewares, and of
course, the biggest

names in men's and women's apparel.

Photo: Olesia Bilkei / Shutterstock.com Address: 1342 Lum Road, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-8pm, Sun 10am-7pm

Phone: +1 360 736 3900

Internet: www.centraliafactoryoutlet.com

VF Outlet



VF Outlet is a premium name among America's outlet brands. Find great discount clothing from the best names in the business. Jeans by Lee,

Wrangler, Riders, Nautica, Vanity Fair, Warner's, Olga, Maidenform, and other brands are found at VF Outlet. Find apparel for men, women, juniors, kids and infants.

Photo: MrTrush / Shutterstock.com

Address: 109 West High Street, Centralia WA

Opening hours: Mon-Sun 10am-5pm

Phone: +1 360 330 5366

Internet: centralia factory outlet.com/store-directory

Fairway Shopping Center



Fairway Shopping Center has eateries, salons, gift shops, and specialty stores. New information is released daily on the website, including deals

and coupons for the shops.

Photo: Andresr / Shutterstock.com

Address: 1536 Grand Avenue, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 330 9006

Internet: www.fairwaycenter.com

Nike Clearance Store



Find thousands of premium Nike products at Centralia's Nike Clearance Store. There's something for everyone: men, women and

children. Shoes, clothing, gear, and more are found at discount prices.

Photo: Alan Nakkash (image cropped) Address: 1342 Lum Rd, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-8pm, Sun 10am-7pm

Phone: +1 360 736 7434

Internet: www.outlettable.com/brand/nike-outlet/centralia-wa

/62848.html



Historic Downtown Centralia



Centralia's Downtown
Historic District is perfect
for passing the day.
Indulge in coffee houses
before browsing the
shops. Find galleries,

handmade jewelry stores, handcrafted furniture shops, homemade chocolates, and endless antique stores.

Photo: Joe Mabel (image cropped) Address: Downtown Centralia, WA

Internet: www.cityofcentralia.com/Page.asp?NavID=685

Historic Lewis County Farmers Market



Make your way to the Historic Lewis County Farmers Market on Fridays. They sell fresh local produce, fruit, and veggies from the Yakima

Valley. There are veggie and flower starts, perennials and annuals, sedums and shrubs for your garden. Also find baked goods and home décor pieces.

Photo: Matej Kastelic / Shutterstock.com

Address: Downtown Centralia

Opening hours: May to September: Fri 10am-3:30pm

Phone: +1 360 736 8977

Internet: www.lewiscountyfarmersmarket.org

Email: oldeachersfarm@tds.net

Christian Outlet



Christian Outlet has locations nationally, with a retail store in Centralia as well. Find the latest in Christian literature, music, Bibles, movies,

software, church supplies, and more.

Photo: Sedgraphic / Shutterstock.com Address: 1328 Lum Road, Centralia, WA

Phone: +1 360 736 5533

Internet: www.christianoutlet.com
Email: centralia@christianoutlet.com

TOURIST INFORMATION



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Seattle-Tacoma International Airport



Grand Mound's nearest major airport is Seattle-Tacoma International Airport (SEA), which is 67 miles from the center of the

town. SEA is a primary hub for Alaska Airlines and has service to destinations throughout North America, Europe, the Middle East and East Asia.

The Central Link Light Rail connects the airport ti downtown Seattle. Ground transportation to the Grand Mound area is provided through taxis and rental car companies.

Photo: Juan Garces

Address: Seattle-Tacoma International Airport

Phone: +1 206 787 5388 Internet: www.portseattle.org



Public Transport



The nearest public transportation is located 20 minutes away, in Centralia via Twin Transit. There are five fixed routes throughout

the community, along with hourly bus service to neighborhoods, shopping centers, and governmental and medical offices. Impressively, over 250,000 rides are taken each year on buses operated by Twin Transit.

Photo: Pierre-Luc Auclair Internet: www.twintransit.org

Taxi



The following taxi services are available for the Grand Mound area: All Around Taxi: +1 360 556 6932 Aark Taxi Plus: +1 360 273 8294

Photo: ArrivalGuides

Post

US Post Office



Photo: Andy Fuchs

Address: 3615 Northpark Drive, Centralia, WA Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8am-5pm, Sat 9:30am-1:30pm

Phone: +1 360 807 2144

Pharmacy

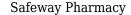




Photo: Gemma Garner

Address: 1129 Harrison, Centralia, WA

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-9pm, Sun 11am-6pm

Phone: +1 360 330 5229

Telephone



Country Code: +1 Area

Code: 360

Photo: Jardson Almeida

Electricity



110V, 60Hz

Photo: Stirling Tschan

Time Zone



Grand Mound is in the Pacific time zone and all times are reflected in Pacific time.

Photo: Marek Polakovic



Population

2,981

Currency

US Dollar \$1 = 100 cents

Opening hours

Most stores are open seven days a week 9am to 6pm, or later. Bars and clubs tend to close around 2am.

Newspapers

Washington Gazetteer

Emergency numbers

911

Tourist information

Visitor Information Center 103 Sid Snyder Avenue SW, Olympia +1 360 704 7544