

Recreation Opportunity Guide



TROLLER'S COVE CABIN

DESCRIPTION: The 14' x 14' [Pan-Abode](#) cedar log cabin was constructed in 1986. The cabin has sleeping space for four people.



LOCATION: Trollers Cove is on the east side of Prince of Wales Island 38 air-miles from Ketchikan. Refer to USGS topo map Craig B-1. Longitude: -132.1952778; Latitude: 55.36388889

ACCESS: The cabin is typically accessed by boat, but can also be reached by floatplane (refer to Ketchikan Tide Tables). The cabin is available for use throughout the year, however, April through November are often the best months. An unimproved boat ramp is located at nearby Polk Inlet for launching small craft to access the cabin.

A **mooring buoy** is located in the cove. A reservation for a Forest Service cabin does not include exclusive use of the buoy. Buoy use is on a first-come, first-served basis. Mooring of more than one vessel is allowed, provided the first party there agrees.

TERRAIN: The area surrounding the cabin is flat with an old growth cedar, spruce, and hemlock forest predominating. At low tide there may be up to 50 feet of rocks and boulders exposed (no sandy beach).

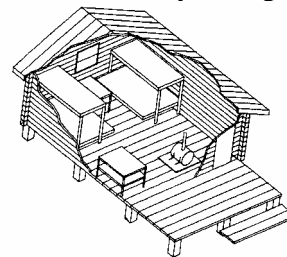
SPECIAL FEATURES: Trollers Cove offers fishing for bottom fish and trolling for salmon off 20 Fathom Bank. The cove is used as an anchorage by both commercial and pleasure boats. Numerous small lakes can be found in the hills behind the cabin; waterfalls can be seen in nearby coves. Bear and deer hunting are popular. Spiral Cove (north) is known for its scenery.

FACILITIES:

- Four single-size sleeping spaces
- Wood stove
- Cooking counter, table, shelves, and cupboard space
- Ax/maul/splitting wedges
- Broom
- A natural water source is a nearby creek

- *TREAT OR BOIL WATER BEFORE DRINKING.
- *BRING YOUR OWN - sleeping bags, sleeping pads, cooking stove, lantern, pots, pans, plates, utensils, food, toilet paper, garbage bags, and fire starter.
- *WOOD SUPPLY cannot be guaranteed. Please be conservative with wood and use only for heating purposes.

CABIN LAYOUT: There may be slight variations.



RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED



Rental Fee: \$25/night year round



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Visit Craig or Thorne Bay district offices for same-day or advance reservations.



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Leave what you find



Minimize campfire impacts
Be considerate of others
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