



# ABOUT TOLEDO

With its picturesque surroundings along the Cowlitz River, the community of Toledo provides a haven for outdoor enthusiasts, offering activities such as fishing, kayaking, and hiking in the nearby Mount St. Helens National Volcanic Monument.

The town's rich history is showcased in its downtown area, while community events like the annual Cheese Days celebration each summer, highlight the town's friendly and welcoming atmosphere. Toledo's burgeoning art scene has also become a source of pride in Toledo over the past several decades with sculptures, downtown murals, and a charming local gallery.

While you're in town, also stop by the Veterans Wall of Honor at Toledo City Park, which honors more than 400 veterans of foreign wars. Toledo is a delightful destination that promises a warm welcome and delightful small-town charm.



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# TOP PICKS FOR DISCOVERING TOLEDO

## **Mount St. Helens National Volcanic Monument:**

“The great way to Mount St. Helens!” Embark on an unforgettable journey to this world-renowned volcano and become acquainted with the charming town of Toledo as you travel. Located on the scenic route to the mountain, discover breathtaking views and a unique glimpse into the area’s rich history.

## **Toledo Thursday Farmers Market:**

This vibrant community market is a gathering space where local farmers and artisans showcase their goods. Visitors will find seasonal fruits, vegetables, baked goods, and crafts. The market is located at the Toledo Boat Ramp from May to September and then moves indoors at Steamboat Landing from September to December and from March through May.

**The Cowlitz River:** Offering a variety of activities for nature lovers and adventure seekers, enjoy kayaking through both calm stretches and exciting rapids. The river is renowned for its excellent salmon and steelhead fishing. The benches near Toledo’s boat launch provide the perfect spot to relax and enjoy the beauty of the river and artistic community.



**Toledo Skydiving:** Experience the ultimate adrenaline rush with Toledo Skydiving! Soar high above the picturesque landscapes of Toledo, and take in the breathtaking views from a whole new perspective. Whether you’re a first-time jumper or a seasoned skydiver, their expert instructors ensure a safe and exhilarating adventure.

**Captivating Selfie Spots:** Have a great time discovering the unique and charming selfie spots in Toledo, perfect for capturing your visit. Snap a photo at the old Toledo Jail, and take a photo with “Rusty the Fish,” a fun and quirky landmark. Marvel at the majestic Gospodor Eagle sculpture, be sure to wander through downtown Toledo and discover the vibrant murals providing a picturesque backdrop for your selfies.

**Unique Artistic Charm:** Immerse yourself in Toledo’s art scene at Art Gallery 505, and pick up a tour map of the area’s art scene. Each stop offers a unique glimpse into Toledo’s artistic community. Don’t miss the Toledo Art Exchange in Steamboat Alley, to find unique pieces from talented local artists.

**For the Foodies:** Begin your morning with a specialty coffee at Cafe Aromaz or Steamboat Alley Espresso. After a morning of sightseeing, treat yourself to a delicious Betty’s Burger for lunch, a local favorite. Take a break for a hearty, homestyle meal at Donna’s Place Family Dining or an authentic Mexican dish at El Tejano Mexican Restaurant. Conclude your day at Bateaux Cellars Winery, with a glass of exquisite, local wine.