

## SAUSALITO, CA Sea Trek Team Offsite & Corporate Program

Kayak the Sausalito Waterfront with Sea Trek



Suitable for all levels, our guided kayaking excursions in Sausalito offer your team a wonderful and unique experience. Lock eyes with curious harbor seals as you paddle along Richardson Bay's historic waterfront with the stunning backdrop of Angel Island and the San Francisco Bay.

Richardson Bay is a great destination for first time paddlers, being a relatively calm body of water sheltered by the hills of Sausalito. And Sea Trek's Sausalito <u>Bay Model</u> location is conveniently located just 12-15 minutes north of the Golden Gate Bridge. The Mediterranean charm of Sausalito and the surrounding areas are best viewed from the water. Abundant marine and bird life, historic ships and breathtaking vistas are part of your kayaking experience for your group. And after your time on the water, you can enjoy a meal at one of Sausalito's many incredible waterfront restaurants.

Sea Trek is California's oldest kayaking outfitter, now in its 40th year of business. We paddle in stable double kayaks and guides are with you on the water at all times. All essential gear and water/wind resistant paddling jackets are included. Our team offsite trips offer a relaxed and fun paddling experience so you can focus on spending quality time with your group.



### **Excursion Details**

Sea Trek's most popular custom group tour is the Scenic Sausalito listed below:

#### Scenic Sausalito Journey | 2.5 Hours | \$90 per person

Our Scenic Sausalito journey is a 2 1/2 hour tour of the historic Sausalito waterfront on stable sit on top kayaks. We can accommodate a group of 6 guests minimum and a maximum of 40 guests.

\*Please note: we can accommodate groups larger than 40 but please call for details.

### **Making Reservations**

Reservations are made by contacting Sea Trek Monday through Friday 9:00 am - 5:00pm at (415) 332-8494. Sea Trek requires a 25% non-refundable deposit. Final payment is due 7 days prior to the event. Sea Trek will send you a confirmation email which includes a link to manage your reservation allowing you to have everyone sign online waivers, plus we'll send you a clothing list, directions to our Sausalito location at the Bay Model and where to park (free and abundant).

#### Want to add a meal?

Many of our clients have food delivered to Sea Trek after their kayak tour. We recommend Davey Jones Deli. They offer delicious sandwiches to paellas and fresh taco bars. Contact Davey Jones at (415) 331-2282 or more information can be found here. <a href="http://www.daveyjonesdeli.com/">http://www.daveyjonesdeli.com/</a>



#### **Richardson Bay Fascinating Facts:**

- Coastal Miwok people lived in a village known as "Liwanelowa" along the southern portion of Sausalito's waterfront.
- The average depth of Richardson Bay is 5 ft. at mean low tide.
- The bay was named for William Richardson, a British sailor who jumped ship to marry the daughter of the San Francisco Presidio's commandant.
- Sausalito's houseboat community was originally established by artists, philosophers, and musicians such as Alan Watts, Jean Varda, Aldous Huxley, Allen Ginsberg, Duke Ellington and Shel Silverstein.
- At one time developers toyed with the idea of filling in Richardson Bay to create a Coney Island style amusement park and an airport.

# **Excursion FAQ**

**Q:** Why kayaking? Kayaking is a means to explore and enjoy the outdoors on an intimate level. There's a surprising amount of wildlife to be seen on the bay. Kayaking also provides great exercise, gentle or energetic at your own pace.

**Q:** Is kayaking difficult? Kayaking is highly accessible. Our friendly, supportive staff will teach you the simple, necessary skills you need in order to enjoy your time on the water.

**Q: Will I get wet?** There is often a certain amount of "splash and drip" associated with kayaking, but we provide water-repellent jackets to keep you as dry as possible. Our guides do their best to keep you comfortable.

**Q:** What about capsizing the kayak? Capsizes are extremely rare. All of our trips take place in stable, two-person kayaks (larger and steadier than river kayaks). The popular image of kayaks bobbing through rapids, and flipping upside-down is common to river kayaking but not kayaking here in the protected waters along the Sausalito shoreline.

**Q:** Is it strenuous? Only if you so choose. Kayaks glide easily, with little physical effort. Sea Trek trips are designed so that participants don't over exert themselves; and travel is at a leisurely pace.

**Q:** Will I be safe? Yes, for precautionary purposes all our clients wear a lifejacket (or PFD/personal flotation device). For all trips your group will be accompanied by guides. Sea Trek has an unblemished safety record.

**Q:** Will I need any special gear or equipment? No, Sea Trek provides all the kayaking gear that you need to keep you comfortable, warm, and dry plus a list of clothing suggestions.

**Q:** Can children participate? Yes, children ages six and up can usually kayak together with an adult, depending on the skill and confidence of the adult. Please let Sea Trek know how many kids (and their ages) will be participating.