



SPONSORSHIP PACKET

The Steamer Virginia V

Our Mission: To promote Puget Sound's maritime heritage through the restoration, preservation, operation, and interpretation of the National Historic Landmark vessel VIRGINIA V.

YOUR SPONSORSHIP



Step aboard a legacy that has carried the spirit of Puget Sound for more than a century. By sponsoring VIRGINIA V's Foundation season, your company becomes part of preserving the historic SS VIRGINIA V while placing your brand in front of an engaged, loyal, and growing community. From port visits, cruises, and holiday sailings, sponsorship is more than visibility; it's a meaningful partnership that honors maritime heritage and positions your business at the heart of an unforgettable Northwest experience.

OUR IMPACT



PRESERVATION:

The SS VIRGINIA V is the last surviving vessel of the Puget Sound Mosquito Fleet; a powerful symbol of the maritime history that shaped our region. She is recognized as a National Historic Landmark, a City of Seattle Landmark, and a City of Tacoma Landmark.

Preserving VIRGINIA V means safeguarding a tangible piece of Pacific Northwest history for future generations. Every sponsorship directly supports the restoration and long-term care of this irreplaceable treasure.

OPERATION:

VIRGINIA V is the largest wooden steamship in the United States certified by the U.S. Coast Guard to carry passengers. She sails approximately 50 times each year, welcoming thousands of guests aboard for cruises, celebrations, and public events throughout the Puget Sound region.

More than a historic vessel, she is a living, breathing museum—offering an experience that is distinctly Seattle and unlike anything else in the country.

EDUCATION:

VIRGINIA V serves as an unparalleled educational resource for our community. Through high school internships, dockside and underway field trips, and hands-on maritime programs, we connect young people to history, engineering, navigation, and teamwork. These immersive experiences bring maritime heritage to life and inspire the next generation of leaders, craftspeople, and historians.

EXPOSURE & BENEFITS



20,000+ Annual Visitors with 5,000+ Underway Guests

1,600+ Receive Monthly E-Newsletter and 500+ Receive Print Newsletter

3000+ Social Media followers (FB and Instagram)

250,000+ Annual visitors to Lake Union Park

YOUR BENEFITS

- Logo on sponsor/donor recognition wall
- Name or logo on website homepage
- Name or logo in our print newsletter (3/year)

Event Presenting Sponsor Benefits:

- Celebrated as the presenting sponsor on event guest emails
- One social media post per event, recognizing the company
- Complimentary tickets to the event(s) sponsored

SPONSORSHIP TIERS



\$10,000—Premier Sponsor

- Company chooses 4 events to be the “Event Presenting Sponsor” in 2020

\$5,000—Patron Sponsor

- Company chooses 2 events to be the “Event Presenting Sponsor” in 2020

\$2,500—Sustaining Sponsor

- Company chooses 1 events to be the “Event Presenting Sponsor” in 2020

\$1,000—Supporting Sponsor


- Company supports operations, recognized with “General Benefits.”

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Please feel free to contact the Virginia V Foundation for any inquiries or further information. We are here to assist you and look forward to connecting with you soon.



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