

The Hodgson-Lindberg Training Center

at
Historic Wind River



1937



present



Meet where the early forest rangers met.

Set among tall Douglas-fir trees just above the sparkling waters of Trout Creek, the Training Center was built by the Civilian Conservation Corps in 1937. For decades it served as the showcase venue where rangers from across the Pacific Northwest came to be trained.



Trout Creek

Changing times.

The entire Wind River site was originally a U.S. Forest Service nursery, research center, and ranger station. Following downsizing of USFS operations in the late 1990s, some buildings and fields were transferred to Skamania County.

Feel the history.

You'll love the massive stone fireplace with its rustic yew wood mantle, built from local materials. On the pine paneled walls are photos of those groups of early rangers who came here before you. A large portrait of Gifford Pinchot, the first Chief of the Forest Service, presides over the room. Experience the the warmth and detail of this historic building, and imagine the pride of the young men who built it as they worked their way through the Great Depression.



Support the effort.

Wind River Trust is a non-profit organization formed to partner with Skamania County and the U.S. Forest Service to help restore and maintain this historic site. Making the buildings available for rental is one way that we fund this work. When you choose to hold your event here, you are helping to restore and preserve the heritage of this place.

See the backside of this page for building layout and instructions for making reservations.

Event Space:

The Training Center is available for your meeting, wedding, or other social event. The building features a large meeting room that can be set up in several seating arrangements to fit your needs.

Capacity:

- Classroom— 24 Hollow Square— 20
- U-Shape— 18 Reception— 35
- Boardroom—12

To inquire about details and reserve the building for your event, contact us at:

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