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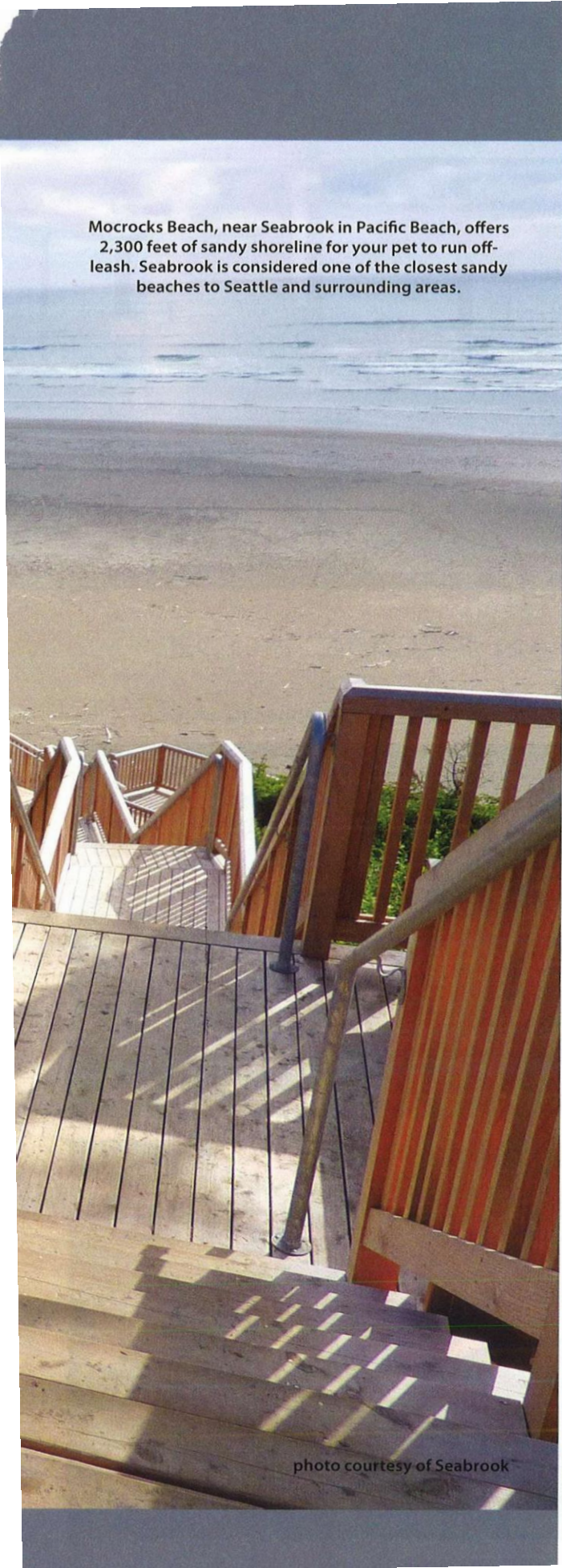
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Mocrocks Beach, near Seabrook in Pacific Beach, offers 2,300 feet of sandy shoreline for your pet to run off-leash. Seabrook is considered one of the closest sandy beaches to Seattle and surrounding areas.

Lapping Up Luxury

Tail wagging accommodations catering to you and your pooch pal

Can't bear to leave your furry friend behind? Head towards the state's finest dog-friendly destinations

By Val Mallinson

When writer John Steinbeck traveled the country with his dog Charley, they stayed in a trusty, if a bit rusty, RV. These days, there are far more elegant options that go above and beyond being pet-friendly. Whether you've got a city or country dog, a trotter who prefers a forested mountain trail or a pooch who wants to let loose on the beach, Washington has a deluxe doggie destination in mind for you and your best friend.

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To see your pal's happy trot in full swing, try a hike in the Cascades, relaxing afterwards at Salish Lodge & Spa. The setting is spectacular; perched at the edge of a bluff overlooking Snoqualmie Falls, which plunges 268-feet into a deep canyon pool. You may recognize the lodge from the opening scene of the enigmatic TV mystery series "Twin Peaks."

The Snoqualmie area offers endless options for outdoor activities—head over to Rattlesnake Lake for a dip, walk the top of world on the 11-mile Snoqualmie Ridge Trail, or check out the old railroad cars together on the tracks at the outdoor Northwest Railway Museum in old town Snoqualmie. There's easy access to patio and lawn space for concentrated lounging around, or grab a map at the front desk for the Vine Maple Path or Lollipop Loop, trails of .6 and 1.5 miles respectively, starting across the sky bridge from the lodge.

Salish's "It's a Dog's World" package includes a monogrammed doggie robe, bottled water and a bone, and your pet's choice of entrée and treat from the house-made Canine Cuisine menu. For the end to a perfect evening, your dog can snooze in front of your in-room fireplace, while you soak in the extravagant jetted spa tub with its see-through views of the lush forest surrounding the lodge.



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