

Summer Schedule ~ April 1st through September 30th													
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Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day: Same as Sunday

Crossing time: Average 10 minutes

Buy your tickets, commuter pass, senior/disabled pass or guest passes at the office, or using the Herron Island Order Form available on-line at [www.herronisland.org](http://www.herronisland.org) on the island documents page, or posted outside the office.

**Reminder:** It is each member's responsibility to insure anyone provided access to the ferry by them is informed of the access policy, safety rules and loading/unloading procedures.

Winter Schedule ~ October 1st through March 31st													
Sunday		Monday		Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday		Saturday	
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Thanksgiving and New Years  
IS: 8:30, 11:30, 6:30 ~ ML: 9:00, 12:00, 7:00  
Christmas: IS: 8:30, 6:30 ~ ML: 9:00, 7:00



Note: Low-tide ferry cancellations and holiday restrictions are posted in your Beachcomber and on the website: [www.herronisland.org](http://www.herronisland.org)



HMC MANAGEMENT

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Tuesday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm  
Thursday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm  
Friday: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

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For Island information visit [www.herronisland.org](http://www.herronisland.org)

## Welcome to the Herron Island Ferry the "Charlie Wells"

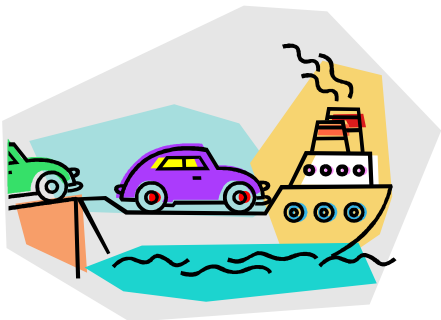
Our crews follow United States Coast Guard (USCG) regulations as well as our own in operating this ferry. For safe and enjoyable crossings please familiarize yourself with the following:

### **Access Policy**

- Vehicles must have a valid HMC sticker or guest pass to be admitted onto the ferry.
- Round-trip payment by cash, check, a commuter pass or ticket is required on the mainland side.
- Charges to members can only be authorized for utility, service or delivery personnel/vehicles.
- Arrangements must be made *in advance* to transport any combination (in-tow) of any length, and/or single vehicles longer than 25 feet.
- To transport travel trailers and motor homes to the island the member or guest must present a copy of a current RV Certificate (HMC Form 13) to the deckhand/purser. HMC Form 13 is available from the office.
- Maximum gross weight is 40,000 pounds and maximum vehicle length is 60 feet.

**Holiday restriction:** Combinations (in-tow) of any length and/or single vehicles longer than 25 feet will not be transported after NOON, the Thursday of Memorial Day and Labor Day holiday weekends. Restriction dates will be posted for Independence Day holiday. Call or visit the office for details.

This flyer contains only a portion of the HMC Access Policy.  
For complete information contact the HMC office.



## **Loading/Unloading Procedures**

- The speed limit on the pier and dock is 5 MPH.
- Cell phone use is prohibited during ferry loading and/or unloading.
- Turn off all vehicle lights while on the ferry, ramp, or pier during loading and/or unloading.
- When the traffic light turns green, proceed across the concrete pier to the beginning of the wooden ramp.
- When clear of other traffic, one car at a time may proceed to the end of the wooden ramp then stop and await further directions from a crewmember.
- A crewmember will direct you where to park.
- **Set** your parking brake and **shut off** your engine.
- Remain in your vehicle until the ramp gate is closed and return to your vehicle once the ferry begins maneuvering to dock.
- When exiting the ferry do not restart your engine until directed to do so by a crewmember.
- Foot passengers shall not board during loading/unloading of vehicles and shall remain in or return to the ferry cabin once the ferry begins maneuvering to dock until directed to disembark by a crewmember.

## **Safety Rules**

- Smoking is not permitted.
- Gasoline is allowed only in the internal tank of a vehicle or boat, or in a maximum of two (2) Coast Guard approved outboard motor fuel tanks with the capacity of up to 6 gallons each.
- Propane tanks must be shut off and sealed prior to boarding.
- Passengers must remain behind the safety lines in place across each end of the ferry.
- Passengers under the age of 13 must be under adult supervision at all times. Passengers ages 13-17 who are unaccompanied by an adult must remain in the cabin until a crewmember advises them that they may leave.

## **Ferry Rates**

<b>Ferry User Fees</b>	<b>Member</b>	<b>Guest</b>
Vehicle (up through 20') & Driver	\$ 7.00	\$ 14.00
<b>Passengers &amp; Walk-ons - -</b>		
Age 12 and Over	\$ 2.00	\$ 2.00
Age 5 - 11	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00
Under Age 5	Free	Free
<b>Vehicle Length Fares - -</b>		
21' - 30'	\$ 14.00	\$ 28.00
31' - 40'	\$ 21.00	\$ 42.00
41' - 50'	\$ 28.00	\$ 56.00
51' - 60'	\$ 35.00	\$ 70.00
Special Runs	\$175.00	\$175.00
Medical Runs <b>off</b> the island	Free	Free

## **FERRY CELL PHONE** **253-691-1457**

Call this number for information regarding ferry services; to schedule *heavy loads* and/or to make arrangements for *any combination (in-tow) of any length* and any single vehicles longer than 25 feet. *Advance scheduling is required.*

