Some Suggested Reading for Your Northern Gulf Islands & Desolation Sound Voyage

If you would like to do some reading ahead of time to prepare you for the trip, we suggest the following (although there are many other good books – and, if you have a favourite, we'd love to hear about it).

You may find these in your local bookstore or library, or online at www.chapters.com or www.amazon.com

Title	Author, ISBN	Subject Area
The Curve of Time: Classic Memoir of A Woman & Her Children Who Explored the Coastal Waters of the Pacific Northwest	M. Wylie Blanchet ISBN 1580050727	Exploring the area by boat in the 1930s. Very well written.
The Sea Among Us: The Amazing Strait of Georgia	Edited by: Richard Beamish & Gordon McFarlane ISBN 978-1-55017-683-4	Ecology, Geography, Geology, Oceanography,
A Year on the Wild Side	By Briony Penn. ISBN 0920663680	Natural history
The Last Great Sea, A Voyage Through the Human and Natural History of the North Pacific Ocean	By Terry Glavin. ISBN 1550549545	Natural history, history
Gilean Douglas The Writing Life (second half of book)	Andrea Lebowitz ISBN 1550390961	Homesteading Cortez Island in the 1950s
Desolation Sound: A History	Heather Harbord ISBN 1- 55017-407-6	Cultural History of Desolation Sound area
Relevant for Children & Adults:		
Raven Brings the Light	Roy Henry Vickers ISBN: 978- 1-55017-593-6	Northwest Coast Legend
Orca Chief	Roy Henry Vickers ISBN: 978- 1-55017-693-3	Northwest Coast Legend

These and many other books on the natural and cultural history of the Pacific Coast are on board in our library.