

July 3, 2023

## Columbia River and Tributary Fishery Reports

**Lower Columbia River, Megler-Astoria Bridge upstream to Bonneville Dam** – 103 salmonid boats and 162 Washington bank rods were tallied during Saturday's (7/1) flight count.

### ***Mainstem Columbia River***

#### **Salmon/Steelhead:**

**Sec 1 (Bonneville)** – 65 bank anglers kept two Chinook, one jack, one steelhead, one sockeye and released two Chinook, one jack, and one steelhead. 6 boats/10 rods released one Chinook.

**Sec 2 (Camas/Washougal)** – 13 bank anglers had no catch. 13 boats/24 rods kept three Chinook and released seven Chinook.

**Sec 3 (I-5 area)** – 40 bank anglers kept two Chinook, two steelhead and 14 sockeye. 1 boat/2 rods had no catch.

**Sec 4 (Vancouver)** – 48 bank anglers kept four Chinook and released one Chinook. 39 boats/70 rods kept two Chinook, two sockeye and released one Chinook and one steelhead.

**Sec 5 (Woodland)** – 106 bank anglers kept two steelhead, three sockeye and released two steelhead. 16 boats/39 rods kept two Chinook and released two Chinook and one steelhead.

**Sec 6 (Kalama)** – 116 bank anglers kept four Chinook, three steelhead and six sockeye. 31 boats/80 rods kept 12 Chinook, one sockeye and released four Chinook and one steelhead.

**Sec 7 (Cowlitz)** – 8 boats/25 rods kept two Chinook and one jack.

**Sec 8 (Longview)** – 77 bank anglers kept two steelhead, two sockeye and released one steelhead. 41 boats/99 rods kept four Chinook, five steelhead, one sockeye and released two Chinook and two steelhead.

**Sec 9 (Cathlamet)** – 29 bank anglers kept one Chinook, one jack, one steelhead, two sockeye and released two Chinook and one steelhead. 8 boats/19 rods kept two steelhead, two sockeye and released two Chinook and one steelhead.

**Sec 10 (Cathlamet)** – 13 bank anglers had no catch. 3 boats/7 rods had no catch.

#### **Sturgeon:**

**Sec 4 (Vancouver)** – 1 boat/3 rods released six oversize sturgeon.

**Sec 5 (Woodland)** – 1 boat/2 rods released five sublegal sturgeon.

**Sec 6 (Kalama)** – One bank angler had no catch.

**Shad:**

**Sec 1 (Bonneville)** – 42 bank anglers kept 86 shad. 3 boats/5 rods kept 42 shad.

**Sec 8 (Longview)** – One bank angler had no catch.

***Columbia River Tributaries***

**Salmon/Steelhead:**

**Cowlitz River I-5 Br downstream** – Five bank rods had no catch.

**Cowlitz River Above the I-5 Br** – 15 bank rods kept one Chinook, one jack and released one Chinook and six jacks. 3 boats/10 rods kept four steelhead.

**Kalama River** – Four bank rods had no catch.

**Lewis River** – Five bank rods had no catch. 1 boat/3 rods had no catch.

**Wind River** – No report.

**Drano Lake** – 3 boats/4 rods kept one Chinook.

**Klickitat River below Fisher Hill Bridge** – One bank rod had no catch.