Columbia River and Tributary Fishery Reports

Updates: Mainstem and tributary

Columbia River Tributaries

Tributary Weir Report: Current status as of August 1, 2022.

This section will provide operational status of the resistance board weirs run in Southwest WA. Additional information for these and other weirs will be available in the coming weeks.

Grays River Weir - located upstream of the Highway 4 bridge ~.3 miles. Installed and operating.

Kalama River Weir - located at the Modrow Trap facility. Installed and operating.

Washougal River Weir - located at the Fords Game Access Site. Installed and operating.

Green River Weir - located at the North Toutle Hatchery. Installed and operating.

Elochoman River Weir - located upstream of the Foster Road bridge ~.5 miles. <u>Installs expected to begin</u> the week of August 1st.

Cedar Creek Weir – located 0.25 mile from the mouth with the NF Lewis. <u>Installs expected to begin the</u> week of August 1st.

Coweeman River Weir – located at river mile 6.8 near the end of Allen Street in Kelso. <u>Installs expected</u> to begin the week of August 8th.

Fishery Reports:

Mainstem Columbia River

Salmon/Steelhead:

Sec 1 (Bonneville) – 113 bank anglers kept three Chinook, 15 steelhead, two sockeye and released three Chinook and 21 steelhead.

Sec 2 (Camas/Washougal) – 11 boats/23 rods kept six Chinook, one sockeye and released two Chinook and one steelhead.

Sec 3 (I-5 area) – 32 bank anglers kept six steelhead, two sockeye and released three steelhead. 3 boats/6 rods had no catch.

Sec 4 (Vancouver) – 95 bank anglers kept two Chinook, 19 steelhead and released one Chinook, 19 steelhead and two sockeye. 11 boats/21 rods kept three steelhead and released two steelhead.

Sec 5 (Woodland) – 68 bank anglers kept one Chinook, five steelhead and released six steelhead. 6 boats/12 rods kept one steelhead and released one steelhead.

Sec 6 (Kalama) – 250 bank anglers kept two Chinook, one jack, 20 steelhead and released seven Chinook, one jack and 26 steelhead. 11 boats/16 rods kept two steelhead and released one Chinook.

Sec 7 (Cowlitz) – 7 boats/17 rods kept five steelhead and released one Chinook and one steelhead.

Sec 8 (Longview) – 180 bank anglers kept one Chinook, 11 steelhead, one sockeye and released 20 steelhead. 29 boats/65 rods kept two jacks, 16 steelhead and released two Chinook, one jack and five steelhead.

Sec 9 (Cathlamet) – 26 bank anglers kept one steelhead and released one Chinook, two jacks and four steelhead. 1 boat/2 rods kept two steelhead and released two steelhead.

Sec 10 (Cathlamet) – Four bank anglers had no catch.

Sturgeon:

Sec 3 (I-5 area) – 1 boat/4 rods released two sublegal sturgeon.

Sec 5 (Woodland) – 2 boats/6 rods released one sublegal sturgeon.

Walleye:

Sec 2 (Camas/Washougal) – 1 boat/1 rod had no catch.

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Salmon/Steelhead:

Cowlitz River I-5 Br downstream – 18 bank rods kept two steelhead.

Cowlitz River Above the I-5 Br – 10 bank rods kept three steelhead. 26 boats/97 rods kept 85 steelhead.

Kalama River – Four bank rods had no catch. 1 boat/2 rods had no catch.

Lewis River – 16 bank rods kept one steelhead. 2 boats/6 rods kept one steelhead.

Drano Lake – No report.

Klickitat River below Fisher Hill Bridge – No report.

Klickitat River above #5 Fishway – No report.