Columbia River and Tributary Fishery Reports

Updates: Mainstem and tributary

**Columbia River Mainstem**

**Salmon/Steelhead:**

Buoy 10 upstream to Megler/Astoria Bridge:
Immediately through July 31, 2021: Closed to angling for and retention of salmon and steelhead.

Megler/Astoria Bridge upstream to Bonneville Dam:
Immediately through July 31, 2021: Daily limit 6, up to 2 adults may be retained of which up to 1 may be a sockeye and up to 1 may be a steelhead. Release all salmon other than sockeye and hatchery jack Chinook. Release wild steelhead.

Bonneville Dam upstream to Hwy. 395 Bridge at Pasco:
Immediately through July 31, 2021: Daily limit 6, up to 2 adults may be retained of which up to 1 may be a sockeye and up to 1 may be a steelhead. Release all salmon other than sockeye and hatchery Chinook. Release wild steelhead.

**Sturgeon:**

Columbia River, from Buoy 10 upstream to McNary Dam, including adjacent tributaries:
Catch and release fishing only. Fishing for sturgeon at night is closed.

**Columbia River Tributaries**

**Tributary Weir Report:**

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 will start being installed on July 15th

**Elochoman River Weir** - located upstream of the Foster Road bridge ~.5 miles will start being installed on July 15th

**Kalama River Weir** - located at the Modrow Trap facility will start being installed on July 19th

**Washougal River Weir** - located at the Fords Game Access Site will start being installed on July 26th

**Green River Weir** - located at the North Toutle Hatchery will start being installed on July 26th
Fishery Reports:

Lower Columbia mainstem Rocky Point/Tongue Point line upstream to Bonneville Dam – 60 salmonid boats and 186 Washington bank rods were tallied during Saturday’s (6/10) flight count.

Mainstem Columbia River

Salmon/Steelhead:

Sec 1 (Bonneville) – 14 bank anglers released three Chinook and two steelhead.

Sec 2 (Camas/Washougal) – No report.

Sec 3 (I-5 area) – 34 bank anglers kept two steelhead and released one Chinook and four steelhead.

Sec 4 (Vancouver) – 12 bank anglers had no catch. 8 boats/14 rods had no catch.

Sec 5 (Woodland) – 32 bank anglers kept two steelhead and released two steelhead. 2 boats/2 rods released four Chinook.

Sec 6 (Kalama) – 69 bank anglers kept one sockeye, two steelhead and released two Chinook. 4 boats/8 rods had no catch.

Sec 7 (Cowlitz) – 4 boats/11 rods had no catch.

Sec 8 (Longview) – 157 bank anglers kept five sockeye, 11 steelhead and released one Chinook, one sockeye and 17 steelhead. 29 boats/69 rods kept two sockeye, 12 steelhead and released 11 steelhead.

Sec 9 (Cathlamet) – 31 bank anglers kept one sockeye, four steelhead and released one Chinook, and one steelhead. 7 boats/19 rods kept four sockeye, seven steelhead and released 14 steelhead.

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

Sturgeon:

Sec 1 (Bonneville) – 2 boats/5 rods released six oversize sturgeon.

Sec 6 (Kalama) – 1 boat/4 rods released six sublegal, four legal and two oversize sturgeon.

Sec 8 (Longview) – 3 boats/10 rods released nine sublegal, four legal and two oversize sturgeon.

Walleye:

Sec 2 (Camas/Washougal) – 2 boats/3 rods had no catch.

Sec 3 (I-5 area) – 1 boat/2 rods had no catch.

Sec 5 (Woodland) – 4 boats/7 rods had no catch.
**Columbia River Tributaries**

**Salmon/Steelhead:**

**Cowlitz River – I-5 Br downstream** – 41 bank rods kept seven steelhead.

**Above the I-5 Br** – 29 bank rods kept three steelhead. 25 boats/80 rods kept 44 steelhead.

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

**Lewis River** – Two bank rods had no catch.

**Catchable trout plants:**

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