



## PUGET SOUND COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHERIES HOTLINE

2021-13

Week 38

09/10/2021 – 7:00PM

For the week beginning Sunday September 12 all areas are closed except as follows:

**7 (San Juan Islands) will be open to:  
Reef Nets**

5 AM to 9 PM daily:  
Saturday, September 11  
Sunday, September 12.

**Areas 7B (Bellingham Bay) will be open to:  
Gillnets** using 5-inch minimum mesh size in 7B

Open 24 hours per day  
to 7 AM Friday, September 17.

**Purse seines** with a 5 inch strip

7 AM to 7 PM daily:  
Monday, September 12  
Tuesday, September 13  
Wednesday, September 14

**Area 9A (Port Gamble Bay) will be open to:**

**Skiff gillnets** with nets not to exceed 600 feet in length and 60 meshes in depth using 5-inch minimum mesh, is open continuously through 7 PM Saturday, October 30. All Chinook and chum must be released by cutting the ensnaring mesh.

**Area 12A (Quilcene Bay) will be open to:**

**Beach seines** with nets not to exceed 990 feet in length and 200 meshes in depth using minimum 3-inch and maximum 4-inch mesh: Beach seines may only retain coho.

7 AM to 7 PM daily:  
Monday, September 12 – Friday, September 17

**Area 7 and 7A Pink fisheries** are controlled by the Fraser River Panel and are not posted on this hotline. Fishers should call the **National Marine Fisheries Service Hotline at 1-800-662-9825** to get opening information on Fraser Panel fisheries. Fishers are reminded that a department issued **Fish Friendly certification card is required** to participate in any Area 7 or 7A commercial salmon fisheries.

If you suspect an error in this message or if you have questions, please 360-902-2677.

<http://wdfw.wa.gov/fishing/commercial/salmon/>