

# Save Our Fish Auburn Chapter of Puget Sound Anglers

Next Chapter Meeting:

## Next Meeting Date August 24, 2022 6:00pm Veterans Memorial Park 411 E St NE, Auburn

Be sure to check out our website: http://www.saveourfish.org/ For a complete list of Board Members, please visit the website: http://saveourfish.org/board Newsletter editor: Dayle Conrad

Up and Coming Activities:

<u>August</u> 24 – Steak & Corn Feed 6:00pm <u>October</u> 12 – Board Meeting 7:00pm 26 – General Club Meeting 6:00pm

<u>September</u> 14 – Board Meeting 7:00pm 28 – General Club Meeting 6:00pm <u>November</u> 9 – Board Meeting 7:00pm 16 – General Club Meeting 6:00pm



## President's Message -- Rob Larsen

It has been an interesting year with much greater abundance than forecast. The ocean has been kind to our fish and they are very healthy this year. This would seem good, but it has caused lots of management issues. The biggest issue has been reaching quotas much too soon and not having a good mechanism for in-season adjustments when abundance is greater than the forecast. Our trip to Sekiu fell victim to this, which was a major disappointment to those of us that were planning to go. This is something that must be addressed in the near future. We can hope that we get a lot

more wild fish to the spawning grounds to help relieve ESA issues.

Plentiful fish has led to some great days on the water this year. I was very busy remodeling my house, but still had a good year. I believe there should be lots of fish in the river this fall. With all the closures in the salt there should be strong returns to the rivers, so let's get out and help remove the surplus hatchery fish. I had a great time taking some kids and their dad. One of the best things is taking those that don't often fish and watching their face when they do. It is even better when it is kids.

There are lots of fish politics going on and I will be asking for help with several issues, probably the biggest will be the coastal Steelhead issues. I spent 3 hours in a workshop last week and let's just say we have a lot of work ahead of us.

I hope to see you all at the steak and corn feed on the 24th. There is always lots of good food and it is always a good time. Be sure and RSVP to Jim so we can plan correctly.



Until then tight lines--

Rob Larsen SOF PSA president



## **Steak and Corn Feed**

Our annual Steak and Corn Feed will be held August 24th, 6PM at the Veterans Memorial Park in Auburn (411 E St NE). It is located on the west side of Auburn High School's football stadium. As in all the years past, the club is paying for the PRIME RIB while the membership will bring all the Potluck items.



Like last year, we've decided to have a club swap, trade, sale event of any items you have sitting around your garage that you may want to get rid of. So, go thru your unused items, bring them along with your side dish and see what you can trade or sell. Feel free to donate them to the club if they don't sell.

**Please RSVP to Jim Hand** jimhand\_1@hotmail.com **by August 21st** so that we can have the correct amount of prime rib.

#### **Tip of the Month – Searching for a good fishing spot near you** from Carl Carver

If you are new to the area or a veteran fisherman/woman here's a little information to help you find good fishing in areas that are nearby. The link below also provides added information on best spots to fish. We hope this help you improve your success rate on the water wherever it may be. Note: Cut and paste the link into your favorite search window.



#### Here are 5 things to consider when searching for a good fishing spot near you:

- Google Earth
- Maps and Mapping Software
- Seasons and conditions
- Funnels and Pinch Points
- Accessibility

https://www.advnture.com/how-to/best-fishing-spots

### **Raffle News**

#### August 2022 Raffle News

I know I said I was done with this, but fortunately I have one last Raffle to offer up. This month at the steak and corn feed we will be taking money for raffle tickets to win a 9'2" TI2000 Titanium Lamiglas Rod and Rod Case. This can handle 6-15Lb Line with 1/4- 3/4oz lure.

We are selling only 20 \$10.00 tickets. If those aren't sold by the end of the night we will wait until all sell out at one of the following general meetings.



Good Luck to All!

Thanks for reading and I'll see you all at the Steak and Corn feed. Cheers!  $\textcircled{\sc op}$ 

Greg Hindman 253-486-5161

## **Unaccounted mortality in salmon fisheries**

An interesting read -

https://besjournals.onlinelibrary

### **Visit Our Website**

The website has the recipe of the month, links to our sponsors, and a year's worth of past newsletters. There is a new link on the Hogpen web page to submit photo's for the Hogpen, which will provide the pictures for the Newsletter, Website, and Christmas Banquet.

www.saveourfish.org



### Save Our Fish Facebook Page

The Save Our Fish <u>Facebook page</u> is a Public Group currently with <u>47</u> members. If you are on Facebook and haven't requested to join the group, now is your chance. <u>Let's see how many members we can get this year!</u> This is a great way to get club information. It can also be

used to connect with other members to fill an empty seat in the boat, see where other members are fishing (if they are willing to share), or post videos, photos, or other fishing and conservation interests.

## **Membership – New and Renewals**

#### \*\*\*UPDATE\*\*\*UPDATE\*

Thank you everyone that have paid your membership dues for the 2021 year. <u>Your SOF board has decided to</u> <u>extend your paid membership through the end of 2022</u>. For those of you who have not yet paid, it's not too late. Memberships can be paid online, at any SOF meeting, or by mail to the address at the bottom of the SOF membership form. Contact Rich Gregory if you have any membership question.

You can pay by mail or online at http://www.saveourfish.org/Membership/Membership.htm. The membership form is attached at the end of this newsletter or you can contact our member chair, Rich Gregory, at **rwgav8@hotmail.com**.

Click here to pay: <u>https://www.paypal.com/donate/?token=FlZb14yBeNX1SNG80QYPNONcJJjiwtgiJxdurg11BSvD-4EIX\_IssRDmduLv7mgOlg4MR0</u>

Use the "Donate with a Card" option if you don't have a Paypal account.

You will get an email confirmation/receipt after you complete the payment process. Make sure you fill in your email address!

Here's what the top of the form looks like. Click the \$ sign to fill in your amount then click the + sign on the "Add special instructions" and tell us what you are paying for. Example: 2018 dues for Greg Hindman. Here's what the top of the form looks like:



You can also get to this Donate link via our main web site http://www.saveourfish.org/

It looks like the below:



The membership form is available online http://www.saveourfish.org/membership.pdf and at the end of this newsletter.

## Save Our Fish PSA Hats for Sale

Now you can proudly advertise your PSA chapter. Hats are embroidered with a colored PSA logo on the front and Save Our Fish stitched on the back.

Quantities are limited, so bring your money and get yours at the next meeting. \$10





"That's a good sign, Liam! If the fish are jumping, it means they're hungry!"

## **Member Classifieds**

Do you have any items in the garage that have just been collecting dust over the years? Maybe a fishing pole that you just don't use anymore. Why not sell it to a fellow member in the new classifieds section? Send a brief description of the item you would like to sell and photo if available to sof.psa@hotmail.com and we will include it in the next issue of the newsletter.

If you have a website or product you would like to share, please send the information to: Sof.psa@hotmail.com

# **SOF Sponsors**

Auburn Sports & Marine – Kids derby, rod donations,

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City of Orting – Carbon River Cleanup





<u>Gamakatsu</u> – Jig hook donations



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#### King Salmon Marine – Kids fishing derby donations



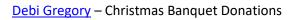
Silver Horde – Raffle donations



<u>Sportsman's Warehouse</u> – Federal Way Kids Derby donations









Washington Sportsmen's Show



# **Hog Pen**

Do you have a picture from your latest fishing adventures? Be sure to send it, with your descriptive caption to sof.psa@hotmail.com for your chance to have it be featured in the Hog Pen.



Stan Prescott took fellow club member Carl Johnson out to Pt Defiance July 6



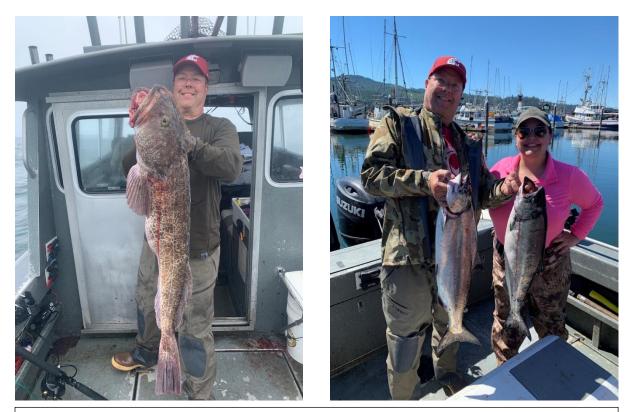
Stan took another long time friend out July 7 for another couple of Pt Defiance chinook.



"Another trip to Pt. Defiance, this time I went by myself. Less than thirty minutes into my troll from Owens Beach to the point the rod doubles over. After two attempts to net it I finally get him into the net. Done before 5:30. Went to the boathouse the weigh him, after bleeding him in the fish box he went 22.7 lbs."



Pics from 7-24-22 When you get a call from good friend Dan Bailey to go on the Baileys Nordhavn (Coastal Raven) you pack quickly. Great trip into the San Juan Islands for Dungeness Crab and Spot Shrimp. Photos do not do the area any justice, such a beautiful place. Stan Prescott



Fishing with Todd Girtz Limits for all as usual and one hell of a fun couple days on the water out at Neah Bay.

Greg Hindman



Member Scott Orlinski with Columbia River king salmon



The Carver brothers and Carl's son Joel Carver. Kings on the Columbia River near Chelan. Off the water by 11am. Great family day.

# **Recipe of the Month**

## Salmon Croquettes with Cilantro Mayonnaise

Salmon Croquettes with Cilantro Mayonnaise have lots of fresh flavor from shallots, lemon, green onions, and fresh cilantro and they make a wonderful protein-packed lunch.

Tip: If you have time, shape the patties at least 20 minutes ahead of time and refrigerate them. They will hold together better when you cook them.

PREP: 20 mins COOK: 6 mins Servings 4 servings Author: Christin Mahrlig

#### Ingredients

#### Cilantro Mayonaise

cup mayonnaise
tablespoon lemon juice
tablespoons finely chopped shallots
teaspoon lemon pepper seasoning
teaspoon Worcestershire sauce
teaspoon red pepper flakes
cup chopped fresh cilantro

#### Salmon Croquettes

cup Panko crumbs
1/4 cup all-purpose flour
1/4 cup finely chopped shallots
1/4 cup sliced green onions
large egg, lightly beaten
1/2 teaspoon Creole seasoning, Zatarain's or Tony Chachere
1/2 teaspoon black pepper
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
1/4 teaspoon red pepper flakes
pinch of salt
tablespoons mayonnaise
4 (5-ounce) cans pink salmon, any bones and skin removed
tablespoons butter



#### Instructions

- In a small bowl, stir together all ingredients for Cilantro Mayonnaise. Refrigerate.
- In a large bowl, stir together Panko crumbs, flour, shallots, green onions, egg, Creole seasoning, pepper, garlic powder, red pepper flakes, salt, and mayonnaise.
- Fold in salmon and cilantro. Shape into 10-12 small patties. If possible, refrigerate for 20 minutes.
- Melt 2 tablespoons butter in a large nonstick pan. Add croquettes and cook until golden on bottom. Flip over, add remaining tablespoon of butter and cook until golden on bottom.

https://spicysouthernkitchen.com/salmon-croquettes-with-cilantro-mayonnaise/



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## **2022 MEMBERSHIP FORM**

APPLICANT INFORMATION		
Name:		Date:
Current address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Primary Phone (Home, Cell, Work <i>Please circle</i> ):		
Alternate Phone (Home, Cell, Work <i>Please circle</i> ):		
Email Address:		
Sponsor:		
MEMBERSHIP		
Membership is for the 2022 calendar year. <b>Dues paid through February 28, 2022 are at rates shown below,</b> <b>reduced by \$5.00.</b> Dues paid after March 1, 2022 will be at the full annual rates shown below. Contact Rich Gregory at 253-209-0586 or <u>sof.psa@hotmail.com</u> if you have any questions. <b>MEMBERSHIP SELECTION</b>		
New Membership	Membership Renewal	
Adult: 18-61 – annual dues \$30		
Family: heads of household and all other family members younger than 18 – annual dues \$40		
Juvenile: 17 and younger – annual dues \$15		
Senior: 62 and older – annual dues \$20		
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