

Shellfish Information Source

Events

Event	Lead Sponsor	Location	Date	Web Link
Penn Cove Mussel Festival	Coupeville Chamber of Commerce	Coupeville	March, first weekend	www.centralwhidbeychamber.com/mussel.htm
Oyster Olympics	Anthony's Restaurants	Seattle, Anthony's HomePort Shilshole Bay	March, last Tuesday	www.anthonys.com/about/community.html
SLURP!	Pacific Coast Shellfish Growers Assoc.	Olympia	April	www.pcsga.org
Shellfish Shindig	WA State Parks, WA Fish and Wildlife	Brinnon, Dosewallips State Park	April	
Shuckin' on the Spit	Semiahmoo Resort	Blaine, Semiahmoo Resort	May	www.shuckinonthespit.com
Willapa Bay Seafood Festival	Willapa-Grays Harbor Oyster Growers Assoc.	Nahcotta	May	
Oyster Stampede	South Bend Chamber of Commerce	South Bend	May, Memorial weekend	
OysterFest	Shelton Skookum Rotary Club	Shelton, Mason County Fairgrounds	October, first weekend	www.oysterfest.com/
Oyster New Year	Consolidated Restaurants	Seattle, Elliott's Oyster House	October	www.unionsquaregrill.com/elliotts/elliotts.html

Publications


- Small-Scale Oyster Farming for Pleasure and Profit in Washington*. 2002. University of Washington Sea Grant Program, Seattle, Washington. 15 pp. Available at <http://nsgd.gso.uri.edu/washu/washuh02001.pdf>.
- Heaven on the Half Shell: The Story of the Northwest's Love Affair with the Oyster*. 2001. D. Gordon, N. Blanton, T. Nosh. University of Washington Sea Grant Program, Seattle, Washington, and WestWinds Press, Portland, Oregon. 160 pp.
- Gathering Safe Shellfish in Washington: Avoiding Paralytic Shellfish Poisoning*. 1994. L. Nishitani, K. Chew, T. King. University of Washington Sea Grant Program, Seattle, Washington. 8 pp. Available at <http://nsgd.gso.uri.edu/washu/washug94001.pdf>.
- Annual Inventory of Commercial and Recreational Shellfish Areas of Washington State*. 2002. Washington State Department of Health, Olympia, Washington. 34 pp. Available at <http://www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/sf/sfpubs.htm>.
- Environmental Policy*. 2001. Pacific Coast Shellfish Growers Association, Olympia, Washington. 12 pp. Available at http://www.pcsga.org/_ECOP/EPS.pdf.

Information

- Biotoxin Hotline:** 1-800-562-5632, ww4.doh.wa.gov/gis/biotoxin.htm
- Recreational Harvest Checklist:** www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/sf/sflinks.htm
- Sport Fishing Rules:** 360-902-2700, www.wa.gov/wdfw/fish/regs/fishregs.htm (click on pamphlet, go to shellfish/seaweed rules)
- Shellfish Beach Harvest-Regulation Maps:** www.wa.gov/wdfw/fish/shelfish/beachreg/
- Shellfish Beach Health-Advisory Maps:** ww4.doh.wa.gov/scripts/esrimap.dll?name=bioview&Cmd=Map&Step=1
- Local Health Department Recreational Shellfish Contact Numbers:** www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/sf/local.htm
- Oyster Stew: 100 Years of Oyster Culture in Washington State:** www.wsg.washington.edu/oysterstew/oystermain.html
- Biotoxin and Vibriosis Fact Sheets:** www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/sf/BiotoxinProgram.htm
- Razor Clamming Guidelines:** www.wa.gov/wdfw/fish/shelfish/razorclm/razorclm.htm
- Olympic Region Harmful Algal Bloom (ORHAB) Partnership:** www.nwfsc.noaa.gov/ORHAB/index.html
- Invasive Spartina in Willapa Bay:** www.willapabay.org/~coastal/nospartina/
- Geoduck Program Fact Sheet:** www.dnr.wa.gov/htdocs/aqr/gducksheet.pdf

Agencies and Organizations

- Northwest Fisheries Science Center, Harmful Algal Bloom Program, 206-860-3200, www.nwfsc.noaa.gov/hab/
- Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission, Shellfish Program, 360-438-1180, www.nwifc.org/shellfish/
- Puget Sound Action Team, Shellfish Program, 360-407-7300, 1-800-54-SOUND, www.psat.wa.gov/Programs/Shellfish.htm
- Washington Department of Ecology, 360-407-6000, www.ecy.wa.gov
- Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, 360-902-2200, www.wa.gov/wdfw/
- Washington Department of Health, Food Safety and Shellfish Programs, 360-236-3330, www.doh.wa.gov/ehp/sf/
- Washington Department of Natural Resources, Aquatic Resources Division, 360-902-1000, www.dnr.wa.gov/htdocs/aqr/
- Washington Parks and Recreation Commission, 360-902-8844, www.parks.wa.gov
- Washington Sea Grant Program, 206-543-6600, www.wsg.washington.edu
- Pacific Coast Shellfish Growers Association, 360-754-2744, www.pcsga.org
- Willapa-Grays Harbor Oyster Growers Association, 360-665-2804
- Puget Sound Restoration Fund, 206-780-6947
- People for Puget Sound, 206-382-7007, www.pugetsound.org/
- Puget Soundkeeper Alliance, 206-297-7002, www.pugetsoundkeeper.org



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