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Top Photo: June 26, 2013. Andrea DeSousa with a bright Kitimat River Chinook she landed last week while fishing with Michael Herzberg. They landed three that morning. Info to book guided fishing trips please [contact me](#) anytime. **Cast on photo to view in larger size**

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River, Ocean and Lake Reports

(Smithers, Terrace, Kitimat, Prince Rupert and Haida Gwaii - Queen Charlotte Islands)

Last update was Sunday, June 30, 2013 at 2:30pm

Sunrise 5:02am Sunset 10:13pm

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- 2013 [Haida Gwaii/Queen Charlotte Islands](#) for river and ocean
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 - 2013 Multi Rivers for [spring Steelhead](#)
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 - 2013 [Kwinamass River](#) for Steelhead (April & May) only
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 - 2013 [Nass and Coastal Rivers](#)
 - Douglas Channel ocean fishing for [Salmon and Bottom fish](#)
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Commentary: Wind: N 7km/h Partly cloudy (+20 degrees C) Hope you all enjoy the **CANADA DAY** July 1st long weekend! Chinook is the target fish now on Kalum, Kitimat and Skeena. Trout (Cutthroat and Rainbow) and Dolly Varden Char are always available in the rivers, streams and lakes. **NOTICE:** [please send me pics](#) of your catch, I would love to post them. **Note: For Rent** Fully furnished quaint cottage near Lakelse and Skeena Rivers, scroll to [Accommodation](#) section near end of this webpage. **Note:** We would like to **WELCOME** [Avid Sportfishing](#) on board, see [Haida Gwaii - Queen Charlotte Islands](#) section. **Note: Jamie Hunt** of the [Great Pacific Salmon Lodge](#) reports for Prince Rupert **Note: Avid Sportfishing** ...sign up to receive their E-newsletters and email notifications on last minute deals, see [Haida Gwaii - Queen Charlotte Islands](#) section. **Note: 2013 trip discounts** offered from [Grizzly King Fishing](#), see [Skeena & Northwest Rivers](#) section. **Note: FOR SALE** 10.55 acres Skeena River frontage, see [Market Place](#) section. **Note: FOR SALE** stunning walk-on waterfront acreage with custom log home, see [Market Place](#) section. **Note:** We are pleased to welcome [Skeena Meadows](#) onboard, see [Skeena River \(section 4\)](#) section. **Note:** We are pleased to **WELCOME** [Catchercraft Boats](#) on board, see more info below [Skeena River](#). **Note: NEW** section added called [Recommended Fly Fishing Gear](#). **Note:** Noel Gyger YouTube videos received 753,379 views as of June 3, 2013. **Note: NEW** Salt water regs just published, see [Douglas Channel](#) section for a link. **Note: NEW Product Profile** is [Gibbs/Delta](#) fine products.

Update: for [Skeena](#), [Kitimat](#), [Kalum](#), [Lakelse River Bridge](#). **Update:** [Skeena Meadows](#), in Skeena 4, offer a couples special, see [Skeena Meadows](#) section. **Update:** Important **SAFETY** message for those who fish off the [Lakelse River Bridge](#). **Update: NEW** read fishing forecast, see [2013 Salmon Fishing Outlook](#) section. **Update: NEW** salmon run data posted, see [Tye Test Fishery 2013 season](#) section. **Update:** for [Lakelse](#) and [Skeena River](#). **Update:** Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#) sent report and pics for river and ocean, see [Kitimat Lodge](#) section. **Update:** for [Skeena River](#). **Update:** Smithers BC lake and river fishing, see [Bulkley River area](#) section. **Update: Rob Brown** latest article titled "Below Dasque", see [Rob Brown - The Skeena Angler](#) section. **Update: Jamie Hunt** of the [Great Pacific Salmon Lodge](#) sent report and pic for Prince Rupert ocean fishing - **Plus** read **NEW Notice**, see [Prince Rupert Ocean Fishing](#) section. **Update: TheCanadian.org** re Video: Fracking, LNG Plans Deserve Same Scrutiny as Enbridge, see [Conservation](#) section. More updates will come in as the day moves on. Cast on link to send me your [fishing report](#) or [feedback](#). Or phone 250-635-2568, if I am not available leave your report on my answering machine.

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Sun Jun 30/13 5:01am

Skeena River (section 1-2-3):

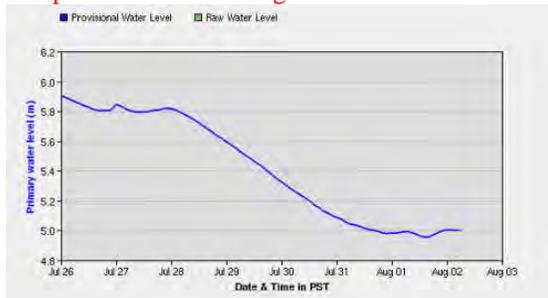
The water has been dropping steady and is now fishable. A good run of Chinook are in the river according to the **Tyee Test Fishery** (see data chart below). Fishermen are set up at Ferry Island fishing for Chinook...and maybe the odd early summer-run Steelhead. Hopefully the Sockeye run will pick up so it can open up to sport fishermen. **Tip:** fish the clean water where trib rivers dump into the Skeena, sometime fishing for Chinook in these spots can be fantastic. Exstew, Exchamsiks and Kasiks rivers for example. **Reg:** all wild Steelhead everywhere in British Columbia are catch and release. The spring Steelhead run was strong.

Tip: I suggest the fishing rod be a Gloomis STR 1265c/10'6" MED-HEAVY Moderate Action (GL 2 8-17lb – 3/8 to 1 oz.). Reel Shimano Calcutta (400B) filled with 20lb test Maxima mono. **Gibbs** makes some great floats. Be sure to use a Gamakatsu hook. The Coho (Silver) Salmon run is below average. Here is a direct link to the **Coho chart**. Many anglers are catching both Steelhead and Coho in the same day. The weather forecast is very good over the next few days, so get out there and catch some fish. If you need a fishing guide just [contact me anytime](#).



Not much Snow Pac left to come down as of June 2nd...

Sample Skeena River heights below:



Cast on link for current Skeena River water heights

http://www.wateroffice.ec.gc.ca/graph/graph_e.html?stn=08EF001

Fisheries and Oceans Canada **Preliminary Salmon Outlook** for 2013:

http://www.sportfishing.bc.ca/docs/preliminary_2013_salmon_outlook.pdf

2013 Salmon Fishing Outlook:

The following courtesy [BC Outdoors Sport Fishing](#) magazine for:

NORTHCOAST: Prince Rupert, Kitimat & Haida Gwaii (DFO Stat areas 1,2,3,4,5,6 and adjacent offshore areas)

CHINOOK – Mixed ocean abundance of Chinook from both the US and Canada are managed by using a baseline index and this region will enjoy the benefit of this index being 10% above the baseline. Although down from last year, it still means more great fishing and limits remain at the generous level of two per day and four in possession.

In-river opportunities remain generous in many systems in the Skeena region where limits vary but go as high as four per day.

COHO – Above average to abundant population of northern coho prevail in most northern areas. And they are above average and characterized in the top 25% of abundance levels. Oceans limits are four per day and eight in possession (hatchery or wild).

River limits also remain at normal levels for most Chinook-abundant areas in the Haida Gwaii and North Coast Mainland.

SOCKEYE – Below average sockeye return are expected in Northern region this year. Look for normal limits in the ocean for sockeye, scheduled to be at four per day and eight total. In-river opportunities vary by system and, in particular, sections of the Nass and Skeena will be linked to limits associated with in-season abundance and timing of passing stocks of concern. The Skeena is scheduled to be starting with sockeye non-retention and increasing based on in-season test fisheries.

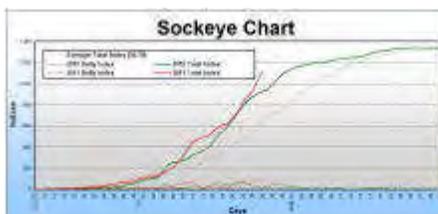
PINK – While ocean limits are four per day and many in-river limits are two per day, the overall expectation is generally low catch. It is not a big pink salmon year for the Northern region and some areas are managed based on in-season estimates of abundance. The pink salmon are an even-year abundance fish so, 2013 being an odd year, smaller runs are anticipated.

CHUM – While chum isn't one of the primary species sought after, it is a worthy catch, especially in prime ocean conditions. Marine limits are four per day but watch for potential reduced or low in-river limits as there are poor returns expected to both the Skeena and Nass Systems.

Tye Test Fishery 2013 season:

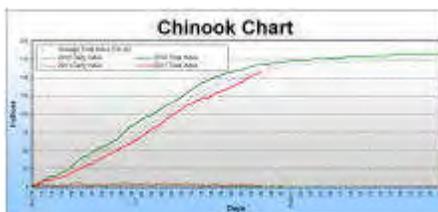
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Sockeye Charts



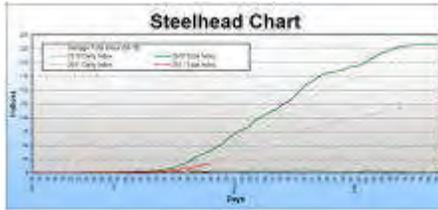
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Chinook Charts



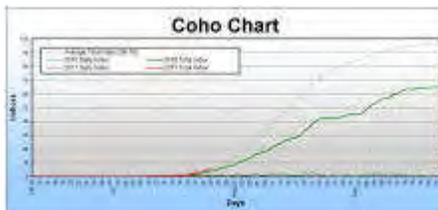
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Steelhead Charts



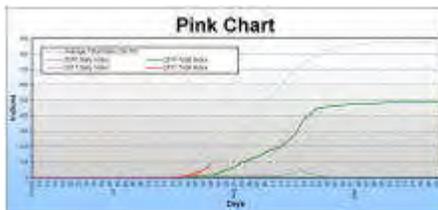
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Coho Charts



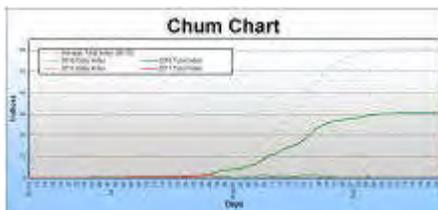
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Pink Charts



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Chum Charts



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Kitimat Lodge



Tracey Hittel, owner [Kitimat Lodge](#) WELCOMES ALL to the 2013 season. The fishing guides and staff look forward to seeing you soon and getting you into the BIG ones...

Sun Jun 30/13 5:01am

Kitimat Lodge fishing report - June 24, 2013

Another week passes and our group of 16 spent a fabulous trip catching Salmon, Halibut and fresh Crab.



Attached is Brad Lazoruk with a very large Chinook Salmon and I'm sure Johnny Mo from **Bass Pro Shops** will love this picture advert. As you can see all the Salmon are very fresh.



I also included 3 pictures of our Saltwater fishing and as you can see its Halibut and Crab on the menu.

One of the memories of the past week was a trip to the Kitlope with Cecil Paul, who was born in this paradise valley. Cecil told many stories of the past, each one more historic than the other. As you can see Cecil is standing proudly beside the totem pole he was instrumental in having return from overseas. The totem pole protects and is a symbol of the Kitlope. Hopefully, see you soon :-)

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Sun Jun 16/13 5:01am
Kitimat Lodge fishing report - June 6, 2013

Look look! Up Up in the sky! It's not a bird but a flying Humpback Whale! This week we did a local tour with a group of lady teachers from Kitimat and our Haisla Indian guide, Gerald Amos. We received a history lesson from Gerald and how his people lived many years ago. Each small inlet along the Kitimat Arm and Devistation Channel had a story, and we listened like little kids around a campfire.



Gerald's stories ranged from how his people fought with other Indian bands along the coast and how they came to agreements with one another. Stories of prospectors entering their territory looking for trade routes. And where his people fished for Clams, Salmon and Bottom Fish like Halibut and Black Cod, as well the Eulichan grease camps that were used near local rivers.

During our tour we stopped at a local Hot Springs for a dip. Little did we know that our trip was going to be a life changing experience!

As we travelled along I noticed a whale head and tail out of the water, so we decided to stop and possibly get another glimpse of the beast. Humpback Whales are quite shy and if you get a picture of them with their tail in the air before they go under and disappear is a bonus.

This Whale was something special and possibly a show off, must of been a male, as we had a boat load of females.

He put on a display that would make Sea World start to cry. Three times this beast did full breach with a spinning flip, similar splashes to a large waterfall. Then proceeded to flap his flippers and tail like he was waving, saying watch me! Watch me!

As we watched in amazement the fish finally went under, this was a moment of silence as what was to happen next. Well if you have ever heard a Elk Bugle, the sound was blood curdling, as it erupted out of the water 1 meter from the boat, my screams were louder than the girls at a Beeber concert, followed by a crowd of laughter as its tail splashed my windows.

Gerald told us that the Whale wanted to rub alongside the boat and I think it did as my 30ft vessel was devoured by the size of this precious animal.

We watched for close to a half hour then decided to leave, believe me it was hard to do. The experience was something none of us will ever forget. I attached a number of pictures of our group trip with Whale included.



Also I Included a few river pictures as the Salmon are entering the Kitimat area and into the river for the July spawn. As you can see the fish are very fresh and a great fight with rod and reel.

Arriving guests this week will be from Alberta Canada. See you soon... Tracey Hittel

Thu Jun 6/13 5:01am



The Kitimat Lodge added this jet boat to their fleet.

Kitimat Lodge Steelhead fishing report - May 16, 2013

Another week passes and the Steelhead season is still going on, high water has pushed not only the fish into the upper reaches of the systems as well is scaring off the fishermen as brown coloured water with limited visibility has us Saltwater fishing. Some of the rivers are on the drop though and the Chinook fishing will start to produce in big numbers. As for big fish attached is a whale of a fresh Chinook caught by Kaz from Japan, his guide gordo had to row down a mile of water to land this monster, all of 40lbs and as chrome as you will ever see. Also attached is another great fish caught by Kaz, this one a Steelhead of 40 inches. Kaz has been fly fishing with a double hander with us now for many years and this year was one of the most productive, he had a day this spring where he hooked into 14 Steelhead, another client landing 5 for 12 Steelhead the same day. As well I had to attach first time angler Hasegawa, with a lunker 40 inch Steelhead he caught with pro guide Ariel fishing the black mambo.



If you remember from this winter Don Stewart arrived and hammered some nice steelies on the fly, he was back again for the spring run with his buddy Alex from Venture Jetboats out of the Frazer Valley, and attached is another huge Steelhead Alex is holding, just one of the three he fooled on the Spey that day. Attached in the next pic is Don himself with the Bass Pro hat, Don has been a great customer to the Spey fishing world as he has the latest in rods, reels, and lines, and I mean lines, every colour and weight line you can imagine, we tried them all. Did I mention Don just started spey fishing this February! Joining the fellas for the week was Dons son, Matt, first time on the spey and broke his cherry on the trip, nice one Matt.



Last but not at all least is Suzuki who had a great trip and I attached a single pic of his nice male Steelhead and the Grrrrr! on his face says it all.

Another spring season of the Steelhead is passing us and the Halibut trips are producing already. We look forward to the summer and if the Salmon run is this good already I think we shall have a very big push of Chinook this June.

This week arriving guests are from Red Deer and Medicine Hat Alberta.

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5 hooked, one landed! It's great to say the fish are here!

Water coming up fast due to warmer weather...

Kalum River:

Water is high but in good shape. I have reports of good Chinook fishing. Steelhead fishing is over. **Theory:** When the water is rising it picks up debris from the shore line; the fish think your fly is part of the suspended debris. With water like this the fish are on the defensive.

Chinook (King) Salmon are coming into the river now. They travel quickly in low water. Good chance to hook both Steelhead and Chinook on the same day. We used to catch them in good numbers beginning around April 25th. They usually hold in the big deep pools for a time before moving upriver. If they are in you will see them rolling. If you see them rolling, they will bite **Reg:** Fishing for Chinook closes May 24th on the upper end. **Note:** I wrote an article titled "May 2nd of the Kalum" in 1985. It is about catching both Steelhead and Chinook on the same day. The article is 28 years old but still very relevant today, I think. **Cast on this link** to read the article. **"New this year" Reg:** The fishing guides can guide from April 1 to November 1. **How to:** Spey rods work well on this big river, the fishing guides know all the good spots. If you are interested to book a guided trip please [contact me](#) anytime. Guides and rod-days are very limited on this river so book soon. **How to:** This is also a good river to float fish a Pink Worm or Gooey Bob. **Fact:** This river usually does not freeze over in the winter. It will freeze if conditions are right and that would be if it is very cold and snowing. Slush forms and starts to back up the water when it hits the rocks. This slows the river to such an extent it freezes over.



Hi Noel, the Kalum River has produced some great early season Chinook. Over the next few weeks we are looking forward to fishing the Skeena and Kitimat for the first summer run fish. These are hot fish and can really challenge an angler's skills. We still have a few places available during this Chinook season for anyone wanting to experience the King of the salmon!! Tight lines. Andrew Rushton, Owner/Head Guide, Kalum River Lodge.

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Lakelse River and Lake:

Fri Jun 28/13 5:01am

The water is high but in good shape. Trout fishing in the upper end is good. Sometime they are not too easy to catch, one has to know the their holding spots. I guess that is why they call it fishing and not catching.

Conserve: The Steelhead, especially in the upper end, are in full spawning mode and should not be targeted. These are true summer-run wild fish and all must be released. Most of these fish came into the river last summer and fall. **Regs:** Cutthroat Trout release above CNR bridge, Mar 1 – May 31. **Reg:** Fly fishing only between Lakelse Lake and CNR bridge Mar 1 – May 31. **Reg:** Bait ban; no powered boats. Class II water all year.

Lakelse River Bridge:

Sun Jun 30/13 5:01am

This one of the most popular fishing spots in the Terrace area. There used to be a sign on the bridge that read **NO FISHING FROM BRIDGE** but nobody paid any attention to it. I have a pic of over 30 people fishing off the bridge. This is a great time of year to start fishing off the bridge for Chinook. **Tip:** best tackle is a marabou jig or hot shot. There is a small unattended campsite by the bridge that fills up quickly with campers. Lots of good memories for me and my family from this bridge.

FOR EVERYONE'S SAFETY – Please get off the bridge when large trucks and equipment are crossing. This bridge has a wide deck sitting on a central pair of girders, and is designed to have the load travel the centre of the bridge. When a truck has to move over because someone didn't want to get out of their lawn chair it endangers everyone on the bridge by putting the load off-centre. In some cases, especially lowbeds with excavators etc on them are too wide to pass without people moving.

Exstew River:

Sun May 26/13 5:01am

When the main stem Skeena River is too dirty to fish, try fishing the mouth of this river. It is usually clear and from time to time the Chinook come out of the Skeena into the cleaner water. Nobody is sure if they go up river or go back into the Skeena but have heard of some good catches here. Caught quite a few myself when I was guiding. **Reg:** river closed to Chinook fishing above the highway 16 bridge.

Exchamsiks River:

Sun May 26/13 5:01am

Open to fish for Chinook below the highway 16 bridge only. The rest of the river is closed for Chinook.

Kasiks River:

Sun May 26/13 5:01am

If the water is clear try fishing for Chinook below the highway 16 bridge. The rest of the river is closed for Chinook.

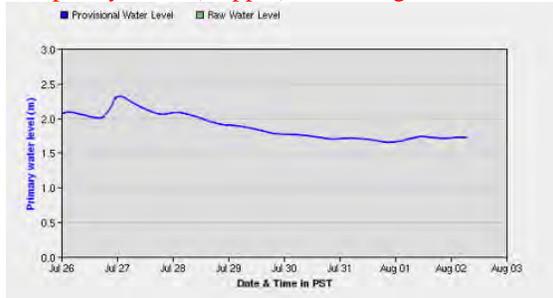
Zymoetz (Copper) River:

Thu Jun 27/13 8:15am

Water is high and too dirty to fish. **Reg:** You can fish for them upstream of Highway #16 bridge until July 23rd. Checking the water heights this morning and the water really spiked up, so I don't know how long the good fishing conditions will last.

The he river is borderline fishable. Fresh Chinook should be coming in and maybe even a Steelhead. Go get em... **Reminder:** No fishing above the sign at the transmission line crossing (below) Zymoetz Canyon Jan 1 – June 15. You can still fish below the sign all winter. **Fact:** Last year we had a record run of Steelhead, lets hope we have good run this year. **Tip:** check the **Tyee Test Fishery** charts and see the numbers for Steelhead, they look real good. The fly rods work extremely well in this river. **Where:** Sockeye fishermen are working the bars across from the Copper River. Fly fishing is the choice of many anglers on this river. Wading with quality Simms waders and accessories is the way to go. A friend of mine is very happy with his new **Islander** fly reel. **Tip:** Fly fishermen please wade safely by using a wading staff.

Sample Zymoetz (Copper) River heights below:



Cast on link for current Zymoetz (Copper) River water heights:

http://www.wateroffice.ec.gc.ca/graph/graph_e.html?stn=08EF005

Kitimat River:

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I have reports of very good Chinook fishing. This river has been a hot one. Most of the big fish have gone way up river now and some are getting pretty dark. The Pink Salmon are coming in now.

Water dropping, may be fishable today. One has a chance to catch both Steelhead and Chinook on the same day.

Sample Kitimat River waters heights below:



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Douglas Channel:

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Was a GREAT DAY ocean fishing for my guests from Grande prairie and Medicine Hat and Calgary. Rivers going out can always count on some ocean for backup. Keep fishing I always say...See you soon...

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Ocean:

Douglas Channel fishing report - May 26, 2013

This week guests came from Red Deer Alberta and with Halibut size reduced to 60lbs the fellas were tipping the scales as boy oh boy we hammered some nice ones. With Halibut prices ranging from 20-30\$ a pound jigging one up fresh from the sea is well worth the effort for fresh fish.

I've attached some very nice Halibut pictures ([see below](#)) from the Douglas Channel as well a picture of the historic fish cannery in Butedale. This facility opened in 1908 and was home to many immigrant fishermen. The day would start with a mother ship taking small non motorized boats to points of interest, then in the evening the mothership would tow the boats and the catch back to the factory in Butedale. We stayed overnite in one of the many buildings that housed the workers for many years. We even had power for the nite as the facility is self sufficient with hydro electricity.



On this overnite trip we limited out on our Halibut and enjoyed a morning at the Bishop Bay Hot Springs for a warm bathe in the natural pools, before heading back to Kitimat. To finish this report I've attached a pic of today's Chinook fishing on the Kitimat River as pro guide Ariel put his client into a fresh, sea liced, and a fight like non other, for his client. The June season is creeping upon us and we estimate a good run of Salmon into the Douglas.

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Halibut photo courtesy Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#).



Halibut photo courtesy Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#). Fishing for Halibut has been pretty good. Fishing for other bottom is good. Salmon fishing is very good. Crab and Prawn trapping is very good also. If you are interested to book a Douglas Channel salt water trip please [contact me](#) anytime.

Bulkley River area:

Sun Jun 30/13 5:01am

Lake Fishing / Rainbow Alley:

Fishing in some of the smaller lakes has been good. Irrigation lake has produced some nice cutthroat fish on dry flies.... Rainbow Alley is producing but it is tough. Fish are most definitely in but it has been a struggle to find the right fly. Try a Royal Wulff?? Minnows are still going through the Alley as well.

River Fishing:

Good news: the Skeena is dropping - dropping fast.... Most tributaries are coming in clean. We should be able to fish the Skeena in a day or two if the weather holds up. Try fishing lower down on the Skeena close to some tribs. Kalum is in shape - not sure how good fishing is. The Kispiox looks awesome but fishing is slow.

Lake Fishing / Rainbow Alley:

Babine Lake has produced a number of good size rainbow trout and char this past week. Fishing is finally heating up there. Try some smaller lakes as well such as Dennis Lake for some cutthroat fishing. Lots of fun for the entire family.

This comes from people in the know: Fishing at Rainbow Alley has been good / fantastic over the last few days. Still give a minnow pattern a go... Brown, green

River Fishing:

Rumour has it that a few springs have been caught in the Bulkley over the last few days... The Bulkley has come up quite a bit over the last few days, the Telkwa is bringing in lots of mud.... The Skeena is raging and brown. The fish are there and fishing should be really good once the water level drop. The Kispiox was in awesome shape this weekend. High and somewhat dirty now.

Sun Jun 16/13 5:01am**Lakes / Rainbow Alley:**

Trout fishing at Rainbow Alley has been tough this week. Fish (some huge ones) are rolling, splashing.... What they are eating is a mystery however. Lake fishing is improving overall. Char fishing and rainbow trout fishing has been really good on Babine Lake this week. Thank you to Tukii Lodge for the update!

Rivers:

The rivers in our region open June 16. The Kispiox and the Morice look good.... The Bulkley should be fishing too..... A number of fish have been caught on the Skeena (China Bar). Fishing at Kitwanga should be possible soon - keep your eyes on the water levels.

Mon Jun 10/13 5:01am**Lakes / Rainbow Alley:**

Lake fishing is improving weekly now. Talking to the folks at Moosehorn Lodge at Uncha Lake char fishing is really good with some big fish being caught this past week. Rainbow trout fishing is starting to pick up also - finally. Chapman Lake is also heating up. Some nice char have been caught.

Trout fishing at Rainbow Alley is on the up swing as well. Some of the bigger fish are moving in. Minnows, muddlers.....

Rivers:

How many more sleeps before we can fish the Morice / Bulkley? Morice, Bulkley, Kispiox.... open for fishing on June 16.....

Mon May 27/13 5:01am

Lake fishing has been rather tough for most people this past long weekend. A few char have been caught in some of the bigger lakes. Trout fishing should improve once we get some warmer temperatures again.... Rainbow Alley has been fishing ok for some people but it has not been great.... yet. Again, once we get a few days of nicer / warmer weather fishing should improve.

Fishing Reports from [Oscar's Source for Sports](#) in Smithers, BC

Recommended Fly Fishing Gear:

Courtesy Chad Black [Nicholas Dean Outdoors](#)

Sun May 25/13 5:01am

In the low water conditions of early April, we generally used light sink tips to cover the shallow riffles and tailouts where Steelhead were holding. Type 3 and Type 6 tips were generally all that was needed for most conditions. With the higher flows of late Spring, and in particular on the tributary rivers, we've also been using Rio's MOW tips in a variety of weights and lengths to get the fly down to the fish. The Heavy MOW tips, made of T-14 material, have been particularly useful, in lengths of 5, 7.5, 10 and 12.5 ft.

As with March, best colours have been pink, black, blue and orange. When fishing the Skeena and its tribs, larger flies from 2.5" to 4" in length have been most productive. Smaller flies in a variety of weights in the 1" to 2.5" range have worked the best on coastal rivers.

When targeting Steelhead, we've been using rods in the 12.5' to 13.5' ft range, for a 7 or 8 weight line on the larger rivers. Our personal favourites for this fishing include the 7126 **Sage TCX** and the 8139 **Loomis Dredger**. When targeting Chinook specifically, we've been using heavier 9 and 10 weight rods in the 13' to 15' range. Single hand rods and switch rods have gotten the nod on the coastal rivers. In particular, I had a chance to fish a 8116 **Sage One** rod and can confirm that it's a very good rod that's ideally suited to the coast!

From Last Week:

Rods, Reels, Lines: For Steelhead - Spey rods in the 12' to 14' range, with a **Skagit** head to match. A 7126 TCX paired with a 500 grain **Skagit Flight** and **Loomis 8139 Dredger** with a 525 grain **Skagit** are excellent choices. A good quality disc or cork drag reel (e.g. **Islander** and **Ross**) with a minimum of 150 yards of 30 lb backing. For Spring Chinook Salmon, same as above, except with heavier gear - 9 weight minimum, 10 weight better.

Sink Tips and Tippet: A 15' Type III and 15' Type VI for most shallow water applications, and a variety of **MOW** tips - medium (T-11) and heavy (T-14) for deeper and/or heavier water. Always 15 lb **Maxima Ultragreen** for Steelhead. Increase tippet to 20 lb **Maxima Ultragreen** if targeting Spring Chinook.

Flies: **Idylwilde** String Leech, Bunny Tube, Marabou Tube and Popsickle, in shrimp pink, cerise, black, blue and orange.

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This mornings (June 28) catch 32-pounds! :-))



Husband and wife both caught fish over 40lbs! Fishing **HOT** right now, so [book soon](#) and don't miss any of the action! Did I say enjoy some great food at the lodge? See you soon. Best regards, Jamie Hunt



Jamie Hunt just sent this pic of a nice 40-pounds plus Chinook. This is the first fish over 40 this year. The big boys are rounding the corner book your charter now, don't miss it...

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June salmon fishing is heating up!! Cartwright Sound is loaded with Chinook's in the 15 to 30 pound range right now providing some great early season action. Still a couple of prime dates up for grabs in late August so drop us a line while there is still space available.



We loaded up last week on Red Snapper, Halibut and Lingcod and made the most out of some calm weather on the west side. Increasing numbers of Chinook salmon are keeping our rods bent and our guests smiling. Can't wait to see what this week brings!



Salmon fishing has been really good this week with some of the best action right at our doorstep just a 5 minute boat ride from the dock. There are still some available dates for 3 day fishing packages in June so drop us a line if you're looking for a world class fishing lodge experience this summer!

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Guest Reports and Photos:



Hi Noel - seems to be good fishing in the Skeena even with higher water. Some buddies went out for the evening right in town and got a couple. Yours truly, Tim Brewmeister

History:

2007 June 3 - June 10, 2007

NORTHWEST B.C. WEEKLY FISHING REPORTS



The photo of the week shows a BIG Chinook (King) Salmon landed on the Kitimat River in June, a few years ago, by angling guide Greg Buck. I have known Greg since he was a toddler fishing with his dad Bill at the Lakelse River Bridge. Greg has been a guide for me, when I owned the lodge, and is now a guide for **Nicholas Dean Lodge**. He has been guiding for over nine years and “is” one of the best.

Noel Gyger - WEEKLY FISHING REPORT dated June 3 – June 10, 2007 (Number 22)

Dear Fishing Friends:

We have a flood here. We’ve had a combination of hot weather and rain causing very high water and flooding on the Skeena River in the low lying areas. It is normal for high water in the Skeena this time of year but “nobody” likes it this high. Although we can still fish in the isolated wilderness rivers the main rivers (Skeena and lower Kalum) are unfishable now. Fishing in high water is not necessarily a bad thing. I’ve had some of my best fishing in high water although the water must be clean and that is not the case right now. The fish would be holding in the slow moving water on the corners. Kitimat River is high but has been clean enough to fish on most days. Lake fishing is still available plus ocean out of the ports of Kitimat and Prince Rupert. The Skeena water heights are dropping. Hopefully the water will continue to drop but it will depend on the weather (low day time temperatures and no heavy rain). We have many options here for fishing...but...due to the fact that the Skeena has flooded I must state, in general, the fishing is poor.

Please avoid targeting Steelhead directly on any river, most now will be in the spawning mode and should be left alone. The next time we target Steelhead will be on the main stem Skeena River for “summer-runs” starting around early to mid August.

KALUM RIVER: had an “excellent” run of Steelhead. Most Steelhead are in the spawning mode now. Chinook (King) Salmon are available in the lower section but the water is too high to fish for them right now.

This is a Classified River year round and can be guided from March 15 through October 15 only. The Steelhead record is 32-pounds. To see a photo of this fish cast to:
<http://noelgyger.ca/records/Record003.jpg> The angler is Dennis Therrien.

KASIKS RIVER: It is now possible to fish for Chinook at the mouth, in the clean seam, where it joins the Skeena. Sometimes, the Chinook come out of the Skeena and into the clean water in search for scent of their home river.

EXCHAMSIKS RIVER: Same as above, it is now possible to fish for Chinook in the clean seam.

CORRECTION last week I posted two photos which I thought were taken on the Exchamsiks River but they were actually taken on the Gitnadoix River. These two and one other are now posted on my website at: <http://www.noelgyger.ca/for-sale-videos-dvd-photos.htm>

EXSTEW RIVER: Same as above, it is now possible to fish for Chinook in the clean seam.

Note: sadly, the above three rivers are closed to angling for Chinook except at the very lower end. Please check 2005 – 2007 BC Freshwater Salmon Supplement (fancy name for regulations) at: www.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/recfish for details.

ZYMOETZ (COPPER) RIVER: Like other Skeena tributaries, the Chinook will start coming in now. The water is very high.

Yours sincerely, Noel F. Gyger

For ALL PAST reports cast here: <http://www.noelgyger.ca/past-fishing-reports.htm>

Vintage Video Clips

Kitimat River Chinook - 2007



Good fishing buddies Jerry Vodola and Kevin Howell pose a beautiful Kitimat River Chinook (King) Salmon landed from drift boat.

Cast on this link [Video Clip 0004](#) (Jerry and Kevin Kitimat drift) to watch it. It runs for 58 seconds.

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Hope to hear from you soon. Take care. Best regards, Noel Gyger

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Guest Reports and Photos - 2012 Season Review:

Guest reports and photos are posted here:

http://www.noelgyger.ca/archived-fishing-reports/february-1-28_2013.pdf

Past Top Photos:



June 12 to June 26, 2013. Ariel Koppers with another Kitimat River chrome Chinook. Ariel is an AAG (Assistant Angling Guide) for Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#). Info to book guided fishing trips please [contact me](#) anytime. **Cast on photo to view in larger size**



June 3 to June 12, 2013. Ariel Koppers with a chrome Chinook landed yesterday, June 2nd. He says this was 1 of 6 their group landed. Ariel is an AAG (Assistant Angling Guide) for Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#). Info to book guided fishing trips please [contact me](#) anytime. **Cast on photo to view in larger size**



May 22 to June 3, 2013. Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#) says, “here is a whale of a fresh Chinook caught by Kaz from Japan, his guide gordo had to row down a mile of water to land this monster, all of 40lbs and as chrome as you will ever see”. Info to book guided fishing trips please [contact me](#) anytime. **Cast on photo to view in larger size**



May 13 to May 22, 2013. Report and pic from [Avid Sportfishing](#) in Haida Gwaii - Queen Charlotte Islands. Owner Neil Goodwin says, *"How many of you would like to catch a 50 pound Chinook salmon? Well we got one last night in our home water right in front of town. We barely got our lines in the water when Mike Petersen hooked into the elusive early season hog. After a dramatic 40 minute battle Mike landed a 51 pounder! What a way to start the season!"* Info to book guided fishing trips please [contact me](#) anytime.

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Tide Charts – for BC Coast: <http://www.waterlevels.gc.ca/eng/find/region/1>

Fight for Halibut – **Take Action Now!** <http://fightforhalibut.wordpress.com>

Conservation

Sun Jun 30/13 5:01am

New From TheCanadian.org: Video: Damien Gillis on Fracking and LNG

Video: Fracking, LNG Plans Deserve Same Scrutiny as Enbridge

Damien Gillis ties together a number of historical and current BC issues in this talk at the Village of Gitanmaax (Hazelton) in Gitxsan Territory on May 18. From the province's colonial, resource-driven past to present-day plans for fracking, Liquefied Natural Gas, Site C Dam and Tar Sands pipelines and tankers, Gillis offers a different take on the provincial and federal governments' economic plans and an alternate vision for BC's future. "The big idea here is turning Western Canada into the next Saudi Arabia," Gillis warns, with serious local and global climate implications. (15 min)

[Cast here to watch video](#)

Sat Jun 29/13 5:01am

Call to action

Hello, I am very sorry to inform you that the World Organization of Animal Health (OIE), the political organization made up of 178 international animal health bureaucrats, has voted to remove the "reference lab" status from the lab I am using in Canada to research European salmon viruses. This was predicted by lawyer Greg McDade a year and half ago in the Cohen Commission. It was that obvious a course of action.

I find this appalling. I feel it is in the best interests of the people of the eastern North Pacific, that the research underway by the Kibenge lab be allowed to continue so that the findings are published in peer-reviewed journals and judged by scientists, not just bureaucrats. It is my view we have a limited window of opportunity to stop ISA virus from going epidemic here as it has elsewhere, including eastern Canada currently.

Unless people speak up now, I feel certain the heavy hand of government will suppress this work entirely. The lab is currently still operating, but I think it needs our support.

Please note the action items at the end of this blog and thank you to the First Nation communities that have already written to Canada and the OIE making it clear they have samples in the Kibenge lab that they expect to be fully processed and reported on.

http://alexandramorton.typepad.com/alexandra_morton

Alexandra Morton

Tue Jun 25/13 5:01am

Norway safety warnings - farm salmon

Hello, An extraordinary string of articles is coming out of Norway over the past week warning that eating farm salmon comes with health risks, particularly for young women who pass the toxins in their bodies into their babies. One article refers to farm salmon as floating cobs of corn, another asks why Norway hid warnings. Rising farm salmon sushi consumption in exactly the age-group most at risk is a concern.

Norway is the salmon farming mother country, but Norwegian TV2 reports major markets are considering pulling farm salmon from their shelves until it is guaranteed safe. An article reports Norway pushed to increase toxin levels 10xs in farm salmon feed, in aid of company profits.

What is wrong with us? A civilization that cannot exist without poisoning the unborn is in deep trouble.

If you want to help, share this link with your politicians, markets and your friends. Notice the BC Salmon Farmers most recent ad uses a picture of children to sell farm salmon. You can add your voice to the [feedlot salmon boycott](#) if you want to be heard.

Norway, this industry is bringing shame to your country.

[Cast here to read the full article](#)

Alexandra Morton

Tue Jun 18/13 5:01am

From [TheCanadian.org](#): Rafe: Clark's Enbridge 'No' Meaningless

Rafe: Take Clark's Disingenuous Enbridge 'No' with a Pound of Salt

Here are three things to remember about Premier Clark and the Enbridge pipeline: 1. She did not reject the pipeline - she simply said that Enbridge had not met BC's conditions; 2. She has, simply said "we want money"; 3. She hasn't asked the main question - nor has anyone else including the media. That is, in spite of all the evidence to the contrary you can clean up a leak, assuming you can, how do you expect to get crews and heavy machinery into the Rocky Mountains, Rocky Mountain Trench, Coast Range or Great Bear Rainforest? For all the crap we're going to hear in the next year or so, these questions will not be dealt with, simply because they can't be.

[Cast here to read the details](#)

Fri Jun 7/13 5:01am

Canada's offshore oil spill response outdated, audits found

Most of the 83 per cent of the oil spill response equipment in the country ready to use but outdated, finds report

Internal government audits of the Canadian Coast Guard's capacity to monitor and respond to a marine oil spill found a system that was outdated, disorganized and in need of an overhaul.

[Cast here to read the full story](#)

Tue Jun 4/13 5:01am

Fewer Canadians back plans for new oil pipelines to West Coast ports: poll

Support has declined for proposals to build western oil pipelines to help meet Asian demand, according to a new poll commissioned by the Asia Pacific Foundation of Canada.

The online survey conducted by Angus Reid Public Opinion shows that 45 per cent of respondents nationally in March said they support the construction of new pipelines to West Coast ports, down from 53 per cent a year earlier.

[Cast here to read the full story](#)

Sun Jun 2/13 5:01am

BC Formally does not support approval of Northern Gateway

The B.C. government has formally rejected the proposed Enbridge Northern Gateway pipeline, saying the company has not properly addressed the province's environmental concerns.

[Cast here to read the full story](#)

Fri May 31/13 5:01am

Bitumen Doesn't Float

Study debunks Enbridge claims that oil sands crude spill is standard clean-up.

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Rob Brown - The Skeena Angler

We are honoured to have Rob contributing to the **Fishing Report**. Rob also contributes a weekly column to our local **Terrace Standard Newspaper**: http://www.bclocalnews.com/bc_north/terracestandard

Rob Brown blog: http://web.me.com/skeenaangler/Skeena_Angler/Blog/Blog.html

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Tiny flies

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Tinned midges

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Mon Jun 3/13 5:01am

May 29, 2013

A Call to Arms

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News updates:

Cast on this link to see the latest [flood watch](#) update

Sun Mar 10/13 5:06am

Fishery Notice - Fisheries and Oceans Canada

Subject: FN0103-RECREATIONAL - Eulachon - All Freshwater in BC - Gear restriction

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[Tyee Test Fishery for 2011](#)

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Fri June 8/12 5:00pm

Noel Gyger has 96 fishing video clips on YouTube:

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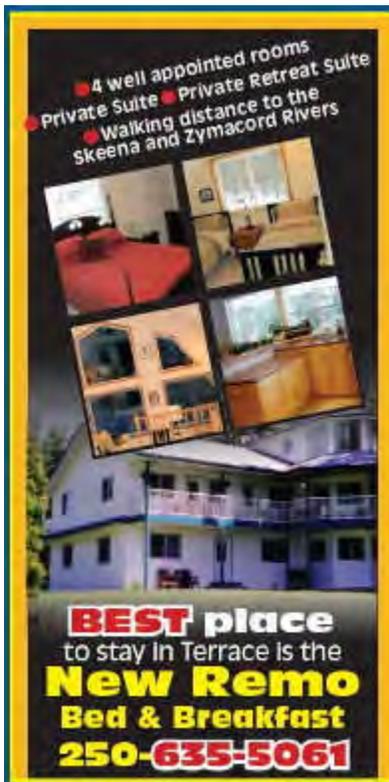
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Fishing Regulations:

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2013-2015 **Freshwater** (Provincial) Fishing Regulations Synopsis:

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www.env.gov.bc.ca/fw/fish/regulations/#Inseason

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www.fishing.gov.bc.ca

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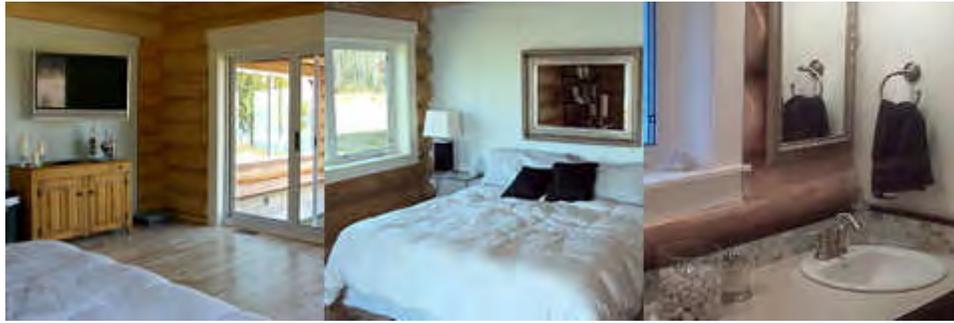
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Stunning Walk-in Waterfront Acreage with Custom Log Home Absolutely Stunning Low-bank Oceanfront



Ideal location for Fishing Lodge or Resort. Private boat launch - Golf course next door



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Contact owner:

Carl McIntosh
Phone: 250-956-2888

For Sale

Terrace BC

Best private river frontage on the Skeena River



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Contact 250-615-6438 or chimdeshcreek@hotmail.com .

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Telkwa BC

Handcrafted log home on 1.41 acres **Bulkley River frontage**



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- Sleeps 3 persons but can accommodate 5 adults.
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- \$50.00 for each additional person per day
- \$100.00 deposit
- No less than 3 days and a two week booking notice.
- For more information contact : **Mary Hampton 250-635-4529**

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