## AQUARIUM HOSTING EDIBLE OREGON CAMP TONIGHT

their fingers muddy while

clamming, test their taste buds

with edible seaweeds and foray

through coastal forests for edi-

includes admission to the

This overnight adventure

ble plants.

NEWPORT – The Oregon Coast Aquarium's Edible Ocean Family Camp-Out invites adventurous eaters ages eight and older to explore wildsourced summer delicacies tonight, July 25, through

probably missed your favorite,

so feel free to send us your sug-

gestion on Twitter@sporting

ALSEA RIVER: Cutthroat

fair in the mainstem and in

some of the large tributaries.

With the low and warm river

conditions the best opportuni-

ties will be in the early morn-

ing when water temperatures

are typically productive as

fishing with nymphs or

streamers.

trout

wells as small spoons or fly

are the coolest. Small spinners

SALMON RIVER: Cutthroat

Cutthroat trout fishing is

morning being the most pro-

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slow to fair with the early

The cutthroat trout fishery is

table reserved in advance.

Pitching staff: Catfish Hunter

Sloppy Thurston

Lil Stoner

Fishing

trout

We'll make sure they get a

from 1B

from 1B

View

view.

## tomorrow, July 26.

This food-centric adventure walks participants through the forage to fork process, from regulations to gathering to food preparation.

Campers can expect to get

Orval Overall Red Ruffing Goose Gossage Urban Shocker Squiz Pillion Zip Zabel Wimpy Quinn Boof Bonser Win Ballou Don't let the alliteration or wacky iterations fool you ... this would be a pretty formidable staff.

Catfish Hunter pitched a perfect game and won a Cy Young award. Urban Shocker was the last of the known spitballers and a key part of the '27 Yankees.

Lil Stoner was an avid iris grower! Zip Zabel was Zip Zabel, and that's really all you need to know about that.

> **Buster Posey Roxy Snipes**

ductive. Using small lures like clear. spinners, spoons or various

flies can be productive. SILETZ RIVER: Steelhead, cutthroat trout

Summer steelhead fishing is fair in the upper river. Low flows and warming river temperatures is making new fish race up into the cooler holding waters of the gorge area.

moving into the river through the summer with peak numbers typically in July.

River flows are much lower than normal for this time of year so think small and subtle presentations.

Typical steelhead tactics apply such as bobber and jig/bait, or casting spoons or spinners.

Cutthroat trout are now also open to harvest and can be found throughout the main utaries.

Chinook, cutthroat

slow in the low clear water. Summer steelhead fishing is slow also. Fishing for cutthroat trout should be fair. Use lighter gear for best results as the water is extremely low and

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New fish will continually be

stem river and many large trib-

WILSON RIVER: Steelhead,

Spring Chinook fishing is

**YAQUINA RIVER:** Cutthroat trout

Cutthroat trout fishing is slow to fair. The best opportunities are coming in the early mornings when river temperatures are the coolest. River conditions are very low and warm for this time of year.

The mainstem Yaquina and Big Elk Creek are good places to try casting small spinners or spoons as well as bait fishing

largemouth bass, yellow perch Streams in the Tenmile

ing.

cial flies and lures in streams above tidewater.

success catching trout in the spinners or flies.

Lakes is extremely low and boat anglers should use cau-

has been slow.

Bass anglers have been catching several largemouth bass in Tenmile Lakes. Bass can be found this time of the year in shallow water near structure like logs or weed

A few anglers have been fishing dock at the County Boat Ramp and near the edge of the weedlines. A worm or piece of cut bait fished near the bottom works well for catching yellow perch. COOS COUNTY

aquarium, camping accommodations at Beverly Beach State Park and all meals, all for for \$55 for youth ages 8 to 17 and \$70 for adults ages 18 and older.

Discounts are available for

Jigger Statz

Pie Traynor

Creepy Crespi

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aquarium members. To learn more about Edible

Ocean Family Camp-Out and download reservation forms, visit www.bit.ly/edibleocean. For more information, call

541-867-3474.

Ruth's roommate and was a smack talker extraordinaire. Coco Crisp is a contemporary, and we know that kid can run and hit and kick. Minnie Minoso should be in

the Hall of Fame. And Billy Batsch? Well, we had a real problem with Billy Batsch. Bill was a made guy, a good fella ... but that's a whole other story.

reports of coho and chinook being caught in the ocean off of Winchester Bay.

PACIFIC OCEAN and **BEACHES**: Bottomfish, salmon, Dungeness crab, surf perch

The ocean is open for harvest of Dungeness crab. Crabbing has been good outside of Coos Bay and Winchester Bay.

Anglers continue to catch surf perch from the beaches near Winchester, Bandon and Coos Bay but catch rates have slowed down. The best fishing is usually on the incoming tide. Sand shrimp is one of the best baits to use when fishing for surf perch.

Recreational ocean salmon season from Cape Falcon to Humbug Mt. is open for chinook salmon and fin-clipped coho. The bag limit is two salmon per day, and a minimum size for Chinook salmon at 24 inches or larger and a minimum size for coho salmon

Fishing for chinook has picked up along the south coast and anglers are reporting catching lots of coho.

The nearshore halibut season opened July 1. The fishery is open seven days a week inside the 40-fathom line.

Fishing for black rockfish



Depth chart: С 1b

near the head of tide.

**TENMILE BASIN:** Trout,

Basin are open for trout fish-

Fishing is restricted to artifi-

Anglers should have good deeper pools and riffles using

The water level in Tenmile tion when boating in the lakes.

Tenmile Lakes is open all year for trout but trout fishing

lines.

catching yellow perch from the

OF Chicken Hawks OF Ping Bodie OF Coco Crisp OF Minnie Minoso OF Homer Summa IF Shooty Babbit IF Stubby Clapp PR **Billy Batsch** 

A lot of these guys could

really hit. Ping Bodie was Babe

Fishing for largemouth bass

Millicoma Pond to make sure the gates are open. The phone number is 541-267-2557.

at 16 inches or larger.

Fishing for bottom fish is restricted to inside the 30 fathom curve.

and bluegills have been good in many of the Coos County lakes. Fishing for bass will be best in the mornings and late evenings. Fish for bluegills around structure like submerged logs

> and weedlines. COOS RIVER BASIN:

Dungeness crab, bay clams, rockfish, trout

Streams in the Coos Basin are open although most of the larger rivers will be too warm for trout. Trout anglers should

focus on small streams and fish early in the morning or in the evening. Angling is restricted to arti-

ficial flies and lures in streams above tidewater. Anglers should have good success catching trout in the deeper pools and riffles using spinners or flies.

UMPQUA RIVER, SOUTH: Steelhead

The mainstem South Umpqua upstream to Jackson Creek Bridge is open to fishing, with trout fishing being strictly catch and release.

Catch and release trout fishing in South Umpqua tributaries below Jackson Creek Bridge is also open, with fishing restricted to the use of artificial flies and lures.

Smallmouth bass fishing should be productive with warming water temperatures. WINCHESTER BAY: Bottomfish, perch Fishing for bottomfish in the Triangle and South jetty has been successful. Perch fishing has been productive in the bay, and it was reported that good size striped perch were being caught along the jetty. Crabbing has been improving, and there have been



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LAKES/PONDS: Trout, largemouth bass, bluegills

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Salmon: Adipose finclipped coho salmon seasons are now open in ocean waters along the entire Oregon Coast.

Best catches have been in the waters off the Columbia River.

Ocean recreational fishing is open for Chinook salmon along the entire Oregon coast.

**CRABBING:** Ocean crabbing is great, and bay crabbing continues to improve. Larger ocean crab off the central coast are molting, and a soft shell indicates the meat will be watery.

Smaller crab that have not yet molted - look for barnacles on the shell - are a better option for the crab kettle.

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