

COMMERCIAL DUNGENESS CRAB SEASON OPENS JAN. 4

NEWPORT — Fresh Oregon Dungeness crab is back on the menu after fishery managers determined the fishery is ready to open Jan. 4 along the entire Oregon coast.

Fishery managers exercised an abundance of caution in opening the crab season this year due to unusual levels of domoic acid found in crabs along Oregon’s southern coast.

The month-long delay in opening the season allowed for additional testing for domoic acid in order to provide confidence that crab harvested from Oregon waters are safe to consume and of excellent quality.

“Along with the state agencies, the Oregon commercial Dungeness crab industry has taken a very proactive and precautionary approach to the

opening of this crab season in the interest of public safety,” says Caren Braby, ODFW Marine Resources Program Manager.

Testing of crab in recent weeks show the elevated levels of domoic acid in the southern half of the state have decreased and are all below U.S. Food and Drug Administration alert levels for three sample periods

in a row.

Based on these results and consultations with the Oregon Department of Agriculture, the Oregon commercial crab industry and Washington and California Departments of Fish and Wildlife, the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife is opening the ocean commercial Dungeness crab season along the entire Oregon

coast just after the New Year, Jan 4.

Commercial crab boat lights will start dotting the horizon Jan. 1 as boats are allowed to set gear three days prior to the fishery opening. The recreational harvest of Dungeness crab in Oregon’s bays and ocean is currently open coast-wide.

As the season gets underway,

state agencies will continue to monitor marine biotoxins in shellfish to ensure that the concentrations remain below the alert level to ensure the consumer safety.

For more information about Oregon’s shellfish marine biotoxin monitoring, call ODA’s shellfish safety information hotline at 1-800-448-2474.

SCORES & STANDINGS

BOWLING

LEAGUE	12/18/15	
FRIDAY SENIOR TRIO TEAMS	WON	LOST
SEARAYS	24	8
LCM	21	11
PILLOCS	20	12
PIN BUSTERS	18	14
GUTTER DUSTERS	16	16
HITS N' MISS	16	16
HI-LO	16	16
EAR-WE-R	14	18
X'S & O'S	14	18
GHOSTS	14	18
RTR	14	18
PIN UPS	5	27
TEAM HDCP SERIES		
PILLOCS	2007	
TEAM HDCP GAME		
X'S & O'S	606	
TEAM SCRATCH SERIES		
SEARAYS	1620	
TEAM SCRATCH GAME		
EAR-WE-R	540	
INDIVIDUAL HDCP SERIES		
RON SIEBERT	720	
MARGE HARDWICK	727	
INDIVIDUAL HDCP GAME		
RON JAMES	267	
LINDA SPECHT	297	
INDIVIDUAL SCRATCH SERIES		
DOUG JOHNSON	669	
LINDA SPECHT	555	
INDIVIDUAL SCRATCH GAME		
DOUG JOHNSON	234	
LINDA SPECHT	247	

LEAGUE	12/15/15	
NW HAZMAT LEAGUE TEAMS	WON	LOST
A & W	33	23
BIG DOG DONUTS	32.0	24.0
TEAM STILL SUX	32.0	24.0
STRAY CATS	28.0	28.0
NW HAZMAT	28.0	28.0
TEAM 7	25.0	31.0
SEAGALS	23.0	33.0
SMOKIES	23	33.0
SCRATCH GAME IND.		
CAL KRAMER	279.0	
COLLEEN OHRAN	205	
SCRATCH SERIES IND		
CAL KRAMER	748	
COLLEEN OHRAN	542	
HIGH HDCP GAME IND		
CAL KRAMER	292	
BRIANNA EMERY	272	
HIGH HDCP SERIES IND		
CAL KRAMER	787	
COLLEEN OHRAN	731	
LEAGUE	12/20/15	
SUNDAY SOCIAL LEAGUE TEAMS	WON	LOST
CNC MACHINE SERVICES	43.0	17.0
TRAVEL DIVISION	34.0	26.0
GOON SQUAD	23.0	37.0
OUTCAST	20.0	40.0
SCRATCH GAME TEAM		
CNC MACHINE SERVICES	614	
SCRATCH GAME IND.		
M - DAVE COUPAR	197	
M - JEREMY MCINTYRE	197	
W - JIMMI COUPAR	220	
HIGH HDCP GAME TEAM		
CNC MACHINE SERVICES	779	
HIGH HDCP GAME IND		
M - DAVE COUPAR	243	
M - JIM ALEXANDER	243	
W - JIMMI COUPAR	294	
SCRATCH SERIES TEAM		
CNC MACHINE SERVICES	1653	
SCRATCH SERIES IND		
M - JEREMY MCINTYRE	571	
W - JIMMI COUPAR	570	
HIGH HDCP SERIES TEAM		
CNC MACHINE SERVICES	2148	
HIGH HDCP SERIES IND		
M - JEREMY MCINTYRE	706	
W - JIMMI COUPAR	792	

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3	57.50	11.50	A 2	0.35(A)	John Weatherwax - Roberta Parker
5	45.00	9.00	C		David Gustafson - Marian (Skip) Weiss
6	45.00	9.00	A		Georgia Farman - Anna Hendershot
2	40.00	8.00	B		Doreen MacNeil - Kenneth Hampsten

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