

SABC from 1B

more than 100 students who likely could not have participated in school athletics without financial assistance.

"This fund is a very important tool for coaches and a project near and dear to the club's heart," said Moser.

Lastly, the SABC assists in many school sports projects, including special needs, uniforms, equipment and more.

"The Club is here to help and to partner with local coaches to foster successful athletics programs and successful individuals," said Moser, who added that athletics provides positive opportunities for a large number of students as well as an important opportunity for the community to gather together.

"But, this can't be done without the support from parents and the community,"



COURTESY PHOTO

Attendees at this year's SABC dinner and auction stop off at the photo booth's accessories table before having their photos taken.

said Moser, who expressed concern that the current "active" membership — those who are involved in projects and fund-

raising events — has dwindled in recent years.

"There is a need for more 'time and talent' from the current and new members to keep the Club thriving," Moser said. "If you are a middle school or high school parent or guardian, or feel a connection to our local schools, please consider attend-

ing meetings and learning more about the great mission of the Siuslaw Athletic Booster Club."

Monthly meetings are held the last Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

For more information, contact Steve Moser at smoser@siuslaw.k12.or.us.

Fishing from 1B

ALSEA RIVER:
Cutthroat trout, fall Chinook

Fall Chinook fishing on the Alsea river/bay opened Aug. 1, a few fish are being caught but overall the fishing has been slow

Concentrate your efforts low in the estuary and close to the ocean to catch the fish moving in and out on the tides. Expect numbers of fall Chinook entering the bays and estuaries to increase later in the month and into September. Best techniques include trolling herring/spinners and bobber fishing with bait.

Sea-run cutthroat will begin entering the lower river later this month and into the fall. These fish are very aggressive, respond well to flies and lures, and can be up to 20-inches long.

SALMON RIVER:
Cutthroat trout, fall Chinook

Fall Chinook fishing on the Salmon river/bay opened Aug. 1, expect numbers of fall Chinook entering the bays and estuaries to increase later in the month and into September. Best techniques include trolling herring/spinners and bobber fishing with bait.

COOS RIVER BASIN:
Dungeness crab, bay clams, rockfish, trout, salmon

Streams and rivers are open to trout fishing. Trout fishing in streams and rivers is slow due to low water conditions. Anglers can use only artificial flies and lures in streams above tidewater. The daily limit for trout in streams is 2 fish per day and they must be 8-inches or longer.

Through Sept. 30, salmon anglers with a two-rod validation will be able to use rods while fishing for Chinook salmon and hatchery Coho salmon in Coos Bay.

Recreational fishing for bottomfish is open in the ocean along with bays and estuaries.

The daily bag limit for marine fish is 4, plus 2 lingcod. The retention of cabezon is no longer allowed for the rest of the year. Fishing for rockfish and greenling inside Coos Bay near the north jetty and other submerged rock structures has been spotty this past week with good fishing one day and poor fishing the next.

WINCHESTER BAY:
Bottomfish, perch

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