

# Sandy River steelhead fishing is closing on August 31

## AARP offers new employment help

CLACKAMAS, Ore. — The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) has adopted temporary rules closing the upper reaches of the Sandy River to the harvest of summer steelhead through August 31.

The action applies to Sandy River upstream of its confluence with the Salmon River, and includes the Salmon River. Previously, under permanent rules the upper Sandy was open to retention of steelhead through the end of August.

“The closure is necessary to reduce unintended hooking mortality associated with catch

and release of wild spring chinook incidentally caught by anglers targeting summer steelhead,” said Todd Alsbury, ODFW district fish biologist. Sandy River wild chinook are protected under the federal Endangered Species Act.

ODFW staff working temporary fish traps in the area recently observed large groups of spring chinook holding in pools due to extremely low water conditions that restrict upstream movement, according to Alsbury. The area will remain closed to angling for steelhead or spring chinook after August 31 under permanent rules.

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cruit across a level playing field when considering experienced workers. These firms are looking for the strong work ethic, maturity, and customer orientation that experienced workers bring to their jobs.

Employers who sign the pledge agree that they have:

- Openness to the value of experienced workers;
- Nondiscriminatory HR policies;
- At least some immediate hiring needs at the time of pledge signing.

With the integration of LinkedIn information, qualified

workers are put together in the same space with employers who value those workers.

“Over the past decade, the digital world has transformed how most people look for a job,” said Romasco. “Today, Work Reimagined harnesses the power of social media to offer great opportunities for experienced professionals to connect, to access information and resources, and to leverage their professional network in their pursuit of more fulfilling work and career.”

Work Reimagined also offers job listings independent of LinkedIn, as well as articles,

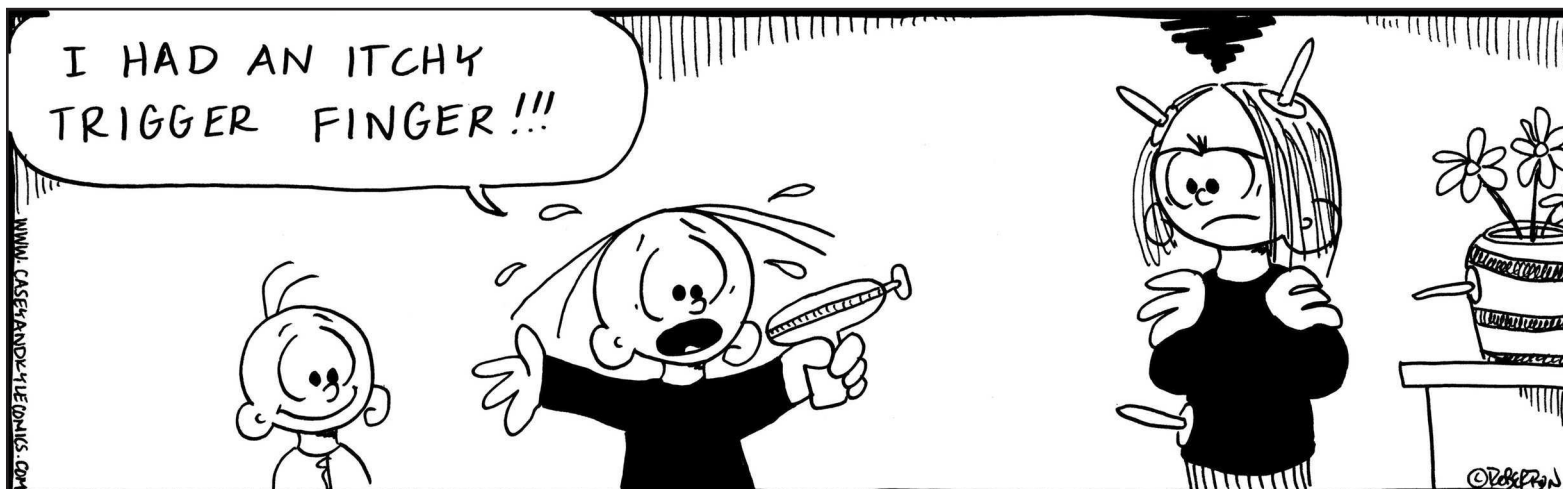
columns, tips and tools to help people navigate today’s workplace.

“This service is especially valuable in the face of a difficult economy that has found many professionals unemployed for, in many cases, a year or more,” Romasco added.

Among the employers who have taken the Work Reimagined pledge are Scripps Health, the top finisher last year in AARP’s Best Employers for Workers Over 50 program; Toys R Us, Inc.; Dollar General; United Health Group; Lowe’s and AT&T.

### Just for Fun

Casey and Kyle by Will Robertson



Solve this Sudoku								
3		7				2	9	
9		4						
			6	3				
	9			1		4	7	
	5						6	
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	7	1				9		5

August 1 Sudoku answer								
7	8	5	2	4	6	1	3	9
2	1	4	3	9	5	7	6	8
9	3	6	1	7	8	5	4	2
5	7	2	8	3	1	4	9	6
1	4	8	7	6	9	3	2	5
3	6	9	5	2	4	8	7	1
8	9	7	6	5	3	2	1	4
6	5	3	4	1	2	9	8	7
4	2	1	9	8	7	6	5	3

...all men make mistakes but a good man yields when he knows his course is wrong, and repairs the evil. The only crime is pride.

SOPHOCLES  
Greek playwright (496-406 BC)