Weekly Summary West Region SHG May 29, 2015

Bandon

No hot topics for this week, routine fish culture and maintenance

Cole Rivers

• No hot topics for this week, routine fish culture and maintenance

Elk River

• No hot topics for this week, routine fish culture and maintenance

Leaburg

- The first adult summer steelhead recycle of the year was performed this week. 66 fish were trucked downstream, many were really bright (relatively speaking for this far upriver) and chunky, including several 3 salts. The recycle was a week later than last year as the fish have been coming in slowly. Chinook on the other hand have been coming to our trap earlier and in higher numbers than previous years. So far 34 Chinook have been transferred to McKenzie Hatchery.
- Kacie helped McKenzie Hatchery sort and process adult Chinook for a local food bank.
- Erik attended the Northwest Fish Culture Conference Committee meeting at the Wilsonville Holiday Inn, where this year's event will be held.

Marion Forks

No hot topics for this week, routine fish culture and maintenance

McKenzie

McKenzie Fish Count 2015					
Spring Chinook	Males	Females	Jacks		
This Weeks Collection	715	519	30	Season To Date	Last Year to Date
Total	1,676	1,045	43	2,764	394

• CHS adult collection continues to be off the charts for May (10 year average 325 fish). We were able to give the Oregon Food Bank 10,783 lbs of fish this week. We were also able to empty our trap this week for the first time this month. Although there was another 50 fish in the trap this morning.

Minto

Species	Weekly	Cum.	Recycled/outplanted	Rel.
	Total	Total		Upstream
STW	6	182	0	182
StS	19	40	40	0
CHS	93	117	0	12

- We started to see an increase in CHS number but water still 48 degrees.
- We recycled STS for the first time all 40 we have collected were taken down to Mehama.
- Greg assisted at the Santiam High school on Wednesday with a science class.

Roaring River

- We had the following liberations this week: Breitenbush, N. Santiam, Harriet Lk., Scout Lk., Mt. Hood Pd., Cronemiller, and Timber Linn Lk.
- Rich Holt was here and picked up some Rb fry for OSU research on C. Shasta in the Klamath Basin. Also Nadine was here and picked up some Rb legals for a dissection class.
- We received a feed order from EWOS this week.
- We tagged 80 fish for the Bi-Mart boy scout derby scheduled at Timber Linn Lake on Saturday.
- All other activities consisted of fish feeding, pond cleaning, and grounds maintenance kept us busy the rest of the week.

Rock Creek

• No hot topics for this week, routine fish culture and maintenance

S. Santiam

• The Foster Trap was operated on Tuesday of this week. All unmarked StW and ChS are hauled upstream to River Bend CG.

Species	Weekly	Cum.	Recycled*	Rel.
	Total	Total		Upstream
StW	8	124	Na	124
(2415)				
StS	69	142	52	Na
(2416)				
ChS	642	1937	1018	121

- *StS recycled numbers are cumulative and include reruns.
- We donated 108 ChS to a local gleaner group.
- General fish culture, grounds work, and maintenance projects continue.
- A tour of the hatchery was given to Central Linn. 48 6th graders.

Willamette

Willamette Fish Collection 2015					
Spring Chinook Steelhead					
Adult		Summer			
1536		38			

- We worked Dexter trap twice this week, collecting brood and outplanting.
 Started end of the month sampling.
- Began preparing for Free Fishing Day.