



Save Our Fish Auburn Chapter of Puget Sound Anglers

Next Chapter Meeting:

Next Meeting Date February 22, 2023

6:00pm

**Trotter's Restaurant
825 Harvey Rd, Auburn**

Be sure to check out our website: <http://www.saveourfish.org/>

For a complete list of Board Members, please visit the website:

<http://saveourfish.org/board>

Newsletter editor: Dayle Conrad

Up and Coming Activities:

February

22 – General Club Meeting 6:00pm

Speaker: Duane Inglin

April

12 – Board Meeting 7:00pm

26 – General Club Meeting 6:00pm

March

8 – Board Meeting 7:00pm

22 – General Club Meeting 6:00pm

Speaker: MD Johnson, jetty fishing

May

10 – Board Meeting 7:00pm

24 – General Club Meeting 6:00pm

Auburn and Algona Kids Derbies

Dates TBD



President's Message -- Rob Larsen

Well, there was a very short black mouth season in area 9 and 10. It was shut down because of the number of juveniles being encountered. It was at the recommendation of a number of avid anglers that it was shut down. In the early part of the season there can be many juveniles as there were this year. It is scheduled to re-open in March and many of the juvenile fish should've cleared the area and more larger fish should be available.

I am very much looking forward to our speaker this month, since using planer boards as a technique is something I have been looking into for some time. It is a very effective technique for catching Kokanee and triploids.

Our club was quite successful at the Sportsmens Show this month. We had a day and a half in the state booth and we managed to sell about \$433 worth of jigs. With big help from several of our members, we solicited and received a number of things that we will be able to use in our raffle and into fundraising opportunities. I would like to give special thanks to all those who helped out with the show.



I look forward to seeing all of you at our coming meeting.

Tight Lines,
Rob Larsen
SOF PSA president

February Speaker – Duane Inglin, Fish Hunt Northwest

Our speaker this month will be Duane Inglin, the host of Fish Hunt Northwest. Duane is a very accomplished angler and I am very pleased he agreed to come and share some of his knowledge with our club. He is going to share tips he has learned using planer boards to help increase our catch and avoid pitfalls of planer boards. This technique is extremely effective on early kokanee and triploids on Lake Roosevelt. You don't want to miss this one.

SOF PSA Officers for 2023 & Board of Directors

President: Rob Larsen

Vice President: Bob Holzberger

Secretary: Steve Fulkerson

Treasurer: Jim Hand

Board members are list on the SaveOurFish.org website.

Tip of the Month – Reminders for Boaters

from Earl Betts

Tip 1. For you boaters: Just a reminder.

For those boat owners out there, hopefully before your boat was put up for winter storage you filled the gas tank and added fuel stabilizer to help prevent condensation and therefore water in the fuel. Not Good.

This time of year I add in some extra fuel stabilizer just to help prevent that issue.

Tip 2. Downriggers: For those of you using downriggers with steel line, it's a good idea to reel off all the line and take a look to make sure there are no rust spots or frayed areas.

If you have any frayed areas, be sure to replace your line. I failed to do this last year and sure enough on a fishing trip, lost my 12lb downrigger ball because the steel line broke and you know they are expensive.

Also a good idea to carry an extra downrigger belt.

Tight Lines

Earl 🐟

Raffle News

February 2023 Raffle News

This month's raffle will feature a Tica line counter reel. As usual, there will be a number of other prizes available.

If anyone has any "worthy" items to donate to the raffle, please feel free to bring them to the meeting and you will be rewarded with some free raffle tickets.

Hope to see you all at this month's meeting.

Thanks,
Bob Holzberger
206-890-7066



Visit Our Website

The website has the recipe of the month, links to our sponsors, and a year's worth of past newsletters. There is a new link on the Hogpen web page to submit photo's for the Hogpen, which will provide the pictures for the Newsletter, Website, and Christmas Banquet.

www.saveourfish.org



Save Our Fish Facebook Page

The Save Our Fish [Facebook page](#) is a Public Group currently with 47 members. If you are on Facebook and haven't requested to join the group, now is your chance.

Let's see how many members we can get this year! This is a great way to get club information. It can also be used to connect with other members to fill an empty seat in the boat, see where other members are fishing (if they are willing to share), or post videos, photos, or other fishing and conservation interests.

Membership – New and Renewals

Thank you everyone that have paid your membership dues for the 2023 year. For those of you who have not yet paid, it's not too late. Memberships can be paid online, at any SOF meeting, or by mail to the address at the bottom of the SOF membership form. Contact Rich Gregory if you have any membership question.

You can pay by mail or online at <http://www.saveourfish.org/Membership/Membership.htm>.

The membership form is attached at the end of this newsletter or you can contact our member chair, Rich Gregory, at rwgav8@hotmail.com.

Click here to pay: https://www.paypal.com/donate/?token=FIZb14yBeNX1SNG80QYPNONcJJjwgtgJXdurg11BSvD-4EIX_IssRDmduLv7mgOlg4MR0

Use the “**Donate with a Card**” option if you don't have a Paypal account.

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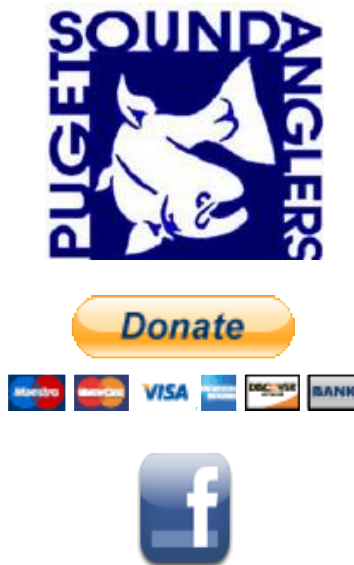
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It looks like the below:



The membership form is available online <http://www.saveourfish.org/membership.pdf> and at the end of this newsletter.

Save Our Fish PSA Hats for Sale

Now you can proudly advertise your PSA chapter. Hats are embroidered with a colored PSA logo on the front and Save Our Fish stitched on the back.

Quantities are limited, so bring your money and get yours at the next meeting. \$10



Member Classifieds

Do you have any items in the garage that have just been collecting dust over the years? Maybe a fishing pole that you just don't use anymore. Why not sell it to a fellow member in the new classifieds section? Send a brief description of the item you would like to sell and photo if available to sof.psa@hotmail.com and we will include it in the next issue of the newsletter.

If you have a website or product you would like to share, please send the information to:
Sof.psa@hotmail.com

Elochoman River Shuttle Service

Shane Conrad is providing shuttle service on the Elochoman River for \$25. SOF PSA Club Members are FREE
Call or text to schedule an appointment or check on the river condition: 206-227-0817

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Hog Pen

Do you have a picture from your latest fishing adventures? Be sure to send it, with your descriptive caption to sof.psa@hotmail.com for your chance to have it be featured in the Hog Pen.



Carl Carver
Montana Whitetail



Rob Larsen
Cowlitz River

Recipe of the Month

Pineapple Teriyaki Salmon

From "Cooking Light" 2007

QUICK & EASY

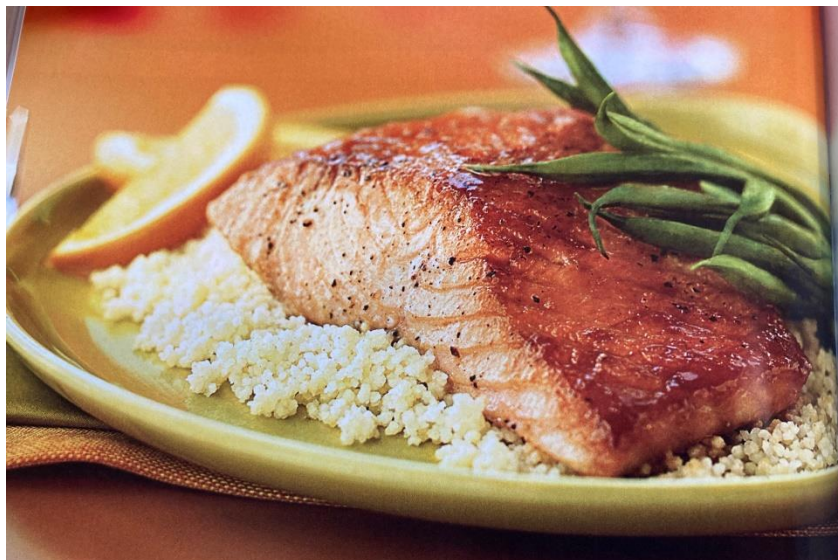
Pineapple Teriyaki Salmon

(pictured on page 234)

You can round out the meal with sautéed haricots verts and quick-cooking couscous.

- 2 tablespoons brown sugar
- 2 tablespoons low-sodium soy sauce
- 1 teaspoon finely grated orange zest
- 1 (6-ounce) can pineapple juice
- ½ teaspoon salt, divided
- 2 teaspoons canola oil
- 4 (6-ounce) salmon fillets (about 1 inch thick)
- ¼ teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- Grated orange rind (optional)

1. Combine first 4 ingredients and ¼ teaspoon salt in a small saucepan over high heat, and bring to a boil. Reduce heat, and simmer until reduced to ¼ cup (about 15 minutes). Set aside.
2. Preheat oven to 400°.
3. Heat oil in a large nonstick skillet over medium-high heat. Sprinkle both sides of fish with ¼ teaspoon salt and pepper. Add fish to pan; cook 3 minutes. Turn fish over, and place in oven; bake at 400° for 3 minutes. Remove from oven; brush 1 tablespoon sauce over each fillet. Return to oven, and cook 1 minute or until fish flakes easily when tested with a fork or until desired degree of doneness. Sprinkle with orange rind, if desired. Yield: 4 servings (serving size: 1 salmon fillet).





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2023 MEMBERSHIP FORM

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:		Date:
Current address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Primary Phone (Home, Cell, Work <i>Please circle</i>):		
Alternate Phone (Home, Cell, Work <i>Please circle</i>):		
Email Address:		
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MEMBERSHIP

Membership is for the 2023 calendar year. Dues paid through February 28, 2023 are at rates shown below, reduced by \$5.00. Dues paid after March 1, 2023 will be at the full annual rates shown below. Contact Rich Gregory at 253-209-0586 or sof.psa@hotmail.com if you have any questions.

MEMBERSHIP SELECTION

<input type="checkbox"/> New Membership	<input type="checkbox"/> Membership Renewal
Adult: 18-61 – annual dues \$30	
Family: heads of household and all other family members younger than 18 – annual dues \$40	
Juvenile: 17 and younger – annual dues \$15	
Senior: 62 and older – annual dues \$20	

PAYMENT

Cash Check Raf Roster TRN Email

Please check appropriate membership selection above, complete form, and bring to meeting or mail with check to:

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c/o Rich Gregory
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