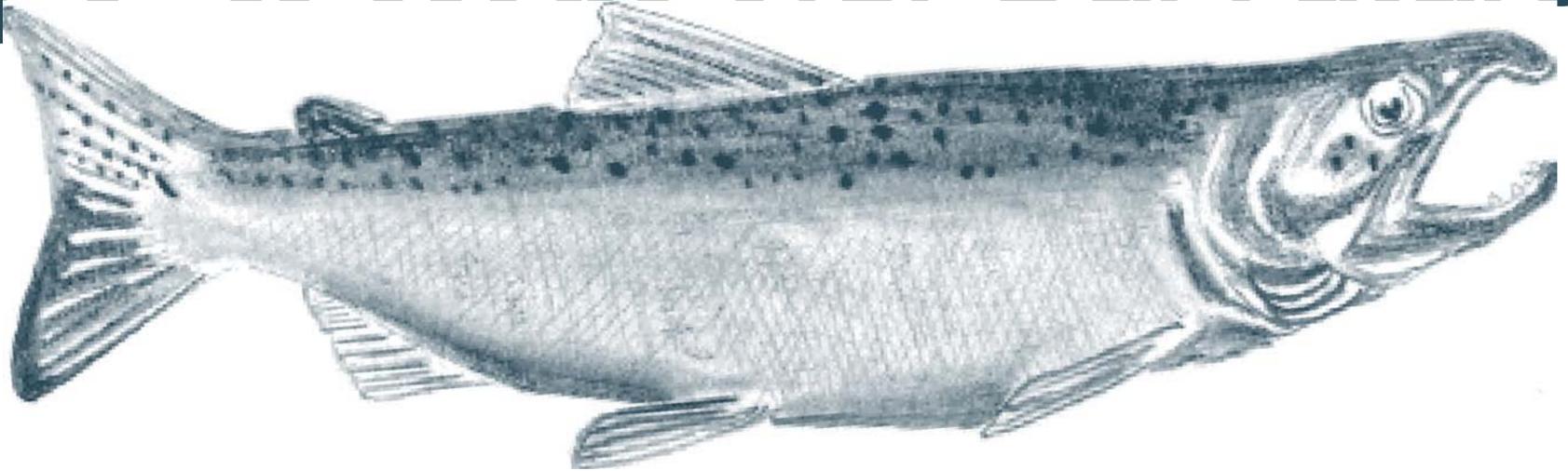


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Researchers, educators, students and the public are invited to learn about salmon, steelhead, and marine fisheries conservation and management issues in the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary. Share your ideas with leaders in marine science, education and conservation.

A FREE TWO-DAY EVENT!
Friday, March 16 and
Saturday, March 17, 2001

NEW LOCATION!
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Hyatt Regency, Monterey
(Directions on back)

Registration takes place at the
symposium. No pre-registration
is necessary. Credit is available
for teachers.

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, March 16 The Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary and the National Marine Fisheries Service, Southwest Region, present the current status of salmon and steelhead populations in the Sanctuary, the complex suite of causes underlying the decline, conservation approaches available under the Endangered Species Act, and activities to recover these populations.

8:00-8:45 a.m. REGISTRATION This is a free event. No pre-registration is necessary.

9:00-9:15 a.m. INTRODUCTION Introductory Remarks and Salmonid Poster Unveiling, William J. Douros, Superintendent, Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary

9:15-9:35 a.m. WELCOME California Fisheries: Why Do They Matter? Fred Keeley, Assemblymember, 27th District

9:35-10:20 a.m. Salmon Decline: Why Care About Salmon? James Lecky, Assistant Regional Administrator, National Marine Fisheries Services, Southwest Region

10:20-10:45 a.m. BREAK

10:45-11:05 a.m. FishNet 4C: A Proactive County Initiative for Salmonid Protection and Restoration Kallie Marie Kull, Program Director, FishNet 4C ? Fishery Network of the Central California Coastal Counties

11:05-11:35 a.m. Department of Fish and Game Perspective on Salmonid Recovery Robert Floerke, Regional Manager, California Department of Fish and Game, Central Coast Region

11:35-12:10 p.m. Assessing Viability and Setting Recovery Goals for Salmonids: How Science Can Support Recovery Planning Dr. Eric Bjorkstedt, Research Fisheries Biologist, NOAA Fisheries, Santa Cruz Laboratory

12:10-1:15 p.m. LUNCH (on your own)

1:15-1:50 p.m. To Recover the Salmon: Conservation Options Under the Endangered Species Act Miles Croom, Recovery Coordinator, National Marine Fisheries Service, Southwest Region

1:50-1:55 p.m. Perspectives from Various User Groups
Moderator: Jeff Almquist, Supervisor, County of Santa Cruz

1:55-2:05 p.m. Mike Stiller, President, Santa Cruz Commercial Fisherman's Association

2:05-2:15 p.m. Craig Bell, Northern Association of River Guides

2:15-2:25 p.m. Bud McCrary, Big Creek Lumber

2:25-2:35 p.m. Gary Patton, Executive Director, LandWatch Monterey County

2:35-2:45 p.m. Tim Frahm, Conservation & Water Quality Program Director, San Mateo County Farm Bureau

2:45-2:55 p.m. Karen Christensen, Watershed Program Director, Santa Cruz County Resource Conservation District

2:55-3:05 p.m. Allen Smith, Chairman of the Board, Monterey Bay Salmon and Trout Program

3:05-4:00p.m. PANEL DISCUSSION with Above Speakers

Saturday, March 17 Hear from fisheries experts—scientists, managers, conservationists and fishing representatives as they discuss marine fisheries conservation and management issues in the Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary.

8:00-8:45 a.m. REGISTRATION This is a free event. No pre-registration is necessary.

9:00-9:05 a.m. WELCOME Stephanie Harlan, Boardmember, Association of Monterey Bay Area Governments; Councilmember, City of Capitola; Chair, Sanctuary Advisory Council and William J. Douros, Superintendent, Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary

9:05-10:30 a.m. SESSION I

Fisheries Conservation in Monterey Bay: What Have We Learned from the Salmon? Miles Croom, Recovery Coordinator, National Marine Fisheries Service, Southwest Region

Coastal Pelagic Species: Where Are They All Coming From?
Dr. Kevin Hill, Senior Marine Biologist, California Department of Fish and Game

Overfished Groundfish and the Sustainable Fisheries Act
Dr. Steve Ralston, Research Fisheries Biologist, National Marine Fisheries Service, Southwest Fisheries Science Center, Santa Cruz Laboratory

Toward a New Ocean Wilderness: Bring Back the Fish
Richard Charter, Marine Conservation Advocate, Environmental Defense

10:30-10:45 a.m. BREAK

10:45-12:15 p.m. SESSION II

Federal Fishery Management: The Challenge of Litigation
Dr. Rebecca Lent, Regional Administrator, National Marine Fisheries Service, Southwest Region

Changes in Management Strategies for California's Fisheries
Patricia Wolf, Regional Manager, Marine Region, California Department of Fish and Game

A Vision for Sustainable Fisheries Along the California Coast:
Protecting Habitats for Fish and Humans
Pietro Parravano, President, Pacific Coast Federation of Fishermen's Association

Now and the Future of Recreational Fishing
Bob Strickland, President, United Anglers of California

12:15-2:30 p.m. LUNCH (on your own), POSTERS AND EXHIBITS

2:30-3:15 p.m. RICKETTS MEMORIAL LECTURE

A Local Story: Harmful Algae in Monterey Bay?
Dr. Mary Silver, Professor of Ocean Sciences, Ocean Sciences Department, University of California, Santa Cruz

3:30-4:30 p.m. SANCTUARY AWARDS AND RECEPTION

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One Golf Course Road, Monterey

DIRECTIONS

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Exit at Del Monte/Pacific Grove, turn left on Sloat (third stoplight) and go until it ends at a stoplight (entrance to the Hyatt).

From Highway 1 south
Exit on Aguajito, turn right at the second stoplight (entrance to the Hyatt).

From Highway 68 Salinas
Turn right on Olmstead Road (to the Monterey Airport), then left on Garden Road and left on Mark Thomas Dr. Turn left at the next stoplight (entrance to the Hyatt).
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