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**Top Photo: Posted April 25, 2012.** Hi Noel, Trip was fantastic :). Floated the Kitimat several times and took a boat throughout the Kalum and Nass river systems. I managed to hook into a few Steelhead and several Trout. I have attached a picture of my Steelhead I landed on the second day out on the Kitimat :). Already looking forward to heading back for the fall Steelhead run. Thank you for your time. Amber Serbin, Edmonton AB

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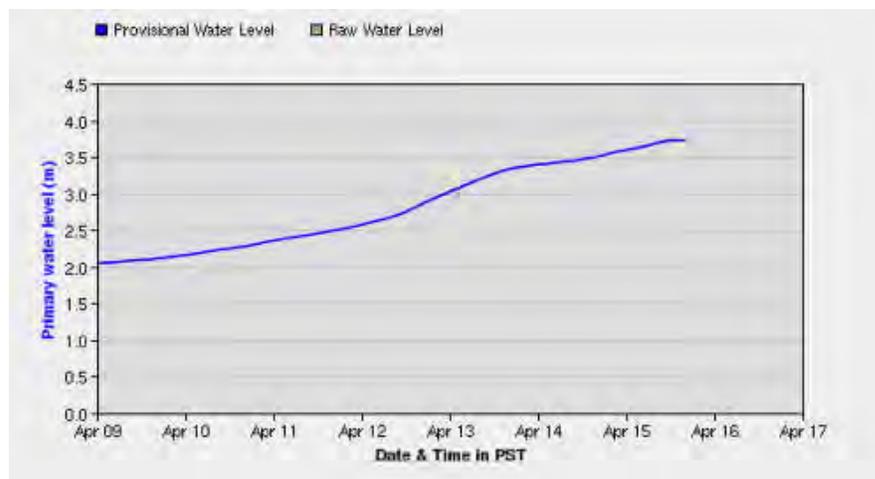
**Commentary:** Wind: SW 7km/h light rain showers (+8 degrees C) Good runs of Steelhead are noted...plus good local Trout and Dolly Varden Char fishing. Early run of Chinook Salmon has started, mostly bound for the Kalum River. The earliest we ever caught one was April 5th. We have lots of rain right now which has caused some rivers to blow out. See below for which ones. **Update:** **FOR SALE** fish guiding operation Terrace and Kitimat areas. See [Market Place](#) section below. **Update:** **Product Profile: Gibbs/Delta** <http://www.gibbsdelta.com/> **Click on the photo for a larger size.** **Update:** for Skeena and Kalum Rivers. **Update:** **New Top Photo** posted April 25/12. To see past **Top Photos** scroll down to the **Past Top Photos** section. **Update:** Noel Gyger **YouTube** videos have received over 635,200 views. **Update:** the **FULL monthly report for March 2012** is posted. **Update:** **Great Pacific Salmon Lodge** now offer self guided fishermen. Scroll down to their section for more details. **Update:** The **BEST** place to stay and fish in Terrace BC is the **New Remo Bed & Breakfast**. **Update:** **Alexandra Morton** re We have sent an application to the Cohen Commission to reopen the inquiry. **Update:** **Rob Brown** article titled "Dolly death". **Update:** **Robin Rowland** re **Alert** Conservatives put environmental, fisheries changes into budget omnibus bill. More updates should come in as the day moves on. Cast on link to send me your [fishing report](#) or [feedback](#). Or phone **250-635-2568**, if I am not available leave your report on my answering machine. **Scroll down to read ALL the Current updates in Red highlighted in Yellow**  
**The most up-to-date reports are DATE STAMPED** (Example: **Tue July 11/11**) **So when you scroll through the report look for these markers.**

**Mon April 30/12 5:10am**

### **Skeena River:**

Water is dirty around. Apparently the Bulkley River and other tribs are coloured up. The spring run Steelhead are in the river now. Plus Trout and Dolly Varden Char. Early Chinook (King) Salmon are coming in now. Catching Steelhead and Chinook on the same day is possible. Just need some clean water to get at them. **Reg:** all wild Steelhead everywhere in British Columbia are catch and release. I suggest the fishing rod be a [GLoomis](#) STR 1265c/10'6" MED-HEAVY Moderate Action (GL 2 8-17lb – 3/8 to 1 oz.). Reel [Shimano](#) Calcutta (400B) filled with 20lb test [Maxima](#) mono. [Gibbs](#) makes some great floats. Be sure to use a [Gamakatsu](#) hook

**Mon April 16/12 5:10am Skeena River heights below:**



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- Skeena-Kitimat Summer Chinook ~ Jun 24-30 ~ 4 spots available
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- Skeena Camp Summer Steelhead & Salmon I ~ Aug 19-25 ~ 3 spots available
- Skeena Camp Summer Steelhead & Salmon II ~ Aug 26-Sep 1 ~ 2 spots available
- Sustut River "Steelhead & Bamboo Week" (Bob Clay co-host) ~ Sep 1-8 ~ 4 spots available
- Deschutes River Steelhead ~ Sep 10-13 ~ 3 spots available
- Kamchatka Steelhead Project ~ Sep 19-30 ~ please inquire
- Skeena Fall Steelhead ~ Sep 23-29 ~ full
- Deschutes River Steelhead ~ Oct 22-25 ~ availability tba
- John Day River Steelhead ~ dates and availability tba

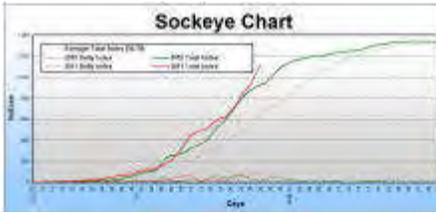
If you are interested in any of the above trips please [contact Noel Gyger](#) anytime



**LAST UPDATE:** Sat September 24/11 **Cast on PDF links for current view of Charts**

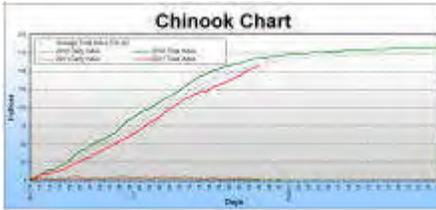
**Note:** Tye Test Fishery is shut down for this year.

## Sockeye Charts



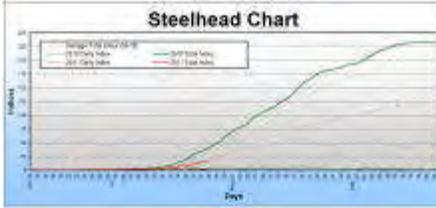
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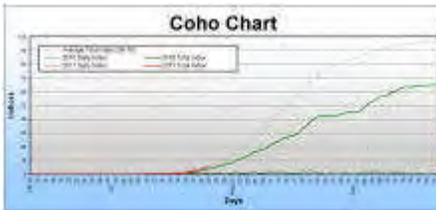
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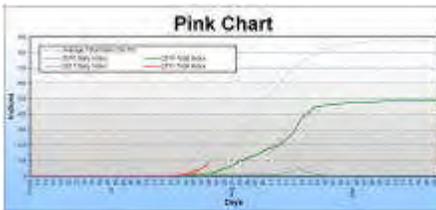
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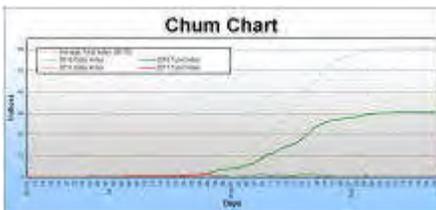
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**Mon April 30/12 5:10am**

### **Kalum River:**

Water in good shape despite the rain we are having. A good run of Steelhead are in the river now. The lower and upper end are in good shape. The water is coming up slowly. This is the condition we like. Fresh spring run Steelhead are in the river now mixed in with the fall and summer-runs from last year. Chinook (King) Salmon are coming in now. We have caught them in early April. Anytime now we should be able to catch Steelhead and Chinook in the same day. Wow is this fun or what! **How to:** This is a good river to float fish a Pink Worm or Gooley Bob. I suggest the fishing rod be a [GLoomis](#) STR 1265c/10'6" MED-HEAVY Moderate Action (GL 2 8-17lb – 3/8 to 1 oz.). Reel [Shimano](#) Calcutta (400B) filled with 20lb test [Maxima](#) mono. [Gibbs](#) makes some great floats. Be sure to use a [Gamakatsu](#) hook. **Fly fishing suggestion:** [Kamloops Dragon fly rod](#), [10' Kamloops fly reel](#), AFTMA #8line. Backing [Dragon Fly](#) "Bright Orange" 30lb, 150 yard spool. Fly line [SA Sharkskin](#) Steelhead WF-8-F.

**Sat April 21/12 5:10am**



Hi Noel, [Kalum River Lodge's](#) Steelhead season is now underway with our first guests arriving last week. Here is a photo of Jason holding up a fresh Kalum River Steelhead. Jason and his partner Tracy hooked several fish and plan on returning next year for some more early season action. Best regards, Andrew Rushton [Kalum River Lodge](#)



Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#) reports catching 6 Steelhead in two days of guiding. The pic above is Mike Ditolla from California. Fishing and weather have been outstanding.

## **Lakelse River:**

**Thu April 26/12 5:10am**



Dennis Therrien and his fly fishing buddy Willie McCleary were very successful fishing for Cutthroat Trout this week. Here is a neat under water shot. Photo by Dennis Therrien

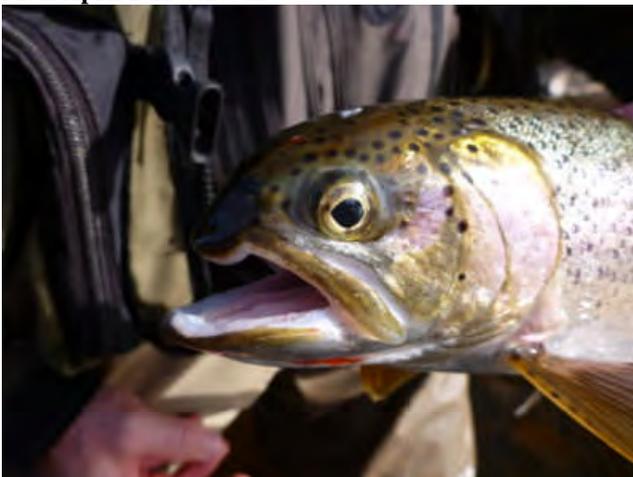
**Mon April 2/12 5:10am**



Steelhead just before release. Photo by Dennis Therrien

The water is clean and fishing for Steelhead and Trout is excellent!

**Mon April 2/12 5:10am**



If you catch a fish with this deformity [please let me know](#).

**Backgrounder:**

Hi Dana, please find attached two fish pics. I thought you'd be interested seeing these pics. My son-in-law Dennis Therrien caught and released this fish (Cutthroat) on the Lakelse River today. He was wondering if this is an injury or a biological defect? He caught fish that looked this way in the past...but this is the first time he got a pic. Please get back to us with your thoughts. Thanks. Best regards, Noel Gyger

Hi Noel, Dana Atagi asked if I could get back to you with regard to the cutthroat Dennis Therrien caught on the Lakelse River last week. Upper (and lower) jaw deformities, also known as pugnose, are seen at relatively low levels in many populations of fish. Research on the subject identifies that the deformity usually remains at low levels and doesn't expand within the population. The deformity exists throughout early development and it often becomes more visible at the fry stage and then develops at varying degrees with age. In most cases it isn't observed by humans until the fish gets larger and enters the fishery. In extreme cases the deformity can interfere with the uptake of feed and those fish often don't survive to maturity to pass on the genetic trait. This is likely why the incidence of pugnose in the wild is not that high. In other less severe deformity cases (such as the one your son in law caught) the fish are able to adapt, feed and spawn normally and will likely pass on this genetic trait. It seems like most of the science around the pugnose deformity (and many other genetic deformities in fish) has come from the fish farming industry and hatchery research. In these cases juveniles are able to survive at higher levels with the deformity due to their more hospitable man made environments.

Without seeing the fish there is a possibility that the deformity could have been caused by something else such as an early aged hooking injury. This can sometimes cause abnormal jaw, operculum or cranial growth as the fish grows. I'm guessing that's not the case from your photo. I have seen similar upper jaw deformities in coho from the Kitimat and Nass rivers.

Thanks for passing this information along and I will place it in our Lakelse River file for future reference. Please let me know if you catch any additional fish with pugnose on your fishing adventures.

Cheers, Jeff

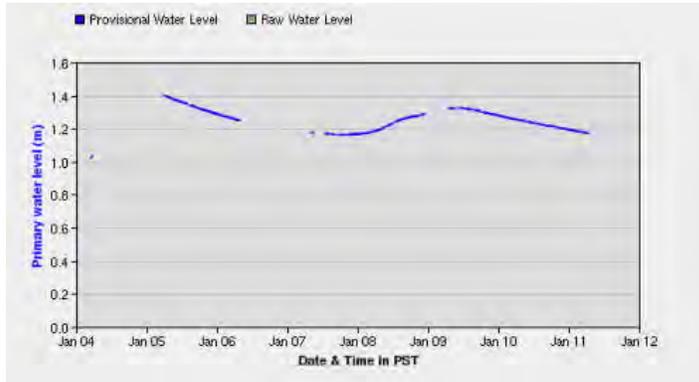
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**Wed April 18/12 5:10am**

**Zymoetz (Copper) River:**

Water is dirty from the snow melt off and steady rain. **Facts:** Last year we had a record run of Steelhead, lets hope at least we have another good run this year. The fly rods work extremely well in this river. **Fly fishing suggestion:** [Kamloops Dragon fly rod](#), [10' Kamloops fly reel](#), AFTMA #8line. Backing [Dragon Fly](#) "Bright Orange" 30lb, 150 yard spool. Fly line [SA Sharkskin](#) Steelhead WF-8-F. **Where:** Sockeye fishermen are working the bars across from the Copper River. Fly fishing is the choice of many anglers on this river. Wading with quality [Simms](#) waders and accessories is the way to go. A friend of mine is very happy with his new [Islander](#) fly reel. [Trophy XL](#) fly rod, [Cortland Line](#) and [Maxima Tippet](#). **Tip:** Fly fishermen please wade safely by using a wading staff. [Trophy XL](#) makes a nice one in 7 sections. Easily folds up and stores in a pouch on the waist.

**Thu January 12/12 5:10am** Zymoetz (Copper) River heights below:



Direct Link to Zymoetz (Copper) River water heights:

[http://www.wateroffice.ec.gc.ca/graph/graph\\_e.html?stn=08EF005](http://www.wateroffice.ec.gc.ca/graph/graph_e.html?stn=08EF005)

### **Kitimat River:**

**Sat April 21/12 5:10am**

The Kitimat River has been producing Trout for most of this Spring and this week there have been many reports of Steelhead caught.

Steelhead season has finally arrived after one of the most gruelling winters in recent history many anglers are venturing out to catch the elusive Kitimat River Steelhead.

Most drifters are fishing the Kitimat with Pontoon boats or inflatable rafts. Most launch sites are still snow in. **Radley Park** is open for take outs. For up to date info please contact Ron or the staff at **City Centre Hardware and Sporting Goods**. 250 632 3522. [wakita@telus.net](mailto:wakita@telus.net)

**Mon April 16/12 5:30am**

Kitimat River: Water is on the rise and is borderline fishable. So far, a good run of spring Steelhead are coming into the river. Let us hope the run is strong this year.

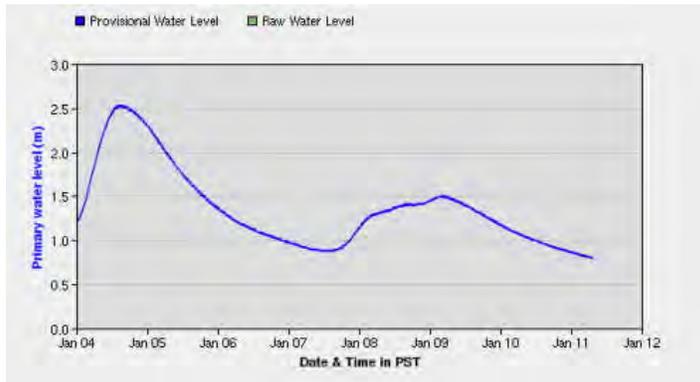
**Sat April 7/12 5:10am**



My twin brother, Rick and I had the pleasure of fishing with my cousin, Nioami from Salmon Arm and my cousin, Gord from Kelowna on Saturday afternoon. It was a bright sunny day and we managed to catch a couple of Trout. This is Nioamis first fish. It was not the Steelhead we were looking for but Nioami was very happy. Congratulations Cuz.

**Report from:** Ron Wakita of [Reliable Guide and Charters](#) and **Home Hardware Tackle Shop** - Kitimat's largest **Tackle Shop**. Stop by for all your fishing needs...our staff is very helpful!

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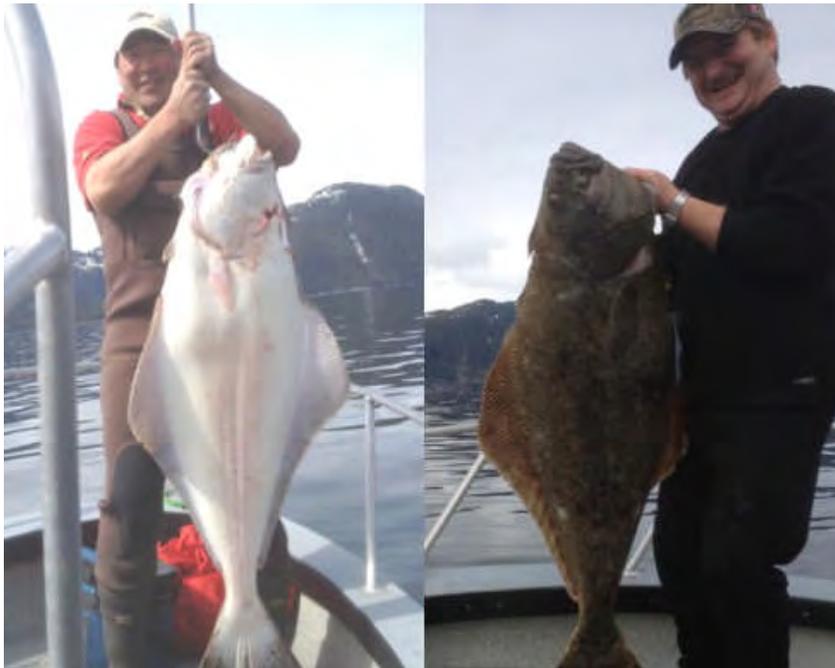


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## **Douglas Channel:**

**Sat April 21/12 5:10am**



Saltwater boaters are also shedding the effects of "Cabin Fever" and are heading out to harvest the stock abundance of the Douglas Channel. Halibut, Bottom fish, Dungeness Crab, King Crab and the odd winter Chinook are the targets this time of year.

**April 14:** I had the pleasure of fishing with my good friend Dale Barge. We landed 2 Halibut, one was 55lbs and the other was just over 60lbs. I was using a [Gibbs spreader bar](#) and Dale was using a 5" **Buzz Bomb**. Dale has perfected a technique that is unique and effective. Well done Dale and Thanks for sharing an awesome day on the Douglas Channel.

Mother Nature provided us with flat calm water, blue sky and sunshine. The Fish gods smiled on us with 2 Halibut and we harvested a bunch of Dungeness Crab. Wow!

We are truly blessed to live in the Northwest..



**April 14 - 15:** My neighbour, Dean fishing with his good friend Nelso Peirera harvested 8 King Crab on the weekend. Dean commented that " it took a while to find them but once we got dialed in, we caught a bunch". Dean also said "there were lots of small ones and one huge one that fell off the hoop right at the boat". Well done Dean and Nelson. Congratulations!

Thank You to everyone for providing info and photos to this Fishing Report.

Any anglers wishing to book a Kitimat Driftboat trip, a Saltwater Charter or a Jetboat Trip.

[Reliable Guide and Charters](#) is offering a Special rate for this weekend, please contact Ron Wakita [wakita@telus.net](mailto:wakita@telus.net) for details.

Good Health and Good Fishing!

Sincerely, Ron Wakita

**Thu April 26/12 5:10am**



Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#) and his guests easily landed their limits of Dungeness Crab while fishing down the Douglas Channel this week!

## **Prince Rupert Ocean Fishing:**

**Wed March 7/11 5:10am**

Report by Jeff Carlson

Once again you can tell when the new fishing season is about to start. All you have to do is take a drive along the Skeena River between February 25th and March 25th. The seagulls and eagles are starting to head up river in great numbers not to mention the sea lions as well. They are all after the eulachon which spawn this time of year. The Chinook salmon and Halibut also favour the eulachon which draws the fish to the inshore waters of the Prince Rupert area. It's time to dust off your gear and head out for some fun on the water.

There have been numerous reports of Chinook being caught in the Humpback Bay area, some in the 25lb range. With the halibut opening as of March 1<sup>st</sup>, there are more fishermen getting out on the water, in spite of the recent winter weather.

Tight Lines and be safe on the water

Jeff Carlson

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**Wed February 29/12 5:10am**

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### **Past Top Photos:**



**Posted April 21 to April 25, 2012.** Ron Wakita with a nice catch of Dungeness Crab down the Douglas Channel. **Pass the garlic butter please!** Ron and his family own the biggest and best **Tackle Shop** in Kitimat BC. Ron also operates [Reliable Guide and Charters](#) for both river and ocean fishing. Need a guide or you are a "do it yourselfer" [contact Ron](#) anytime for the best advise. Photo by Dale Barge. **Cast on photo for larger size**



**Posted April 14 to April 21, 2012.** Mike Ditolla from California, USA is a guest of Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#) and reports catching 6 Steelhead in two days of guiding. Fishing and weather have been outstanding! For info to book a guided fishing trip to try and catch a fish like this please [contact me anytime](#). **Cast on the photo for a larger size. See you soon!**



**Posted April 7 to April 15, 2012.** Darren Bisson with a beautiful Skeena River trib Buck Steelhead. Darren is an **Assistant Angling Guide (AAG)** for Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#). If you would like to be guided by Darren [contact me](#) right away. Darren is one of the BEST angling guides I know.



**Posted April 1 to April 7, 2012.** Local fly fisherman Willie McCleary with a doe Steelhead landed yesterday  
March 31, 2012. Photo by Dennis Therrien



**Posted March 23 to April 1, 2012.** Ariel Koppers with a beautiful Skeena River trib Doe Steelhead landed with Spey fly rod last winter. Ariel is an **Assistant Angling Guide** (AAG) for Tracey Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#). If you would like to be guided by Ariel [contact me](#) right away. Ariel is one of the BEST angling guides I know. [Cast on pic for larger view](#).

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**Mon April 30/12 5:10am**

**NEW** for the self guided:

Hi Noel, I just got off the phone with **Dundas 101**. It's a bit of a floating motel located on Dundas Island NW of Prince Rupert.

They will not be opening in 2012.

This is going to have a major influence on those folks that drive out and fish their own boat while staying with Dundas 101.

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If you have bookings with **Dundas 101**. I would suggest we talk as soon as possible in order to take care of your needs. Any available spots on the Island have or very soon will be taken up. Time is of the essence here in order to fish our area this summer.

Jamie Hunt

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A few pics of our lodge and some great fishing. To see all latest pics just cast to this link:

<http://smg.photobucket.com/albums/v718/JamieHunt/Salmon%20fishing%202011/>

Hey all. We just received this bit of press and I thought you would enjoy reading it:

## Great Pacific Adventure

By T.J. Schwanky

There are many towns and cities across British Columbia that claim to be the salmon capital of the world but I'm not sure you'd find a place more deserving than Prince Rupert. This quaint little coastal town has been the hub of salmon fishing activity since the late 1800s when countless commercial canneries dotted the nearby shorelines. While a profitable commercial fishery still exists in the region, it's sport fishing now, however, that brings most fishermen to Prince Rupert. For some reason, I'd never fished this region so when SCI supporter, Jamie Hunt of Great



Pacific Salmon Lodge suggested we come up and check out his new lodge, Vanessa and I jumped at the opportunity. We managed to talk a few friends into joining us and Jamie gave us a run of the lodge. We'd be his only guests for four days.

Vanessa and I arrived a day early which gave us the opportunity to check out the town and enjoy some of the local fare. Right

along the waterfront adjacent to our hotel was the Cow Bay Shopping District. This historic part of town offers a number of great shops and fabulous restaurants; the highlight of which was dinner at the Cow Bay Café. This tiny little restaurant is world renowned for their fusion cuisine and reservations are an absolute must. The town is also rife with totem poles and being real fans of these Native monuments, Vanessa and I took a few hours to go check them out. Many were brought over from Vancouver Island and the Queen Charlottes many years ago and they are unquestionably some of the most incredible totem



poles I've ever seen.

Spending a day in town was a great way to acclimate to the West Coast pace but we were ready to go fishing the following day. Great Pacific Salmon Lodge is the only lodge right in Prince Rupert. It is located on a sleepy little island directly across from town so despite Prince Rupert only being a few minute boat ride away, you still feel like you are in a wilderness setting. The lodge itself is a converted house and it offers all of the amenities, including a chef that offers up some of the most incredible West Coast cuisine. Jamie has a fleet of three well-appointed boats with guides and also offers a service for anglers wishing to utilize their own boats and fish on their own.

The first day found us heading north for a couple of hours and as we rounded the corner of a particularly rocky point, our guide, Matt Anderson, pointed to a steep rock wall. "We'll start there."

Matt worked quickly to set up a couple rods with cut-plug herring and in no time both downrigger cibles were singing in the morning breeze. We were right at the tail end of the

**To read to full article in a clearer PDF file just cast here:**

<http://www.noelgyger.ca/images/great-pacific-adventure.pdf>

Bookings are moving very fast for 2012, I am sure this is just going to speed things up. We still have some great booking days available. Call me ASAP to make sure you get the dates you need.

**Mon March 19/12 5:10am**

 **Jamie Hunt via Great Pacific Salmon Lodge**  
A little video of our Lodge. Make sure you pick up the fishing issue of Outdoor Canada for a great story wrote by Patrick

 **Operation Tye: The Movie – Outdoor Canada**  
outdoorcanada.ca  
Down below is a video teaser for my adventure travel feature "Operation Tye," which appears in the Fishing 2012 issue of Outdoor Canada magazine (on newsstands February 6). Many of the images shown here do not appear in the print article. The following events took place July 17 to 19 in Chatham Sou...

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**Feel free to call me directly, I look forward to talking with you soon. 403-813-2704**

Sincerely **"This is where YOUR Adventure begins"**

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Sat March 24/12 5:10am

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## **Robin Rowland** - Visual Journalism and Editorial

Robin Rowland, the editor and publisher of **Northwest Coast Energy News**, first encountered the northern British Columbia wilderness as a toddler on the shores of Ootsa Lake. After a short time in Vancouver, his family moved to Kitimat, where his father Fred, was the assistant property manager for Alcan. For the first two years, the family lived in the old Smeltersite (where from time to time his father would go fishing with others with Haisla guides on Douglas Channel and take the kid along). After that the Rowland family moved to main the Kitimat townsite. After seven years in Kitimat, the family moved to Toronto where Fred Rowland joined the development department of the booming city. Robin attended York University and then studied journalism at Carleton. He worked as a reporter photographer for the *Sudbury Star* and later was hired by CBC News, where he would work for most of his career (with gaps for travel, book writing and six years at CTV News). In 1996, he joined the new CBC news online division. In 1998, he was named web producer for The National and in 2003 became photo editor for CBC News. In 2010, Robin decided to take early retirement and return to northern British Columbia to pursue his interests in photography and writing.

Robin is co-author with James Dubro of *King of the Bootleggers*, about organized crime during the Prohibition era and a follow-up. *Undercover Cases of the RCMP's Most Secret Operative*. In 1995, Rowland co-wrote, with Dave Kinnaman, of Washington State, the first book on how to do research on the Internet. In 2000. Robin wrote *The Creative Guide to Research*. His latest book, published in 2008 is *A River Kwai Story: The Sonkrai Tribunal*.

He founded Northwest Coast Energy News in 2011 as an independent, neutral news website covering all aspects of the environmental and energy issues facing northwest British Columbia from the perspective of the northwest.

Robin also continues to freelance for major media, including CBC News and the Canadian Press picture service. As a freelance photographer he is available for editorial, wilderness and commercial assignments throughout the northwest region. His long term aim over the next couple of years is to launch a professional photo workshop business to bring more tourists to the northwest. Contact info:

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**Mon April 30/12 5:10am**

[Conservatives put environmental, fisheries changes into budget omnibus bill](#)

As feared by the Opposition, the Harper Conservatives have put the changes fast tracking resource projects and down grading the environment into the Budget Implementation Act, meaning that there will be no constructive debate on the elements of changes to environmental assessment and fisheries.

**Fri April 27/12 5:10am**

[The Murdoch inquiry's lessons for the Northern Gateway Joint Review Panel](#)

The members of the Northern Gateway Joint Review panel and Stephen Harper's cabinet, especially Natural Resources Minister Joe Oliver, should take a lesson from the Mother of Parliaments at Westminster and today's parliamentary debate on the Leveson inquiry into the phone hacking scandal centered around Rupert Murdoch's News International.

So what is the connection between Rupert Murdoch and the Northern Gateway Joint Review Panel? Simple. The debate in the UK House of Commons on Wednesday, April 25, 2012, was all about inappropriate political interference in a "quasi-judicial" proceeding.

**Wed April 25/12 5:10am**

[Government move has "utterly destroyed" JRP, no excuse to wait for final report on Gateway, Cullen says](#)

The Northern Gateway Joint Review process has been "utterly destroyed" by the Conservative government, Skeena Bulkley Valley NDP MP Nathan Cullen told reporters Friday, April 20, adding a warning those who were waiting for the JRP to complete its hearings before making up their minds, "all those people like the premier and others who said there's a good process in place, that excuse has been ripped away."

[Cullen to Northern Gateway Joint Review panel, can you justify your existence?](#)

The members of the Northern Gateway Joint Review must now justify their jobs and the existence of the panel, now that the government will likely overrule any recommendations they make about the controversial pipeline, Nathan Cullen, NDP House Leader and MP for Skeena Bulkley Valley said Friday, April 20.

Slideshow: "Our Coast Our Decision"

[Hundreds protest in Victoria to stop the Northern Gateway pipeline and to protect "Mother Earth"](#)

About a thousand people gathered in front of the British Columbia legislature on Sunday, April 12, 2012, for the Day of Action Against the Northern Gateway pipeline

[Government minders watch scientists](#)

**Thu April 12/12 5:30am**

[Reports say Shell near deal for Kitimat LNG project](#), as Oliver approves BC LNG

The Minister of Natural Resources, Joe Oliver, has confirmed the approval of the 20 year export licence for the BC LNG Export Cooperative. The National Energy Board had approved the licence in February.

Meanwhile, Reuters quoting the Japanese Nikkei, reported that Royal Dutch Shell together with Mitsubishi Corp, China National Petroleum Corp and Korea Gas Corp are in the final stages of negotiations to build a US\$12.35-billion liquefied natural gas (LNG) terminal at Kitimat.

**Wed April 11/12 9:30am**

[Letting salmon escape from nets could benefit grizzly bears](#) and even the fishers, study says

A new study suggests that the health of the grizzly bear population is also a strong indicator of the health of Pacific salmon—and perhaps surprisingly, allowing grizzlies to consume more salmon will, in the long term, lead to more, not less, salmon

**Sat April 7/12 5:10am**

[Nuxalk First Nation withdraws as Joint Review intervenor](#), Heiltsuk hearings end with more controversy

The Nuxalk First Nation at Bella Coola has withdrawn from the Enbridge Northern Gateway Joint Review process. Both the hereditary chiefs and elders and the elected council say the federal government “has already predetermined its approval of the project.”

[Alberta Oil magazine describes Kitimat LNG](#) projects as high stakes poker

In the past few days, Alberta Oil magazine has published a series of articles on the Kitimat LNG projects, describing the projects as a high stakes poker game.

**Fri April 6/12 5:10am**

[Rena breaks up off New Zealand, leaks more oil, while in Wales](#), winter storm drives freighter aground, again spilling oil

[Wildrose tweet brings anti-Kitimat “birther” argument](#) to Alberta election. In an example of how nasty American politics is infecting the Alberta provincial election, an anonymous Twitter account that apparently promotes the Wildrose party has brought the American “birther”

argument into the campaign.

The badly written, poorly spelled, Tweet showed up on this morning’s Kitimat Twitter search feed. It implies that Alison Redford will not be a good premier for the province because she was born in Kitimat.

[Kitimat council calls on Joint Review Panel](#), Enbridge to ensure viability of town water supply.

District of Kitimat council voted on Monday, April 2, to ask the Northern Gateway Joint Review Panel to ensure that the town’s water supply is protected if the controversial pipeline is built. A second motion called on Enbridge to give the district a detailed and public presentation on its provisions to protect the water supply in the case of a pipeline breach along the Kitimat River.

**Tue April 3/12 5:10am**

[Cut back on taking “forage fish” to save salmon and halibut](#), scientists recommend

A group of international scientists is recommending that fishing for what they call “forage fish,” including herring and anchovy, should be cut in half around the world to help save larger prey species like halibut and salmon.

[Editorial: Pipeline politics are now hyperlocal](#). Government and energy companies must deal with it.

And In the news latest headlines on Northern Gateway, LNG and the ghost ship

**Tue April 3/12 5:10am**

[PetroChina bids to build Northern Gateway: National Post](#)

The National Post is reporting that PetroChina is bidding to build the Northern Gateway pipeline.

In PetroChina bids to help build \$5.5-billion Northern Gateway pipeline columnist Claudia Cattaneo says that

Chinese investment in Canada's energy sector could move to a new level if PetroChina wins a bid to build the controversial Northern Gateway oil sands pipeline.

The largest of China's three state-controlled oil companies has expressed an interest in building the \$5.5-billion project across the northern Canadian Rockies and is considering purchasing an equity stake, said Pat Daniel, president and CEO of proponent Enbridge Inc.

#### **Mon April 2/12 5:10am**

Conservatives to limit [time for environmental reviews](#), including Northern Gateway

The Conservative government is taking aim at environmental reviews of major resource projects and will impose time limits on those reviews from 12 to 24 months.

In a briefing in the Ottawa budget lockup, Finance Minister Jim Flaherty said, "The new timelines will apply to the Northern Gateway Pipeline."

Currently, major resource projects can take as long six years to approve. Under the new rules the whole process will take no more than 24 months. Rosemary Barton of CBC said on air that the Gateway project will be now limited to 18 months, but there were no details when the 18 month limit actually starts.

Skeena Bulkley Valley NDP MP Nathan Cullen called the new limits "a rubber stamp that is not good for business or the environment," noting that one major oil spill would wipe out any savings for government and industry for decades."

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### **Conservation**

#### **Mon April 30/12 5:10am**

Hello, We have sent an application to the Cohen Commission to reopen the inquiry into the decline of the Fraser sockeye to hear all the evidence about the Norwegian salmon heart virus that we are finding in farm salmon in supermarkets in Vancouver and Victoria. [alexandramorton.typepad.com](http://alexandramorton.typepad.com)

It is NOT acceptable that DFO is saying their scientists can't find it, when in fact one of their scientists *has found it* in Fraser sockeye and farm salmon.

It is shameful that the BC Salmon Farmers are saying they don't see it in their fish, when the Provincial vet examining their fish says it is common... but he never told the Cohen Commission into the decline of the Fraser sockeye about this virus ... even though up to 90% of some Fraser sockeye runs are dying as they fight their way upstream.... a weak heart in a fish trying to power its way through Hells Gate is going to be lethal.

Why didn't Justice Cohen hear from the Province of BC that they found it 75% of farm salmon in 2010?  
[Watch video](#)

Also, this weekend the [Globe and Mail ran a profile](#) on me for Earth Day.

Thank you Mark Hume for the kind words. Alex

[CBC News posted an article related to above, please read](#)

#### **Sun April 15/12 5:10am**

Hello, In 1991, Pat Chamut Director General of DFO Pacific Region said:

*“Continued large-scale introductions from areas of the world including Washington State, Scotland, Norway and even eastern Canada would **eventually result in the introduction of exotic disease agents** of which the potential impact on both cultured and wild salmonids in BC could be both biologically damaging to the resource and economically devastating to its user groups” (Chamut former ADM, DFO, to Sarna, Director of Pacific Rim & Trade, Policy Division, International Directories, DFO, 1990)*

He was right, but he was powerless as DFO is today to stop this runaway assault on wild salmon. I cannot figure out why government would do this to us, to their own families and our future.

Please see my [blog](#) for information on yet another apparently Norwegian virus that we found in Atlantic farm salmon in supermarkets. This one weakens the fish's heart - how is a sockeye supposed to travel 800 km against the Fraser River with a virus attacking their heart muscle? Is this why so many salmon are dying en route to their spawning grounds?

How is it no one knew about this during the Cohen Inquiry? Is government and industry blind to this disease? Or do they know it is here and just don't care?

Please consider emailing Premier [Christy Clark](#) to demand to know which of the Provincial [Licences of Occupation](#) these supermarket fish came from, so we can go there and see how this is spreading to wild salmon. DFO's own lab reported this disease at Cohen, but apparently they ignored their own lab and clearly nothing has been done because the supermarkets are stocked with fish carrying this virus. There are no bio-security warnings posted on them so every time someone washes these things before cooking and eating the virus is flowing down the drain into the ocean.

Sorry to continue with the bad news,

Alexandra Morton and the other three women with shopping carts, Nicole MacKay, Anissa Reed, Sabra Woodworth

“Attention to biosecurity in this case was also important to help limit spread to adjacent sites, as HSMI has been spreading throughout the Norwegian salmon farming industry. At a time when humans are being encouraged to eat fish to help combat a range of conditions including coronary disease, it seems somewhat ironic that heart disease seems to be such a problem in the fish themselves” ([Ferguson et al 2005, 28](#))

**Thu April 12/12 5:10am**

Hello, With a team of dedicated volunteers and the donations you have sent we are continuing to test for ISA virus in BC. The lab passed a detection milestone last week, sequencing a known strain of ISA virus from a Vedder chum salmon and finding a type of ISA virus that was involved in the 2007-2009 Chilean epidemic in an Atlantic salmon head purchased in a Vancouver supermarket. This does not mean these BC viruses are related to those strains, only that they have the same structure, the same mutation.

Details can be found at: <http://alexandramorton.typepad.com>

These findings raise more questions, we continue to work to make disease in farm salmon public as I believe this is the only way forward.

Difficult times,

Alexandra Morton

**Tue April 10/12 9:10am**

From [TheCanadian.org](http://TheCanadian.org): Harper Budget's Assault on Environment / Videos from Bella Bella, Vancouver No Tanker Rally

**[Budget 2012: At Least the War on the Environment is Going Well](#) - by Mark Brooks**

Until this year, the purpose of the annual Canadian federal budget was to project government revenues, lay out spending priorities and forecast economic conditions for the upcoming year. Reading Budget 2012, announced last week by Finance Minister Jim Flaherty, it soon becomes clear that this government has no intention of being encumbered by pedestrian fiscal objectives. The Harper government has instead opted to present what is first and foremost a policy document - one that brazenly asserts the government's ideological agenda for the coming three years.

[Video: Respecting the Power of the Sea](#) - Testimony from Enbridge Hearings in Bella Bella Highlights from this week's National Energy Board hearings in Bella Bella on the proposed Enbridge Northern Gateway Pipeline and supertankers on BC's coast. Powerful testimony from three members of the Heiltsuk First Nation, sharing their experiences with the sea. "I'll never forget it," said Josh Vickers recounting to the NEB panel a memorable herring fishing trip as a boy. "We were coming back in 40 to 50 foot seas... Our boats were like corks going way up and way down. We couldn't even see each other - that's how violent and rough the sea was."

[Video: Vancouver Says No to Enbridge, Kinder Morgan Pipelines, Tankers](#)

Close to 2,000 people turned out on a rainy Monday afternoon in Vancouver last week to speak out against Tar Sands oil tankers on BC's coast. The occasion marked the 23rd anniversary of the disastrous Exxon Valdez Oil Spill. The crowd gathered at the Art Gallery to hear from guest speakers like 350.org's Bill McKibben and members of the Heiltsuk First Nation of Bella Bella, who co-organized the rally, along with ForestEthics and Greenpeace.

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**Wed April 4/12 5:10am**

[TheCanadian.org](#): Video - Cancelled Bella Bella Hearings Resume, Youth Embark on Hunger Strike / Rafe on Why Harper's Gutting of Environmental Laws is a Good Thing

**[Video: Cancelled Enbridge Hearings to Resume in Bella Bella, Youth Embark on Hunger Strike - by Damien Gillis](#)**

The Heiltsuk First Nation learned late Monday that scheduled National Energy Board hearings on the proposed Enbridge Northern Gateway Pipeline will resume Tuesday in Bella Bella, following their cancellation Monday in the wake of a peaceful demonstration to which the Joint Review Panel overreacted. Heiltsuk Chief Marilyn Slett is, however, concerned that the panel will not be adding extra hearing days to make up for Monday's lost testimony time. Meanwhile, students from the community embarked on a hunger strike to protest proposed oil supertankers which threaten their traditional marine food resources.

**[Why Harper's Gutting of Environmental Laws is a Good Thing - by Rafe Mair](#)**

I think the Harper budget is a plus for the environment. It comes in a way from a roundabout look at things. The government will take habitat protection out of the Fisheries Act and will put developments on a "fast track". Why is this good news? Because we now have it in writing what the bastards are up to! It really all comes down to the Environmental Assessment Hearings that are used to give the government the right to do that they intended to do all along. What they're supposed to do, of course, is make us all feel as if we've had input which, of course, we haven't and never will have.

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**Mon April 2/12 5:10am**



Dear friends,

We are pleased to share our most recent conservation victory with you. This week, Living Oceans announced an agreement with the bottom trawl fishery to significantly improve their impacts on ocean habitat. You can read more about how this fishery has agreed to protect corals, sponges [Oceans Update](#).

## **Rob Brown - The Skeena Angler**

I am honoured to have Rob contributing to my **Fishing Report**. Rob also contributes a weekly column to our local **Terrace Standard Newspaper**: [http://www.bclocalnews.com/bc\\_north/terracestandard](http://www.bclocalnews.com/bc_north/terracestandard)

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April 27\_2012 "**Dolly death**"

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**Thu April 12/12** 5:10am

April 11\_2012 "**Six pack**" Packs of wild dogs causing problem for anglers

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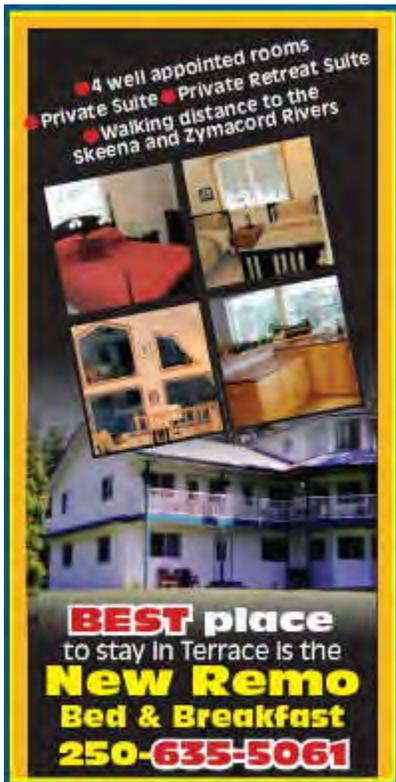
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