

Tracey John Hittel REPORTS for January 2019

**REPORT - Jan 15, 2019** from Tracey John Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#),

**LOOKING FORWARD to early spring fish guiding**



Each spring the Kitimat River receives its finest and freshest run of steelhead, this small non-motorized, rafting river is freestone and easy to wade.

We drift from pool to pool in 1-2 person rafts in search of the migrating grey ghost.

Spring steelhead arrive in March and when they enter the river they are hot to catch on the fly.

We recommend a 7 or 8wt single handed or switch rod with a 400-500grain line. Sink tips we recommend 10ft of T14 or Rio multi tip systems for different depths. A proper reel with lots of backing and a good drag system is recommend.

The Kitimat Steelhead like the shallow fast water and you can see them chasing your fly which makes for exciting fishing.

From beginner to seasoned fly anglers we make Kitimat our home river and very convenient for the Kitimat Lodge guests. Having our lodge located near the river is what draws Steelhead anglers to Kitimat.

Our local guides are born and raised on the river and can locate the elusive Steelhead while your take one of our many Steelhead tours.

Take the challenge and book for the month of April.

**[BOOK your trip NOW](#) don't be disappointed.**

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**Be part of the SEASON OPENER April 1st**



The Kalum is a tributary of the Skeena and is a river of amazing beauty, only a few of us have the opportunity to guide this river as it's classified.

The steelhead in this river are a mixture of summer, winter and spring steelhead. All by jetboat the Kalum is a Spey fisherman dream, with pools that not only look juicy they fish better.

Many big boulders make this river majestic and the Steelhead like to hide in behind them.

Not to mention the Chinook Salmon of immense size and quality will frequent during your trip. The season runs from April 1 to May 23. **BOOK your trip NOW don't be disappointed.**

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### **Looking forward to a fabulous fish guiding season**



During the spring season the Skeena River is quite low. The opportunity to hook numerous Steelhead is a great option as it's world famous and home to the record size Steelhead you see in many photographs.

Skeena tours are by Jetboat where we fish long runs which hold many Steelhead enroute to their tributaries of birth.

The mountains are painted with snow and the scenery and crisp mornings are a must.

Anglers can make their longest cast with a [Scandinavian line](#) with a light tip.

Again these Steelhead are fresh and hot and expect your reel to scream once you hookup.

March to May us your best chance and expect the start of the Chinook Salmon that come in May, these brutes top 20-40 pounds of pure silver so your gear has to be in top notch shape.

**BOOK your preferred dates NOW don't miss out!**

**REPORT - Jan 24, 2019** from Tracey John Hittel of [Kitimat Lodge](#).

### **Fishing BC presents another quality video:**



While you wait to find out what our next **FABULOUS** offer is, watch to find out what makes Kitimat magical. The fishing is spectacular and the scenery is incredible. We are talking here of both ocean (Douglas Channel) and all of the many, many rivers in northwest BC.

Cast on this [Facebook link](#) to watch this beautiful 4 minutes video.