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Fishing and Crabbing Seminar Line-Up Announced for 2017 Seattle Boat Show

*Learn how to, when to, and where to go fishing, crabbing and shrimping
from some of the best in the Northwest*

SEATTLE – The [Seattle Boat Show, Indoors + Afloat](#), is known far and wide for the quantity, quality and variety of its free seminars. For the 2016 show there will be more than 200 free seminars on everything from cruising to Alaska to diesel engine maintenance, and advanced seminars for a fee through Boat Show University. Specifically on the fishing stage, there will be nearly 60 free fishing and crabbing seminars by the Pacific Northwest's premier fishing experts. From Lake Washington's smorgasbord of freshwater species, to tuna off Washington's coast including a blitz of the most knowledgeable salmon fishing presenters ever assembled, anglers will hear from the best of the best. And don't overlook the outstanding crabbing and shrimping presentations. There is no better way for an angler to improve his or her success on the water than investing in an hour or two at one of the show's seminars. Whether it's learning to mooch, learning dirty downrigger techniques, mastering kayak fishing, or learning about San Juan Islands salmon secrets, the Seattle Boat Show is the place to be, Friday Jan. 27 through Saturday Feb. 4, 2017.

"One of the best values at the Seattle Boat Show are the free fishing seminars, featuring fishing gurus from the Pacific Northwest sharing their knowledge on tuna and salmon fishing, along with crabbing and shrimping in Puget Sound waters" says Tony Floor, director of fishing affairs for the Northwest Marine Trade Association. "I can't think of a better opportunity to improve anglers' skills anywhere for saltwater fishing, crabbing and shrimping than attending these outstanding seminars."

View the complete schedule of fishing and boating seminars at:
<http://www.seattleboatshow.com/seminars.html>

West Marine Northwest Salmon Derby Series

While at the show, stop by to view the grand prize for next year's West Marine Northwest Salmon Derby Series – a 22-foot welded aluminum Hewescraft Ocean Pro, powered with Honda 250 and 9.9 horsepower outboards on an EZ Loader galvanized tandem axel trailer, fully outfitted with Scotty downriggers, Raymarine electronics and a Dual Stereo system – an \$85,000 value.

When an angler purchases a derby ticket to any of the 16 derbies prior to the Everett Coho Derby, they are automatically entered the drawing for the grand prize boat, which will take place at the conclusion of the Everett Coho Derby Sept. 23-24, 2017. Everett Coho Derby participants are also entered the drawing. If an angler enters all 16 derbies, the angler's name will be entered 16 times into the drawing for the Grand Prize Boat. Purchase of a derby ticket is not required to win this boat and you do not need to catch a fish to be entered the drawing.

The 2017 West Marine Northwest Salmon Derby Series kicks off with the sold-out Roche Harbor Salmon Classic, Jan. 19-21, 2017 and concludes with Friday Harbor Salmon Classic, Dec. 1-3, 2017. <http://northwestsalmonderbyseries.com/>

2017 Seattle Boat Show Fishing Seminars

Friday, Jan. 27

2:00 PM	Successful Puget Sound Shrimping: TJ Nelson
3:00 PM	Dungeness Crabbing in Washington: Clyde McBrayer
4:00 PM	Fishing for San Juan Islands Chinook: TJ Nelson
5:00 PM	Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Gary Krein
6:00 PM	Dirty Downrigger Tricks: TJ Nelson
7:00 PM	Deep Water Chinook Fishing on the North Coast: Mike Jamboretz

Saturday, Jan. 28

12:00 PM	Saltwater Structure Strategies: TJ Nelson
1:00 PM	Dungeness Crabbing in Washington: Clyde McBrayer
2:00 PM	Successfully Fishing Lakes Washington/Sammamish Year Round: Mark Gavin
3:00 PM	Successful Puget Sound Shrimping: TJ Nelson
4:00 PM	Deep Water Chinook Fishing on the North Coast: Mike Jamboretz
5:00 PM	Lingcod Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Gary Krein

6:00 PM Dungeness Crabbing in Washington: Clyde McBrayer

Sunday, Jan. 29

1:00 PM Dirty Downrigger Tricks: TJ Nelson
2:00 PM Dungeness Crabbing in Washington: Clyde McBrayer
3:00 PM Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Nick Kester
4:00 PM Tuna Fishing off the Washington Coast: Tommy Donlin
5:00 PM Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Gary Krein

Monday, Jan. 30

2:00 PM Triple Threat Salmon Angling: TJ Nelson
3:00 PM Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Gary Krein
4:00 PM Saltwater Structure Strategies: TJ Nelson
5:00 PM Deep Water Chinook Fishing on the North Coast: Mike Jamboretz
6:00 PM Tuna Fishing off the Washington Coast: Tommy Donlin
7:00 PM Successfully Fishing Lakes Washington/Sammamish Year Round: Mark Gavin

Tuesday, Jan. 31

2:00 PM Columbia River Springers in Your Boat: TJ Nelson
3:00 PM Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Gary Krein
4:00 PM Fishing for San Juan Islands Chinook: TJ Nelson
5:00 PM NW Kayak Fishing Skills: Bryce Molenkamp
6:00 PM Learn to Mooch, Puget Sound Salmon: Keith Robbins
7:00 PM Tuna Fishing off the Washington Coast: Tommy Donlin

Wednesday, Feb. 1

2:00 PM Successfully Fishing Lakes Washington/Sammamish Year: Round Mark Gavin
3:00 PM Successful Puget Sound Shrimping: TJ Nelson
4:00 PM Learn to Mooch, Puget Sound Salmon: Keith Robbins
5:00 PM Tuna Fishing off the Washington Coast: Tommy Donlin
6:00 PM Deep Water Chinook Fishing on the North Coast: Mike Jamboretz
7:00 PM NW Kayak Fishing Skills: Bryce Molenkamp

Thursday, Feb. 2

2:00 PM Successfully Fishing Lakes Washington/Sammamish Year Round: Mark Gavin
3:00 PM Triple Threat Salmon Angling: TJ Nelson
4:00 PM Learn to Mooch, Puget Sound Salmon: Keith Robbins
5:00 PM Dirty Downrigger Tricks: TJ Nelson
6:00 PM Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Gary Krein
7:00 PM Dirty Downrigger Tricks: TJ Nelson

Friday, Feb. 3

2:00 PM Dungeness Crabbing in Washington: Clyde McBrayer
3:00 PM Fishing for San Juan Islands Chinook: TJ Nelson
4:00 PM Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Gary Krein
5:00 PM Dungeness Crabbing in Washington: Clyde McBrayer
6:00 PM Successful Puget Sound Shrimping: TJ Nelson
7:00 PM Deep Water Chinook Fishing on the North Coast: Mike Jamboretz

Saturday, Feb. 4

12:00 PM	Top Tactics for Winter Blackmouth: John Keizer
1:00 PM	Dungeness Crabbing in Washington: Clyde McBrayer
2:00 PM	How to Maximize Your Marine Electronics to Locate Fish: John Keizer
3:00 PM	Dirty Downrigger Tricks: TJ Nelson
4:00 PM	Salmon Fishing: Coast & Puget Sound: John Keizer
5:00 PM	Learn to Mooch, Puget Sound Salmon: Keith Robbins
6:00 PM	Salmon Fishing in Central Puget Sound: Nick Kester

About the Seattle Boat Show

The show features two locations, 1,000 recreational watercraft and more than 400 exhibitors. There are more than three acres of the latest innovations in accessories, technology and boating gear on display indoors, plus 100 world-class yachts in their natural habitat on South Lake Union. A free shuttle runs between both locations.

For a complete list of exhibitors, seminars, travel packages and ticket prices, please visit www.SeattleBoatShow.com

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