



Oceans, Habitat and  
Enhancement Branch

# 2006-2007 Directory


**A guide to  
community involvement,  
stewardship, Streamkeepers,  
and education projects  
in British Columbia  
and the Yukon Territory**



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## *Dear Stewardship Community,*

This edition of the Stewardship and Community Involvement directory marks our 15th year of publication. We believe this is a useful reference tool, providing a summary of the numerous community-based projects and activities that partner with Oceans, Habitat and Enhancement Community Programs. This edition is organized by geographic areas to reflect the area-based management model which Fisheries and Oceans Canada has implemented in the Pacific Region.

The future of our world depends upon educating children and young adults. The Stream to Sea education program is strongly supported throughout Pacific Region, with involvement of over 25 part and full-time Education Coordinators, 18 Community Advisors and many educational professionals and volunteers supporting the program. The Stream to Sea program combines oceans and aquatic species education and lessons on marine and freshwater habitat to create a stewardship ethic. The ultimate goal is to have students become aquatic stewards, caring for the environment around them.

The Community Advisors dedicate their mission statement to the volunteers and community projects: “Fostering cooperative fisheries and watershed stewardship through education and involvement”. Our Community Advisors work alongside the stewardship community, building partnerships within community. From assisting with mini hatchery programs, policy implementation, to taking an active role in oceans and watershed planning, these staff members are the public face of DFO.

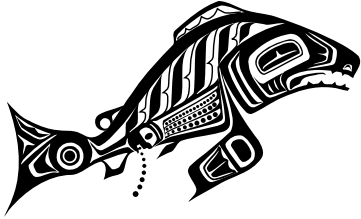
Roy Argue, the well-known Community Advisor in the Williams Lake area, is now job-sharing with Tina Chestnut. Roy and Tina will each take turns for 6 months each year, acting as Community Advisor in the Williams Lake office. The contact information is identical, except for e-mail addresses, and both Community Advisors are included in the directory listings. Mitch Drewes is new to the directory as the Community Advisor for the Northern Interior and North Coast area, based out of Terrace.

Many thanks to the thousands of committed Community Involvement volunteers who continue to inspire us with their hard work and dedication to the cause.

Jeff Jung

Regional Chief  
Stewardship and Community Involvement Unit  
Oceans, Habitat & Enhancement Branch

*On our cover: Bob Proctor of the North Shore Fish and Game Club trapping fish for observation. The Club celebrated 25 years of enhancement work in 2005. Robert, son of Community Liaison Officer Elan Park, starts his volunteer work at a young age by releasing smolts into a stream.*



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This Directory lists the Fisheries and Oceans Canada community involvement staff and the projects they support. It covers the Pacific Region, which includes British Columbia and the Yukon. The Pacific Region is divided into six areas, each led by an Area Chief. Each area supports community projects through a team of Community Advisors, Education Coordinators, and Community Liaison Officers.

- Community Advisors (CAs) are the key liaisons between DFO and community-based projects. Following each CA listing is a list of projects supported by that CA. Generally, there are four types of projects.
- Community Economic Development Program (CEDP) projects are operated under contract by First Nations or community groups.
- Public Involvement Program projects are operated by volunteers or by community organizations. Approximately 10,000 volunteers participate in 300 community projects.
- Streamkeepers projects focus on protection, preservation, monitoring and rehabilitation of streams, rivers, wetlands and watersheds.
- Education projects involve students in the Stream to Sea lessons, the classroom incubation program and field trips.

In some areas, Education Coordinators and Community Liaison Officers complement the DFO Community Advisors in supporting community projects.

- Education Coordinators (ECs) support DFO's numerous K-12 Stream to Sea initiatives. ECs are available for inservice teacher training, technical program support, or classroom and field instruction.
- Community Liaison Officers (CLOs) organize and participate in a variety of events, workshops and consultations. CLOs work with all areas of DFO to assist with outreach initiatives and plans.

In the coastal areas of the Pacific Region, an Oceans Outreach program raises awareness about the *Oceans Act* and its three primary programs (Integrated Management, Marine Protected Areas and Marine Environmental Quality). In addition, outreach initiatives have been designed to inform stakeholders on how the oceans work and what steps people can take in their daily lives to protect the oceans for future generations. Oceans Outreach staff are also listed in this directory.

Pacific Region (B.C. and the Yukon) is divided into six areas. The focus of each area differs depending upon local community needs and the resources available. To find resources for your area, please refer to the Table of Contents. For each area, you will find a list of contacts for Area Chiefs, CAs, ECs, CLOs, and Oceans Outreach staff (for coastal areas only) as well as DFO-supported community projects for that area.

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# Regional Headquarters

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## Affiliated Stewardship Organizations

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### Pacific Salmon Foundation

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### T. Buck Suzuki Environmental Foundation

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### Salmon Enhancement and Habitat Advisory Board

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North Vancouver, BC  
V7G 1R6  
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The Salmon Enhancement and Habitat Advisory Board (SEHAB) maintains a vital link between Fisheries and Oceans Canada's Oceans, Habitat and Enhancement Branch (OHEB) and communities and volunteers engaged in the stewardship of freshwater and marine ecosystems in urban and rural British Columbia. "SEHAB and the community have a shared commitment of ensuring functioning ecosystems supporting viable, genetically diverse and abundant indigenous fish populations" (SEHAB Terms of Reference).

You can find SEHAB's terms of reference and governance documents at [www.sehab.org](http://www.sehab.org), or for further information email [info@sehab.org](mailto:info@sehab.org).

# North Coast

## Community Involvement Staff

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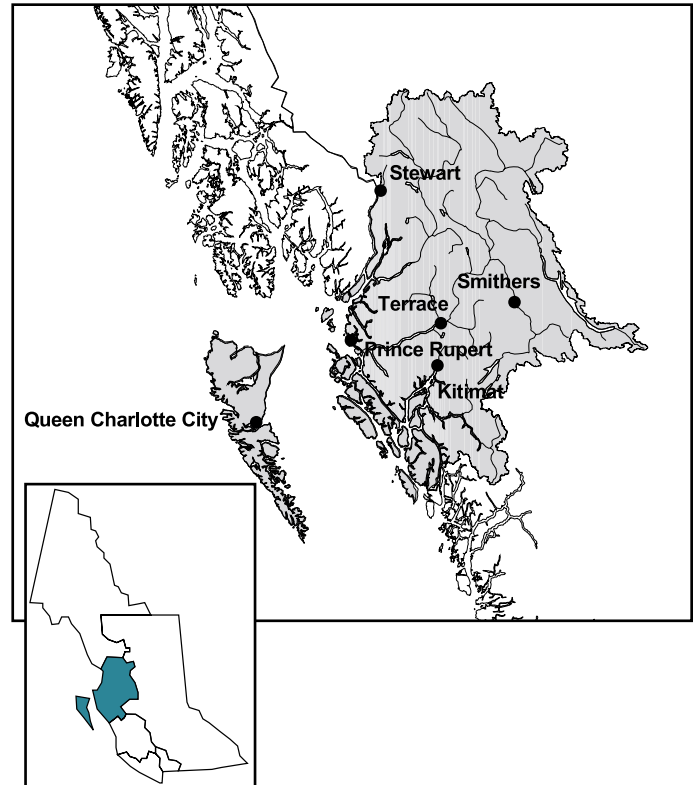
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B.C. V8J 4H6  
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## CHRISTINA ENGEL: Queen Charlotte Islands/Haida Gwaii

**Alliford Bay Hatchery Group**  
Peter Grundmann (250) 637-5499  
Graham Evenson (250) 637-5634  
P.O. Box 438  
Sandspit, B.C. V0T 1T0  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Satellite hatchery  
Streamkeepers  
activities  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Location: Baxter, Haans, Blaine &  
Sachs Creeks  
Persons: 8  
Species: Coho

**Chown Brook Group**  
Ian Hetman (250) 626-5591  
P.O. Box 954  
Masset, B.C. V0T 1M0  
First year: 1985  
Activity: Adult enumeration  
Juvenile escapement  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Location: Chown Brook  
Persons: 9  
Species: Coho

**Hecate Strait  
Streamkeepers Society**  
George Farrell, Brian Skelton  
(250) 559-8715  
Box 975  
Queen Charlotte City, V0T 1S0  
First year: 1996



Activity: Streamkeeper activities  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Stream restoration  
Location: Skidegate Inlet streams  
Persons: 15

**Husby Forest Products, Eden  
Lake, BC**  
Dwayne MacGinnis  
(250) 677-9474  
PO Box 5678  
Prince Rupert, BC V8J 4K4  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Satellite hatchery  
Location: Torney Creek, Naden &  
Davidson Rivers  
Persons: 9  
Species: Coho

**Kumdis River Lodge**  
James Bowie (250) 557-4217  
P.O. Box 419  
Port Clements, B.C. V0T 1R0  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Rearing  
Location: Mamin River  
Persons: 3  
Species: Coho

**Lawn Hill Enhancement  
Residents Group**  
Glenn Davies (250) 559-8094  
P.O. Box 21  
Queen Charlotte City, V0T 1S0  
First year: 1992

Activity: Adult enumeration  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Location: Lawn Hill, Mollitors,  
Girard, and Jungle  
Creeks  
Persons: 6  
Species: Coho, Chum

**Living and Learning School**  
Cloe Burke & Rebecca Horton  
(250) 559-8757  
P.O. Box 850  
Queen Charlotte City, V0T 1S0  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Classroom incubation  
Stream clean-ups  
Inter-tidal studies  
Location: Tarund and Honna  
Creeks  
Persons: 22  
Species: Coho

**North Graham Island  
Streamkeepers**  
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Mike Cheney (250) 557-4782  
P.O. Box 126  
Port Clements, B.C. V0T 1R0  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Streamkeepers  
activities  
Salmon enumeration  
Public education  
Stream monitoring  
Location: Northern Graham I.  
Persons: 6

# North Coast



*"It is hard to believe that I have been here, on Haida Gwaii, for four years. Sometimes it feels like I just arrived, though when I think back, I am amazed that so much can fit into such a short period of time. A lot of work has been accomplished which would not have been possible if it were not for the*

*efforts of our dedicated community groups, countless volunteers and the commitment of the Community Involvement Program's technical staff. With that said, there is still a lot more work to be done as our local salmon stocks are still not stable and there are many watersheds in need of enhancement and habitat restoration, work that is crucial but difficult, due to the continued erosion of funding for non-profit community groups."*

*– Christina Engel, CA*

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## **Northern Trollers Association**

Neil Davies (250) 559-4649  
P.O. Box 21  
Queen Charlotte City, B.C.  
VOT 1S0  
First year: 1989  
Activity: Satellite hatchery  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Habitat improvement  
Location: Tarundle, McMillan,  
South Bay, Cameron  
Creeks, Honna River  
Persons: 6  
Species: Chum, coho, pink

## **Old Masset (CEDP)**

Darren Edgars (250) 626-5115  
Old Masset Village Council  
Box 189,  
Masset, B.C. VOT 1M0  
First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery  
Assessments  
Location: Yakoun River  
Persons: 1-6  
Species: Chinook, coho

## **Port Clements Salmon Enhancement Club**

Dwight Welwood (250) 557-4457  
P.O. Box 333  
Port Clements, B.C. VOT 1R0  
First year: 1983  
Activity: Mini-hatchery  
Assessment  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Location: Mamin River  
Persons: 5  
Species: Coho

## **Queen Charlotte Islands Salmon Unlimited Society**

Barry Mark (250) 626-3758  
Box 683  
Masset, B.C. VOT 1M0  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Satellite hatchery  
Assessment  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Location: Tlell River watershed  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho

## **Tlell Watershed Society**

Lynn Lee (250) 557-4453  
P.O. Box 81  
Tlell, B.C. VOT 1R0  
First year: 1986  
Activity: Streamkeeper activities  
Bio-reconnaissance  
Adult enumeration  
Biophysical assessments  
Public education  
Land use planning  
Location: Tlell River watershed  
Persons: 15

## **Western Forest Products (Sewell) 1977 - 2005**

This year marks the end of an era. It is with a sad heart that we've packed up and shipped out the hatchery equipment at the Western Forest Products (WFP) Sewell Inlet Camp. This year, due to provincial claw-backs, WFP will no longer be operating in Sewell, so the hatchery has been dismantled because there is no longer a camp and no one left to care for the salmon eggs and fry. Fortunately, WFP is still

supporting salmon enhancement in other areas and will continue to assist and participate with other hatcheries and Community Advisors throughout B.C.

## **Education:**

George Farrell works closely with all of the schools on Queen Charlotte Islands/Haida Gwaii and provides technical support for the Salmonids in the Classroom program and other aquatic education activities. Each elementary school has up to four incubation tanks, with each classroom project involving between 15 to 45 persons. Both high schools are involved with Streamkeepers activities and outdoor education. Activities for primary and secondary schools include macro invertebrate studies, hatchery tours, habitat inventory and restoration

projects, fish dissections, beach seining, fry releases, Matter In Motion and watershed education. Josina Davis, a local Education Coordinator, provides oceans education and intertidal surveys to all elementary school students and participates with us in Salmonids in the Classroom activities.

## **Major Enhancement Facilities:**

### **Pallant Creek Hatchery**

Box 225, Sandspit, B.C. VOT 1T0  
Tel: (250) 624-8799 or  
(250) 559-8695  
Satellite phone: (403) 997-0438  
Fax: (250) 624-8799  
First year: 1978  
Location: Moresby Island  
Species: Chinook, chum, coho, steelhead

## **MITCH DREWES:**

### **Northern Interior & North Coast**

#### **Bear River Salmonid Enhancement Society**

Donalda Partridge  
P.O. Box 443  
Stewart, B.C. VOT 1W0  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Habitat improvement  
Stewardship  
Enhancement  
Location: Conex, Clements Creek and Clements Lake  
Persons: 15  
Species: Coho, sockeye, chum and pink

#### **Dutch Valley Residents**

Terry Ruel (250) 638-5329  
P.O. Box 234  
Terrace, B.C. V8G 1N3  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Stream clean up  
Pilot incubation  
Location: Spring Creek  
Persons: 8

#### **Gitanyow/Kitwanga Coho Enhancement**

Mark Cleveland (250) 849-5373  
Kitwancool, B.C.  
First year: 1985  
Activity: Incubation, education  
Location: Kitwanga River  
Persons: 45 including school children  
Species: Coho

#### **Hartley Bay (CEDP)**

Danny Reece (250) 841-2558  
General Delivery  
Hartley Bay, B.C. V0V 1A0  
First year: 1979  
Activity: Hatchery, rearing  
Stocking  
Smolt releases  
Location: Hartley Bay Creek, Whalen, Red Bluff, Sylvia, Angler Cove and Upper Hartley Bay lakes  
Persons: 2 full time, 3 part time  
Species: Coho

**Kitimat Valley Naturalist Club**  
 Dennis Horwood (250) 632-2004  
 54 Smith St., Kitimat, V8C 2R5  
 First year: 2003  
 Activity: Mapping eelgrass  
 Location: Douglas Channel  
 Persons: 2+  
 Species: Vegetative study

**Kincolith Hatchery (CEDP)**  
 Blair Stewart (250) 622-7827  
 P.O. Box 231  
 New Aiyansh, B.C. V0J 1A0  
 First year: 1978  
 Activity: Hatchery and fence operation  
 Location: Kincolith River  
 Persons: 2  
 Species: Chinook, chum

**Lakelse Community Association**  
 Ian Maxwell  
 RR#4, Site 9, Comp 10  
 Terrace, B.C. V8G 4V2  
 Activity: Lake survey  
 Adult sockeye and coho stream counts, stewardship education and public awareness, habitat restoration  
 Persons: n/a  
 Species: Coho and sockeye

**Mount Elizabeth Secondary School**  
<http://www.mess.cmsd.bc.ca>  
 First year: 1985  
 Activity: Streamkeepers and Stream to Sea  
 Location: Kitimat area, Pine Ck.  
 Persons: 25+ students and teacher  
 Species: Coho, pinks, cutthroat, dolly varden

**Northwest Watershed Enhancement Society**  
 Brenda Ramsey (250) 638-8436  
 4822 Sunset Drive  
 Terrace, B.C. V8G 1C6  
 First year: 1981  
 Activity: Eby Street Hatchery, coho outplanting, school support  
 Location: Spring, Skully, Thornhill Creeks  
 Persons: 12  
 Species: Coho

**Oona River Resource Association**  
<http://www.oonariver.com>  
 Janet Lemon (250) 624-1789  
 Box 80  
 Oona River, B.C. V0V 1E0  
 First year: 1982  
 Activity: Mini-hatchery  
 Location: Oona River  
 Persons: 14  
 Species: Coho, pink, chum

**Prince Rupert Salmonid Enhancement Society (Oldfield Creek Hatchery)**  
*For the Salmonid Society:*  
 Jim Hellman/Leo Lohnes  
 (250) 624-6733  
 P.O. Box 1098  
 Prince Rupert, B.C. V8G 4B4  
*For Northwest Community College:*  
 Pouyan Mahboubi  
 New: Accredited educational program for college  
 First year: 1983  
 Activity: Streamkeepers, mini-hatchery, school support, college accredited course



*“The North Coast Region is truly fortunate because of its gorgeous surroundings, its scope of habitats and its wonderful volunteers that I have the privilege of working with. There are countless people who unfailingly give their time and energy to a wide variety of projects in habitat enhancement and restoration, stock production, assessment, stewardship and education. I highly value their dedication to a resource that we share a passion for and commitment to. I’d like to thank them for their ongoing effort.*

*Salmon and their streams are but a small part of the bigger picture we call the planet’s “environment.” If we can continue to work together as a team within our own communities to enhance and protect what so many take for granted, then we will have been successful. That is our continuing goal.”*

– Mitch Drewes, CA

Location: Oldfield, Dianna, Hays, Kloiya Creeks, Northwest Community College – Prince Rupert Campus  
 Persons: 10/ 30+  
 Species: Chinook, coho, pink

**Terrace Green Belt Society**  
 Kelly Kline (250) 798-2535  
 1677 Lupine Street,  
 Lakelse Lake, Terrace, B.C.  
 First year: 1993  
 Location: Terrace area, Howe Cr.  
 Persons: 8

**Terrace Salmonid Enhancement Society (Stock Assessment)**  
 Chris Culp (250) 635-3471  
 P.O. Box 21  
 Terrace, B.C. V8G 4A2  
 First year: 1980  
 Activity: Hatchery, assessment, tagging, creel census, genetic sampling  
 Location: Kalum River  
 Persons: 3  
 Species: Chinook

## Education:

School projects include over 300 people involved with classroom incubation, rearing, studies and field trips.  
 Kitimat area: There are four schools involved in classroom incubation.  
 Terrace area: There are ten schools involved with classroom incubation.  
 Prince Rupert area: There are ten schools involved in classroom incubation.

## Major Enhancement Facilities:

### Kitimat River Hatchery

Box 197  
 Kitimat, B.C. V8G 2G7  
 Tel: (250) 639-9888  
 Fax: (250) 639-9220  
 First year: 1983  
 Location: Kitimat  
 Species: Chinook, coho, chum, steelhead and cutthroat



# North Coast

## BRENDA DONAS: Upper Skeena



*“As our communities continue to grow, the impacts to our local salmon bearing streams increase. Education about human impacts with examples of local impacts to fish and fish habitat continue to be an important component of the Salmonids in the Classroom sessions. Streamkeepers have been very busy monitoring the progress of*

*a proposed landfill site expansion and railway line herbicide spraying in the New Hazelton area. The CEDP hatcheries continue to release coho and chinook juveniles and collect stock assessment data. Marking programs at the Ft. Babine hatchery have been completely dropped however, coho at the Toboggan Creek hatchery are still being coded wire tagged.*

*Adult assessment data is still being collected from the Strategic Stock Enhancement Program coho releases and this will continue until the 2005 return year.”*

*– Brenda Donas, CA*

### **Buck Creek Project**

First year: 1998  
Activity: Streamkeepers  
Location: Buck Creek  
Persons: 35 students

### **Chicago Creek Environmental Enhancement Society**

Gladys Lemky (250) 842-5164  
P.O. Box 152  
South Hazelton, B.C. V0J 2R0  
First year: 1993  
Activity: Hatchery and Streamkeepers  
Location: Waterfalls, Station and Mission Creeks  
Persons: 30  
Species: Coho

### **Fort Babine (CEDP)**

Ryan Frisk (403) 997-9229  
Box 682  
New Hazelton, B.C. V0J 2J0  
First year: 1984/1985  
Activity: Hatchery/First Nations Fishculture Training Centre  
Location: Babine River  
Persons: 2 full-time, 3 part-time  
Species: Coho and chinook

### **McKinnon Creek Rehabilitation Project**

First year: 2004  
Activity: Culvert improvements, construction of over-wintering pools, monitoring of improvements  
Location: McKinnon Creek  
Persons: Partnership with 5 volunteers, Ministry of Transportation

### **Morice Watershed-based Fish Sustainability Plan**

Greg Tamblin (250) 847-1389  
Community Futures  
Nadina, B.C.  
First year: 2001 (ongoing)  
Activity: Watershed planning and implementation of watershed action plan  
Persons: 15

### **Toboggan Creek (CEDP)**

Mike O'Neill (250) 847-4458  
8804 Owens Road  
Smithers, B.C. V0J 2N1  
First year: 1984/1985  
Activity: Hatchery/Assessment Fence  
Location: Bulkley River and tributaries  
Persons: 2 full-time, 3 part-time  
Species: Coho and chinook

### **Upper Bulkley River Project**

First year: 1997  
Activity: Streamkeepers activities  
Location: Upper Bulkley River and tributaries

### **Upper Bulkley River Fence**

First year: 2000  
Activity: Coho Assessment Fence  
Location: Upper Bulkley River, Richfield Creek  
Persons: Partnership with District of Houston, 5 volunteers, 4 seasonal staff

### **Waterfalls Creek Project**

First year: 1990  
Activity: Streamkeepers activities/fence  
Location: Waterfalls Creek

### **Education**

The education program in this area is very popular. Teachers continue to utilise the Salmonids in the Classroom program manuals and are continuing with Streamkeepers sessions for salmon-themed field trips. In the 2004 school year, we have 18 schools participating and 27 classes (700 students). Students are learning about Ecological Footprint and how to reduce their impact on the environment. Many of the classes have been participating in half day field trips which involve conducting aquatic insect surveys, water quality monitoring, fry trapping, and identification and habitat surveys, and plant and bird walks in the riparian area.

# Central Coast

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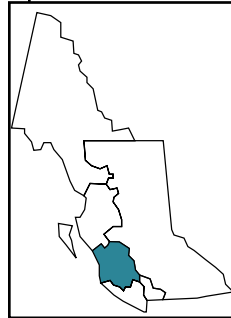
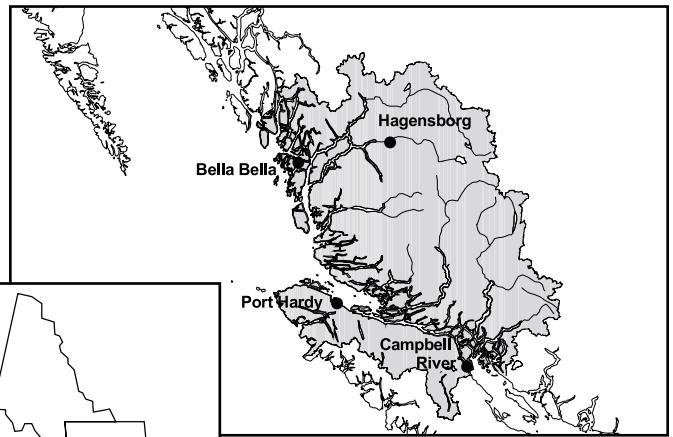
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First year: 1977  
Activity: Hatchery, sea pens, education  
Location: MacLoughlin Creek  
Persons: 3  
Species: Coho, chum

#### Bella Bella (AFS)

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First year: 2000  
Activity: Hatchery, habitat restoration, education  
Location: Emily Creek  
Persons: 3  
Species: Sockeye

#### Bella Coola Watershed Based Fish Sustainability Planning Project

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Bella Coola Watershed Conservation Society  
Box 623  
Hagensborg, B.C. V0T 1C0  
First year: 2002  
Activities: Streamkeepers, restoration, watershed planning  
Location: Bella Coola Valley  
Persons: 5-10

#### Central Coast Fisherman's Protection Association

Darwin Unrau (250) 983-2929  
Box 773  
Bella Coola, B.C. V0T 1C0  
First year: 1981  
Activity: Streamkeepers, hatchery, assessment, education  
Location: Bella Coola River and tributaries  
Persons: 5  
Species: Coho, chum

#### Klemtu (CEDP)

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Kitasoo First Nations  
General Delivery  
Klemtu, B.C. V0T 1L0  
First year: 1980  
Activity: Hatchery, sea pen, education  
Location: Kitasoo Creek  
Persons: 3  
Species: Coho, chum

#### Klemtu (AFS)

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Kitasoo First Nations  
General Delivery  
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First year: 1994  
Activity: Hatchery, stock assessment  
Location: Victor Creek, Alexander Inlet  
Persons: 3  
Species: Sockeye, chum

# Central Coast



*“This update has to start with a congratulations to McLoughlin and Kitasoo CEDP hatchery managers and staff for overcoming challenges with chum salmon incubation and achieving some of the highest incubation successes in each project’s history! We have new hatchery managers at both facilities so want*

*to also welcome Andrea Larsen and Mark Mason on board. Sockeye projects at Victor Creek (Kitasoo First Nations) and Emily Creek (Heiltsuk First Nations) had setbacks over the past couple of years with water line failures but both have moved forward with installation of alarm systems and improvements at the facilities so are on track to achieve better results. Both these outer coast sockeye projects have assessment components and a DFO team hopes to work with them this year to review data and plan for the future. The Rivers and Smith Inlet sockeye conservation enhancement program from Snootli Hatchery moves into the fifth year in 2005 with another successful release of juveniles. Adult assessment is being done in 2004 and 2005 to estimate contribution and survival of enhanced sockeye from the first brood released (2000). The Oweekeno (Wuikinuxv) Fisheries Program is now adding work with Wannock chum to their suite of projects that include sockeye and Wannock River Chinook.*

*The Rivers & Smith Inlet Salmon Ecosystem Planning Society (Rivers Partner Group) completed a Recovery Plan early in 2004 for the Pacific Salmon Endowment Fund. The group continues to support collaborative projects (such as the Enhancement Evaluation Program) that will contribute to increased understanding, re-building and improved management of salmon stocks as well as general ecosystem health. The Central Coast Fisherman’s Protective Association (education and public awareness), Bella Coola Watershed Conservation Society (watershed planning) and Rivers Inlet, North Coast Conservation Society (Wannock chinook enhancement & assessment) continue to make significant and positive contributions here in the Central Coast, while the education program maintains a high profile with new Oceans activities taking students ‘down to the sea’.*

*– Sandie MacLaurin, CA*

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## **Oweekeno Fisheries Program (AFS)**

Bruce Burrows (250) 949-8625, ext. 230

Oweekeno Nation

P.O. Box 3500

Port Hardy, B.C. V0N 2P0

First year: 1982

Location: Wannock River,

Oweekeno Basin tributaries

Activities: Egg-takes, fry release, assessment, education

Persons: 1-4

Species: Chinook, sockeye

## **Rivers and Smiths Salmon Ecosystems Planning Society**

David Stevenson, Planning

Society Coordinator

1719 Beaufort Avenue

Comox, B.C. V9M 1R8

First year: 1997

Location: Rivers Inlet, Oweekeno Basin tributaries and Wannock River, Smiths Inlet

Activity: WFSP process, habitat and stock assessment, restoration, enhancement

Persons: 12-20

Species: Sockeye, chinook, coho, pink, chum

## **Kilbella/Chuckwalla and Wannock Chinook Programs**

Rivers Inlet, North Coast Salmon Enhancement Society (formerly RHP SFA)

Bob Stewart (604) 943-2333

P.O. Box 1237

Delta, B.C. V4M 3T3

First year: 1985

Activity: Hatchery, captive brood, assessment, advisory and planning

Location: Rivers Inlet, Chuckwalla and Kilbella Rivers and Wannock River

Persons: 10-20

Species: Chinook

## **Education:**

Central Coast education activities involve 11 schools in two school districts. Activities include Stream to Sea, aquatic insect and fish anatomy studies, fry identification and releases and field trips. High school students are acquainted with local watershed restoration, mapping and stewardship principles. Groups of Elderhostel “students” get their feet wet with fry and insect identification plus harbour and estuary tours.

## **Major Enhancement Facilities:**

### **Snootli Creek Hatchery**

Box 95

Bella Coola, B.C. V0T 1C0

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First year: 1979

Location: Bella Coola

Species: Chum, chinook, coho, steelhead, pink and sockeye

## ALERIA LADWIG:

### Northern Vancouver Island and surrounding mainland inlets

**Bear Creek Salmonid Enhancement Group**  
(Bear Creek Hatchery)  
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First year: 1987  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Bear/Mills Creek  
Persons: 6 to 8  
Species: Coho, pink

**Gwa'ni Hatchery (CEDP)**  
Hank Nelson (250) 956-4712  
Box 210, Alert Bay, B.C. V0N 1A0  
First year: 1977  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Nimpkish River  
Persons: 4  
Species: Coho, chum, chinook

**Johnstone Strait Killer Whale Interpretive Centre Society**  
(Whale Interpretive Centre)  
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P.O. Box 2-3  
Telegraph Cove, B.C. V0N 3J0  
<http://www.killerwhalecentre.org>

**Mainland Enhancement of Salmonid Species Society**  
(Scott Cove Hatchery)  
Bill Proctor (250) 949-1198  
General Delivery  
Simoom Sound, B.C. V0N 2P0

First year: 1982  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Scott Cove Hatchery  
Persons: 6 to 8  
Species: Coho

**Nimpkish Valley Rod and Gun Club**  
(Woss Community Hatchery)  
Ray Lutz (250) 281-2257  
Box 5127, Woss, B.C. V0N 3P0  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Nimpkish River  
Persons: 8  
Species: Coho, chinook, steelhead

**Northern Vancouver Island Salmonid Enhancement Association (NIVSEA) (CEDP)**  
(Quatse River Hatchery)  
Ken Fuller (250) 949-9022  
Box 1049, Port Hardy, V0N 2P0  
First year: 1977  
Activity: Two hatcheries (one PIP)  
Habitat assessment and restoration  
Location: Quatse R., Marble R.  
Persons: 3  
Species: Pink (even years), coho, chum, chinook and steelhead

**Port McNeill Chinook Club**  
(Kokish River Hatchery)  
Ken Kollman (250) 956-3518  
Box 552, Port McNeill, V0N 2R0  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Kokish River  
Persons: 12-15  
Species: Coho, chum, chinook, pink and steelhead

**San Josef Heritage Park**  
Doug Desjarlius (250) 288-3682  
Box 38, Holberg, B.C. V0N 1Z0  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Instream feeding and habitat restoration

**Warner Bay Project**  
(Warner Creek Hatchery)  
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Port Hardy, B.C. V0N 2P0  
First year: 1986  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Warner Bay  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho

**Western Forest Products Ltd.**  
(Colonial/Cayeghle Hatchery)  
Scott Muir (250) 284-5314  
Box 250, Port McNeill, V0N 2R0  
First year: 1986  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Colonial, Cayeghle Rivers

Persons: 15 to 20  
Species: Coho, chinook, steelhead

**Western Forest Products Ltd.**  
(Cordy Creek Hatchery)  
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First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Cordy Creek  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho, chum, chinook and steelhead

**Western Forest Products**  
(Marble River Hatchery)  
Grant and Debbie Anderson  
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First year: 1981  
Activity: Hatchery and rearing channel  
Location: Marble River  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho, chinook

## Education

Education coordinator Jackie Hildering currently supports more than 19 schools on northern Vancouver Island and surrounding mainland inlets, including remote coastal communities only accessed by boat or float plane. Her area of responsibility ranges from Woss to Port Hardy, Kingcome to Quatsino Sound.

The focus of the north island Stream to Sea Education Program is to foster knowledge, respect and action for the betterment of our environment by instilling a sense of pride among the north island youth. To do this, Jackie offers a range of programs that highlight the beauty and uniqueness of our area. Programs offered in our area include:

- Salmonids in the Classroom
- Junior Beach Studies
- Marine Mammal Education
- Species at Risk Act and Bio-accumulation in Orca (available in February)
- The Cost of Cool
- Advanced Beach Studies
- Enviroscape Watershed Model



*“The North Island has been a hub of activity this year. The enhancement facilities are working hard as always to rebuild stocks, only now, some of the volunteers are incorporating their efforts into watershed planning processes to ensure their efforts are meeting the needs of their watersheds. And, thanks to our Support Biologist Karl Wilson and Technician Dean Hunchuk, volunteers are being served better than ever with more access to assessment equipment and support.”*

*Jackie Hildering, the North Island’s Education Coordinator, has been working hard to incorporate marine education and the concept of sustainability into our new program, Stream to Sea. Our program is designed to provide environmental education from K to 12 through locally developed resources such as Junior Beach Studies, Advanced Beach Studies, Marine Mammal Science and a program aimed at consumer awareness and sustainability (“The Cost of Cool”). Of course, Salmonids in the Classroom, an oldie but a goodie, is still included.*

*New additions to the North Island Community Involvement Program include marine related projects: the Whale Interpretive Centre, StraitWatch, the Robson Bight Warden Program and the Bere Point Rubbing Beach. All of these projects are geared at educating the public about marine mammals. The Whale Interpretive Centre is a museum of articulated whale skeletons located in historic Telegraph Cove and the StraitWatch and Warden project is designed to educate mariners in Johnstone Strait about respectful viewing practices for whale watching.”*

# Central Coast

**BARRY PETERS:**

## Eastern Vancouver Island from the Oyster River north to the Tsitika and including mainland inlets to the east

### **Big Bay Community Association**

Larry Johnson  
c/o Nanook Lodge  
General Delivery  
Stewart Island, B.C. V0P 1V0  
First year: 1989  
Activity: Hatchery, rearing, fry stocking  
Location: St. Albyn's Lake and Phillips River  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho, chinook  
(see also Gillard Pass)

### **Campbell River Fish & Wildlife Association**

Karen Furber (250) 286-0952  
P.O. Box 217  
Campbell River, B.C. V9W 5B1  
First year: 1991  
Activity: Fry planting, stream monitoring  
Location: Coho (Mohun) Creek  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho

### **Discovery Coast Greenways Land Trust**

Danielle Cryderman  
(250) 287-3785  
P.O. Box 291  
Campbell River, B.C. V9W 5B1  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Streamkeepers  
Location: Campbell River  
Persons: 12  
Species: All

### **Gillard Pass Fisheries Association**

Greg Barlow (250) 287-6370  
P.O. Box 425  
Campbell River, B.C. V9W 5B6  
First year: 1988  
Activity: Satellite hatchery and habitat improvement  
Location: Phillips River, Ito Brook and Sonora Island  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho, chinook  
(See also Big Bay Community Association)

### **Grant B. Culley Jr. Foundation**

Gary Reynolds (250) 830-1354  
1490 Croatian Road  
Campbell River, B.C. V9W 3T5  
First year: 1998

Activity: Stream stewardship, incubation  
Persons: 20  
Species: Chum

### **Klahoose First Nation**

Flavian Harry (250) 935-6536  
Box 9  
Squirrel Cove, B.C. V0P 1K0  
First year: 1994  
Activity: Inventory/assessment  
Location: Hansor, Carrington, Basil and Squirrel Cove Creeks  
Persons: 6  
Species: Coho

### **Nunns Creek Streamkeepers**

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Campbell River, B.C. V9W 3T5  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Inventory/assessment/  
habitat creation  
Location: Nunns Creek  
Persons: 5

### **Oyster Bay Streamkeepers**

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Diane Wilson  
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Campbell River, B.C. V9H 1H3  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Inventory and assessment  
Location: Oyster Bay  
Persons: 12

### **Quadra Island Salmon Enhancement Society**

Laurie Bowles (250) 285-2957  
Box 413  
Quathiaski Cove, B.C. V0P 1N0  
First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery, stewardship, education, restoration  
Location: Quadra Island streams  
Persons: 20  
Species: Coho, chum



*"This is a diverse land with many river types, soils, and elevations along with a complement of characters who inhabit all corners of this unique landscape. Fish values are high and the people who live here are taking care of their fish resources. After a year, I continue to be impressed with the dedication and resourcefulness of these people. Thanks to all of them because they make my work worthwhile every day."*

*— Barry Peters, CA*

### **Sayward Fish and Game Association**

Ian Sutherland (250) 282-3244  
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Sayward, B.C. V0P 1R0  
First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery, colonization, education  
Location: Memekay, Salmon Rivers  
Persons: 6  
Species: Coho, chinook

### **Simms Creek Stewards**

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200 Bay View Place  
Campbell River, B.C. V9W 6L8  
First year: 2002  
Activity: Inventory/assessment/  
habitat creation  
Location: Simms Creek  
Persons: 12

### **Storries Creek Streamkeepers**

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Campbell River, B.C. V9H 1H3  
First year: 1994  
Activity: Inventory/assessment/  
habitat creation  
Location: Storries, Woods Creeks  
Persons: 12

### **Willow Creek Watershed Society**

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220 Erickson Road  
Campbell River, B.C. V9W 1S5  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Inventory/assessment  
Location: Willow Creek  
Persons: 8  
Species: All

### **Education**

Kelly Aitken is our education coordinator (seasonal). Kelly schedules our spring and fall programs with schools from Sayward to Surge Narrows. Quinsam Hatchery is our base for much of the fall school program with Kelly going to many schools to do dissections and follow up after the hatchery visit. Of course the exciting part of the hatchery visit is getting to take the eggs and mit back to their classroom and for them to do the fertilization right in their classroom. We have 18 schools involved this year. This activity is followed up in the spring with a field trip to release the fry and study habitat and insects. We still support Storm Drain Marking and are promoting more studies associated with the beach areas, which we are so lucky to have.

### **Major Enhancement Facilities**

#### **Quinsam River Hatchery**

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Campbell River, B.C. V9G 1B3  
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Quinsam Hatchery offers outstanding ongoing education support to School District 72 in Campbell River.  
First year: 1974  
Location: Near Campbell River  
Species: Coho, chinook, pink, steelhead

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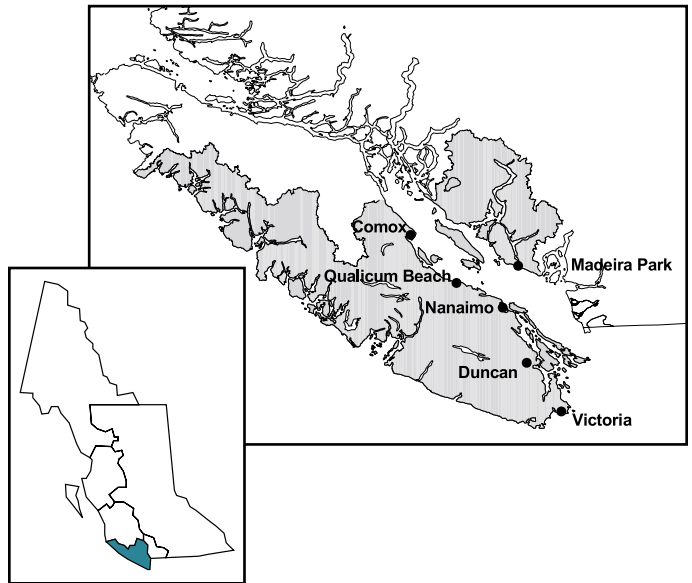
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**DAVE DAVIES:**  
East coast of Vancouver Island;  
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Nootka Sound to Kyuquot Sound

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Activity: Streamkeepers  
Location: Comox  
Persons: 20

**Community Fisheries  
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Englishman River  
Enhancement Group  
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P.O. Box 205  
Parksville, B.C. V9P 1G6  
First year: 1992  
Activity: Hatchery, habitat  
restoration  
Location: Englishman River  
Persons: 10  
Species: Chum, chinook, pink

**Courtenay and District Fish &  
Game Protective Association**  
Fred Clifford (250) 337-5267  
Box 3177  
Courtenay, B.C. V9N 5N4  
First year: 1979  
Activity: Spawning and rearing  
channel, hatchery,  
habitat restoration  
Location: Trent, Puntledge Rivers  
Persons: 25  
Species: Coho

**Craig Creek Enhancement Group**  
Pacific Shores Resort  
Jim and Kay Hendry  
(250) 468-5489  
Unit 411 – 1600 Stroulger Rd  
Nanoose Bay BC V9V 9B7  
First year: 1985  
Activity: Hatchery, public  
education  
Location: Craig Creek  
Persons: 3  
Species: Coho

**Cumberland Streamkeepers and  
Wetlandkeepers**  
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Cumberland, B.C.  
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First year: 2002  
Activity: Streamkeepers,  
stewardship, fry  
salvage  
Location: Perseverance Creek  
Persons: 6

# South Coast



*“Volunteers in this area continue to work towards protection, enhancement and restoration of salmon stocks and fish habitat. Many stewardship and enhancement groups are now working with industries, developers and local governments to protect fish habitat in their watersheds. A unique feature of the east coast of Vancouver Island is that most of the land is privately owned, which creates challenges for protecting fish habitat, but many groups have had major successes recently.*

*Reduced government involvement and funding for stewardship and enhancement programs has meant that volunteer groups have had to work extra hard to take up the slack. The level of volunteer dedication and involvement is truly impressive and all volunteers deserve a huge amount of credit.”*

– Dave Davies, CA

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## Englishman River Watershed Recovery Plan

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Activities: Habitat restoration, stock assessment, education, stewardship, public roundtable and administering PSEF funding  
Location: Englishman River watershed  
Persons: 40  
Species: Chum, chinook, pink

## Fanny Bay Enhancement Society

Doug Mole (250) 335-1031  
Site 23 C-9  
Fanny Bay, B.C. V0R 1W0  
douglastr@shaw.ca  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Hatchery, fry salvage, habitat restoration, stewardship  
Location: Baynes Sound streams  
Persons: 50  
Species: Coho, chum, pink

## Gold River Chinook Project

(Gold River Hatchery)  
John and Betty Frame  
(250) 283-7268  
Gold River, B.C. V0P 1G0  
grchinook@cablerocket.com  
First year: 1982  
Activity: Hatchery, stock assessment  
Location: Gold-Muchalaht and Burman Rivers  
Persons: 10  
Species: Chinook

## Gold River Streamkeepers

Jim Mitchell (250) 283-7310  
Box 293, Gold River, B.C.  
V0P 1G0  
<http://www.grstreamkeepers.com>  
First year: 2000  
Activities: Habitat restoration, education, Streamkeepers, awareness  
Location: Gold River

## Hart (Washer) Creek Watershed Society

Mike Nicell (250) 335-1804  
Box 261, Union Bay, B.C.  
Nicellml@shaw.ca  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Habitat restoration and stewardship  
Location: Hart (Washer) Creek  
Persons: 5

## Hornby Island Enhancement Group

George Stonehouse  
(250) 335-1630  
Hornby Island, B.C.  
First year: 1985  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Buehla Creek  
Persons: 3  
Species: Chum

## Hornby Island Marine Stewardship Group

Tony Law  
Hornby Island, B.C.  
tlaw@islandtrust.bc.ca  
First year: 2000  
Activities: Awareness, education  
Location: Hornby Island  
Persons: 20

## Ka:'yu:k't'h/Chek'tles7et'h' First Nation

Len John (250) 332-5259  
General Delivery  
Kyuquot, B.C. V0P 1J0  
lenj@island.net

First year: 1995  
Activity: Small hatchery, Streamkeepers, education, habitat restoration  
Location: Kyuquot  
Persons: 4  
Species: Coho, chum

## Lasqueti Island Fisheries and Forestry Society

Karl Darwin (250) 333-8633  
Wayne Bright (250) 333-8789  
General Delivery, False Bay PO  
Lasqueti Island, B.C. V0R 2J0  
First year: 1992  
Activity: Hatchery, habitat restoration, stewardship, Streamkeepers  
Persons: 8  
Species: Coho and chum

## Little River Enhancement Society

Wayne Irving (250) 890-0643  
1241 Wally Road  
Comox, B.C. V9M 4C3  
First year: 1983  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Comox  
Persons: 20  
Species: Coho, pink, chum, cutthroat

## Mid Vancouver Island Habitat Enhancement Society

Dave Clough (250) 390-2901  
6696 Leyland Road  
Lantzville, B.C.  
V0R 2H0  
<http://www.mvihes.bc.ca>  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Habitat restoration, awareness, stewardship, education  
Location: Nanaimo to Nile Creek  
Persons: 20

## Millard – Piercy Watershed Stewards

Chip Ross (250) 336-8377  
3300 Fraser Road  
Courtenay, B.C. V9N 9P3  
Chip.ross@shaw.ca  
<http://www.millard-piercy-watershed-stewards.org>  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Streamkeepers, restoration, stream monitoring, watershed planning  
Location: Millard and Piercy Creeks  
Persons: 15

## Morrison Creek Streamkeepers

Jim Palmer (250) 338-1867  
241 Woods Street  
Courtenay, B.C. V9N 3Y7  
Palmerj@island.net  
<http://www.morrisonCreek.org>  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Streamkeepers and habitat restoration  
Persons: 10  
Location: Morrison Creek

## Nile Creek Enhancement Society

Rod Allan (250) 757-9384  
6315 Island Highway West  
Qualicum Beach, B.C. V9K 2E4  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Stewardship, incubation, restoration  
Location: Nile Creek  
Persons: 10  
Species: Pink and coho

## Nootka Sound Watershed Society

Michel Rabu  
Box 413, Gold River, B.C. V0P 1G0  
<http://www.nootkasound.org>  
First year: 1999  
Activities: Stewardship, awareness and enhancement  
Location: Nootka Sound  
Persons: 40

## Oyster River Enhancement Society

George Bowring (250) 339-7654  
Box 93, Black Creek, B.C. V9J 1K8  
Ores@mars.ark.com  
First year: 1983  
Activity: Spawning channel, hatchery, rearing, habitat restoration  
Location: Oyster River watershed  
Persons: 100  
Species: Coho, chum, chinook and pink

## Parksville-Qualicum Fish and Game Association

Pete Redford (250) 752-6388  
 Jack Greenway (250) 752-6885  
 Box 988  
 Parksville, B.C. V0R 2S0  
 Predford@shaw.ca  
 First year: 1980  
 Activity: Hatchery, fry salvage  
 Location: French Creek  
 Persons: 15  
 Species: Coho, chum

## Parksville Streamkeepers

Carol Cornish (250) 248-8402  
 498 Aquilla Place  
 Parksville, B.C. V9P 1C1  
 Crcornish@shaw.ca  
 First year: 1998  
 Activity: Education, awareness, Streamkeepers and habitat restoration  
 Location: Parksville area  
 Persons: 25

## Project Watershed Society

Don Chamberlain (250) 339-1619  
 Box 3007  
 Courtenay, B.C. V9N 5N3  
 Projectwatershed@shaw.ca  
 First year: 1992  
 Activity: Watershed mapping, stewardship, landowner contact  
 Location: Comox Valley  
 Persons: 20

## Qualicum Beach Streamkeepers

Faye Smith (250) 752-9297  
 221 Elizabeth Avenue  
 Qualicum, B.C. V9K 1G4  
 Fcsmith@telus.net  
 First year: 1995  
 Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat restoration  
 Location: Beach, Grandon Creeks, Little Qualicum River  
 Persons: 20

## Roy Creek Salmonid Enhancement

Sandra Poole (250) 336-8486  
 3728 Trent Road  
 Courtenay, B.C. V9N 9R5  
 Sjpooles@shaw.ca  
 First year: 1981  
 Activity: Small hatchery, rearing ponds  
 Location: Roy Creek  
 Persons: 4  
 Species: Coho

## Tahsis Enhancement Group

(Tahsis River Hatchery)  
 Don Beamin (250) 934-7925  
 Box 673, Tahsis, B.C. V0P 1X0  
 First year: 1984  
 Activity: Hatchery  
 Location: Tahsis and Liener Rivers  
 Species: Chinook

## Tsolum River Restoration Society

Jack Minard (250) 337-5077  
 6963 Railway Avenue  
 Courtenay, B.C. V9J 1N4  
 Tsolumr@mars.ark.com  
 First year: 1994  
 Activities: Stewardship, restoration, hatchery  
 Location: Tsolum River and tributaries

## Zeballos Enhancement Society

(Zeballos River hatchery)  
 Bev van Mierlo (250) 761-4330  
 P.O. Box 25, Zeballos, B.C. V0P 2A0  
 Thekidz@zeballos.net  
 First year: 1990  
 Location: Zeballos River  
 Species: Chinook

## Education

The program involves 42 schools and approximately 1,500 students from kindergarten to Grade 12 in the Parksville/Qualicum and Comox Valley and Vancouver Island West school districts. The educational activities include Salmonids in the Classroom, aquatic invertebrate studies, classroom incubators, fish dissections, stream habitat activities, conservation and watershed stewardship concepts and field trips. New curriculum packages being introduced as part of the Stream to Sea program include the Salish Sea, intertidal invertebrate studies and Oceans Day activities.

## Education Contacts

Education Coordinator:  
 Sarah Casley (250) 703-1049  
 Technical Support:  
 Jack Newman (250) 335-0261  
 Gord Bainbridge (250) 897-0242  
 Lorraine Landry (250) 956-3885

## Major Enhancement Facilities

### Little Qualicum River Hatchery

4745 Melrose Road  
 Qualicum Beach, B.C. V0R 1V3  
 Tel: (250) 752-3231  
 Fax: (250) 752-2184  
 First year: 1978  
 Location: Little Qualicum River  
 Species: Chum, chinook, steelhead

### Big Qualicum Hatchery

215 Fisheries Road  
 Qualicum Beach, B.C. V9K 1Z5  
 Tel: (250) 757-8412  
 Fax: (250) 757-8741  
 First year: 1963  
 Location: Qualicum River  
 Species: Chum, chinook, coho, steelhead

### Puntledge River Hatchery

Box 3111  
 Courtenay, B.C. V9N 5N3  
 Tel: (250) 703-0907  
 Fax: (250) 703-0905  
 First year: 1979  
 Location: near Courtenay  
 Species: Chum, chinook, coho, pink and steelhead

### Conuma River Hatchery

Box 247, Tahsis, B.C. V0P 1X0  
 Tel: (250) 283-7148  
 Fax: (250) 283-7148  
 First year: 1979  
 Location: near Tahsis  
 Species: Chum, chinook, coho, steelhead

## BARRY CORDOCEDO:

## Central west coast of Vancouver Island, east to Nanaimo, south to Chemainus



*“OHEB Community Stewardship groups continue to show commitment and involvement towards protecting and restoring fish habitat and salmon stocks. Project activities include: conservation, enhancement, habitat assessment and restoration, adult and juvenile surveys, stewardship and education.*

*Increasingly, groups are becoming active in watershed stewardship as well and that offers hope for the future of Vancouver Island streams and their fish stocks.”*

*– Barry Cordocedo, CA*

## Alberni Salmon Enhancement Society

Jake Leyenaar (250) 723-5143  
 6231 Moore Road  
 Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 7J8  
 First year: 1979  
 Activity: Incubation and fry stocking  
 Location: Rogers, Kitsukis and Beaver Creeks  
 Persons: 25  
 Species: Coho

## Alberni Valley Enhancement Association (AVEA)

Dave Chitty (250) 723-3242  
 6666 Horne Lake Road  
 Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 8T6  
 First year: 1995  
 Activity: Education, habitat protection, assessment, restoration, stock enhancement  
 Location: Port Alberni  
 Persons: 50



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## **Bonsall Watershed Committee**

Bert Thomas (250) 246-2330  
RR 1 Chemainus Road  
Chemainus, B.C. V0R 1K0  
First year: 1994  
Activity: Habitat assessment and restoration  
Location: Chemainus  
Persons: 30  
Species: Coho and chum

## **Chemainus First Nation**

John Elliot (250) 245-7155  
12611 Trans-Canada Highway  
Ladysmith, B.C. V9G 1M5  
Activity: Habitat/stock assessment, enhancement, fry salvage and education

## **Cherry Creek**

### **Enhancement Society**

Dave Chitty (250) 723-3242  
6666 Horne Lake Road  
Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 8T6  
First year: 1990  
Activity: Habitat improvement, juvenile assessment, education  
Persons: 50  
Location: Cherry Creek

## **Halalt First Nation**

Bert Thomas (250) 246-4736  
RR 1 Chemainus Road  
Chemainus, B.C. V0R 1K0  
First year: 1992  
Activity: Habitat improvement, stock enhancement, education  
Location: Chemainus River, Bonsall Creek  
Persons: 4  
Species: Coho, chum

## **Huu-ay-aht First Nation**

(Pachina River, under direction of Nitinat Hatchery)  
Stefan Ochman  
P.O. Box 70  
Bamfield, B.C. V0R 1B0  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Hatchery and public awareness  
Location: Pachena River  
Species: Coho

## **Ladysmith Sportsmen's Club**

David Judson (250) 245-3690  
Box 623, 426 Root Street  
Ladysmith, B.C. V9G 1A4  
First year: 1993

Activity: Incubation, stocking and education  
Location: Bush, Walker, Holland, Stocking and Rocky Creeks  
Persons: 15 staff and volunteers  
Species: Coho and chum

## **Lantzville/Nanoose Streamkeepers**

John Dunn (250) 390-4229  
7090 Winsow  
Lantzville, B.C. V0R 2H0  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Habitat assessment, restoration, stock assessment and fry salvage  
Location: Lantzville and Nanoose  
Persons: 20  
Species: Chum and coho

## **Lyackson First Nation**

Christin Tomas (250) 246-5019  
9137 Chemainus  
Chemainus, B.C. V0R 1K0  
Activity: Habitat assessment, restoration, stock enhancement, fry salvage, education  
Species: Coho, chinook and chum

## **Malaspina College**

Frank Dalzeil (250) 740-6370  
900 – 5th Street  
Nanaimo, B.C. V9R 5S5  
First year: 1985  
Activity: Hatchery, assessment, education  
Location: Chase River  
Persons: 40  
Species: Coho

## **Nanaimo Area Land Trust**

Gail Adrienne (250) 714-1990  
#8 – 140 Wallace Street  
Nanaimo, B.C. V9R 5B1  
Activity: Stewardship

## **Nanaimo River Stewardship Society (CEDP)**

Henry Bob and Brian Banks (250) 245-7780  
PO Box 281  
Nanaimo, B.C. V0R 1H0  
First year: 1979  
Activity: Hatchery, lake and sea pens, education and assessment  
Location: Nanaimo River  
Persons: 5  
Species: Coho, chinook, chum and pink

## **Nanoose First Nation**

Howie Edwards (250) 390-3661  
209 Mallard Way  
Lantzville, B.C. V0R 2H0  
Activity: Habitat and stock assessment, enhancement, fry salvage and education

## **Peneelakut Band**

Bruce Thomas (250) 246-2321  
Kuper Island, B.C. V0R 1K0  
Activity: Habitat assessment and restoration, stock enhancement, fry salvage and education

## **Sea Spring Farms**

David Groaves (250) 246-9191  
2694 Mount Sicker Road  
Chemainus, B.C. V0R 1K0  
First year: 1982  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Chemainus River  
Persons: 7  
Species: Chinook

## **Shannon Farms**

Danny Shannon (250) 724-0537  
8973 Marlowe Road  
Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 8N7  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Enhancement, stewardship  
Location: Deer, Spaht, Beaver Creeks  
Persons: 3  
Species: Coho

## **Snuneymuxw First Nation**

Paul Wyse-Seward (250) 740-2316  
668 Centre Street  
Nanaimo, B.C. V9R 4Z4  
First year: 1992  
Activity: Nanaimo R. stock assessment

## **Sproat Lake Salmon Enhancement**

Phil Edgell (250) 724-6244  
9231 Faber Road  
Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 9C3  
First year: 1993  
Activities: Habitat improvement, fry salvage, assessment and enhancement  
Location: Sproat Lake

## **Thornton Creek Volunteers**

Doug Kimoto (250) 726-4236  
PO Box 77  
Ucluelet, B.C. V0R 3A0  
First year: 1981  
Activity: Habitat restoration  
Location: Ucluelet  
Persons: 18  
Species: Coho

## **Tla-o-qui-aht First Nations (CEDP)**

Terry Tom (250) 725-3233  
Box 18  
Tofino, B.C. V0R 2Z0  
First year: 1984  
Activity: Moist cassette incubation, lake and sea pens  
Location: Kennedy River  
Persons: 5  
Species: Chinook

## **Tofino Salmon Enhancement Society**

Mike White (250) 725-3435  
Box 42, Tofino, B.C. V0R 2Z0  
First year: 1985  
Activity: Hatchery, sea pens, education  
Location: Cypre, Tranquil and Kootowis Rivers  
Persons: 12  
Species: Coho and chinook

## **Tofino Streamkeepers Society**

Gary Thomas (250) 725-1259  
902 Jensen Bay Road  
PO Box 885, Tofino, B.C. V0R 2Z0  
First year: 2004  
Activity: Habitat restoration, stewardship  
Location: Tofino  
Persons: 32  
Species: Coho

## **Thornton Creek Enhancement Society (CEDP)**

Richie Smith (250) 726-7566  
Box 255, Ucluelet, B.C. V0R 3A0  
First year: 1981  
Activity: Hatchery, lake pens and education  
Location: Thornton Creek  
Persons: 3-plus  
Species: Coho, chinook and chum

## Education

**Education coordinators:**  
**Don Lowen (250) 388-4756**  
**Christy Wilson (250) 756-7369**

The Nanaimo school program continues to be popular and beneficial in the Nanaimo and Ladysmith areas.

In School District 68, 30 schools participate in the Stream to Sea program, which involves approximately 2,000 students. Activities include classroom incubation, the field trip program Gently Down the Stream at the Nanaimo community hatchery and Ladysmith hatchery, and storm drain marking. Coho and chum eggs are supplied to schools by Nanaimo River CEDP, Chase River and Ladysmith Sportsman's Club PIP hatcheries. The Nanaimo CEDP have expanded their educational program to include a spring component which focuses on habitat issues.

The Alberni school program continues to be popular and successful. It includes 20 classroom incubation projects, and the very popular Gently Down the Creek field program, which consists of forestry, invertebrate and stream survey components. The program has added a marine/oceans section. Local volunteer enhancement groups and Robertson Creek hatchery staff support the school program.

## Major Enhancement Facilities

**Nitinat River Hatchery**  
 P.O. Box 369  
 Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 7M8  
 Tel: (250) 745-3321  
 Fax: (250) 745-3416  
 First year: 1980  
 Location: West Coast of Vancouver Island  
 Species: Coho, chinook, chum

**Robertson Creek Hatchery**  
 Box 1100  
 Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 7L9  
 Tel: (250) 724-6521  
 Fax: (250) 724-6603  
 First year: 1972  
 Location: Port Alberni  
 Species: Coho, chinook and steelhead

## TOM RUTHERFORD:

## Lower Vancouver Island, including the southern Gulf Islands and Cowichan River watershed

### CERCA (Coastal Environmental Restoration Co-operative Association)

Kevin Jancowski (250) 595-6666  
 1730 Albert Street  
 Victoria, B.C. V8R 1Z1  
 kjancows@pacificcoast.net  
 First year: 1997  
 Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat restoration, habitat inventory  
 Location: South Vancouver Island  
 Persons: 5

### Cowichan Fly Fishers

Bill Pannell (250) 743-4484  
 1389 Nelson Cobble Hill, B.C. V0R 1L0  
 First year: 2000  
 Activity: Capture and transport of adult coho; community education and awareness  
 Location: Shawnigan Creek  
 Persons: 30  
 Species: Coho

### Cowichan Community Land Trust Society

Anne Archibald (250) 746-0227  
 6-55 Station Street  
 Duncan, B.C.  
 First Year: 2000  
 Activity: Streamkeepers, Watershed Stewardship, Education and Awareness  
 Location: Cowichan Valley  
 Persons: 20

### Cowichan Tribes: Cowichan River Hatchery

Don (JR) Elliott (250) 746-5741  
 5760 Allenby Road  
 Duncan, B.C. V9L 5J1  
 Don.Elliott@cowichantribes.com  
 First year: 1977  
 Activity: Hatchery and sea pens, fry salvage, adult counting fence, rotary screw trapping, education and awareness  
 Location: Cowichan River  
 Persons: 6 plus seasonal  
 Species: Chinook and coho

### Cowichan Valley Naturalists

David Aldcroft  
 Box 361, Duncan, B.C. V9L 3X5  
 First Year: 2002  
 Activity: Streamkeepers, Habitat inventory and restoration, community awareness and education  
 Location: Cowichan Valley  
 Persons: 30

### Duncan Christian School Streamkeepers

Leon Van Essen (250) 746-3654  
 495 Beech, Duncan, B.C. V9L 3J8  
 First year: 2002  
 Activity: Streamkeepers, juvenile assessment, water quality and monitoring  
 Location: Somenos Creek  
 Persons: 25

### Esquimalt Anglers

J.K. Saunders (250) 384-9484  
 1101 Munroe Avenue  
 Victoria, B.C. V9A 5P1  
 First year: 1992  
 Activity: Net pen rearing, operation of juvenile and adult counting fence

Location: Craigflower Creek, Esquimalt Harbour  
 Persons: 25  
 Species: Chinook

### Esquimalt Lagoon Stewardship Initiative

Jody Watson (250) 360-3065  
 625 Fisgard Street  
 Victoria, B.C. V8W 1R7  
 jwatson@crd.bc.ca  
 First year: 2003  
 Activity: Watershed planning, Streamkeepers, salmon stock assessment, habitat restoration  
 Persons: 25

### Fish First

Val Wilson  
 1650 Koksilah Road  
 Duncan, B.C. V9L 6E2  
 Fishfirst@telus.net  
 First year: 2000  
 Activity: Habitat restoration, stock assessment and mapping  
 Location: Cowichan Valley  
 Persons: 3



*"South Vancouver Island volunteers, First Nations, and ENGOs continue to increase the level, scope, and scale of their involvement in projects and processes directed at protecting, conserving, and enhancing our freshwater and marine ecosystems.*

*Levels of commitment, dedication, and technical expertise demonstrated by South Island residents have reached new levels of excellence in a wide variety of activities including salmon stock assessment and enhancement; freshwater and marine habitat mapping, inventory, and restoration; watershed and water use planning; education and outreach; and the conservation of aquatic species at risk. By continuing to display the ability and motivation to play a leadership role in the stewardship of our aquatic resources and the habitats that support them, South Island residents give good cause for optimism in these challenging times."*

*- Tom Rutherford, CA*

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## Friends of Bowker Creek

Ian Graeme (250) 370-1271  
2615 Dean Avenue  
Victoria, B.C. V8R 4X5  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Streamkeepers,  
watershed planning,  
habitat and education  
Location: Bowker Creek  
Persons: 20

## Friends of Mount Douglas Park Society

Bob Bridgeman (250) 477-7464  
1481 Elnido Road  
Victoria, B.C. V8N 4Z7  
Rbridge@shaw.ca  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Streamkeepers,  
water quality/quantity  
monitoring, modelling,  
stock restoration  
& assessment,  
community outreach,  
stormwater  
management  
Location: Douglas Creek  
Persons: 200  
Species: Coho and chum

## Friends of Pat Bay Watershed Society

Patsy McAvery (250) 656-2732  
717 Towner Park, Sidney, B.C.  
V8L 5L8  
First Year: 2004  
Activity: Watershed  
Stewardship  
Location: Sidney  
Persons: 20

## Friends of Tod Creek Watershed

Mary Haig-Brown  
(250) 479-8801  
237 Meadowbrook, Victoria, B.C.  
V9E 1J5  
First Year: 2003  
Activity: Stewardship,  
watershed planning,  
habitat restoration,  
education/awareness  
Location: Tod Creek Watershed  
Persons: 10

## Galiano Conservancy Association

Ken Millard (250) 539-2424  
1B-2540 Sturdies Bay Road  
Galiano Island, B.C.  
galianoconservancy  
@gulflslands.com  
First Year: 2003  
Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat  
restoration, salmon  
stock restoration,  
education and  
awareness  
Location: Galiano Island  
Persons: 10

## Goldstream Volunteer Salmonid Enhancement Association

Peter McCully (250) 474-6698  
21-759 Sanctuary Court  
Victoria, B.C. V8X 5L6  
salmonrule@shaw.ca  
First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery, habitat  
improvement, stock  
assessment, education  
and awareness  
Location: Goldstream River  
Persons: 50  
Species: Chinook, coho and  
chum

## Hagan Creek Watershed Project

Misty MacDuffee (250) 363-6837  
2365 Tryon Road  
Sidney, B.C. V8L 5H8  
Macduffeem@pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Streamkeepers, water  
quality monitoring,  
education and  
awareness  
Location: Hagan Creek  
Persons: 30  
Species: Cutthroat

## Island Stream and Enhancement Society

Kathy Reimer (250) 537-8983  
P.O. Box 3301, Ganges P.O.  
Saltsping Island, B.C. V8K 2V9  
Thesalmonladies@saltsping.com  
First year: 1984  
Activity: Hatchery, habitat  
restoration, habitat  
inventory and mapping,  
Streamkeepers,  
Shorekeepers,  
education and  
awareness  
Location: Saltsping I. streams  
Persons: 30  
Species: Coho and chum

## Lake Cowichan Salmonid Enhancement Society

Phil Birosh (250) 749-0119  
Box 432  
Lake Cowichan, B.C. V0R 2G0  
First year: 1982  
Activity: Hatchery, fry salvage,  
stock assessment,  
habitat restoration,  
education and  
awareness  
Location: Lake Cowichan  
Persons: 30  
Species: Coho and chum

## Mill Bay and District Conservation Society

Dave Nelson (250) 743-7304  
1401 Carlton Drive,  
Cobble Hill, B.C. V0R 1L0  
c.nelson@shaw.ca  
First year: 1979  
Activity: Adult transport and  
education  
Location: Shawnigan Creek  
Persons: 30  
Species: Coho

## Pender Island Conservancy Association

Leila Clogg (250) 629-3078  
P.O. Box 52  
Pender Island, B.C.  
V0N 2M0  
pica@gulflslands.com  
First Year: 2004  
Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat  
inventory  
Location: Pender Island  
Persons: 20

## Peninsula Streams

Ian Bruce (250) 363-6596  
P.O. Box 6000  
9860 W. Saanich Road  
Sidney, B.C. V8L 4B2  
brucei@pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca  
First year: 2003  
Activity: Stream Stewardship,  
watershed Planning,  
education and  
awareness  
Location: Saanich Peninsula  
Persons: 60

## Portage Inlet Salmonid Society

Jack Stidston (250) 385-4205  
935 Inskip Street  
Victoria, B.C. V9A 4J6  
First year: 1986  
Activity: Brood capture, support  
to other PIP groups  
Location: Craigflower Creek  
Persons: 4  
Species: Coho

## Queen Margaret's Streamkeepers

Lynn Daniel (250) 746-4185  
660 Brownsey Street  
Duncan, B.C.  
lynndaniel@shaw.ca  
First year: 2003  
Activity: Streamkeepers,  
education and  
awareness  
Location: Holmes Creek  
Persons: 120

## Saanich Inlet Preservation Society

Denis Coupland (250) 652-2172  
7219 E. Saanich Road  
Saanichton, B.C.  
V8M 1Y4  
First Year: 2000  
Activities: Shorekeepers,  
watershed stewardship,  
habitat restoration  
Location: Saanich Inlet  
Persons: 30

## Saint Michael's University School Streamkeepers

Simone Kuklinski (250) 592-2411  
3400 Richmond Road  
Victoria, B.C. V8P 4P5  
skuklins@smus.ca  
First Year: 2000  
Activity: Shorekeepers,  
Streamkeepers,  
education, awareness,  
habitat restoration  
Location: Victoria  
Persons: 30

## San Juan Enhancement Society

Mr. & Mrs. Tremblay  
(250) 647-5568  
4 Queetso Drive  
Port Renfrew, B.C. V0S 1K0  
First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery, net pens,  
stock assessment  
Location: San Juan watershed  
Persons: 2 plus seasonal  
Species: Chinook, coho

## Saturna Island Group

Rick Jones (250) 539-2641  
P.O. Box 14  
Saturna Island, B.C. V0N 2Y0  
Jonesco@gulflslands.com  
First year: 1992  
Activity: Incubation box, habitat  
restoration, salmonid  
stock assessment,  
awareness, education  
Location: Lyall Creek  
Persons: 5  
Species: Chum, coho, cutthroat

## Seachange Marine Conservation Society

Nikki Wright (250) 652-1662  
P.O. Box 75  
Brentwood Bay, B.C.  
seachange@shaw.ca  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Marine habitat mapping and restoration, education and awareness  
Location: coastal B.C.  
Persons: 6

## Shawnigan Lake School

Scott Noble (250) 743-5516  
1975 Renfrew Road  
Shawnigan Lake, B.C. V0R 2W0  
Snoble@sls.bc.ca  
First year: 1980  
Activity: Hatchery, stock assessment, education and Streamkeepers  
Location: Shawnigan Creek  
Persons: 70  
Species: Chum and coho

## Sh-hwuykwselu Streamkeepers

Kathy O'Donnell (250) 748-3138  
5265 Polkey Road  
Duncan, B.C. V9L 6W3  
Kodonnell@sd79.bc.ca  
First year: 2001  
Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat restoration, education and awareness  
Location: Sh-hwuykwselu Creek  
Persons: 140

## Sidney Anglers

Tom Davis (250) 474-1603  
1209 Kangaroo Road  
Victoria, B.C. V9C 4C6  
First year: 1982  
Activity: Habitat restoration, netpen rearing program, watershed planning  
Location: Reay Creek  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho, chinook

## Society for the Protection of Ayum Creek

Gwenn Griff (250) 642-6474  
P.O. Box 1282  
Sooke, B.C. V0S 1N0  
Cgriff642@telus.net  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Habitat restoration, education and awareness, stock assessment  
Location: Ayum Creek  
Persons: 40  
Species: Coho, cutthroat, chum, steelhead

## Sooke Salmon Enhancement Society

Glen Varney (250) 642-5490  
Box 947  
Sooke, B.C. V0S 1N0  
Benvar@shaw.ca  
First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery, stock assessment, habitat restoration, education and awareness  
Location: Sooke River, deMamie Creek  
Persons: 78  
Species: Chinook and coho

## Tatlow Creek Streamkeepers

Chelsea Garside  
1050 Hillgrove  
Sidney, B.C. V8L 5R8  
cgarside@canada.com  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Watershed stewardship, water quality sampling and habitat restoration  
Location: Tatlow Creek  
Persons: 6

## Veins of Life Society

Peter Dixon (250) 383-2086  
Victoria, B.C.  
dixonpt@pacificcoast.net  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Marine mammal monitoring, habitat restoration, education and awareness  
Location: Saanich Sea  
Persons: 25

## Village Bay Ratepayers Association

Jacob Boldt (250) 539-2039  
263 Mariners Way  
Mayne Island, B.C. V4G 7C1  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Habitat restoration and chum enhancement  
Location: Deacon Creek  
Persons: 6  
Species: Chum

## Watershed Stewardship Project

L. Ross (250) 479-4014  
Strawberry Vale School  
1351 Hastings Street  
Saanich, B.C. V8Z 2W4  
First year: 1994  
Activity: Streamkeepers, education and awareness  
Location: Victoria area streams  
Persons: 600 students plus teachers

## Watership Foundation

Don Lowen (250) 388-4756  
3731 Winston Crescent  
Victoria, B.C. V8X 1S2  
h2oship@shaw.ca  
First year: 1992  
Activity: Fundraising partnerships for classroom incubation, storm drain marking, streamkeepers equipment and materials.  
Location: South Vancouver I.  
Persons: 5 plus 3,000 students

## Wsikem-TenTen Stewardship Project

Ian Bruce (250) 363-6596  
P.O. Box 6000  
9860 W. Saanich Road  
Sidney, B.C. V8L 4B2  
Brucel@pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca  
Activity: Stream stewardship, habitat restoration and water quality monitoring  
Location: Wsikem, TenTen Creeks  
Persons: 5

## Education

**Education coordinators:**  
**Don Lowen (250) 388-4756**  
**Christy Wilson (250) 756-7369**

More than 130 schools participate in the Fisheries and Oceans Stream to Sea educational program on South Vancouver Island. Activities include classroom incubation, salmon dissections, field trips to local streams, rivers, and hatcheries, storm drain marking, and curriculum in-services for area teachers. Thousands of South Island students each year participate in hands-on learning experiences that demonstrate the fragility and importance of our watersheds – the importance to us and all the other organisms they support.

## Major Enhancement Facilities

### Nitinat River Hatchery

P.O. Box 369  
Port Alberni, B.C. V9Y 7M8  
Tel: (250) 745-3321  
Fax: (250) 745-3416  
First year: 1980  
Location: Nitinat Lake  
Species: Coho, chum and chinook

# South Coast

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## Sunshine Coast and Howe Sound, Port Mellon to Desolation Sound

### Desolation Sound Salmonid Enhancement Society

Rob Smeal (604) 203-1578  
General Delivery  
Refuge Cove, B.C.  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Habitat restoration/  
stock enhancement  
Location: Refuge Cove,  
Desolation Sound  
Persons: 10

### Gambier Island Streamkeepers

Lois Kennedy Payne  
(604) 886-4887  
RR#3, Gambier Island C30  
Gambier Island, B.C. V0N 1V0  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat  
restoration and  
education  
Location: Gambier Island  
Persons: 12

### Pender Harbour and District Wildlife Society

Billy Griffith (604) 883-2434  
General Delivery, Egmont, B.C.  
V0N 1N0  
First year: 1981  
Activity: Hatchery, habitat  
Location: Pender Harbour  
Persons: 12  
Species: Coho and chum

### Powell River Salmon Society (CEDP)

Shayne Dobler (604) 483-9440  
6270 Yew Street  
Powell River, B.C. V8A 4K1  
e-mail: dobler4@shaw.ca  
First year: 1982  
Activity: Hatchery and  
spawning channel  
Location: Lang Creek,  
Powell River  
Staff: 3  
Species: Chinook, coho, chum  
and pink

### Sargeant Bay Society

Joop Burgerjon (604) 885-9308  
P.O. Box 1486  
Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0  
First year: 1993  
Activity: Habitat and education  
Location: Sargeant's Bay, Sechelt  
Persons: 12

### Sechelt Project (CEDP)

Sid Quinn (604) 885-2273  
Sechelt Band  
Box 740, Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0  
First year: 1980  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Porpoise Bay,  
Sechelt Inlet  
Staff: 1.5  
Species: Chinook, coho, chum  
and pink

### Sechelt Creek Contracting

Ken Sneddon  
Box 2450, Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Habitat and education  
Location: Howe Sound, Gibsons  
Persons: 6  
Species: Coho, chum and  
cutthroat



*"The Sunshine Coast continues to offer numerous terminal sport fishing opportunities for coho and chinook. Volunteer groups are developing long term habitat projects to restore and enhance local wild stocks of salmonids."*

– Grant McBain, CA

### Sliammon Project (CEDP)

Floyd George (604) 483-4111  
Sliammon Band  
RR1, Sliammon Road  
Powell River, B.C. V8A 4Z3  
First year: 1979  
Activity: Hatchery  
Location: Sliammon River,  
Powell River  
Staff: 3  
Species: Chinook, coho, chum  
and pink

### Sunshine Coast Salmonid Enhancement Society

Bob Anstead (604) 885-4136  
4381 Parkway Drive  
Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A1  
First year: 1990  
Activity: Hatchery  
Persons: 50  
Location: Sechelt  
Species: Chinook, coho, chum  
and pink

### Spawn to be Wild

Gertrude Pacific (604) 885-3797  
RR#3, Sandy Hook C128  
Sechelt, B.C. V0N 3A0  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat  
and education  
Location: Sechelt  
Persons: 12

### Terminal Forest Products

Rob Lidden (604) 886-7033  
Box 1188, Gibsons, B.C. V0N 1V0  
First year: 1982  
Activity: Habitat and hatchery  
Location: Oulet Creek, Gibsons  
Persons: 6  
Species: Chum

### Education

#### Education Coordinator: Dianne Sanford (604) 885-6283

All south Sunshine Coast schools have incubation tanks for Salmonids in the Classroom and the Powell River education program is expanding. Stream Teams are active in all high schools, taking part in Streamkeeper training and volunteer hours.

# Lower Fraser

## Community Involvement Staff

### Area Chief:

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No e-mail



#### Eastern Fraser Valley: Mission/Abbotsford, east to Boston Bar

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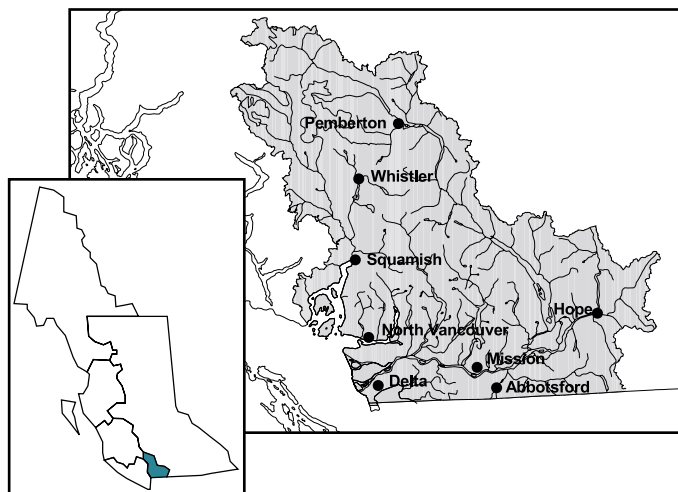
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### Education Coordinator:

#### Lower Mainland schools in 14 districts from West Vancouver to Hope

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### ROB BELL-IRVING: West Vancouver, Howe Sound to Anderson Lake

#### Bowen Island Fish and Wildlife Club

Mike Von Zuben (604) 947-0630  
RR#1 – AL 36  
Bowen Island, B.C. V0N 1G0  
Manana1@shaw.ca  
First year: 1984

Activity: Fish ladders, hatchery, habitat improvement, public awareness and education. Land and watershed management planning, water-use planning, oceans foreshore restoration.

Location: Terminal, Davies Creeks  
Persons: 20  
Species: Coho and chum; cutthroat trout; unique Grafton Lake kokanee

#### Britannia Beach Streamkeepers

Pam Tattersfield (604) 896-2434  
tattersfield@telus.net  
Activity: watershed planning, mining and contaminated site reclamation, habitat restoration, oceans stewardship, enhancement

Persons: 6  
Species: all aquatic organisms, fresh and salt water and all Britannia area wildlife

#### Furry Creek Streamkeepers

Pam Van Tine (604) 896-0195  
Dave Rittberg (604) 896-2212  
First year: 2001  
Persons: 20  
Activities: Habitat restoration, watershed planning, assessment, education

Species: Chinook, coho, chum, pinks, char, cutthroat, rainbow trout

#### Mt. Currie First Nations

Liz Jones (604) 894-6145  
Activity: Watershed planning, habitat restoration, salmon inventories and education  
Persons: 30  
Species: Sockeye, chinook, chum, coho, pink, trout, char

#### Northshore Wetland Partners

Paul Berlinguette (604) 929-2756  
Activity: Wetland keeping and planning, water and land management  
Persons: 20  
Species: all aquatic organisms

#### North Vancouver Outdoor School

Victor Elderton (604) 898-5422  
Box 250, Brackendale V0N 1H0  
www.nvos.ca  
First year: 1981  
Activity: Hatchery, education, spawning channel, watershed and water-use planning  
Location: Cheakamus River  
Persons: School staff  
Species: Coho, chum, pink, steelhead and chinook

# Lower Fraser



*“My area is very diverse, ranging from the rural D’Arcy-Pemberton Valley area to the very urban Whistler and West Vancouver communities, the island community of Bowen Island, and the “Recreation Capital of Canada”, Squamish. In addition to the core Public Involvement programs (enhancement, stream protection, habitat advocacy, education), all the ecologically-based groups participate in the Streamkeepers Program, as well as local water and land-use planning issues, habitat restoration, habitat mapping, salmonid assessments, community awareness, youth education and activities, fund-raising, oceans stewardship activities and habitat protection. We enjoy excellent cooperation from Tenderfoot and Capilano hatcheries, and much assistance from our Lower Fraser OHEB Restoration team, biologist Matt Foy and engineer Harold Beardmore. My volunteer groups greatly appreciate the work, assistance, support and cooperation from DFO Habitat Staff: Dave Nanson, Corino Salomi, Ann Bussell, Conservation and Protection’s Dave Loop, Murray Gilchrist and Rob Harris, and our provincial colleagues at MWLAP, Steve Rochetta, Rob Knight, and Chris Doyle. We also work regularly with Doug Swanston, a Marine Biologist (Seacology), in organizing Oceans educational field trips for students in local area schools.”*

– Rob Bell-Irving, CA

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**N’Quatqua First Nations – D’Arcy/Anderson Lake**  
Ernest Armann (604) 452-3221  
Band Manager  
Activity: Watershed planning, education, enhancement and habitat restoration  
Persons: 15  
Species: Sockeye, coho, pink, chinook, trout, char

**Pemberton – Lillooet Agricultural Stewardship Society**  
Lisa Helmer (604) 938-7255  
Activity: Agricultural stewardship  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho, trout, char, pink, chum, sockeye, chinook

**Pemberton Sportsmen’s Wildlife Association**  
Hugh Naylor (604) 894-6402  
Lisa Helmer (604) 894-1631  
Box 221, Pemberton, V0N 2L0  
First year: 1985  
Activity: Hatchery, habitat improvement, youth education, assessment, watershed planning  
Location: Birkenhead, Upper Lillooet rivers  
Persons: 20  
Species: Coho, chinook, steelhead, bull trout, rainbow trout, cutthroat, dolly varden, pink, chum

**Sewell’s Landing Marina**  
Dan and Megan Sewell (604) 921-3474  
6695 Nelson Avenue  
West Vancouver, B.C. V7W 2B2  
First year: 1984  
Activity: Ocean stewardship activities  
Location: Horseshoe Bay, Howe Sound  
Persons: Sewell’s staff  
Species: All aquatic saltwater ecosystems

**Squamish River Watershed Society**  
Edith Tobe (604) 898-9171  
Box 1791  
Garibaldi Highlands, B.C. V0N 3G0  
First year: 1998  
Activities: Coordination, training, habitat and biological inventory, assessment, monitoring, habitat restoration and public awareness; watershed and water-use planning, oceans stewardship  
Location: Squamish River  
Persons: 20

**Squamish Sea to Sky Corridor Streamkeepers**  
Jack Cooley (604) 898-5196  
j-cooley@shaw.ca  
Dr. Jonn Matsen  
drjonn@shaw.ca  
First year: 2000  
Activities: Streamkeepers, spawner assessments, habitat restoration,

watershed planning, oceans shorekeepers activities, enhancement  
Location: Squamish  
Persons: 25  
Species: Chum, steelhead, coho, dolly varden char, Chinook, pinks, cutthroat trout

**Upper Birkenhead Watershed Stewardship Group**  
Rhonda Johnson (604) 590-5470  
Activity: Watershed planning, habitat restoration, education and monitoring  
Persons: 20  
Species: Kokanee, bull trout, chinook, cutthroat, rainbow and sockeye

**West Vancouver Streamkeepers**  
Hugh Hamilton (604) 922-7828  
P.O. Box 91166  
West Vancouver, B.C. V7V 3N6  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Habitat inventory and improvement, hatchery, water-use, land and watershed planning, oceans-urban foreshore, stewardship-shorekeeper activities, adult and youth education  
Location: West Vancouver streams  
Persons: 20 volunteers  
Species: Coho, chum, cutthroat and trout

**Whistler Fisheries Stewardship**  
Heather Beresford (604) 935-8323  
Activity: Watershed planning, habitat restoration, education, assessment  
Persons: 30  
Species: Bull trout, kokanee, dolly varden, rainbow, cutthroat

## Education

There are 20 schools in my area (D’Arcy to West Vancouver). All use Salmonids in the Classroom, classroom aquariums and other activities. I also have three high schools participating in salmonid assessments, egg-takes, and juvenile salmonid fry outplanting programs. This spring, schools in Squamish, Pemberton, and Mt. Currie will be engaging in Storm Drain Marking. Schools in Squamish, Mt. Currie, and N’Quatqua often develop their own, very innovative and creative education programs. The Whistler Stewardship Group has adapted the traditional Salmonids in the Classroom to better reflect their alpine ecosystem environment. The elementary schools in Squamish are increasingly engaging in Oceans Stewardship field study programs, employing a variety of marine biologists to conduct field trip studies through their Community Advisor.

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D’Arcy, Pemberton and Whistler area  
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## Major Enhancement Facilities

**Tenderfoot Hatchery**  
Box 477  
Brackendale, B.C. V0N 1H0  
Tel: (604) 898-3657  
Fax: (604) 898-5692  
First year: 1981  
Location: North of Squamish  
Species: Chinook, coho, pink (in odd-numbered years)

## SANDIE HOLLICK-KENYON: Burrard Inlet, Indian Arm, Vancouver

### Belcarra Beachkeepers

Jo Ledingham (604) 939-0047  
Ledingham@moody.bc.ca  
Lynn Castagner (604) 520-6442  
9146 Avalon Ave,  
Burnaby, BC, V3N 4G8  
Lynn.castagner@gvrd.bc.ca  
Activity: Education  
Location: Belcarra Beach  
Persons: 24  
Since: 1998

### Buntzen Bay Residents

Valerie Linton (604) 461-3227  
2945 Panorama Drive  
North Vancouver, B.C. V7G 2A4  
Valerie\_linton@yahoo.com  
Activity: Hatchery, seapen  
rearing  
Location: Richards Creek  
Persons: 15  
Species: chum, coho  
Since: 1981

### Burnaby Fish and Game Club

Herb Karras (604) 435-7572  
Box 570, 141-6200 McKay Ave.  
Burnaby, BC, V5H 4M9  
Activity: Seapen rearing  
Location: Burrard Inlet  
Persons: 20  
Since: 1990

### Burrard Inlet Marine Enhancement Society (BIMES)

Centennial High School  
Kyle Pilon (604) 619-1737  
300 loco Road  
Port Moody, BC  
Mossomchum@hotmail.com  
Activity: Hatchery,  
education, seapen,  
school support,  
Streamkeepers  
Location: Mossom Creek  
Persons: 70  
Species: coho, chum  
Since: 1976

### Hutchinson Creek Project

Larry Cardus (604) 469-9255  
10 Parkglen  
Port Moody, BC, V3H 4L1  
Activity: Incubation box and  
short term rearing  
Location: Hutchinson Creek  
Persons: release with local  
schools and  
neighbourhood kids  
Species: coho, chum  
Since: 1992

### Maplewood Creek Project

Tom Young (604) 921-1961  
or (604) 929-3108  
2012 Old Dollarton Road  
North Vancouver, BC, V7H 1H4  
Activity: Habitat improvement  
Location: Maplewood Creek  
Persons: 20  
Since: 1990

### Morten Creek Project

Zo Ann Morten (604) 986-5059  
720 Orwell Street,  
North Vancouver, BC V7J 2G3  
Email: zmorten@shaw.ca  
Website: www.members.shaw.ca  
/mortencreek/index.html  
Activity: Habitat improvement,  
hatchery, education,  
Streamkeeper activities  
Location: Lynn Creek and  
tributaries  
Persons: 65  
Species: coho, chum  
Since: 1988

### Mosquito Creek Stewardship Society

Karen R. Milne (604) 986-6715  
PO Box 86250  
North Vancouver BC V7M 4J8  
www.mosquitocreek.org  
Activities: Streamkeepers, fish  
ladder maintenance,  
Location: Mosquito Creek and  
tributaries – Thain,  
Wagg and Mission  
Persons: 12  
Since: 1998

### Musqueam Creek Project

Ryan Mathison (604) 263-3261  
6820 Salish Drive,  
Vancouver, BC, V6N 4C2  
rmathison@musqueam.bc.ca  
Activity: Enhancement,  
restoration, public  
awareness and  
education  
Location: Musqueam watershed  
Persons: 20  
Species: chum

### North Shore Fish and Game Club

Terry Bragg (604) 985-7272  
1846 Draycott Road,  
North Vancouver, BC V7J 1W7  
Activity: Incubation box,  
fishway and  
Streamkeepers

Location: MacKay Creek  
watershed  
Persons: 20  
Species: chum  
Since: 1981

### North Shore Streamkeepers

Karen Munro (604) 988-4072  
3465 Sunset Drive,  
North Vancouver, BC, V7R 4L9  
www.nssk.ca  
Activities: Streamkeepers, habitat  
assessment and  
improvement, spawner  
surveys, stream clean-  
up, public awareness  
Location: North Shore  
watersheds  
Persons: 120  
Since: 1993

### Port Moody Ecological Society (PMES)

Tess Longdale (604) 469-9106  
Noons Creek Hatchery  
300 loco Road,  
Port Moody, BC, V3H 2V7  
pmes@vcn.bc.ca  
www.vcn.bc.ca/pmes  
Activity: Streamkeepers,  
hatchery, education,  
habitat improvement  
Location: Noons Creek  
Persons: 50  
Species: coho, chum, cutthroat  
Since: 1978

### Reed Point Marine Education Centre

Rod MacVicar (604) 937-1600  
Activities: Support for seapen  
rearing projects and  
marine conservation  
and education  
programs

Location: Port Moody Arm  
Persons: 15  
Species: chinook, coho  
Since: 1986

### Schoolhouse North Project

Bob Hinkel (604) 469-1285  
1675 loco Road  
Port Moody, BC, V3H 2X3  
Activity: Habitat improvement  
Location: Schoolhouse North  
Creek  
Persons: 5  
Since: 1998

### Seymour Salmonid Society (CEDP)

Brian Smith (604) 640-9690  
P.O. Box 52221  
North Vancouver, BC. V7J 3V5  
www.seymoursalmon.com  
Activity: Hatchery, education,  
habitat improvement.  
Location: Seymour River  
Persons: 100 plus 3.5 full time  
staff  
Species: coho, chum, pink,  
summer and winter run  
steelhead, cutthroat  
Since: 1977

### Spanish Bank Streamkeepers

Dick Scarth (604) 228-9346  
4433 West 1st Ave.  
Vancouver, BC, V6R 4H9  
Scarth@vcn.bc.ca  
Activity: Enhancement,  
Streamkeepers, public  
awareness  
Location: Spanish Bank Creek  
Persons: 25  
Species: coho, chum  
Since: 2000



*"I am very fortunate to work with so many dedicated and passionate people in a variety of areas ranging from advocacy, education and outreach through to salmon enhancement and restoration work. There is lots of interest in new projects but also an underlying commitment to making sure existing projects are functioning as intended. Thanks so much to all community members and staff who contribute their time and energy to make a difference."*

– Sandie Hollick-Kenyon, CA



# Lower Fraser

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## Still Creek Stewardship Society

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Burnaby, BC V5G 1Z3  
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Activities: Community awareness,  
education  
Location: Still Creek watershed,  
Vancouver  
Persons: 20  
Since: 1998

## Terasen Pipelines

Wayne Arcand (604) 268-3040  
7815 Shellmont Street,  
Burnaby, BC, V5A 4S9  
Activity: Seapen rearing,  
community  
involvement  
Location: Port Moody Arm  
Persons: 6  
Species: chinook, coho  
Since: 1992

## Urban Streams

Karen R. Milne (604) 986-6715  
710 W. 17th Street  
North Vancouver, B.C. V7M 1W2  
postmaster@urbanstreams.org  
www.urbanstreams.org  
Activities: Public awareness  
Location: Pacific Northwest  
Since: 2000

## Vancouver Angling and Game Association

Cal Easter (604) 879-8574  
474 West 21st Avenue  
Vancouver, BC, V5Y 2E7  
Activity: Seapen rearing  
Location: Port Moody Arm  
Persons: 15  
Species: chinook, coho  
Since: 2001

## Vancouver Aquarium and Marine Science Centre

John Fisher (604) 659-3528  
P.O. Box 3232  
Vancouver, BC, V6B 3X8  
Activity: Hatchery, education  
and public awareness  
Persons: 25  
Species: coho, chum, pink  
Since: 1991

## Education

### Education Contacts:

Vancouver School District  
Bev O'Conner (604) 294-2823  
Location: Spanish Bank and  
Beaver Creeks  
Schools: 51  
Species: coho, chum

## North Vancouver School District

Greg Milner (604) 903-3388  
Carrisbrooke Elementary  
Schools: 47  
Species: Coho, chum

## Major Enhancement Facilities

### Capilano River Salmon Hatchery

4500 Capilano Road  
North Vancouver, B.C. V7K 4L3  
Tel: (604) 666-1790  
Fax: (604) 666-1949  
First year: 1971  
Location: North Vancouver  
Species: Chinook, coho and  
steelhead

## MAURICE COULTER-BOISVERT: North side of Fraser River, Burnaby to Mission

### Port Coquitlam & District Hunting and Fishing Club

(Alan Grist Memorial Hatchery)  
Vance Reach (604) 464-3371  
3751 Wellington Street  
Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3B 3Z1  
Activity: Fish culture, habitat  
restoration, public  
awareness, stream  
stewardship  
Location: Coquitlam River  
Species: Coho, chinook and pink  
(odd years)

### ALLCO Hatchery – Alouette Watershed

Ron Maclean (604) 467-6438  
Fraser Regional  
Correctional Centre  
Ministry of B.C. Attorney General  
Box 1000  
Maple Ridge, B.C. V2X 7G3  
First year: 1980 (est.)  
Activity: Coho, steelhead  
and cutthroat  
augmentation. Pink  
and chinook stock  
rebuilding.  
Education and public  
awareness.  
Location: S. Alouette River  
Persons: 2 employees  
12 inmates  
Species: Coho, chinook, pink,  
steelhead and cutthroat

### Alouette River Management Society – Alouette Watershed

Jenny Ljunggren (604) 467-6401  
24959 Alouette Road  
Maple Ridge, B.C. V4R 1R8  
<http://www.alouetteriver.org>  
First year: 1995 (est.)  
Activity: Watershed  
stewardship, habitat  
restoration and  
education

### Balahanian Creek Streamkeepers – Alouette Watershed

Harry Hooge Elementary School  
Keith Rogalski (604) 463-0866  
12280 – 230 Street  
Maple Ridge, B.C. V2X 0P6  
Activity: Streamkeepers and  
education

### Beecher Creek Streamkeepers – Brunette River watershed

8th Northview Scouts  
Jim Atwater (604) 822-4694  
135 N. Howard Avenue  
Burnaby, B.C. V5B 1J6  
Activity: Streamkeepers and  
habitat restoration

### Becker Creek Streamkeepers – Fraser River tributary, Port Coquitlam

Marion Kroeker (604) 942-8564  
1980 Harbour Street  
Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3C 4R5

### Bell-Irving Kanaka Creek Hatchery - Kanaka Watershed

John Heaven (604) 462-8643  
11450 – 256th Street  
Maple Ridge, B.C. V2W 1H1  
First year: 1982  
Activity: Fish culture, stock  
rebuilding fence.  
Education, Storm  
Drain Marking support.  
Habitat protection and  
public awareness.  
Stream stewardship.  
Persons: 2 employees and 6  
volunteers  
Species: Coho, chum, pink (odd  
years)

### Beaver Creek Streamkeepers

Brunette River Watershed  
Dave Sergius (604) 525-4691  
5585 Gilpin  
Burnaby, B.C. V5G 2H8  
Activity: Streamkeepers

### Brown Creek Streamkeepers

Fraser River Tributary  
Grant Ramsay (604) 941-2123  
1411 Morrison Street  
Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3C 2N6  
Activity: Streamkeepers

### Burnaby Lake – South Shore Tributaries – Brunette River Watershed

Bob Henderson (604) 524-3959  
8249 – 18th Avenue  
Burnaby, B.C. V3N 1K4  
Activity: Streamkeepers, Habitat  
restoration

## **Burnaby Lake System Project and Watershed Pledge Program – Brunette watershed**

Bob Gunn (604) 451-6860  
Tom Saare (604) 432-8750  
B.C.I.T., 3700 Willingdon Avenue  
Burnaby, B.C. V5G 3H2  
Activity: Streamkeepers and watershed stewardship

## **Byrne Creek Streamkeepers – Byrne Creek watershed, south slope of Burnaby Stream of Dreams Mural Society**

www.streamofdreams.org  
Joan Carne (604) 433-5125  
6392 Neville Street  
Burnaby, B.C. V5E 1A6  
http://www.byrnecreek.org  
Activity: Streamkeepers: Watershed stewardship, chum and coho transplants (from Kanaka) Stream rehabilitation, assessment, monitoring and advocacy. Stream of Dreams: Watershed and environmental education – school and general public. Workshop may be arranged for any watershed, contact the society.

## **Como Watershed Group**

Fraser River Tributaries  
Pamela Zevit (604) 939-0523  
P.O. Box 47531  
#1 – 1020 Austin Avenue  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3K 6T3  
http://www.vcn.bc.ca/cwg  
Activity: Watershed stewardship, habitat restoration and advocacy

## **Coquitlam River Watershed Society**

President: Tony Matahija (604) 710-0581  
Suite 508 – 34A  
2755 Lougheed Highway  
Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3B 5Y9  
Activity: Watershed stewardship

## **Eagle Creek Streamkeepers – Brunette River Watershed**

Nick Kvenich (604) 420-5651  
2948 Phillips Avenue

Burnaby, B.C. V5A 2W5  
Activity: Streamkeepers

## **Hoy/Scott Watershed Society and Optimist Hatchery – Coquitlam Watershed**

Tim Tyler (604) 945-3024  
1350 Charter Hill Drive  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3E 1R7  
tdtoolman@shaw.ca  
Activity: Coho fish culture, habitat restoration and watershed stewardship

## **Hyde Creek Watershed Society – Pitt River Watershed**

President: Ted Wingrove (604) 803-0483  
1091 Spruce Street  
Port Coquitlam, B.C. V3B 5T9  
http://www.hydecreek.org  
Activity: Fish culture, fish salvage, watershed stewardship, habitat restoration, education  
Location: Hyde Creek in Coquitlam and Port Coquitlam  
Species: Coho and chum

## **Jerry Rogers Creek Streamkeepers – Fraser Watershed, S. Burnaby**

Glen Sergius (604) 522-6362  
6088 – 12 Avenue  
Burnaby, B.C. V3N 2J1  
Activity: Streamkeepers

## **Kanaka Education and Environmental Partnerships Society (KEEPS)**

Dave Smith (604) 462-8643, ext. 2  
11450 - 256 Street  
Maple Ridge, B.C. V2W 1H1  
http://www.keeps.org  
Activity: Watershed stewardship, education, habitat inventory, assessment and monitoring

## **Kaymar Creek Streamkeepers – Fraser River tributary**

Polly Svantun (604) 435-0546  
4130 Irmin Street  
Burnaby, B.C. V5J 1X5  
e-mail: mrsvangtun@shaw.ca  
Activity: Habitat inventory, assessment, monitoring, restoration and advocacy

*“As the maturity and experience of many of the Salmon Enhancement, Streamkeeper, and watershed stewardship volunteers increases, so too does the complexity of circumstances they are involved with. Relationships with staff of regional, municipal, provincial and federal governments and from the corporate sector are ever expanding as are the pressures to develop in urban environments. It is hard to imagine the outcome for the environment in many circumstances were it not for the incredible dedication of the many volunteer resource stewards involved.”*



– Maurice Coulter-Boisvert, CA

## **Maple Creek Streamkeepers – Coquitlam Watershed**

Dianne Ramage (604) 464-1099  
2714 Goldstream Crescent  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3C 5G5  
Activity: Streamkeepers, habitat restoration and education

## **Mundy Creek Streamkeepers – Coquitlam Watershed**

Dave Verner (604) 937-5288  
2509 Arundel Lane  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3K 5R9

## **North Fraser Salmon Assistance Project**

Tony Matahija (604) 710-0581  
581 Hillcrest Street  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3J 6N7  
Activity: Broodstock collection, fence construction, assessment, fin clipping and stream mapping.

## **P.R.A.W.N. (Pitt River Area Watersheds Network)**

Chief Peter Jones (604) 465-8961  
Elaine Golds (604) 937-3483  
10946 Katzie Road  
Pitt Meadows, B.C. V3Y 2G6  
Activity: Watershed Coalition

## **Riverview Creek Streamkeepers – Coquitlam Watershed**

Elaine Golds (604) 937-3483  
554 Yale Road  
Port Moody, B.C. V3H 6K7  
Activity: Streamkeepers, public awareness and education

## **River Springs Salmon Enhancement and Streamkeepers – Coquitlam Watershed**

John Jakse (604) 464-4179  
1269 River Drive  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3E 1N7  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Fish culture, coho enhancement, chinook stock rebuilding, Streamkeepers  
Location: Coquitlam River  
Persons: 2  
Species: Coho, chum, and chinook (transplants)

## **Sapperton Fish & Game Club – Brunette River Watershed**

Elmer Rudolph (604) 521-3346  
Box 40099  
New Westminster Postal Outlet  
New Westminster, B.C. V3L 4X9  
First year: 1997 (hatchery)  
Activity: Fish culture, coho, chum, pink stock rebuilding, Streamkeepers, Habitat restoration, public awareness and education  
Location: Brunette River and tributaries  
Persons: 12  
Species: Coho (Brunette) and Pink and chum transplants from Kanaka

## **Silver Creek Streamkeepers – Brunette River Watershed**

Greg von Euw (604) 421-7139  
3575 Brighton Avenue  
Burnaby, B.C. V5A 3H3  
Activity: Streamkeepers

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## **Stave Valley Salmonid Enhancement Society – Silverdale Creek, Chester Creek and Silvermere Lake watersheds**

Paul Holmgren for Chester Creek (604) 820-9555  
George Donatelli for Silvermere Lake and Tribes. (604) 826-7075

Jim Taylor for Silvermere Creek & education (604) 462-7666  
11744 Statim Road  
Mission, B.C. V2V 6H5  
First year: 1980

Activity: Coho and chum fish culture, education, habitat restoration, watershed stewardship  
Location: Silvermere Lake and tributaries, Silverdale, Thompson and Chester Creeks (Rae and Silvain Creeks)  
Persons: 6-10  
Species: Coho and chum

## **Stoney Creek Environment Committee – Brunette River Watershed**

Jennifer Atchison (604) 420-9132  
2625 Noel Drive  
Burnaby, BC V3J 1J2  
Activity: Watershed stewardship, habitat restoration protection and education

## **Whonnock Creek Streamkeepers – Fraser watershed**

Barry Radelet (604) 462-7385  
27850 – 96 Avenue  
Maple Ridge, B.C. V2W 1L4  
Activity: Streamkeepers

## **Other Environmental Contacts**

### **Rivershed Society of British Columbia**

Fin Donnelly  
201 – 1190 Pipeline Road  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3B 7T9  
Tel: (604) 941-5937  
Fax: (604) 464-4122  
fin@rivershed.com  
http://www.rivershed.com/

### **Education**

More than 2,000 students participate in the Stream to Sea education program. Many schools release salmon fry into local streams where students are encouraged to complete habitat surveys.

Environmental awareness is also promoted in neighbourhoods by marking the storm drains with yellow fish.

### **Education Contacts:**

#### **Burnaby School District**

Coleen Barndt (604) 664-8703  
Gilmore Elementary  
Classroom incubators: 17  
Species: chum  
**Coquitlam School District**  
Kerry Lockwood (604) 469-9926  
Anmore Elementary  
Classroom incubators: 25  
Species: chum

#### **Maple Ridge School District**

John Heaven  
(604) 462-8643  
Bell-Irving Hatchery  
Classroom incubators: 14  
Species: chum

#### **New Westminster School District**

Bev Bowler (604) 980-7602  
Classroom incubators: 6  
Species: chum

## **JOE KAMBEITZ: South side of Fraser River to Abbotsford**



*“In recent seasons, the conservation of Thompson River coho has allowed an abundance of spawning salmon to come into our local streams. This has renewed the spirits of many volunteers and they have increased their energy and dedication to preserving habitat and into rebuilding the stocks even further. Each day, I find it encouraging to work with volunteers whose insight, commitment and hard work help preserve a resource we all love and which we have a common share in.”*

– Joe Kambeitz, CA

### **Cougar Canyon Creek Enhancement**

Pete Willows (604) 594-5377  
10718 Ramona Way  
Delta, B.C. V4C 6S6  
First year: 1986  
Activity: Incubation box  
Location: Cougar Canyon Creek  
Persons: 25  
Species: Coho

### **Elgin Creek**

Larry Rensell (604) 536-7593  
14391 Crescent Road  
Surrey, B.C. V4P 2A2  
First year: 1997

Activity: Rearing, habitat protection  
Location: Elgin Creek  
Persons: 20  
Species: Coho

### **Glen Valley Watershed Society**

Lisa Burgess-Parker  
4914 – 221 Street  
Langley, B.C. V3A 3Z8

### **Gulf of Georgia Cannery Society**

Michelle Willard (604) 664-9282  
Steveston Waterfront  
First year: 1996  
Location: Steveston  
Activity: Education  
Persons: 20

### **Langley Environmental Partners Society**

(604) 533-6054  
4914 – 221 Street  
Langley, B.C. V3A 3Z8  
First year: 1988  
Activity: Habitat restoration  
Location: Langley, Little Campbell, Salmon, Nicomekl, Serpentine Rivers  
Persons: 200

### **Little Campbell Hatchery**

(Semiahmoo Fish and Game Club)  
Bob Oswald (604) 541-0495  
1284 – 184 Street  
Surrey, B.C. V3S 5J9  
First year: 1978  
Activity: Hatchery, rearing and tours by request  
Location: Little Campbell River  
Persons: 400  
Species: Coho, chinook, steelhead and cutthroat

### **Nicomekl Enhancement Society**

Drew Waska (604) 888-4998  
P.O. 1184  
Fort Langley, B.C. V1M 2S5  
First year: 1988

Activity: Incubation  
Location: Nicomekl River  
Persons: 150  
Species: Coho, chum, red and white chinook, pinks

### **Steveston Salmon Hatchery**

Steveston Senior High School  
(604) 668-6500  
10440 No. 2 Road  
Richmond, B.C. V7E 2E3  
First year: 1987  
Activity: Hatchery, education, tours by request

Location: Steveston  
Persons: 100  
Species: Coho and chinook

### **Tynehead Hatchery**

Fred Jeans (604) 589-9127  
16585 – 96th Avenue  
Surrey, B.C. V3R 5W7  
First year: 1987  
Activity: Hatchery, rearing, tours by request  
Location: Serpentine River  
Persons: 100  
Species: Coho, chinook, chum and steelhead

## Education

There are 131 classroom incubators and more than 10,000 students participate in Salmonids in the Classroom activities in four school districts. Volunteers at community hatcheries such as Little Campbell, Tynehead and Nicomekl support these schools by providing eyed eggs for the classroom incubators and giving talks and tours to students. Storm drains are marked with yellow fish by many students to promote environmental awareness in their neighbourhoods.

### Education Contacts

**Delta School District**  
Warren Zerbe (604) 946-0321  
Port Guichon Elementary  
Classroom incubators: 21  
Species: Coho

**Langley School District**  
Brenda Hobbs (604) 530-0251  
James Hill Elementary  
Classroom incubators: 26  
Species: Coho

**Richmond School District**  
Greg Fraser (604) 668-6212  
McNeil High Secondary  
Classroom incubators: 18  
Species: Coho

**Surrey School District**  
Selena Millar (604) 590-2255  
School District 36  
Classroom incubators: 66  
Species: Coho

## Major Enhancement Facilities

**Chilliwack River Hatchery**  
55205 Chilliwack Lake Road  
Chilliwack, B.C. V4Z 1A7  
Tel: (604) 858-7227  
Fax: (604) 868-0461  
First year: 1981  
Location: Near Chilliwack  
Species: Coho, chinook, chum and steelhead

## MARK JOHNSON: Mission/Abbotsford to beyond Hope

### Abbotsford Land Trust Society

Lisa Fox (604) 864-5510  
P.O. Box 2026, Clearbrook Stn,  
Abbotsford, B.C. V2T 3T8  
lfox@city.abbotsford.bc.ca  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Awareness and land conservation  
Location: District of Abbotsford  
Persons: 10

### Abbotsford Ravine Park Salmonid Enhancement Society

Sammy Tucker (604) 852-8441  
Box 464  
Abbotsford, B.C. V2S 5Z5  
Sammy\_tucker@sd43.bc.ca  
First year: 1981  
Activity: Hatchery and education  
Location: Willband and Clayburn Creeks  
Persons: 200  
Species: Coho

### Abbotsford Soil Conservation Association

Michelle Boshard (604) 556-3732  
38900 No. 4 Road  
Abbotsford, B.C. V3G 2G2  
Humoferric@pacificcoast.net  
First year: 2003  
Activity: Streamside planting  
Location: Sumas Canal  
Persons: 12

### Abbotsford Stream Conservation Committee

Tanya Bettles (604) 824-0800  
City of Abbotsford  
2nd Floor, 32315 S. Fraser Way  
Abbotsford, B.C. V2T 1W7  
tbettles@city.abbotsford.bc.ca  
Activity: Watershed conservation  
Location: District of Abbotsford  
Persons: 20

### Advocates of the Nicomen Ecological Watershed

Keith Joycey (604) 826-7976  
41290 - B, RR#1,  
Lougheed Highway  
Deroche, B.C. V0M 1G0  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Stewardship, awareness and restoration  
Location: Nicomen slough  
Persons: 10  
Species: Coho and chum



*"It has been an interesting and active first few years for fisheries stewardship and salmon enhancement in my new work area. The future of the fish and the environment in the beautiful Fraser Valley depend upon the people working to make a difference. It has been my pleasure to become associated with many dedicated individuals, both volunteers and employees. All have my admiration and respect."*

– Mark Johnson, CA

### Alton Streamkeepers

Bonnie Alton (604) 858-0647  
6240 Unsworth Road  
Chilliwack, B.C. V2R 4P5  
bcom@telus.net  
First year: 2005  
Activity: Habitat restoration  
Location: Atchelitz Creek  
Persons: 5  
Species: Coho

### Annie Clegg Forest

Jack and Ruby Clegg  
(604) 794-3585  
9008 McElwee Road  
Rosedale, B.C. VOX 1X0  
jerseycow@telus.net  
First year: 2004  
Activity: Education and habitat restoration  
Location: Nevin and Dunville Creeks  
Persons: 4  
Species: Coho

### Chilliwack River Action Committee

Dave Lamson (604) 858-3257  
48665 Chilliwack Lake Road  
Chilliwack, B.C. V4Z 1A6  
Dflamson@uniserve.com  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Habitat restoration and awareness  
Location: Chilliwack River  
Persons: 12

### Chilliwack Senior High School Streamkeepers

Connie Williams (604) 795-7295  
46363 Yale Road  
Chilliwack, B.C. V2P 2P8  
Ms\_williams@shaw.ca  
First year: 2005  
Activity: Streamkeepers and education

Location: Nevin and Dunville Creeks  
Persons: 20  
Species: Coho and chum

### Cultus Sockeye Recovery Plan

Neil Schubert (604) 666-8452  
First year: 2001  
Activity: Sockeye recovery  
Location: Cultus Lake  
Persons: 80

### Fraser Valley Bald Eagle Festival

Sharie Conroy (604) 826-8179  
12699 Stave Valley Road  
Mission, B.C. V2V 4J1  
www.fraservalleybald  
eaglefestival.ca  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Awareness and habitat protection  
Location: Fraser Valley  
Persons: 50

### Fraser Valley Regional District

Meeri Durand (604) 702-5000  
First year: 2001  
Activity: Awareness and education, watershed planning  
Location: Chilliwack River, Draper, Cheam, Kawkawa Creeks

### Fraser Valley Regional Watershed Coalition

Brad Whittaker (604) 702-2606  
University College of the Fraser Valley  
33844 King Road  
Abbotsford, B.C. V2S 7M8  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Watershed conservation  
Location: Fraser Valley  
Persons: 28

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## **Great Blue Heron Nature Reserve**

Debora Soutar (604) 823-6603  
Box 512  
5200 Sumas Prairie Road  
Chilliwack, B.C. V2P 7V5  
dlsoutar@uniserve.com  
First year: 2003

Activity: Habitat restoration and awareness

Location: Salwein Creek

Persons: 20

Species: Coho and pink, Salish Sucker

## **Hatzic Valley Streamkeepers**

Ken Kristian (604) 826-8007  
34337 Catchpoke Avenue  
Mission, B.C. V2V 6P2  
kenkristian@shaw.ca  
First year: 2002

Activity: Streamkeepers

Location: Draper, Wharton creeks

Persons: 5

Species: Chum and coho

## **MEI Streamkeepers**

Daniel van der Kroon  
(604) 556-7473  
31638 Downes Road  
Abbotsford, B.C. V4X 2M7  
Dvdk86@hotmail.com  
First year: 2005

Activity: Streamkeepers

Location: Downes Creek

Persons: 6

Species: Coho and cutthroat

## **Mission Stream of Dreams**

Lucienne Lehmann  
(604) 820-6750  
30661 Keystone Avenue  
Mission, B.C. V2V 4H9  
First year: 1999

Activity: Stewardship and awareness

Location: District of Mission

Persons: 14

## **Skowkale First Nation Project**

Harold Archie (604) 792-0730  
Skowkale First Nation  
Box 2159  
Chilliwack, B.C. V2R 1A7  
Skowkale@shawcable.com  
First year: 1978

Activity: Hatchery

Location: Little Chilliwack Creek

Persons: 6

Species: Coho

## **Education**

More than 3,000 students participate in Stream to Sea activities. Ravine Park and Chilliwack Hatchery provide salmon eggs, which are delivered to Fraser Valley schools in these four districts. Many schools release their fry to local streams where students are encouraged to complete habitat surveys and also promote environmental awareness in their neighbourhoods by marking storm drains with yellow fish.

## **Abbotsford School District**

Sammy Tucker (604) 852-8441  
Classroom incubators: 20  
Species: Coho

## **Chilliwack School District**

Dave Lamson (604) 858-3257  
Classroom incubators: 17  
Species: Coho

## **Fraser Cascade School District**

Dave Lamson (604) 858-3257  
Classroom incubators: 3  
Species: Coho

## **Mission School District**

Lorraine Johnson  
(604) 826-6918  
Ferndale Elementary  
Classroom incubators: 20  
Species: Chum and coho

## **Major Enhancement Facilities**

### **Inch Creek Hatchery**

Box 61, 38620 Bell Road  
Dewdney, B.C. V0M 1H0  
Tel: (604) 826-0244  
Fax: (604) 826-1446  
First year: 1982  
Location: Dewdney  
Species: Coho, chum, chinook, ponded sturgeon

## **Chehalis River Hatchery**

RR#1, 16250 Morris Valley Road  
Agassiz, B.C. V0M 1A0  
Tel: (604) 796-2281  
Fax: (604) 796-9631  
First year: 1982  
Location: Harrison Mills  
Species: Coho, chinook, chum, steelhead and cutthroat

## **Chilliwack River Hatchery**

55205 Chilliwack Lake Road  
Chilliwack, B.C. V4Z 1A7  
Tel: (604) 858-7227  
Fax: (604) 858-0461  
First year: 1981  
Location: Chilliwack River  
Species: Chinook, coho, chum and steelhead

# B.C. Interior

## Community Involvement Staff

### Area Chief, B.C. Interior

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### Community Advisors:

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**Central Interior (Boston Bar to 100 Mile House)**

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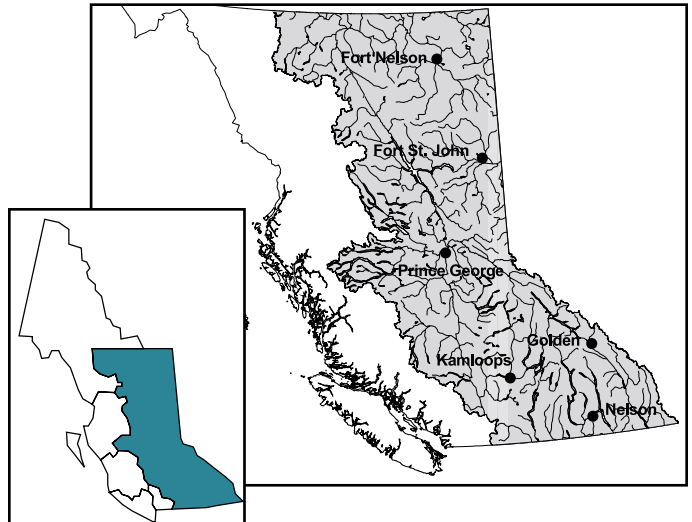


## ROY ARGUE/TINA CHESTNUT: Central interior, north of 100 Mile House, and northeastern B.C.

**Baker Creek Enhancement Society**  
Nature Education & Resource Centre  
Dora McMillan (250) 992-3770  
410 Kinchant  
Quesnel, B.C. V2J 7J5  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Oceans and freshwater education and outreach, Streamkeepers, habitat protection and restoration and Community Planning  
Location: Baker, Narcosli, Naver and Dragon Creeks  
Persons: 12

**Burns Lake Band**  
Chief Robert Charlie  
(250) 692-7717  
Bag 9000  
Burns Lake, B.C. V0J 1E0  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Flow control  
Location: Upper Nechako

**Cariboo Cattleman's Watershed Stewardship Council**  
King Campbell (250) 398-7028  
1290 A Borland Road  
Williams Lake B.C. V2G 4V1  
First year: 2004  
Activity: Habitat Protection and restoration, education and outreach  
Location: Cariboo-Chilcotin watersheds



**Cariboo-Chilcotin Fly Fishermen's Association**  
Paul Carnes (250) 392-6344  
2027 S. Lakeside Drive  
Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 1M3  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Hatchery, lake stocking and assessment  
Location: Williams Lake

**Cariboo Chilcotin Conservation Society**  
Marg Evans (250) 398-7929  
cccentre@stardate.ca  
Unit 201-197 Second Ave. North  
Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 1Z5  
First year: 1998  
Activity: List serve, awareness and restoration  
Location: Williams Lake

**Cariboo Chilcotin Guides and Outfitters**  
Stuart Maitland (250) 397-2445  
Box 1332  
100 Mile House, B.C. V0K 2E0  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Restoration  
Location: Quesnel River

**Cariboo Tribal Council**  
Yvonne Smith (250) 392-7361  
17 S. 1st Avenue  
Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 1H4  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Assessment, awareness and restoration  
Location: Williams Lake

**Carrier Chilcotin Tribal Council**  
Cameron Beck (250) 991-9912  
59 S. 1st Avenue  
Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 1H4  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Assessment, inventory and mapping

**Carrier Sekani Tribal Council**  
Sharolise Baker (250) 562-6279  
#200-1460 6th Avenue  
Prince George, B.C. V2L 3N2  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Inventory, assessment, genetic preservation, outreach and education  
Location: Prince George

**Chilako Watershed Council**  
Lee Migvar  
#202-1940 3rd. Avenue  
Prince George, B.C. V2M 1G7  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Protection, restoration, mapping, assessment and education  
Location: Chilako River

**Dunster Environmental Student Committee**  
Jill Howard (250) 968-4410  
Box 200, McBride, B.C. V0J 2E0  
First year: 1994  
Activity: Streamkeepers and education  
Location: Upper Fraser River

**East François Lake Community Association**  
Gill Kopy (250) 699-8677  
Box 24, Fraser Lake, B.C. V0J 1S0  
First year: 1995  
Activity: Streamkeepers and water storage  
Location: Nithi River

**Fraser Fort George Regional Museum**  
Nicola Focht (250) 562-1612  
Box 1770  
Prince George, B.C. V2L 4V7  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Education, Community Outreach, Rivers Day  
Location: Prince George

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## Fraser Headwater Alliance

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roy@fraserheadwaters.org  
6005 Brown Road  
Dunster, B.C. V0J 1J0  
www.fraserheadwaters.org  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Assessment,  
restoration, signage  
Location: Upper Fraser River

## Gavin Lake Forest Education Society

Mike Tudor  
(403) 987-9130 (satellite)  
or (250) 392-2544 (messages)  
72 South 7th Avenue  
Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 4N5  
First Year: 1999  
Activity: Education and  
Awareness for Youth

## Lheiltli T'eneh First Nation

Brian Toth (250) 963-5632  
1041 Whenun Road  
Prince George, B.C. V2K 5G5  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Assessment, inventory,  
outreach, Nechako  
White Sturgeon  
Recovery plan  
Location: Prince George

## Lower Bridge Creek Watershed Stewardship Society

Bonnie Winter (250) 791-9240  
bwinter@bcinternet.net  
100 Mile House, B.C.  
Activity: Signage, restoration  
and education  
Location: 100 Mile House

## MacKenzie Fish and Game Club

Albert Grattan (250) 997-5224  
Box 1907  
MacKenzie, B.C. V0J 2C0  
First year: 1996  
Activity: Classroom incubation,  
education, awareness  
and habitat  
enhancement  
Location: MacKenzie

## Nak'azdli Band

Bob Antoine (250) 996-7171  
Box 1329  
Fort St. James, B.C. V0J 1P0  
First year: 1987  
Activity: Restoration and  
assessment  
Location: Sowchea Creek

*"Community groups and volunteers have been very busy in the BC Interior North area. Our newest group – the Cariboo Cattlemen's Watershed Stewardship Council – coordinated and participated in nine riparian assessment field days, helped foster relationships between the ranching communities and government agencies, initiated over 35 habitat protection projects and have plans for more! The Baker Creek Enhancement Society now sits on the City of Quesnel's environmental planning committee and will play an active role in airshed protection for the city. The Williams Lake Field Naturalists are stepping up and helping us through our transition of six months on and six months off by coordinating our Salmonids in the Classroom fry release field trip for Williams Lake schools. Groups in the Prince George area pulled together a magnificent Rivers Day Music Festival last September and have already begun planning for this year's festival. And finally, 2005 is the dominant year for sockeye returns in the Horsefly River, so Horsefly volunteers with many of our Williams Lake area community groups are in the throes of planning for a Labour Day weekend Sockeye Festival. Mark it on your calendars, we hope to see you there!"*



– Roy Argue and Tina Chestnut, CAs (job sharing)

## Nazko Band

Band Manager (250) 992-9085  
3574 Hilborn Rd.  
Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3H9  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Riparian fencing  
Location: Blackwater River

## North Cariboo Metis Association

Tony Goulet (250) 992-9722  
#7 345 St. Laurent Avenue  
Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2E1  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Assessment, inventory,  
mapping and training  
Location: Cottonwood River

## One Hundred Mile House Fly Fishers

Dave Mingo (250) 395-6157  
C#7 Holmes Road, RR#1  
Lone Bute, B.C. V0K 1X0  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Lake inventory,  
restoration  
Location: 100 Mile House

## Penny Salmonid Enhancement Society (CEDP)

James Stoltz  
smoltz1@hotmail.com  
Penny, B.C. V0J 2K0  
First year: 1983  
Activity: Community hatchery,  
assessment and  
education  
Location: Penny  
Species: Chinook

## PG Public Interest Research Group

Helen Tremethick (250) 960-7474  
3333 University Way

Prince George, B.C. V2N 4Z9  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Inventory, awareness  
Location: Prince George

## Quesnel River Watershed Alliance

Chris Blake (250) 620-3498  
Box 1098  
150 Mile House, B.C. V0K 2G0  
First year: 1997  
Activity: Habitat protection,  
enhancement and  
awareness  
Location: Horsefly River

## Quesnel Woodlot Association

Jon and Hazel Massier  
(250) 991-9721  
4173 Barkerville Highway  
Quesnel, B.C. V2J 6T8  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Restoration and  
protection  
Location: Cottonwood River

## Rivershed Society of B.C.

Fin Donnelly (604) 941-5937  
fin@rivershed.com  
201-1190 Pipeline Road  
Coquitlam, B.C. V3B 7T9  
www.rivershed.com  
Activity: Rivers Day music  
festival, community  
outreach, capacity  
building

## Saik'uz First Nation

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Vanderhoof, B.C. V0J 3A0

First year: 2000  
Activity: Assessment and  
restoration  
Location: Upper Nechako River

## Spruce City Wildlife Association

Mandy Jones (250) 563-5438  
1384 River Road  
Prince George, B.C. V2L 4S2  
First year: 1980  
Activity: Hatchery, oceans and  
freshwater education  
and outreach,  
restoration and  
stewardship centre  
Location: Salmon River  
Species: Chinook

## Stellat'en First Nation

Violet Kennedy (250) 699-8747  
Box 760, Fraser Lake, V0J 1S0  
First year: 2000  
Activity: Restoration,  
enumeration  
Location: Stellako River

## Streambourne Flyfishers

Kurt Anderson (250) 747-3408  
3608 Dale Lake Road  
Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3H6  
First year: 1998  
Activity: Assessment, inventory  
Location: Quesnel River

## T'lazt'en Nation

Jim Webb (250) 648-3235  
P.O. Box 670  
Fort St. James, B.C. V0J 1P0  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Assessment,  
restoration  
Location: Stuart Lake

## Timothy Lake Road Community Association

Bill Rose (250) 396-7165  
Box 426, Lac La Hache, V0K 1T0  
Activity: Restoration, education

## UBC/Alex Fraser Research Forest

Cathy Koot (250) 392-2207  
72 South 7th Avenue  
Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 4N5  
www.forestry.ubc.ca/resfor/afrr  
First year: 1999  
Activity: Restoration, demonstration and education re: integrated resource management in the Cariboo  
Location: Gavin Lake/Knife Creek

## UNBC Landscape Ecology Research Centre

Quesnel River Research Centre  
Richard Holmes (250) 790-2031  
Unbcqrrc@laketown.net  
Box 174, Likely, B.C. V0L 1N0  
Activity: Research, education

## Williams Lake Field Naturalists/ Scout Island Nature Centre

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Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 2V6  
Activity: Oceans and freshwater education and awareness, stewardship centre

## Education

The BC Interior North's Salmonids in the Classroom program is about to get a boost, and we're really excited about it! Presently, fifteen classrooms in the Prince George area, fourteen in the Quesnel and Williams Lake areas and eight in the Peace country participate in our Salmonids in the Classroom program. The three stewardship resource centres in our area and the regional museum in Prince George are about to help us expand the program by incorporating the Salmonids in

the Classroom curriculum into their educational programs. This will provide an opportunity to another 1,500 children whose classes do not participate in our program.

In addition, with assistance from the Pacific Salmon Foundation, each of the resource centres will host an oceans aquarium for the purpose of building linkages between the freshwater lifestages of salmon and their marine lifestages. We cannot think of a better way to bring the Oceans to the Interior of British Columbia!

## DENNIS DEMONTIER: Central interior, Boston Bar to 100 Mile House

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Kelowna, B.C. V1Y 1J4  
Mkam@city.kelowna.bc.ca  
First year: 1996  
Location: Kelowna  
Persons: 7 schools, numerous community organizations  
Species: Kokanee

### Kingfisher Interpretive Centre Society

Neil Brookes (250) 838-6569  
2250 Mabel Lake Road  
Enderby, B.C. V0E 1V5  
Nbrookes@cnx.net  
First year: 1981  
Activity: Hatchery and interpretive centre  
Location: Shuswap River  
Persons: 80  
Species: Chinook

### Simpw Indian Band

Rick Gray (250) 672-9995  
Box 220, Barriere, B.C. V0E 1E0  
Dunnhatchery  
@mercuryspeed.com  
First year: 1984  
Activity: Assessment hatchery and CWT program  
Location: Dunn Creek  
Persons: 3  
Species: Coho

### Skeetchestn Indian Band

Don Ignace (250) 373-2493  
Box 178  
Savona, B.C. V0K 2J0  
Skeetch@direct.ca  
First year: 1984  
Activity: Assessment hatchery  
Location: Near Savona  
Persons: 3  
Species: Coho

## Education

### School District 22 (Vernon)

Gaila Erickson (250) 545-1181  
7322 Grant Street  
Vernon, B.C. V1T 6Y5  
Coordinator: Neil Brookes  
The Vernon School district supports approximately 35 classroom incubators. It supports the incubation program by providing field trips to Coldstream Creek, fry release field trips, dissections and workshops. These schools are closely linked to the Kingfisher Interpretive Centre. 35 schools.  
First year: 1981  
Location: North Okanagan  
Species: Chinook and kokanee

First year: 1980  
Location: Nicola-Bonaparte-Fraser  
Species: Coho

### School District 73 (Kamloops)

Joanne Nicklas (250) 579-9228  
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David Thompson Elementary School  
1051 Pine Springs Road  
Kamloops, B.C. V2B 7W3  
The Kamloops School District supports approximately 35 classroom incubation projects. The program also produces a monthly newsletter and a web page <http://www.sd73.bc.ca>  
The school district supports the incubation program by providing live egg takes at each school, all day field trips in May to release fry, dissections and workshops.  
First year: 1980  
Location: Kamloops  
Species: Coho

### School District 58 (Nicola-Similkameen)

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The Merritt School District supports fifteen classroom incubation projects.  
15 schools  
Species: coho

## Major Enhancement Facilities

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Merritt, B.C. V0K 2B0  
Tel: (250) 378-2992  
Fax: (250) 378-3549  
First year: 1984  
Location: Near Merritt  
Species: Coho, chinook and steelhead

### School District 74 (Gold Trail)

Coordinator: Dennis Demontier  
Nicola-Similkameen has twelve schools and Gold Trail has 5 schools.



*"The main focus for community involvement in the central interior is education. Approximately 100 schools raise salmon in the classroom. These schools are supported by education co-ordinators Joanne Nicklas and Neil Brookes. These projects have been very important in this area, helping the general public become aware of salmonids and their habitat.*

*The Community and Economic Development Program involving the Skeetchestn Indian Band and the Simpaw Indian Band is still fulfilling a meaningful assessment program for coho. Information gathered from these activities will aid in the management and understanding of these fish."*

*– Dennis Demontier, CA*



# Yukon and Transboundary

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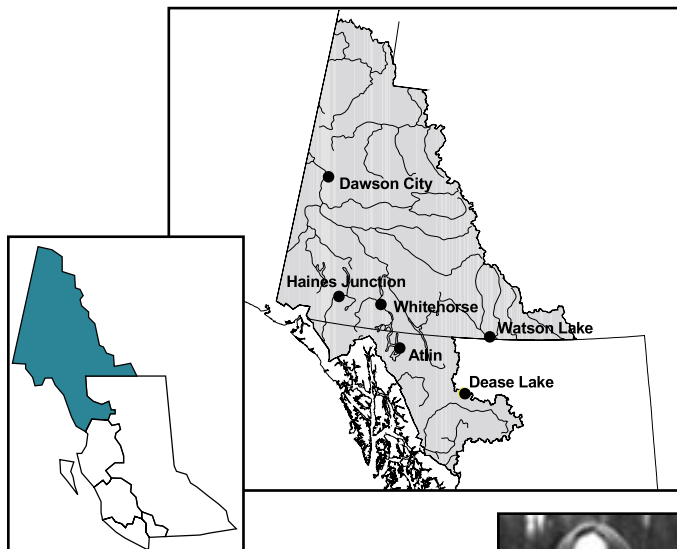
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## AL Von FINSTER: Yukon Territory

**Champagne Aishihik First Nation**

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Box 5309  
Haines Junction, Yukon Y0B 1L0  
Activity: Stream Stewardship  
Location: Nordenskiöld River/  
Yukon River Mid  
Mainstem Watershed

**First Nation of Na-cho Nyak Dun**

Dick Mahoney (867) 996-2415  
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Activity: Habitat restoration  
Location: Mayo River/Stewart  
River Watershed

**Kluane First Nation**

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Burwash Landing, Yukon Y0B 1V0  
Activity: Stream stewardship  
Location: White River Watershed

**Kwanlin Dun First Nation**

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Activity: Stream stewardship  
Location: Michie Creek/Yukon  
River South Mainstem  
Watershed

**Northern Research Institute**

Clint Sawicki (867) 668-8805  
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Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 5K4  
Activity: Salmon incubation and  
education  
Location: MacIntyre Creek/Yukon  
River South Mainstem  
Watershed

**Selkirk Renewable Resource Council**

Dorothy Bradley (867) 537-3937  
Box 32  
Pelly Crossing, Yukon Y0B 1P0  
Activity: Stream stewardship  
Location: Mica, Needlerock,  
Willow Creeks/Pelly  
River Watershed

**Streamkeepers North Society**

Doug Davidge (867) 668-2233  
76 Kluane Crescent  
Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 3G9  
Activity: Stream stewardship  
and education  
Location: Throughout Yukon

**Ta'an Kwach'an Council**

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117 Industrial Road  
Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 2T8  
Activity: Habitat restoration  
Location: MacIntyre Creek/Yukon  
River Mainstem  
Watershed

**Teslin Tlingit Council**

Pearl Callaghan (867) 390-2532  
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Activity: Stream stewardship  
Location: Teslin River Watershed

**Tr'ondek Hwech'in**

Art Christiansen (867) 993-5385  
Box 599, Dawson City, Yukon  
Activity: "Fish First" youth camp  
Location: Dawson City/Yukon  
River North Mainstem  
Watershed

*"The DFO OHEB staff in the Yukon is small. We do not have a Community Advisor position. Trix Tanner, our Education Coordinator, and I carry out many of the Public and Community Involvement tasks. There are few community groups as compared to southern areas. Trix works with K-12 students and with Yukon College, and I work mainly with Land Claims, First Nations and Yukon Communities. Much of the funding for activities and projects comes from the Yukon River Panel's Restoration and Enhancement Fund."*

*— Al von Finster, CA*

**Vuntut Gwitchen First Nation**

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Box 94  
Old Crow, Yukon Y0B 1N0  
Activity: Stewardship and  
education  
Location: Porcupine River  
Watershed

**Yukon Fish and Wildlife Management Board**

Jocelyn McDowell  
Box 31104  
Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 5P7  
Activity: Stewardship  
Location: Throughout Yukon

### Education

DFO offers the Stream to Sea Program, with related support material, including incubation equipment and salmon eggs, to all 29 Yukon schools. Curriculum material is also available through the Yukon Department of Education Learning Resource Centre. Seventeen Yukon classroom salmon incubators operated over the 2004-2005

year, involving students from six communities. Classes ran the incubators from October until May or June, growing fry from eyed chinook eggs (from three stocks) from the McIntyre Creek salmon incubation facility, or chum eggs from the Kluane River. The Northern Research Institute of Yukon College operates the McIntyre facility with funding from the Yukon River Restoration and Enhancement fund. Students returned the resultant salmon fry to their natal river systems (Takhini, Tatchun, Morley and Kluane River) in spring 2005.

In Atlin, B.C. a classroom incubator was used in the school for the first time ever. Their Tatsamenie Lake sockeye fry were released back to the lake in spring 2005.

The Aboriginal Fisheries Strategy program partially supports three classroom incubation projects in the Tahltan and Iskut First Nations area. They incubate sockeye from Tahltan Lake.