

North Olympic Salmon Coalition

Happy New Year!



upcoming events:

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Buffer Workshop

**BINGO! Win
Prizes, Save
Salmon!**

Fyke Netting

**Tree Planting @
Morse Creek**

Nursery Potting
Part 2

Happy New Year!

Welcome 2013! It has been a good month so far at the Salmon Coalition; many people are tackling grants, organizing volunteer events, or out in the field gathering data. Oh I can't forget, every wednesday we have a blast at Bingo nights. If you haven't been to a bingo night yet, well, you just haven't lived yet.

Happy New Year,
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Chimacum Buffer Workshop Living on the Edge



most wild and beautiful land in Jefferson County.

Come to a free workshop called "Living on the Edge - Protection for People, Property, and Habitat" to learn about ways to care for and protect these special places.

Topics covered include how to use your buffer area without harming it or yourself, the role of native plants, tips on removing noxious weeds, how to enhance or restore a buffer, how to encourage birds and wildlife, and what resources are available to homeowners

When: Thursday, January 31

12:30-4:00pm Presentations will be followed by a local fieldtrip

Where: Tri Area Community Center
10 West Valley Rd, Chimacum WA

Save your space today! Email darcym@wsu.edu or call 360/379-5610 x222.

Hosted by Jefferson County Extension, the Jefferson County Weed Board and the Watershed Stewardship Resource Center.

Gleaner's Planting Event

This Saturday, Feb. 2nd, from 10-1 there is a fruit tree planting event at Blue Heron Middle School. During the day, we will also mulch the trees and water them in. What to bring: If you have a build up of cardboard in your recycling, bring it on over for layering under mulch to suppress weeds.

Contact Seth to RSVP 379-0414

Last Night of BINGO! January 30th

Bingo is a fun and easy way to support the salmon coalition. It is only \$1/card and all the proceeds go to NOSC restoration and education fund.

Hilltop Tavern
2510 W Sims Way, Port Townsend
Every Wednesday in January 7-9:30pm



Bingo fun
See you at Hilltop!

Forage Fish Studies

February 28th 9:00-4:00pm
March 29th 9:00-4:00 pm

We are looking for 1-2 volunteers to collect and sieve forage fish samples from Chimacum Beach and Maynard Nearshore. These forage fish (Surf Smelt and Sand Lance) are on the bottom of the food chain, and are essential to the animals higher up on the food chain.

RSVP Anna (360) 379-8051

Nursery Work Party

NOSC ordered a load of bare root plants. These plants want to be in soil. On Saturday March 2nd, from 10-1, be one of the many



Carpooling is always an option, here are the driving directions to the NOSC Nursery from our office

(205 B. West Pastison Street, Port Hadlock)

1.Start out going WEST on W PATISON ST toward RHODY DR/WA-19. 0.1 mi

2.Turn LEFT onto RHODY DR/WA-19.Drive 1.9 miles

3.Turn RIGHT onto W VALLEY RD at Chimacum High School. Drive 5.2 miles

4.Pass Egg & I Rd, two Bundy Beef signs on your left and after Mile Marker 5 it is the second driveway on the RIGHT. #5270 W VALLEY RD. Gray barn and smelly seafood will let you know you're there. Park and the top and walk down. Don't drive down or you'll get stuck in the mud!

~Mark your Calendars~
~Fyke Netting~

Set some nets and catch and release a variety of species living in our restored estuaries of Discovery Bay. We need volunteers for this fun twice a month activity. Join us once or every time!

Feb. 4th 9:00am-1:00pm
Feb. 5th 10:00am-2:00pm

March 5th 8:00am-12:00pm
March 6th 9:00am-1:00pm

April 1st 7:00am-11:00 am
April 2nd 8:00am-12:00pm

May 1st 7:30am-11:30am

~~~~~Help us catch and count juvenile salmon~~~~~



Contact Jac to sign up [volunteer@nosc.org](mailto:volunteer@nosc.org)

**Where & When**

Discovery Bay

Meet at site or carpool from NOSC Office

**MLK Day = Biggest event in NOSC  
history  
Thank you all!**



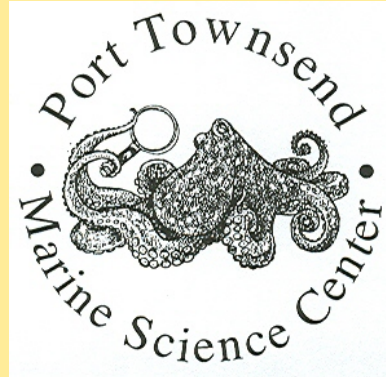
On Monday, January 21st a total of 111 volunteers participated in removing blackberries and ivy at Irondale Beach Park. It was great to see so many different people working together towards a common goal.

**Opportunities at Kul Kah Han's Garden**



For more information, contact Linda Landkammer who looks forward to talk with you at [wild4nature@q.com](mailto:wild4nature@q.com) or (360) 379-8733

## Low Tide Walk Marine Science Center



The cold dark winter months might give you the overwhelming feeling of snuggling up next to the fire with a good book night after night. Who can blame you? Well the Port Townsend Marine Science Center wants to offer you a more adventurous way to spend one of your nights, with a **LOW TIDE WALK AT NIGHT!**



**When:** February 7th at 6:30pm

**Where:** North Beach

chocolate, coffee, tea) and a snack to share for those who wish to warm up and gather around to share stories of what they found! Come explore our neighboring coastal world that hides under the vibrant colored seaweeds and barnacle covered rocks. There is no telling what we'll find, but there is no doubt we will find something cool and exciting!

## **Morse Creek Tree Planting Volunteers Needed**



Do you enjoy getting outside and doing some good for the environment? I thought so. On March 13th, from 10-1 NOSC will be planting trees at Morse Creek. Feel free to carpool from the NOSC office or meet at Morse Creek. For more information contact Anna (360) 379-8051

Congratulations!!! You made it to the end.