

Filing organization: Medicine Creek Treaty Tribes

Regulation number: MCTC-01-2023/4

Catch area: Chamber's Bay fishing area (13C)

All waters easterly of a line 100' east of the railroad trestle at the Mouth of chamber's bay to within 400' of the dam and causeway.

Fishery type: commercial

Species: Chinook

Date adopted: July 19, 2023

Effective dates: July 30 - October 14, 2023

Legal gear:

Beach seines - 600' maximum length with a 3" minimum and 4" maximum mesh size.

Follow the below rules or enforcement will be called:

1. Please be considerate of others waiting for an opportunity
2. Please limit hang time on the pocket to 15 minutes
3. Complete pull and allow others to have a turn
4. If no one is waiting, hang times can exceed 15 minutes until another fishermen is waiting.

Marine set gill nets - 100' maximum length, minimum 5" mesh size.

Set nets shall be tended not less than once every 24 hours. All set nets must be attached to the shore or anchored to the high water line. The end not attached to shore must be marked with a floating buoy not less than 20" in diameter; each buoy must be lit and marked in letters no less than 1" in height with owner's full name and tribe name. Set nets must be 100' apart and may not be tied together, they must all be anchored individually.

Days/hrs:

Beginning: 12:00 noon Sunday, July 30, 2023.

Beach seines: open 2 days per week, from Sunday 12:00 noon to Tuesday 12:00 noon.

Set nets: open 2 days per week, from Wednesday 12:00 noon to Friday 12:00 noon.

Ending: Saturday, October 14, 2023.

Comments:

Revisions to the fishing schedule may be made according to in-season update. If no revision to the fishing schedule is made, the area will close when the harvestable number has been reached, and will re-open when escapement needs have been satisfied, or when the Chinook management period has ended.

Justification: harvestable Chinook