

bring home the catch of a lifetime!



Summer 2003
may be the best
coastal salmon
fishing season in
Oregon in the past
50 years!
Here is all the
information you
need to bring
home the
catch of
a lifetime.

Grant Martinsen holding his 71 lb. chinook salmon, landed on the Rogue on October 24, 2002. The fish is a new world record for salmon taken on a fly – on a pattern Martinsen tied himself.

Fish the Oregon coast!
Call the Oregon Coast Visitors Association
toll-free at 1-888-628-2101,
or go to www.OregonFishing2003.com
for more information.

Here is a list of Web sites with other helpful
information on visiting or fishing in Oregon:

Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife
www.dfw.state.or.us • (503) 872-5268

Oregon Tourism Commission
www.traveloregon.com • 800-547-7842

Oregon Coast Visitors Association
www.VisitTheOregonCoast.com • 1-888-628-2101

Online Highways (travel information)
www.ohwy.com

Oregon Marine Board
www.boatoregon.com • (503) 378-8587

Oregon Parks and Recreation Department
www.prd.state.or.us • 1-800-551-6949

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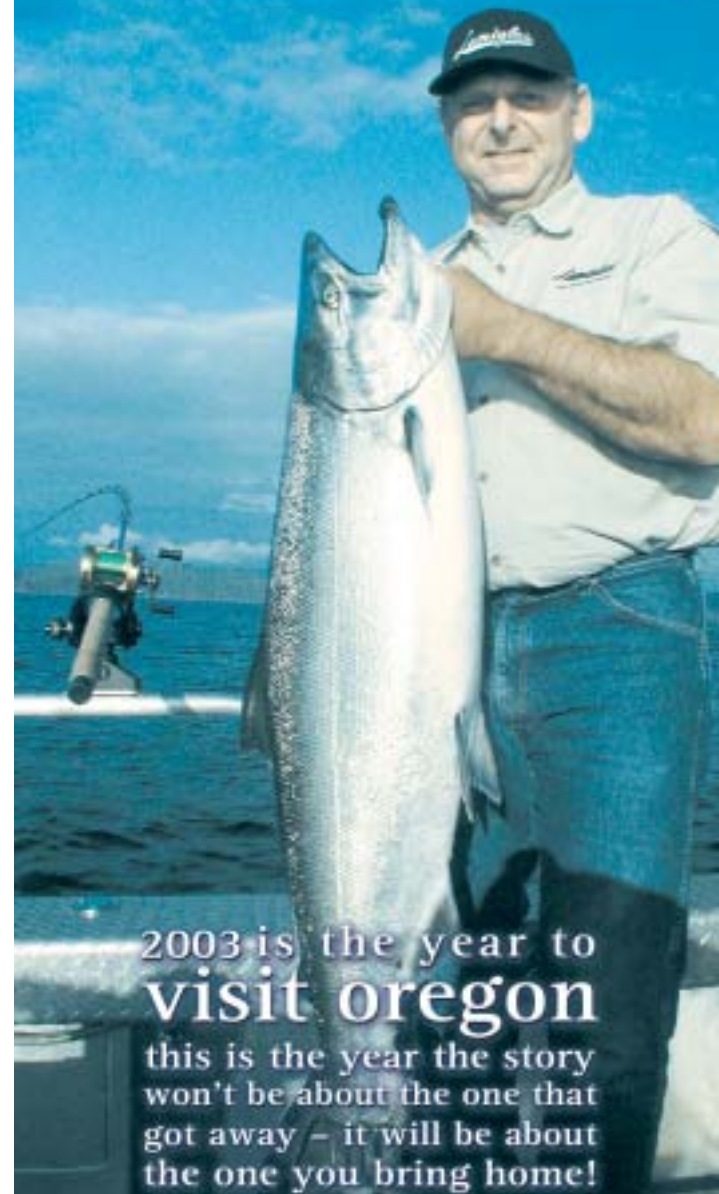
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2003 is the year to
visit oregon
this is the year the story
won't be about the one that
got away – it will be about
the one you bring home!



looking for big fish and lots of them?

Want to bring home the catch of a lifetime? Come to Oregon this summer, where the coastal waters and bays are teeming with salmon weighing 30, 40 and even 50 pounds!

Oregon is experiencing some of the West Coast's best salmon and steelhead fishing in 50 years. Last year's record river-caught salmon was 71 pounds, and more of the same is expected this season – which could run as late as November and December.

Bring your own boat and equipment or enjoy a guided charter with everything supplied. Pick a coastal river or head out to the ocean. Oregon's coastal communities have many top-notch charter fishing boats, expert fishing guides and friendly, helpful businesses and visitor centers to help make YOUR fishing trip the experience of a lifetime!

fished your limit but still want more?

Visitors to the coast can find fresh-from-the-sea specialties like Oregon troll salmon, halibut, tuna and rockfish at local seafood dealers and markets, or buy fish directly from fishing boats in ports up and down the Oregon coast. It's easy to find the fish you want.

we even help you take your fish home!

We make it easy for you to take some of the fresh flavor of Oregon home with you, no matter how far away you live. Just take your catch – or your purchase – to one of the many markets that will vacuum-pack and ship it to your home. It doesn't get much better than home delivery!

the oregon coast offers even more than great fishing!

Don't worry if not everyone in your party loves to fish – there's plenty more to do on the Oregon coast!

You can enjoy fishing, crabbing, horseback riding, kite flying, beachcombing, scuba diving, cycling, windsurfing and surfing, whale and bird watching, and hiking through old-growth forests overlooking the ocean. . . the list is endless. Coastal attractions also include lighthouses, aquariums, museums, theaters and festivals, poetry readings, casinos and state parks.



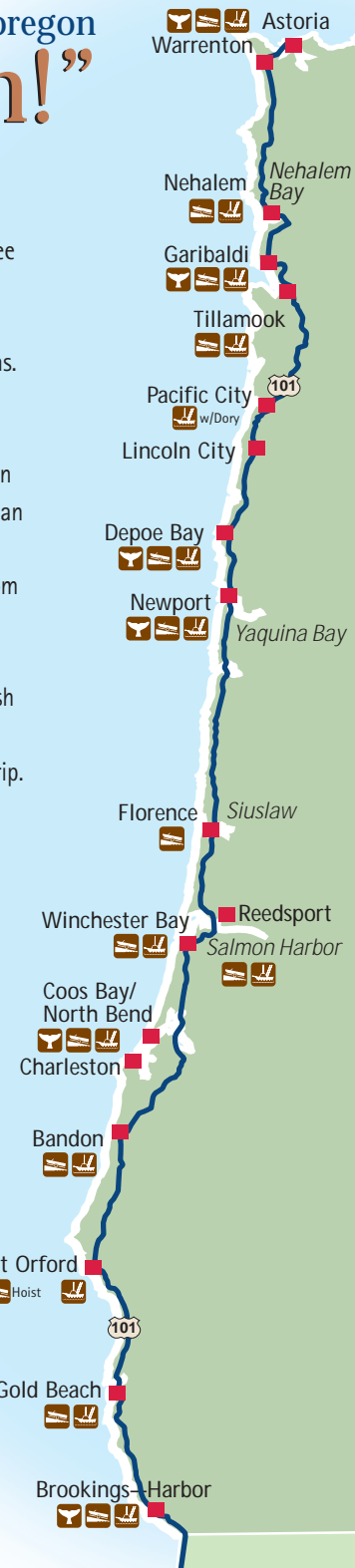
charter fishing in oregon “fish on!”

These coastal ports and cities offer a variety of fishing opportunities and resources (see key below). Many charter trips are offered year-round, while others focus on specific seasons.

Charter trip prices differ between ports and are based on the length and type of trip. As an example, a 5-hour fishing trip may cost around \$60 for bottom fish, \$70 or more for coho salmon, up to \$120 for a chinook salmon and bottom fish combination trip, and between \$140 and \$175 for a halibut trip.

Some of the many charter trips available include:
bottom fishing – ling cod, rockfish, flounder, sole, cabezon and more – halibut fishing, salmon fishing, tuna fishing, whale watching and marine science, ecology and bay tours.

KEY	
	Whale Watching Tours
	Boat Ramps
	Charter Trips



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