Dear Alaskans,

Did you know you are automatically entered to Double your Dividend when you Pick.Click.Give?

We hope you choose to support The Alaska Marine Conservation Council, healthy oceans and healthy communities with your PFD!

Love Local Seafood? Join our Team as the Local Seafood Sales & Operations Manager

Apply by January 15 to be the new Local Seafood Sales & Operations Manager for AMCC

AMCC is seeking a fish-loving individual to take responsibility for scaling up AMCC's local seafood sales programs and creating a newly branded seafood hub. Our Catch of the Season community supported fishery and Kodiak Jig Seafoods brand have been successfully selling seafood caught by Alaskans, to Alaskans for over four years. The Manager will have the vision and capability to grow these programs into a cohesive and high-functioning social enterprise that generates social, environmental, and financial impact. We are seeking an individual with an interest in long-term growth with our entrepreneurial organization.

AMCC is also hiring for two additional positions - Development & Engagement Director and Communications & Outreach Coordinator.

Please apply by January 15.

Visit our website for full job descriptions and information on how to apply.

Tales Worth Telling

AMCC’s Young Fishermen’s Storytelling Workshop in Juneau

Saturday January 30th

Join the Alaska Marine Conservation Council for a special storytelling workshop
The workshop will be held in Juneau at 9 a.m. the Saturday morning following the Alaska Young Fishermen’s Summit, at the Catholic Church in downtown Juneau (416 5th Street). Visit the Event Facebook page or Contact Hannah Heimbuch -hannah@akmarine.org- for more information.

Stay tuned for news on a young fishermen's trip this spring to the Boston Seafood Show, Washington D.C., and Slow Fish in New Orleans!

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**Save the Date - "Sea to Tap Root" Local Seafood Event February 25**

Join AMCC at the Tap Root to celebrate local seafood and support a brighter fisheries future

January 8, 2015

Join AMCC on Thursday, February 25th at the Tap Root for a celebration of wild Alaskan seafood and those who harvest it. The event will feature a multi-course meal highlighting an array of Alaskan seafood dishes prepared by Chef “Delicious” Dave Thorne, as well as fisher poets and fishing tales, and a artist-decorated buoy auction. Enjoy the food, art, and entertainment while also raising funds to support AMCC’s work to ensure healthy oceans and thriving coastal communities. More details coming soon! Like our Facebook page for event updates.

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**Congrats on the Crab Karl!**

Karl Ohls AMCC’s official Countdown to Crab Winner!

January 3, 2015

This week the lucky winner Karl Ohls received a 10lb. box of Norton Sea Red King Crab! He was randomly drawn from all those who generously contributed $100 or more in online donations in the month of December.

A BIG THANKS to all who donated to AMCC in 2015! We
hope you will all continue to support healthy oceans and healthy fisheries in 2016.

How and with whom will you enjoy that delectable crab Karl?

In Case you Missed it.....

Family Fishing Traditions: Lexi Fish Hackett, and Claire Neaton and Emma Teal Laukitis (The Salmon Sister) Featured on our Blog

The Salmon Project recently highlighted some of our favorite fishing women: Lexi Fish Hackett of Sitka, and Claire Neaton and Emma Laukitis (aka The Salmon Sisters). Lexi, Claire, and Emma Teal are the daughters of our founding board members Steve Fish and Buck Laukitis. Inspired by their work we decided to do our own Q & A with these fine fishers.

Read Family Fishing Traditions Part 1: Sitka’s Lexi Fish Hackett

Read Family Fishing Traditions Part 2: Homer’s Clair Neaton and Emma Teal Laukitis

Events of Interest:

Jan 12-13 Alaska Sea Grant Fisheries Access for the Future Workshop, Anchorage
Jan 25-29 International Pacific Halibut Commission Meeting, Juneau
Jan 27-30 Young Fishermen’s Summit, Juneau
Jan 30 Young Fishermen’s Storytelling Workshop, Juneau
Feb 16-18 2016 Local Seafood Summit, Norfolk, VA
Feb 25 Sea to Tap Root, Anchorage
Feb 26-28 Alaska Food Conference & Festival, Anchorage