

**WASHINGTON STATE
DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
TUCANNON FISH HATCHERY**

Monthly Report: March 2007

Fish on hand at months end:

Rainbow Trout (BY 06 Spokane Stock –Jumbo Triploid Program) Fry on hand at months end are: 5,342 @ 468 fpp. Monthly mortality totaled 31 fry.

Rainbow Trout (BY 05 Spokane Stock -Jumbo Program) Jumbo's on hand at months end are: 2552 @ 1.67 lbs each. Monthly mortality totaled 0 fish. 751 jumbos were stocked into local lakes during the month.

Rainbow Trout (BY 06 Spokane Stock –Catchable Triploid Program) Fry on hand at months end are: 182,158 @ 728 fpp. Monthly mortality totaled 1,369 fry.

Rainbow Trout (BY 05 Spokane Stock –Catchable Program) Catchables on hand at months end are: 144,486 @ 4.0 fpp. Monthly mortality totaled 28 fish.

Rainbow Trout (BY 06 Kamloops Stock – Triploid Program) Fry on hand at months end are: 58,907 @ 717 fpp. Monthly mortality totaled 212 fry.

Spring Chinook Salmon (BY 05 Captive Brood) Juveniles on hand at months end are: 90,073 fish @ 9.6 fpp. Monthly mortality totaled 0 fish.

Spring Chinook Salmon (BY 05 Conventional) Juveniles on hand at months end are: 149,493 fish @ 9.6 fpp. Monthly mortality totaled 0 fish.

Summer Steelhead (BY 06 Tucannon Stock – Endemic Program) Juveniles on hand at months end are: 62,964 fish @ 4.5 fpp. Monthly mortality totaled 76 fish.

Trapping to date: BY 2007: (2) Summer Steelhead (Lyons Ferry Stock), (9) Summer Steelhead (Tucannon Endemic Stock), (1) Summer Steelhead (Tucannon Natural Stock), and (3) White fish.

General: Staff participated projects / routine maintenance items include; Assist the Lyons Ferry hatchery transporting Fall Chinook, thatch hatchery and residence lawns, replaced oil seal on rearing pond drum screen gearbox, complex staff evaluations, annual fire extinguisher maintenance, and burn brush.

Weather: We had 3.07" of measurable amounts of rainfall and 1" of snow during the month. The High air temperature was 72 degrees and the Low was 15 degrees for the month.