



## Wishing You Were Here Fishing Report

May 15, 2005



**Our spring Steelhead Season has ended! And the Chinook season is heating up! We have been out on the Ocean catching halibut and chinook salmon. The weather this spring was unusually warm and it reeked havoc on a few days of fishing. Other than that the spring steelhead season went off with a BANG!! Take a close look at the photo to the left, it clearly describes the attitude of the weather we had in Mid April!**



**(Left) Guest Rod Kerr with approx. 24lb steelhead**

**Largest Steelhead on the fly this season goes to our repeat guest Rod Kerr guided by Gord McKean. Guess weight around 24 pounds, they had a few others on that would have made that one look little. Great Job guys!!**



**The next largest Steelhead of the season goes to a total beginner fly fisherman Howard Schmitz. The one he landed was all of eighteen pounds and he lost one that his partner in crime, John McCullough, said was a fish of a life time. Too bad Howard, I guess you will have to come back another day to catch “Walter” he will be waiting for you next year!**



**We are also excited to have a special guest back, Guy Harvey along with his daughter, Jess. It is a privilege to have him here with his wealth of knowledge and artistic talents to share with myself and my family. For those of you that wear his t- shirts or have some of his art on your walls but have never met this man, he is truly an incredible person to be around!!**

**Guy also has a new show on OLN called “Portraits from the Deep” We filmed a chum show with**

him last year. It has been aired 4 times already and will also be aired again June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> in Florida. Absolutely one of the best shows we have filmed.

Speaking of great shows, we will also have the privilege to have Mark Pendlington back with us next month. We are looking forward to seeing him again and doing another fabulous show.

If you have not done so lately please look at our website at [www.westcoastfishing.ca](http://www.westcoastfishing.ca), the photo gallery is updated almost daily with the latest fishing excursions.

And I must mention we received a package in the mail from a very ecstatic Gary Schewe (long time guest) who sent us a **WORLD RECORD CATCH & RELEASE AWARD** from the National Fresh Water Fishing Hall of Fame for a chum salmon (38 inches) he caught with us here last year. Go Gary!!!



I don't want to leave anyone out so I would like to say a special thanks to Fred Contaoi, JD Richey, and Captain Armand Castanga and all the other guests that fished with us this spring, I look forward to seeing all of you again next season and some of you for the second trip this year!!

We still have some space open in June for chinook salmon, and a few spots left in Aug. Please give us a call...  
this could be you!!!

From the gang here at Westcoast Fishing Adventures, **HAPPY FISHING**

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