2012 Coastal Recreational Fishing License (CRFL) Symposium
Fish, Habitat & People: Benefits from CRFL Grant Funding, A Five Year Review
New Bern Riverfront Convention Center (Tryon A & B)
Thursday, May 31, 2012

The N.C. Division of Marine Fisheries and N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission are hosting an event to showcase five years of the Coastal Recreational Fishing License (CRFL) Grant Program. The CRFL Grant Program provides funding for projects that aim to manage, protect, restore, develop, cultivate and enhance the marine resources of the state.

Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker / Facilitator
9:00 – 10:00	Registration, Educational Displays*	Tiffany Frazier (DMF)
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome / Opening Remarks	Dr. Louis Daniel (DMF) Gordon Myers (WRC)
10:15 – 10:30	Overview of CRFL Program	Dr. Louis Daniel (DMF)
10:30 – 11:15	Fish: Recreational Fishing Data Collection Program	Doug Mumford (DMF), Chris Wilson (DMF) and Kerry Anderson (DMF)
11:15 – 11:45	Habitat: Quantifying the Nursery Role of SAV & Wetland Land	Dr. Joel Fodrie (UNC-Ch)
11:45 – 12:00	Habitat/People: Oyster Sanctuary / Gibbs Shoal	Pelle Holmlund (DMF)
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch by Flounder's Seafood, Educational Displays*	
1:00 – 1:30	Fish: Movement & Mortality of Spotted Seatrout	Tim Ellis (NCSU)
1:30 – 2:00	Fish: Text Messaging	Scott Baker (NCSU Sea Grant)
2:00 – 2:15	Break, Educational Displays*	
2:15 – 2:45	Habitat: Submerged Aquatic Vegetation	Dr. Judd Kenworthy (NOAA)
2:45 – 3:15	People: Boating Access Projects	Erik Christofferson (WRC)
3:15 – 4:00	Closing Remarks	Dr. Louis Daniel (DMF), Joint CRFL Committee Commissioners (DMF & WRC)

*Educational Displays By:

- Teresa Holcomb (TAKF, Inc) Take A Kid Fishing
- Patricia Smith (DMF) Angler's Guide
- Patricia Smith (DMF) Saltwater Recreational Fishing Digest
- Paul Fontenoy / Christine Brin (NC Maritime Museum) Travelling Trunks
- Sabrina Varnam (DMF) Oyster Shell Recycling Program
- Jim Francesconi (DMF) Artificial Reef Program