

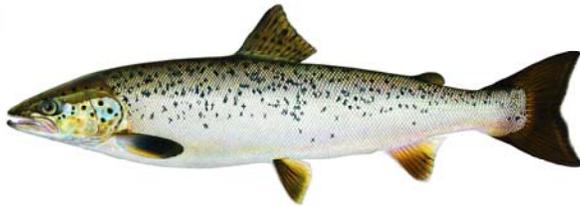
"Mooselook" Fishing Initiative!

June 11-13th

Great Fun - Great Giveaways - Great Cause!!!

Enter at: River's Edge Sports in Oquossoc, Haine's Landing boat launch, or the State Boat Launch in Bemis

**THE LANDLOCKED SALMON FISHERY ON
MOOSELOOKMEGUNTIC LAKE NEEDS OUR HELP!**



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There is currently an over-abundance of landlocked salmon in Mooselookmeguntic Lake. Reducing numbers of salmon, particularly those between 12 and 16 inches, is necessary to restore the lake's forage (smelts) to a level that can support better growth for salmon. We need your help as more harvest must occur if dramatic improvements are to be realized.

Increasing the salmon harvest should, over time, improve the average size of salmon available to anglers, and enhance the value of sport fisheries in the lake and its tributaries, including the Kennebago River. Lower salmon abundance should also benefit the lake's very special wild brook trout population through reduced competition and improved forage! The Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife is pleased to be partnered with several local and statewide sporting organizations in a cooperative effort to improve Mooselookmeguntic Lake's salmon fishery!

**Remember to always inspect your boat and trailer for
Invasive aquatic plants... before launching!!!
Introducing a new problem, while trying to help the
salmon fishery would be just "Loony"!!**

Boat Inspection Training & Volunteer Coordination provided by
RLHT's Headwaters Lake Protection & Education Program

