

# **2019 Fairbanks Outdoor Show**

## **April 26-28, 2019**

**Fairbanks Outdoors  
Seminar Schedule 2019**

### **SHOW HOURS**

**Friday, April 26, 2-8**

**Saturday, April 27, 10-6**

**Sunday, April 28, 11-5**

### **2019 SEMINARS**

*Stage 1 is located in the Northern Lights Room/Stage 2 is located in Multi Purpose  
Room 3*

## **FRIDAY, APRIL 26**

### **3:00 p.m. Stage 1: Didier Lindsey's Wildlife Photography Tips**

Didier Lindsey

[www.AlaskaWildlifeImages.com](http://www.AlaskaWildlifeImages.com)

One of Alaska's top wildlife photographers will share tips on how to best capture those wildlife images this summer. He'll cover tips on equipment, when and where to photograph, easiest and most difficult photos he has taken, and quick tips on how to compose the scene.

### **4:00 p.m. Stage 1: How to Buy Gasoline and Diesel Inboards/Outboards and Tips on Retrofitting a Saltwater Boat to a Gas-Saving and More Powerful Diesel**

Mel Grove

Alaska Frontier Fabrication

[www.akfrontierfab.com](http://www.akfrontierfab.com)

An expert in Alaska boating will discuss tips for purchasing a new boat, how to maintain jet and ocean boats, when it's time to retrofit your boat to a diesel, things to consider when doing a spring tune-up, and products that work—and don't work—in Alaska. He'll have a 29-foot boat on display for detailed inspection.

### **4:00 p.m. Stage 2: Proven Tactics for Halibut Fishing**

Ernie Kirby

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This 27-year, southcentral Alaska halibut fishing guide will cover the fish, tides, gear, tackle, bait and methods used to successfully catch halibut.

### **5:00 p.m. Stage 1: Bait to Plate: Every Fish Counts**

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This veteran saltwater guide will provide information on techniques for harvesting a variety of species targeted throughout Prince William Sound. Special attention will be placed on responsible releasing of halibut and the utilization of deep-water release methods for rockfish. In addition, this is an opportunity to share and listen to each other's insights.

### **5:00 p.m. Stage 2 : Alaska Big Game Management and Politics: What You Don't Know Can Hurt Your Hunting**

Wayne Heimer

This veteran retired wildlife biologist will explain the inside workings of the sheep disease problem that is facing Alaska's wild sheep population. He'll provide an overview of the convoluted process of Alaska game management and how those policies affect your hunting seasons. He'll also provide a primer on the Resident Hunters of Alaska bill too eliminate nonresident hunter opportunity whenever it is necessary to restrict harvests. He'll review the politics behind it, and its potential to wreck funding for ADFG wildlife programs.

## **SATURDAY, APRIL 27**

### **11:00 a.m. Stage 1: Pike Fishing Alaska**

Troy Bunce

Savage Water Adventures

Learn the tips from a veteran fishing guide on how to catch these toothy brawlers throughout Interior Alaska waters. Q and A session will include the best gear and tackle, lures and flies, best ways to handle pike, and some top watersheds to fish.

### **12:00 p.m. Stage One: Chitina Salmon Dipnetting: How to, Where-to-go and Inside Information for 2019**

Paul Harrell

Chitina Dipnetters Association

[www.chitinadipnetters.com](http://www.chitinadipnetters.com)

Experienced dipnetters will present useful information from planning your trip to great recipes for your catch! Attending this seminar will save you time and money, and you'll meet some new friends in the process. Dipnetters love what they do to protect the dipnet fishery for their fellow Alaskans and they will answer all your questions.

### **12:00 p.m. Stage Two: Hunting Mountain Goats on Kodiak Island**

Taj Shoemaker

Island Air Service, Kodiak

[www.flyadq.com](http://www.flyadq.com)

Writer, guide and pilot Taj Shoemaker talks about the superb opportunities for hunting mountain goat on Kodiak Island. He'll give advice on when to go, how to access, places to hunt, and things you need to do for success.

### **1:00 p.m. Stage One: How and Where to Catch Interior Alaska Grayling**

Reini Neuhauser

Alaska Fishing and Raft Adventures

[www.akrivertours.com](http://www.akrivertours.com)

This long time guide and Interior Alaska fishing veteran reveals the best times of the year to fish for grayling, from the road or floating, the top waters, and the best flies and lures to use to catch the "sailfish of the north."

### **1:00 p.m. Stage Two: Trailering Tips and Techniques**

Rusty Scholle

North Star Sail and Power

Learn about the proper trailering procedures for trailering your boat in Alaska, maintenance and tips to prevent breakdowns and help ensure you get to and from your destination safely.

### **2:00 p.m. Stage One: Escape the Crowds: Successful Alaska Float Fishing**

Reini Neuhauser

Alaska Fishing and Raft Adventures

[www.akrivertours.com](http://www.akrivertours.com)

A multi-media presentation seminar on successful float trips on Interior Alaska's rivers such as the Chatanika and Chena rivers, Delta Clearwater Creek, Gulkana River (Paxson to Sourdough) and Talachulitna River. Reini Neuhauser is a local expert who will offer professional tips and strategies via a photo and video presentation to ensure your fishing success. He'll also cover boating and camping skills, strategies for timing a successful day or multi-day float fishing trip; dealing with high-water situations and rain; improving catch success by controlling your boat/drift, and the best camping gear when fishing away from the crowds.

### **2:00 p.m. Stage Two: Running Super- Shallow Rivers and Other Boating Tips**

Craig Compeau

[www.Compeaus.com](http://www.Compeaus.com)

Learn the techniques of running a boat in Alaska's super-shallow rivers, and the outboard and jet units necessary to get the job done.

### **3:00 p.m. Stage One: Salmon Unlimited**

#### **Alaskan Salmon Fellows**

If you love salmon, plan on attending this seminar. Salmon Unlimited is a new and entertaining, exploratory group of Alaskans from across the state who share personal knowledge of salmon, but more importantly, why, as individuals, we care so deeply about them! Attend this meeting for inside information—not only on salmon, but also on where you can find them and the problems facing their survival. There is no obligation to become a part of Salmon Unlimited. Our mission is to bring together people of like mind and spirit who want to catch, maybe release, and at times, eat, in prayerful thanksgiving, Alaska salmon. Many salmon stocks today are threatened, and no one knows why. If we lose our salmon, Alaskans will lose the very heart of who we are as a people. Join us at this seminar, and share our quest. We are here because we are ready to show the world that Alaska's salmon have a collective voice in the men and women of Salmon Unlimited.

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**5:00 p.m. Stage One: Tips on Purchasing New and Used Boats for Alaska, How to Maintain Them, and Retrofitting: Part 2**

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Alaska Frontier Fab

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An expert in Alaska boating will discuss additional tips on maintenance and care for your freshwater jet boat to saltwater boat, and products that work and don't work in Alaska. A roundtable discussion will follow where he'll answer all questions on Alaska boats and boating. He'll also have a 29-foot boat on display for detailed inspection.

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Savage Water Adventures

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**3:00 p.m. Stage 1: Tips from UAF Cooperative Extension Service**

Art Nash

New and exciting benefits and assistance you can receive from the University of Alaska Cooperative Extension Service, on how to heat your home, to canning tips and fish processing advice.

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