

Washington State Department of Health  
 Environmental Public Health Programs  
 Office of Shellfish and Water Protection

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**The Most Recent Change Since the Last Bulletin is:**

**In Jefferson and Clallam Counties, Discovery Bay is closed to geoducks, butter and varnish clams only.**

*The following beaches are CLOSED to the recreational harvest of the species listed. All species means clams (including geoduck), oysters, mussels and other invertebrates such as the moon snail. All areas are closed for the sport harvest of scallops. The following closures do not apply to shrimp. Crabmeat is not known to contain the PSP toxin, but the guts can contain unsafe levels. To be safe, clean crab thoroughly and discard the guts (butter).*

**Clallam**

Discovery Bay	Butter Clams, Geoducks, Varnish Clams
Sequim Bay	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Strait of Juan de Fuca from Lyre River/Low Point east to the Jefferson County line	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Extended seasonal closure of ocean beaches	All Species

**Grays Harbor**

Extended seasonal closure of ocean beaches	All Species
Grays Harbor, excluding the Westport Marina	All Crab Species
Twin Harbors Beaches	All Species including Crab

**Island**

No Closures	No Closures
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**Jefferson**

Discovery Bay	Butter Clams, Geoducks, Varnish Clams
Quilcene Bay	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Port Ludlow and Mats Mats Bay	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Port Townsend and Admiralty Inlet	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Kilisut Harbor including Mystery Bay and Fort Flagler State Park	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Extended seasonal closure of ocean beaches	All Species

**King**

Quartermaster Harbor	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
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**Kitsap**

Point No Point south to Bainbridge Island, including Port Madison and Miller Bay	All Species
Liberty Bay	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
The eastern side of the County from Agate Passage south to Illahee State Park, including all bays and inlets	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams

*The ocean beaches are closed to the sport harvest of all species of molluscan shellfish from April 1 to October 31 each year.*

All of Bainbridge Island, except the southern shoreline between Restoration Point and Point White	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Blake Island	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
<b>Mason</b>	
No Closures	No Closures
<b>Pacific</b>	
Extended seasonal closure of ocean beaches	All Species including Crab
Twin Harbors	All Species including Crab
Long Beach	All Species including Crab
Willapa Bay	All Crab Species
<b>Pierce</b>	
No Closures	No Closures
<b>San Juan</b>	
East Sound	All Species
Sucia, Patos and Matia Islands	All Species
The southern shoreline of Lopez Island between Rock Point and Cape Saint Mary	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
<b>Skagit</b>	
Samish Bay	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Padilla Bay, Guemes Island, Guemes Channel, Sinclair and Cypress Islands, West Fidalgo Island including Burrows and Allen Islands	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
<b>Snohomish</b>	
Port Susan	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
<b>Thurston</b>	
No Closures	No Closures
<b>Whatcom</b>	
Chuckanut Bay and Bellingham Bay south to the Skagit County line	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Drayton Harbor	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Portage Bay	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams
Point Roberts	Butter Clams and Varnish Clams

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