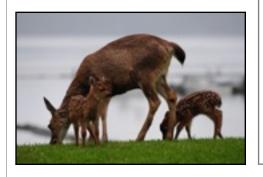


FISHLINES LATE SPRING 2016







National Geographic Traveler has featured Haida Gwaii in their 2015 list of Best Places to Visit in the World.

"The quiet is what strikes people here most on Haida Gwaii. On this 180-mile-long archipelago off the coast of British Columbia, labyrinthine coves snuggle up to dense forests with towering cedars.

When to Go: Summer (May 1-September 15) is the best time to visit, since tourist services (tours, cultural events, restaurants, and lodging) are readily available. Winter (October-May) is surfing season."

Read the full article here Best Trips 2015

CORPORATE NEWS

A Snap Chat With Georgia Husby and Veteran Guide Brian Whaley







Georgia: Brian thanks for sharing these old photos with us. You have the title of being Peregrine Lodge's longest active guide. When did your career begin with us?

Brian: In 1996, I was 20 years old at the time and my dad was a seasonal fisherman and he thought that the Haida Gwaii offered the best fishing on the West Coast of BC. I could hardly wait for the fishing season to start at Peregrine.

Georgia: Congratulations Brian, on your 20th year with us! You have been an exemplary guide throughout the years of your tenure, and I must add, the most consistent at landing big fish. You must have witnessed many changes at the lodge over the years, what do you think is the most significant?

Brian: The mindset of the angler has drastically changed. People are more aware of releasing fish. They understand why it is so important to allow these larger species to reach their spawning grounds. I personally promote the release so that the fish stocks can be sustained with trophy-sized salmon. In the old days, you kept just about everything; nobody thought about releasing the Tyees and certainly not the even bigger ones.

Georgia: I am very proud that Peregrine was a pioneer of the catch and release programs that many of the lodges have more recently adopted. What is the largest fish that you and your guests have released?

Brian: 76 pounds! continued... 2

Welcome to Peregrine Lodge

Jonathan Pim, Assistant Lodge Manager



Peregrine Lodge would like to introduce our newest addition to the management team, **Jonathan Pim**.

Jonathan brings over 10 years of fishing lodge experience. Having worked at Oak Bay Group for the past two years, he is excited to finally have the opportunity to fish the best waters in BC and looks forward to meeting all of Peregrine's guests.

Purchase Your 2016 Fishing License

As you are aware, Peregrine guests will be responsible for purchasing their saltwater fishing licenses and conservation stamp prior to their trip. Available now for the 2016 season.

If you have any issues regarding printing your fishing license, please feel free to contact the office at 1-800-663-0992

Purchase online here



Salmon Conservation Stamp Sample **Georgia:** Congratulations! That's an incredible sized salmon. There must be lots to say about this event, can you tell us more about landing this behemoth monster?

Brian: It was a beautiful calm day. We started to fish Parker Point, which is one of my favourite spots. We landed a 37-pound spring first thing in the morning, and a few others. We slowly trolled to Bird Rock when we heard that Butcher (another guide) had just released a 69-pound spring for his guests, right where we had been trolling! We decided to stay at Bird, and approximately one hour later we lit into our 76-pounder, which we finally landed, taped and released.

Georgia: Well, you have great instincts Brian. Is there any advice you could share with our guests to have a successful day of fishing?

Brian: Stick and stay and make it pay where you are trolling. All the points have their bites and at different times of the day, but if you are chasing a bite that has been called somewhere else, chances are you are going to miss it by chasing after it.

Georgia: That sounds like a solid plan, are there any other fishing tips you could share with our guests?

Brian: Sure, I also like to ensure that my guests set the hooks hard and not to horse the fish in.

Georgia: What do you think separates Peregrine Lodge from other lodges?

Brian: The fish hold in our fishing grounds longer than at Langara. We also don't troll around with flashers. We are one of the few places that only require a cut plug herring and a great guide to successfully land a big fish.

Georgia: We love listening to fish tale stories from the guides; do you have one that you would like to share with us?

Brian: I have a funny story that still gets a few chuckles when I tell it. One day, years ago, I had a couple of new guests that had never fished before on my charter. We were fishing 3 rods when one of the rods buckled over, I passed the rod to the woman and she said she didn't know what to do. I said, "Let it go, let it go!"...And she let go of the rod and reel over the side of the boat. The fish swam away... with both!

In The Media

Check out Peregrine Lodge featured on The Northern Fisherman: The Quest For A Tyee



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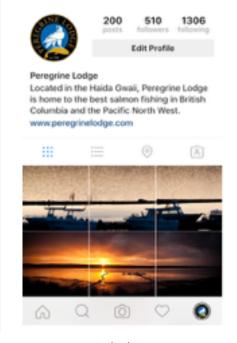
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Instagram

This season, the guides of Peregrine Lodge will be taking over our Instagram account posting their experiences out on the water.

Help us take our adventure online using, #thereisaplace



IT'S ALWAYS HAPPY HOUR

Tyee Bar Feature Cocktail



'The Islander'

It's Reel Good

1.75 oz Hendricks Gin

.75 oz Lemon juice

.5 oz Orgeat syrup

1 egg white

In a martini shaker, add egg white, Gin, followed by the juices. Dry shake vigorously.

Add ice and shake until chilled.

Strain into coupe (or martini glass) and garnish with grated nutmeg.

2016 Exclusive Hotel Partners

Coming in from out of town? Peregrine Lodge pleased to offer exclusive rates for our fishing guests with the following hotel partners;

Fairmont Vancouver Airport, Richmond River Rock Casino Resort, Richmond Hotel Georgia, Downtown Vancouver Pacific Gateway Hotel, Vancouver Airport

Feel free to contact our toll free number 1-800-663-0992 and Lexi would be happy to assist in making a reservation for you at one of these exclusive hotels.

Limited space is still available for the 2016 Fishing Season!

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