



California Collaborative Fisheries Research Program

U.C. Santa Barbara Volunteer Newsletter A Summary of the 2019 Sampling Season

Greetings CCFRP Volunteers,

Thank you all for making 2019 our third successful year of collaborative data collection in the Santa Barbara Channel! With your help we performed 10 hook and line sampling trips to Santa Rosa and Anacapa Islands, surveying MPAs at each. Across these trips, volunteers spent 315 hours catching and releasing 3,579 fishes (tagging 1,040 individuals) from 29 different species. All this hard work allows us to gather important information on catch rate, species composition, length, and maturity!



Know someone interested in learning more about our program?

Contact Chris Honeyman at choneyman@ucsb.edu for more information and to volunteer.



2019 Field Season Results

Catch Per Unit Effort

Site	Catch per Unit Effort [CPUE = Fish/(Angler*hours)]	Most Frequently Caught Fishes
Santa Rosa MPA	15.12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ocean Whitefish • Copper Rockfish • Gopher Rockfish • Blue Rockfish • Lingcod
Santa Rosa Reference	11.47	
Anacapa MPA	15.13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ocean Whitefish • Treefish • Kelp Bass
Anacapa Reference	3.92	

Largest Fishes Caught

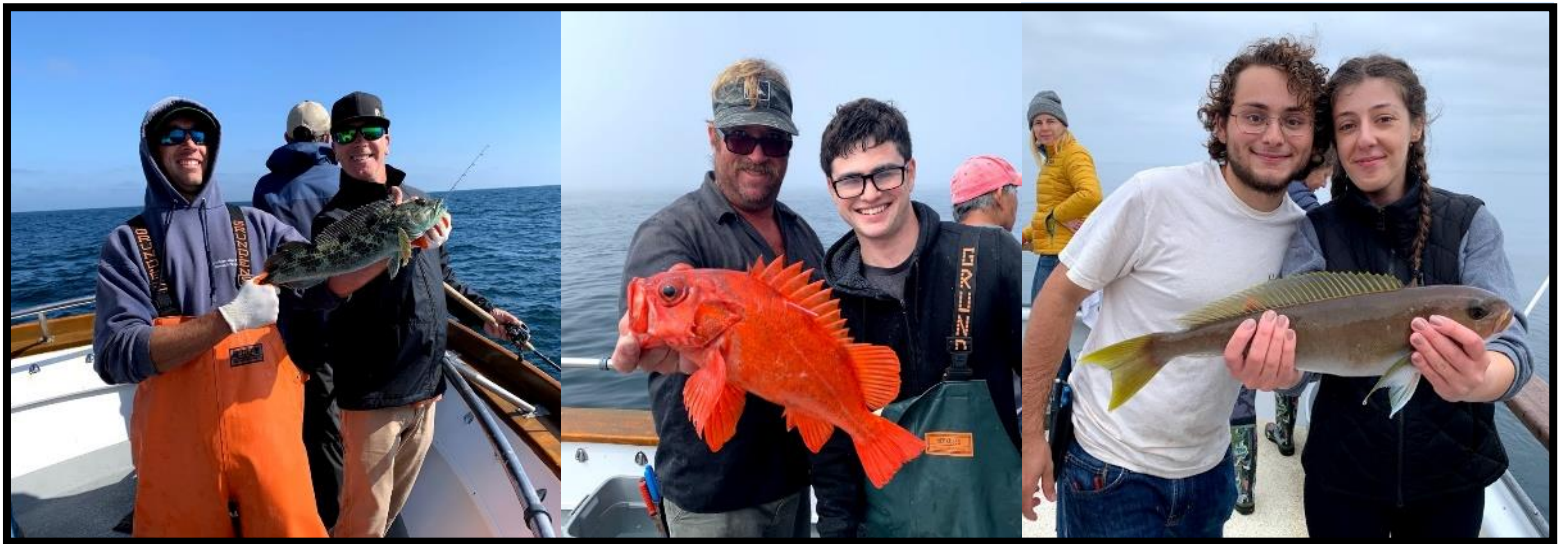
- Lingcod (40.16 inches) – John Shields
- California Halibut (32.29 inches) - Whitney Uyeda
- California Sheephead (31.5 inches) - Mark Zanius
- Ocean Whitefish (26.38 inches) - Bill Power
- Vermillion Rockfish (20.1 inches) - Ara Yazaryan
- Copper Rockfish (19.3 inches) - Craig Shuman

Updates from UCSB CCFRP Science Crew



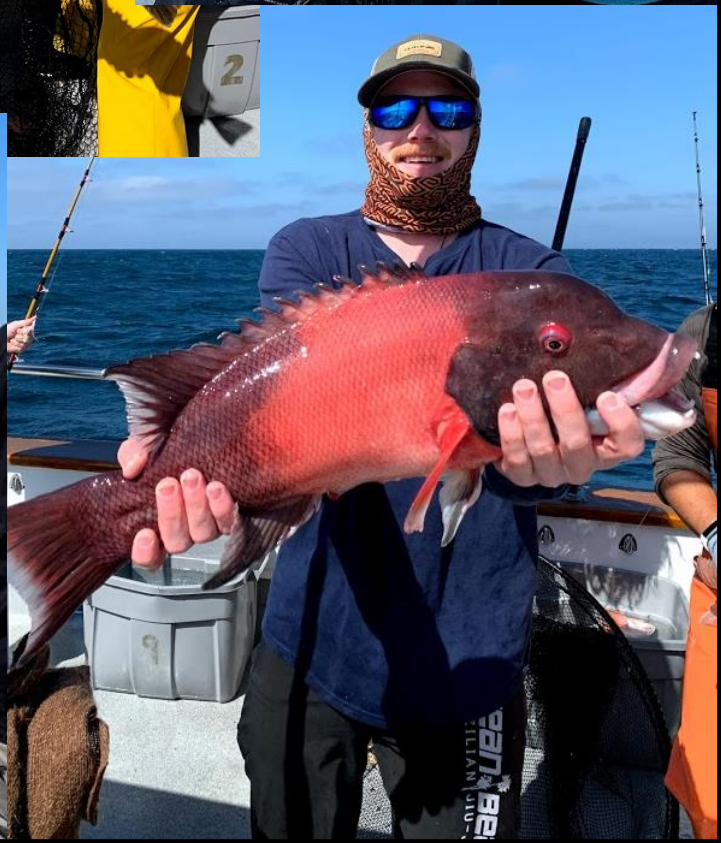
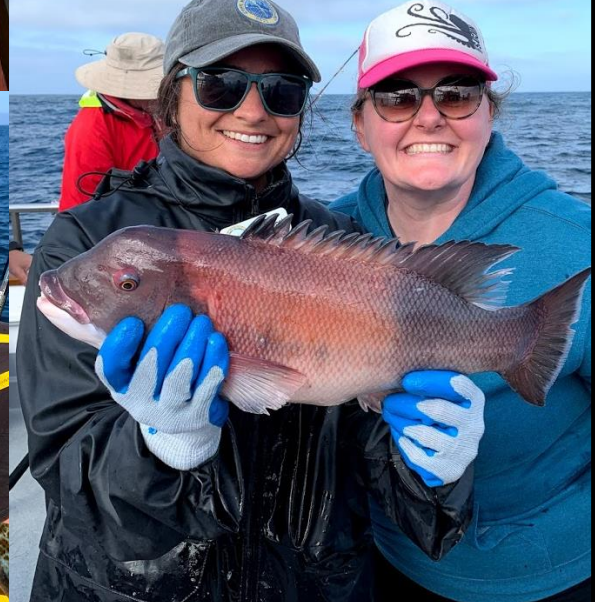
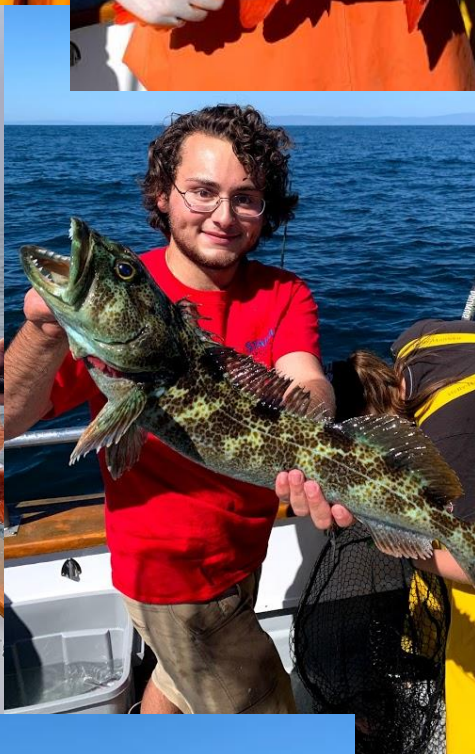
We are currently working hard behind the scenes to ensure the program continues to grow throughout 2020 and beyond. Keep your eyes peeled over the next few months for emails regarding our annual volunteer appreciation event and fall sampling trips.

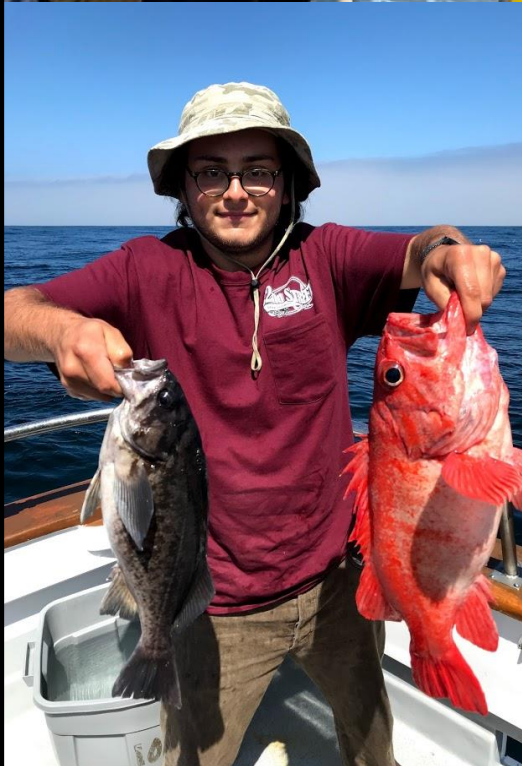
Want to donate to keep us fishing in 2020 and beyond? Contact Chris Honeyman for opportunities (choneyman@ucsb.edu)



Please take a minute to follow “Caselle Lab” on Facebook and Instagram, as well as “CCFRP” on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and Youtube!







**Thanks for
another great
year out on the
water.**

**We look forward
to fishing with
you in 2020!**

