

**Squaxin Island Tribe  
Intertidal Shellfish Regulation  
No. 2025-17C**

**This regulation supersedes regulation 2025-16**

Date: January 16, 2025

Effective Date: January 24, 2025

Catch / Growing Area: 28D / Skookum Inlet

**Pick up: Clam Fresh 15 minutes before start time**

**BIDN: SXN\_NurseryBeach (NB1)  
SXN\_NSkookum Senior Beach**

**Dates/Times: SXN\_NurseryBeach (NB1) will be:  
Open for SENIOR GROUPS 1 and 2:  
Friday, January 24, 2025 from 7:00 PM through 10:00 PM**

**SXN\_NSkookum Senior Beach will be CLOSED:  
Friday, January 24, 2025 from 7:00 PM through 10:00 PM**

Gear/Technique: Hand held fork

Shellfish Type: 509- Manila clams

Estimated Effort: 40 harvesters

Estimated Harvest: 6,500 lbs each harvest day

**Bag Limit: No more than 180 pounds of clams may be harvested per harvester.  
Designated diggers may dig their own and their designees' limit.**

Size Limit: All clams must be 1.5" or larger in length to be legally harvested.

Justification: Available clam resource. Change in harvest location.

Other Restrictions:

- Harvesters may only dig within the marked areas on the beach.
- Harvesters may provide a personal facemask to be worn at all times when on the barge and when interacting with the buyer and crew.
- These are senior only digs, **only seniors may participate in these harvests.**
- The shellfish monitor will distribute Bag tags on the day of the scheduled harvest. Harvesters are responsible for properly filling out and attaching these bag tags to all containers of shellfish before selling clams to a buyer.
- Harvesters must present their current shellfish license to the buyer and ensure all information recorded on the Treaty Indian Fish Receiving Ticket is correct. The harvesters are required to sign their own Treaty Indian Fish Receiving Ticket.
- It is unlawful for tribal members or assistants to harvest shellfish while under the influence of drugs and/or alcohol. As per the Squaxin Island Tribal Code Section 7.04.160.
- Fish Tickets recording clams harvested by a designated digger are required to have the designated digger's signature as well as the name of the person that the clams were being harvested for.

In accordance with the Squaxin Island Shellfish Code, this regulation is hereby approved.

Signature:  
Tribal Council

  
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Natural Resources

  
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