

Forage Fish Matters

The Secret Lives of Needlefish & Smelts



Join us for a public presentation about the lives and spawning habitats of needle fish and surf smelt. Surf smelt are close relatives to eulachon. Surf smelt, Pacific sand lance (needlefish) and herring are critical prey for hundreds of marine predators from birds, fish (salmon and rockfish) to whales!

We'll be joined by Ramona C. de Graaf, a biologist working throughout the province to protect spawning beaches for the smelt and needle fish.

WHERE **WEST BEACH, EASTBOURNE - BRING WATER/HAT**

WHEN **JULY 20TH 11 AM**

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